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The following changes have been implemented in this new edition:

- Multiple corrections and clarifications

Replaced ASCII with extended ASCII, Basic Date remarks, correction of typing errors.

- Excluded semicolon from the STRING\_X specification
- Added ManufVersion to the general variables

This allows distinguishing between different interpretations of the manufacturer.

- Changed type of GeoAlt to allow negative altitudes
- Added MaxVehSpd indicating the maximum speed over the last period.

This allows a more precise interpretation of the spread amount.

- Both SprCntBrineL and SprCntBrineKg are mandatory

Both are needed for the data processing systems, remark that only one is mandatory is removed.

- Added Weight system data record

Allowing transmission of weight data collected by weighing cells.

- Several corrections on the sweeper variables and the sweeper data record

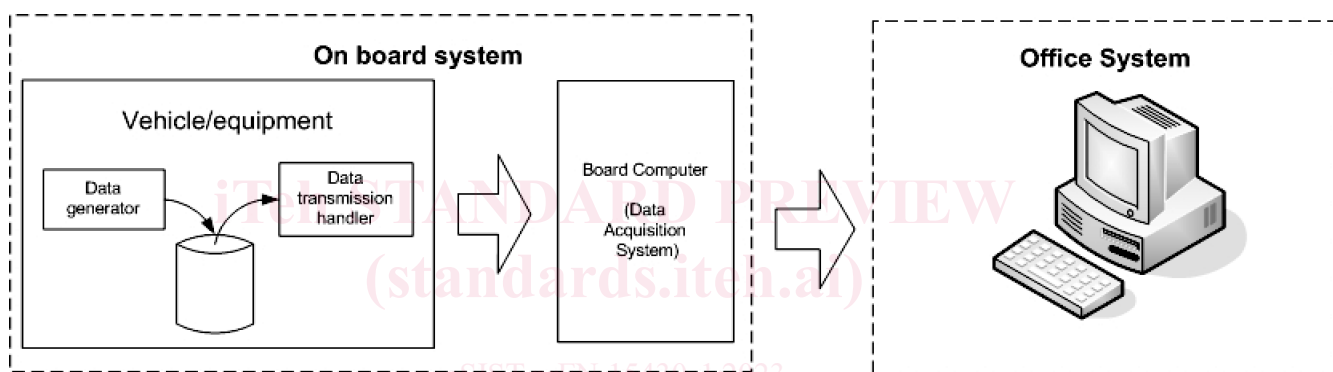
Corrected some typo's and missing variables and variable definition.

## Introduction

This protocol is meant to be used for data acquisition in fleet management applications in the field of municipal vehicles. The purpose of the protocol is to define how data of a vehicle or equipment is generated, stored and transferred to a board-computer system in the vehicle and from the board-computer to the software application in the office (refer to Figure 1). On the equipment or vehicle the data is generated by a “Data generator”. This data is stored, if present, into a buffer-memory. The “Data transmission handler” will send the data present in the buffer-memory to the “Board-computer” or “Data Acquisition System”. The buffer-memory is there to ensure that data does not get lost in case there is no transmission possible. The size or type of the buffer is not defined in this proposal. If there is no buffer or the buffer is too small to store new data, data will get lost.

To synchronize time-stamps of the vehicle/equipment with the Board-computer, a special record for time synchronization is defined.

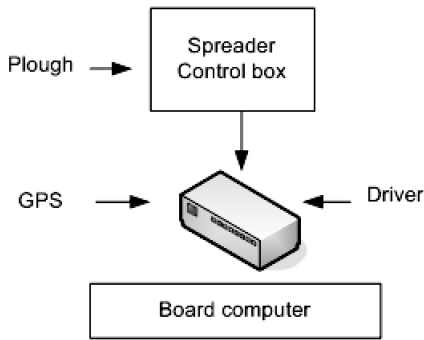
In this part, the data acquisition and communication from vehicle/equipment to the Board-computer is defined.



