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Part 7: Communication Devices

1 Scope

This part of IEC 62769 specifies the elements implementing communication capabilities called Communication Devices.

The overall FDI architecture is illustrated in Figure 1. The architectural components that are within the scope of this document have been highlighted in this illustration. The document scope with respect to FDI Packages is limited to Communication Devices. The Communication Server shown in Figure 1 is an example of a specific Communication Device.

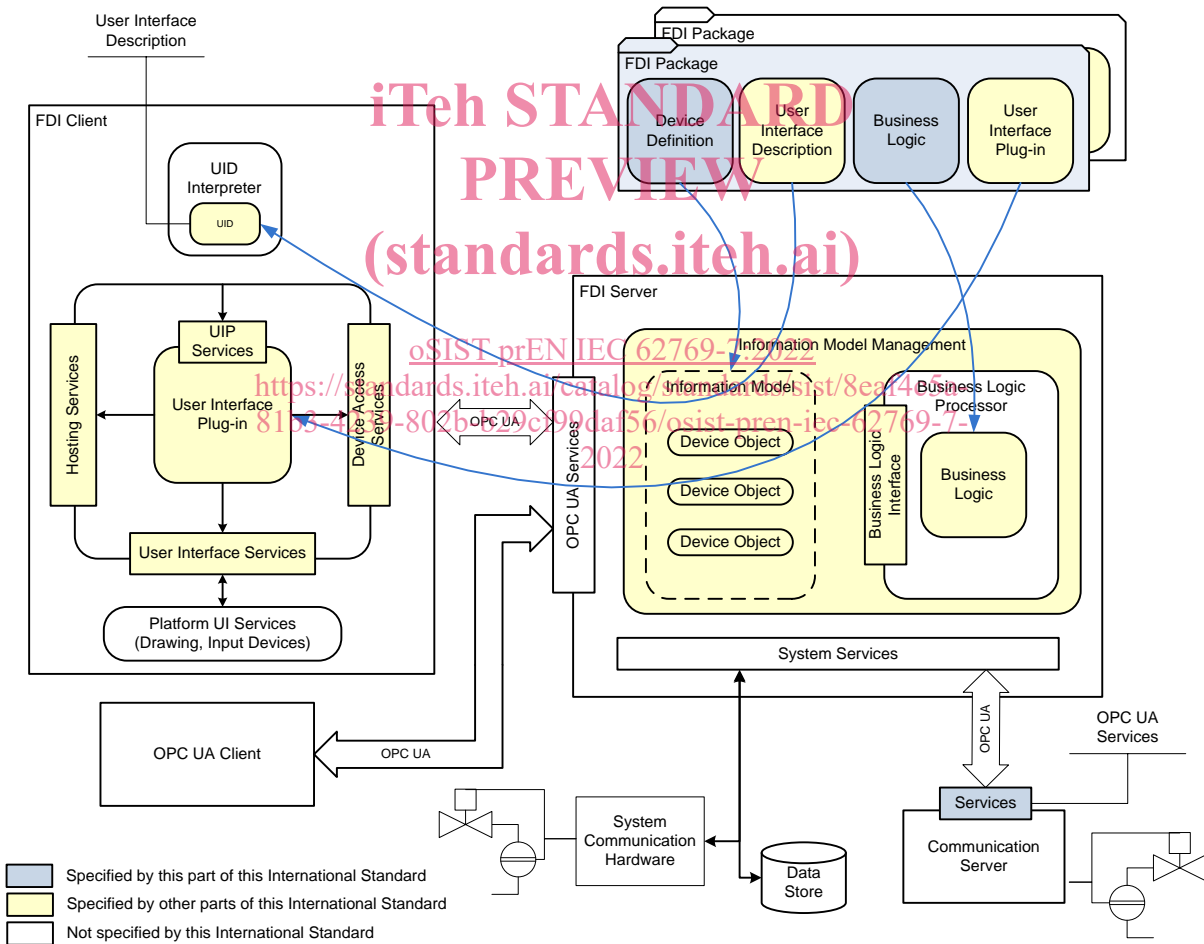


Figure 1 – FDI architecture diagram

235 **2 Normative references**

236 The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are
 237 indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated
 238 references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

239 IEC 62769-3, *Function blocks (FB) for process control and Electronic Device Description Language*
 240 *(EDDL) – Part 3: EDDL syntax and semantics*

241 IEC 62769-4, *Function blocks (FB) for process control and Electronic Device Description Language*
 242 *(EDDL) – Part 4: EDD interpretation*

243 IEC TR 62541-1, *OPC Unified Architecture – Part 1: Overview and Concepts*

244 IEC 62541-4, *OPC Unified Architecture – Part 4: Services*

245 IEC 62541-6, *OPC Unified Architecture – Part 6: Mappings*

246 IEC 62541-7, *OPC Unified Architecture – Part 7: Profiles*

247 IEC 62541-100, *OPC Unified Architecture – Part 100: OPC UA for Devices*

248 IEC 62769-1, *Field Device Integration (FDI) – Part 1: Overview*

249 IEC 62769-2, *Field Device Integration (FDI) – Part 2: FDI Client*

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252 IEC 62769-5, *Field Device Integration (FDI) – Part 5: FDI Information Model*

