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Space data and information transfer systems — Telecommand — Architectural specification for the data management service

1 Scope

This International Standard specifies the requirements which define the architecture of a spacecraft telecommand data management service. This architecture is intended to provide a common framework within which space agencies may implement compatible future spacecraft telecommanding systems.

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

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 203.0-B-2, June 2001, *Recommendation for space data system standards — Telecommand — Part 3: Data management service — Architectural specification*.

For the purposes of international standardization, the modifications outlined below shall apply to the specific clauses and paragraphs of publication CCSDS 203.0-B-2.

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This part is information which is relevant to the CCSDS publication only.

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Add the following information to the references indicated:

- [1] Document CCSDS 202.0-B-3, June 2001, is equivalent to ISO 12172:2003.
- [2] Document CCSDS 201.0-B-3, June 2000, is equivalent to ISO 12171:2003.
- [3] Document CCSDS 102.0-B-5, November 2000, is equivalent to ISO 13419:2003.
- [4] Document CCSDS 101.0-B-5, June 2001, is equivalent to ISO 11754:2003.
- [5] Document CCSDS 713.0-B-1, May 1999, is equivalent to ISO 15891:2000.

3 Revision of publication CCSDS 203.0-B-2

It has been agreed with the Consultative Committee for Space Data Systems that Subcommittee ISO/TC 20/SC 13 will be consulted in the event of any revision or amendment of publication CCSDS 203.0-B-2. To this end, NASA will act as a liaison body between CCSDS and ISO.

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PART 3

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STATEMENT OF INTENT

The Consultative Committee for Space Data Systems (CCSDS) is an organization officially established by the management of member space Agencies. The Committee meets periodically to address data systems problems that are common to all participants, and to formulate sound technical solutions to these problems. Inasmuch as participation in the CCSDS is completely voluntary, the results of Committee actions are termed **RECOMMENDATIONS** and are not considered binding on any Agency.

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FOREWORD

This document, which is a technical Recommendation prepared by the Consultative Committee for Space Data Systems (CCSDS), is intended for use by participating space Agencies in their development of space telecommand systems.

This Recommendation allows the implementing organizations within each Agency to proceed coherently with the development of compatible Standards for the flight and ground systems that are within their cognizance. Agency Standards derived from this Recommendation may implement only a subset of the optional features allowed herein, or may incorporate features not addressed by the Recommendation.

In order to establish a common framework within which the Agencies may develop standardized telecommand services, the CCSDS advocates adoption of a layered systems architecture. Within this approach, specific layers of service (including their operational protocol and data structuring techniques) may be selected for implementation according to mission requirements.

The current layered set of CCSDS telecommand Recommendations was developed to match the conventional free-flying mission environment, as characterized by the transmission of command data at relatively low uplink data rates to spacecraft of moderate complexity. The CCSDS is currently examining the extension of these Recommendations (perhaps by defining expanded protocols and data structures within some of the layers) to a more complex mission environment, including the transmission of multiple data types at very high data rates to space vehicles which include extensive onboard data networking capability.

This Recommendation for Telecommand Data Management Service was developed within the layered architectural framework, and embraces the standard data structures and data communication procedures which may be used by conventional missions within the highest telecommand system layers.

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