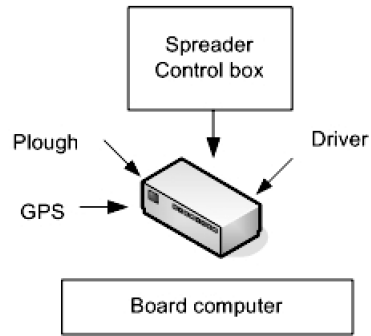
**Figure 1 — Architecture**

In general, the data is a semi-colon (“;”) separated extended ASCII text for separation of record codes and values of variables. CR+LF is used for separation of records (one record is one line of text).

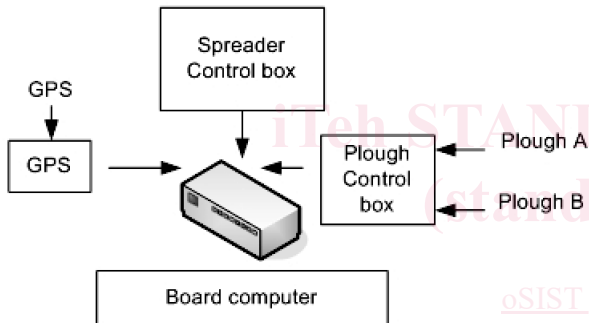
Examples of an on-board system configuration.



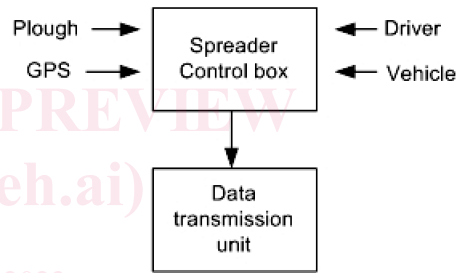
(a) Spreader control box generates spreader and plough data, acquired by board computer;



(b) Spreader control box generates spreader data, acquired by board computer; Board computer adds plough, GPS and driver data



(c) Spreader control box generates spreader data, plough control box generates plough data, GPS box generates GPS data, acquired by board computer



(d) Spreader control box generates spreader, plough, GPS, driver and vehicle data and sends this to the office through the data transmission unit ( spreader control box is board computer)

Figure 2 — Diagram of possible connections



## 1 Scope

This document specifies a standardized protocol for downloading data from the equipment control box to an in-vehicle board computer to ensure interchangeability between a vehicle and different equipment that the same vehicle can carry.

It specifies the interface connection as well as variables, records and reports which permit standardized protocol to cover applications with the greatest possible variety of equipment for performing winter maintenance and road service area maintenance.

## 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.

ISO/IEC 8859-1, *Information technology — 8-bit single-byte coded graphic character sets — Part 1: Latin alphabet No. 1*

NMEA 0183, *Interface Standard*

TIA-232-F, *Interface between data terminal equipment and data circuit-terminating equipment employing serial binary data interchange (RS232)*

SAE J1939/71, *Recommended practice for serial control and communications vehicle network — Vehicle application layer*

## 3 Terms and definitions

No terms and definitions are listed in this document.

ISO and IEC maintain terminology databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- IEC Electropedia: available at <https://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>

## 4 Abbreviations

ACK	Acknowledge (ASCII control code 06 <sub>h</sub> )
ASCII	American national Standard Code for Information Interchange
Bps	Bits per second
CRC-16	Cyclic Redundancy Code with 16 bits
CRC-32	Cyclic Redundancy Code with 32 bits
CR	Carriage Return (ASCII control code 0D <sub>h</sub> )
EOT	End Of Transmission (ASCII control code 04 <sub>h</sub> )
h	Number before h is in hexadecimal notation
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

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LF	Line Feed (ASCII control code 0A <sub>h</sub> )
NAK	Negative acknowledge (ASCII control code 15 <sub>h</sub> )
SOH	Start Of Header (ASCII control code 01 <sub>h</sub> )
TBD	To Be Defined
↵	CR + LF (carriage return + line feed)

**5 Communication between vehicle/equipment and board-computer****5.1 General**

The data exchange between vehicle/equipment “Data transmission handler” and the “Board-computer” shall follow at least one of the communication standards described in the present document version or future release. Until now, only the RS232 standard (TIA-232-F) is defined as a communication standard so that means that at the present a compliant EN 15430 “Data transmission handler” has to supply a RS232 interface, if in the future other standard interfaces will be defined (e.g. CAN BUS, USB ...) a compliant EN 15430 future “Data transmission handler” will have to supply at least one of the communication standard until that time is defined.