253 **3 Terms, definitions, abbreviated terms, acronyms and conventions**

254 **3.1 Terms and definitions**

255 For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 62769-1 as well as the following
 256 apply.

257 **3.1.1**

258 **Gateway**

259 communication device that enables to bridge between different physical networks or different protocols

260 **3.2 Abbreviated terms and acronyms**

261 For the purposes of this document, the abbreviated terms and acronyms given in IEC 62769-1 and the
 262 following apply.

HTTP	Hypertext Transfer Protocol
IP	Internet Protocol
PHY	Physical communication hardware
SNMP	Simple Network Management Protocol
TCP	Transmission Control Protocol
URI	Uniform Resource Identifier

264 **3.3 Conventions for graphical notation**

265 This document uses the graphical notation defined in IEC 62769-5.

266 **4 General**

267 The abstract term FDI Communication Device represents an entity implementing communication functions
268 over a network using a specific protocol. The group of FDI Communication Devices splits into two main
269 groups.

270 a) The FDI Communication Server is a dedicated OPC UA Server providing access to one or more field
271 device networks. The FDI Communication Server is specified in Clause 7.

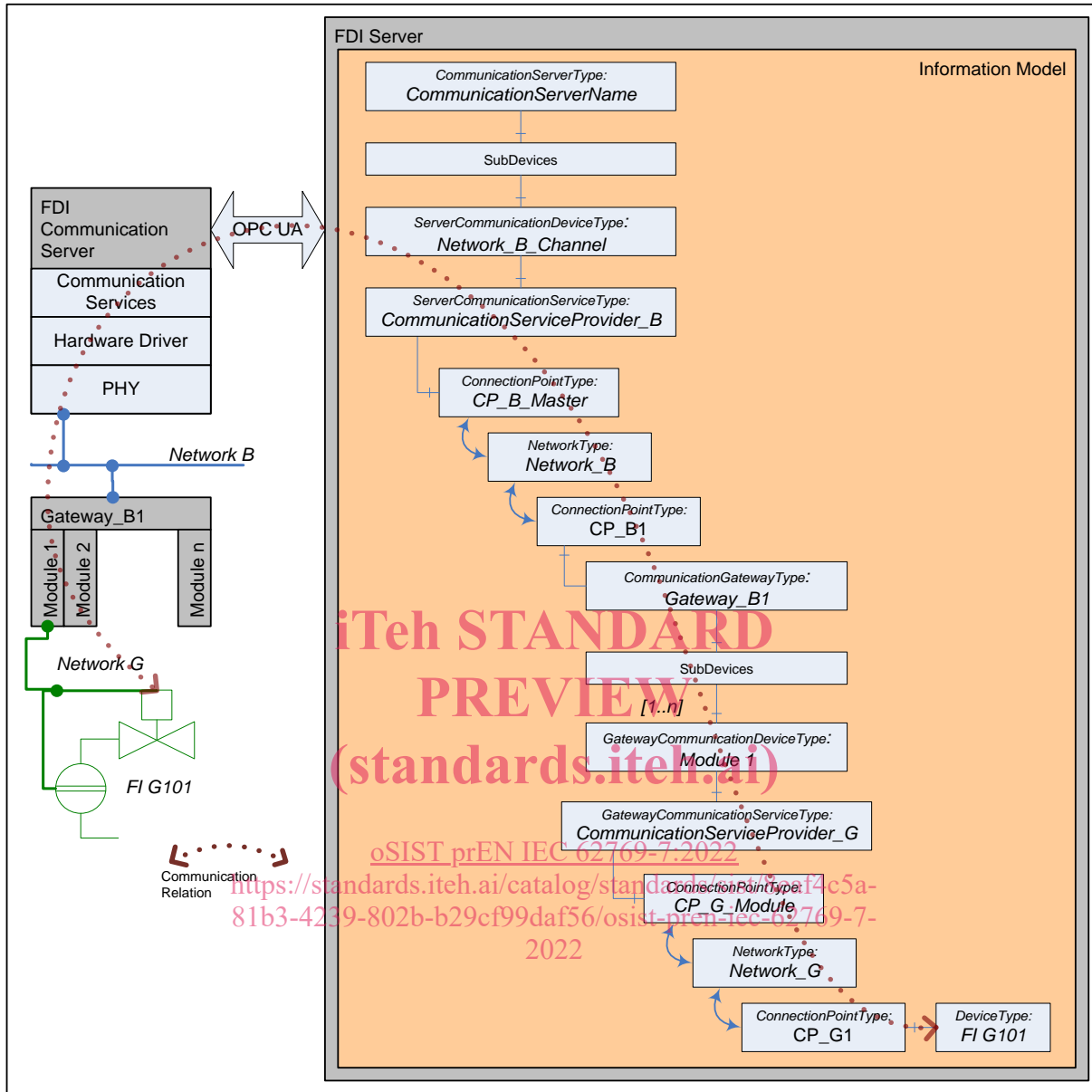
272 b) The FDI Communication Gateway enables to bridge between different physical networks or different
273 protocols. The bridging business logic is implemented in the EDD component that is provided with an
274 FDI Communication Package. The FDI Communication Gateway is specified in Clause 8.