**5.2 Communication through RS232****5.2.1 RS232 interface on vehicle/equipment “Data transmission handler”**

- Connector: SUB-D 9p female
  - Pin 2 = Transmit Data
  - Pin 3 = Receive Data
  - Pin 5 = Signal Ground
- Baud rate: 1 200 Bps...115 200 Bps, default 9 600 Bps. Rate can be programmable (optional)  
Remark: the baud rate shall be sufficient for a worst case amount of data to be send with retries.
- Data bits: 8
- Stop bits: 1
- Parity: No
- Data format: according to ISO/IEC 8859-1 (Extended ASCII)
- Handshaking: by software with ACK, NAK ASCII control codes, refer to 5.2.3
- Transmission control by SOH and EOT ASCII control codes, refer to 5.2.3
- Data validity check: CRC-16/CCITT, refer to 5.2.3

**5.2.2 RS232 interface on “Board-computer”**

- Connector: SUB-D 9p male
  - Pin 2 = Receive Data

- Pin 3 = Transmit Data
- Pin 5 = Signal Ground
- Baud rate: 1 200 Bps...115 200 Bps, default 9 600 Bps. Rate *shall* be programmable or automatically detected (autobaud)
- Data bits: 8
- Stop bits: 1
- Parity: No
- Data format: according to ISO/IEC 8859-1 (Extended ASCII)
- Handshaking: by software with ACK, NAK ASCII control codes, refer to 5.2.3
- Transmission control by SOH and EOT ASCII control codes, refer to 5.2.3
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### 5.2.3 Communication protocol

#### *Transmission of a record.*

In this definition a message to be communicated consists of one record. Records are terminated by CR+LF (a record is one line of text). In general, a message is sent by the sender (e.g. the “Data transmission handler” of a spreader) and received by the receiver (e.g. the Board-computer). After power up, communication is always started by the vehicle/equipment “Data transmission handler” sending its first message (this is the time synchronization record). Refer to Figure 4 for flow charts of the sender and receiver algorithms.

The receiver will check the validity of a message by testing if the CRC-16 value corresponds to the data in the message received. If the data is valid, the receiver sends an ACK. The sender can now send a new message. If the data is invalid, the receiver sends a NAK. Then, the sender will try to send the same message again for a maximum of 2 times. If the message still fails, the message is considered to be lost. Preferably, a notification is given to the user (operator) that data has been lost by the sender and/or the receiver.

NOTE 1 The receiver sends an ACK or a NAK as a single character without other data. The ACK or NAK refers to the latest message sent by the sender. To avoid record synchronization problems between sender and receiver, the sender has to ignore any ACK or NAK received during the transmission of a message until the last byte is sent (EOT character). Also, the receiver is not allowed to send an ACK or NAK during the reception of a message until the last byte is received (EOT character).

Numerical values have to be transmitted with ASCII characters in decimal code.

#### *Calculation of the CRC-16 value.*

The CRC value is calculated according to the CCITT definition. The CRC value is calculated over all record bytes, starting with the record code, ending with CR+LF. The polynomial used is  $x^{16} + x^{12} + x^5 + x^0 = 11021_h$  (i.e. XOR mask 1021<sub>h</sub>) and initial value FFFF<sub>h</sub>.

NOTE 2 The value is written in ASCII characters in hexadecimal code with capitals (0..9,A..F).

**prEN 15430-1:2023 (E)***Calculation of the CRC-32 value.*

The CRC-32 value is calculated according to the CCITT definition. The CRC-32 value is calculated over all record bytes, starting with the record code, ending with CR+LF. The polynomial used is

$$x^{32} + x^{26} + x^{23} + x^{22} + x^{16} + x^{12} + x^{11} + x^{10} + x^8 + x^7 + x^5 + x^4 + x^2 + x + 1$$

NOTE 3 The value is written in ASCII characters in hexadecimal code with capitals (0..9,A..F).