275 NOTE The main differences between a Gateway and a Communication Server are:
276 in terms of FDI the FDI Communication Server is a dedicated OPC UA Server providing access to one or more field device
277 networks. A Gateway is a communication device that enables to bridge between different physical networks or different protocols.
278 The logical representation of a Gateway device within the FDI Server hosted Information Model enables the FDI Server to process
279 communication in heterogeneous network topologies.

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Figure 2 – FDI communication infrastructure architecture

282 The FDI Server hosted Information Model contains a representation of the network topology. (see also
 283 IEC 62769-5). The Information Model shown in Figure 2 is an example excerpt to illustrate how the
 284 Information Model used elements reflect the actual network topology.

- 285 1) The instance of CommunicationServerType (named CommunicationServerName) represents the FDI
 286 Communication Server. The FDI Communication Server implements physical communication network
 287 access (Communication hardware). Clause 7 describes related Information Model specifics, required
 288 FDI Communication Package content and handling of elements therein. (For subdevices see
 289 IEC 62769-5)
- 290 2) The instance of ServerCommunicationDeviceType and ServerCommunication-ServiceType (named
 291 Network_B_Channel) maps to the FDI Communication Server implemented communication services.
 292 The ServerCommunicationDeviceType is specified in 7.3.3. The ServerCommunicationServiceType is
 293 specified in 7.3.4.

- 294 3) The instance of CommunicationGatewayType (named Gateway_B1) represents the physical Gateway.
 295 Clause 8 describes the related Information Model specifics, the required FDI Package content and the
 296 handling of elements therein.
- 297 4) The instance of GatewayCommunicationDeviceType (named Module 1) maps to a physical or logical
 298 module enabling communication to the network to which this module is connected. The
 299 GatewayCommunicationDeviceType is specified in 8.3.2.3. The related Gateway specifics are
 300 described in Clause 8.
- 301 5) The instance of GatewayCommunicationServiceType (named CommunicationServiceProvider_G)
 302 represents the Gateways' ability to process communication services. The Gateway specific
 303 implementation of GatewayCommunicationServiceType is based on Business Logic that enables to
 304 run communication services in heterogeneous communication networks.
- 305 6) A communication relation (more details are described in Clause 6) between a physical device and the
 306 device representation managed by the FDI Server is always associated to communication service
 307 objects that are instances of a GatewayCommunicationServiceType or
 308 ServerCommunicationServiceType. The ability of instantiating multiple communication service objects
 309 supports protocols enables to operate multiple logical connections between a bus master and a device.
- 310 7) The Information Model represents the connections between the physical devices shown on the left
 311 side of Figure 2 based on instances of ConnectionPointType NetworkType and the depicted relations.
 312 ConnectionPointType and NetworkType are specified in IEC 62769-5.

313 5 FDI Communication Package

314 5.1 General

315 The FDI Server imports the FDI Communication Package like any other FDI Device Package. Clause 5
 316 specifies the FDI Communication Package details.

317 5.2 EDD

318 5.2.1 General rules

319 The FDI Communication Package contained EDD is not restricted, but bound to a protocol specific profile
 320 (see IEC 62769-4 – Annex F).

321 The EDD elements as specified in the protocol specific profile documents (see IEC 62769-4 – Annex F),
 322 and provided with an FDI Communication Package shall describe:

- 323 a) Parameter and parameter structures. Mandatory protocol specific parameter definitions are found in
 324 the protocol specific profile documents (see IEC 62769-4:–, Annex F). The parameters shall contain
 325 any parameter that requires adjustment for proper communication service operation.
- 326 c) Physical Layer identification. Protocol specific definitions are found in IEC 62769-4:–, Annex F.
- 327 d) Communication devices modularity: The modularity information shall be based on using the EDDL
 328 constructs COMPONENT (see IEC 62769-3).

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 330 FDI envisions communication device modularity to cope with communication hardware providing
 331 multiple physical or logical communication channels to access multiple logical or physical
 332 communication networks. Each module element of the whole communication device shall be described
 333 by a separate EDD element.

- 334 e) The COMPONENT definition shall be used to support the system implemented topology configuration.
 335 Protocol specific definitions are found in the protocol specific profile documents (see IEC 62769-4 –
 336 Annex F). The related COMPONENT definitions are described in 5.2.2, 5.2.3, 5.2.4, and 5.2.7.