*Sender without receiving options for handshaking.*

For old vehicle/equipment “Data transmission handlers”, it may be impossible to receive data. In this case the sender cannot respond to an ACK or NAK, i.e. there is no handshaking feature. Hence, the sender will send a new message. This may cause in the result that data gets lost, e.g. in case the Board-computer was not started up yet or if transmission failed. It is up to the user to handle this problem (for example to connect power supply such that power-up is always at the same time for sender and transmitter).

*Synchronization of communication.*

To synchronize communication between sender and receiver, a message always starts with an SOH and ends with an EOT. If the receiver is not synchronized yet but the sender is already transmitting a message (e.g. when the Board-computer starts up while the spreader “Data transmission handler” is sending), all data before the first SOH will be ignored. If the receiver is synchronized but detects an SOH before an EOT, the previous, unfinished message is ignored.

*Time synchronization between sender and receiver.*

In general, the sender system time and the receiver system time are not equal. To synchronize messages to the system clock of the receiver, a time synchronization record is introduced. This Time Sync record (refer to 6.5.2) contains the actual system time of the sender at the start of record transmission (with a maximum error of  $\pm 0,5$  s). The receiver shall record its system time at the moment of reception of a message. In case of the reception of a Time Sync record, the receiver can calculate the difference between its own system clock and the system clock of the sender. Now, the receiver can time-synchronize every message received from the sender and thereby synchronize this data to other data generated by other sources. The board computer shall contain a real time clock which runs even if the board computer has no power. The electronic system on the vehicle/equipment shall have a real time clock which runs even when this system has no power, or, a software clock shall be implemented which starts at date 1-1-2000 and time 00:00:00 and is updated every second.

A Time Sync record, is sent by the sender:

- as the first message starting the communication;
- after 10 s if the receiver does not respond to a message with an ACK or a NAK; after a successful transmission of this record, the latest message before the time synchronization record is transmitted again;
- if the system clock of the sender is adjusted, reset or set to any value which would cause a jump in time.

*Loss of data.*

Data will get lost in case of:

- a “Data transmission handler” without handshaking feature which is sending while reliable communication is not possible;
- an overflow of the buffer-memory;
- 2 unsuccessful retransmissions after a NAK.

In case the “Data transmission handler” supports handshaking, it is mandatory sending the header record as the first record of a report (note: the Time Sync record is not part of the report). i.e. the header record may not get lost.

Example of a message is shown in graphical form:

Start (1 byte)	Data (codes + values, “;” separated) (x bytes)	CR+LF (2 bytes)	CRC-16 (2 bytes)	End (1 byte)
SOH	1;10;1602048;0461021;5;Abc;Equip1;;;	CR LF	66D9	EOT

Extended ASCII characters in hexadecimal notation:

01	31 3B 31 30 3B 31 36 30 32 30 34 38 3B 30 34 36 31 30 32 31 3B 35 3B 41 62 63 3B 45 71 75 69 70 31 3B 3B 3B	0D 0A	36 36 44 3 9	04
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Communication example:

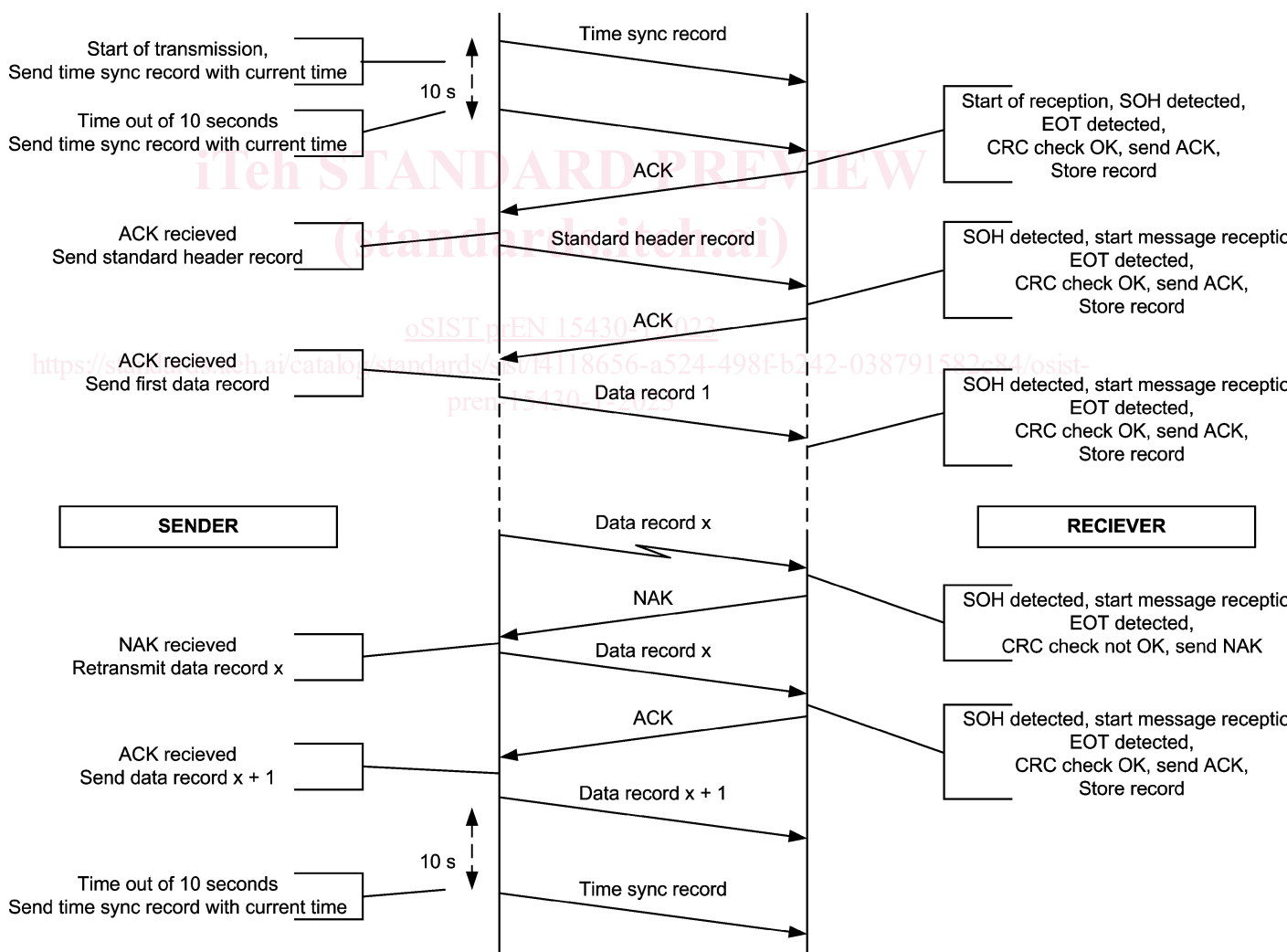


Figure 3 — Flow diagram



## 6 Definitions of variables, records and report

### 6.1 General

A report is a file of records which in general is used to describe one ride. A report starts with a header record, one or more status records of the vehicle/equipment(s) and a footer record. A record is a structure of coherent variables in a predefined order. A member of a record is called a "field".

**Table 1 — Application or equipment types**

Equipment	Source ref.nr.	Remark
Board computer	1	
Vehicle	2	On board vehicle electronic generating data
Snow plough or broom	3	It is assumed that if there is more than one snow-plough, the data is generated by one source only.
Snow blower or cutter	4	
Spreader or sprayer	5	Remark: this equipment could also generate the data for example for a snow plough, however, the source reference number stays 5 (as the spreader is the data generator).
Road weather and road condition information system	6	
Grass or branch cutting machine	7	
Sweeper	8	
Safety post cleaning machine	9	
Boat plants cutter	10	Used for cutting plants in canals or rivers
Other	11	To be used for any equipment not defined

### 6.2 Data integrity check

There are at least two methods required to assure integrity:

- a) Data have to be checked for manipulation of the contents themselves.
- b) Data have to be checked for completeness: Data have to be checked against any deletion of any parts of them.

In the present standard these two requirements lead to the following methods of covering:

- **Data manipulation** (a) is checked by CRC.
- **Data deletion** (b) is checked by including the previously calculated CRC value into the new CRC value.