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# Space systems — Subsystems or units to spacecraft interface control document

## 1 Scope

This document provides space system manufacturing organizations with the minimum interface related items and generic format for creating the interface control document (ICD) which subsystems or units suppliers prepare for spacecraft systems (SC) integrators.

In this document, ICD is not defined to contain descriptions regarding various properties of subsystems or units or tasks to be done by suppliers, i.e. performance, functions, endurance to launch mechanical environment, or quality assurance provisions. Such descriptions are presumed to be defined in other contractual documents such as technical specifications.

## 2 Normative references

There are no normative references in this document.

## 3 Terms, definitions and abbreviated terms

### 3.1 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

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://standards.iteh.ai/catalog/standards/iso/f0717a09-feh4-4088-884c-48623553a89c/iso-fdis-11892> or <https://www.iso.org/obp>

#### 3.1.1

##### **subsystem**

assembly or group of electrical, thermal and/or mechanical *units* (3.1.3) which is dedicated to specific functions of a spacecraft system (SC)

#### 3.1.2

##### **subsystem to spacecraft ICD**

subsystem to spacecraft interface control document

set of documents that defines and controls the electrical, thermal, and mechanical interface requirements between a *subsystem* (3.1.1) and the spacecraft system (SC)

#### 3.1.3

##### **unit**

independently handled device at the lowest level of hardware assembly that works with specified complex electrical, thermal and/or mechanical functions

Note 1 to entry: Several units build up a *subsystem* (3.1.1). A single unit may occasionally comprise a subsystem by itself.

3.1.4

**unit to spacecraft ICD**

unit to spacecraft interface control document

set of documents that defines and controls the electrical, thermal, and mechanical interface requirements between a *unit* (3.1.3) and the spacecraft system (SC)

Note 1 to entry: [Figure 1](#) illustrates the hierarchy of a space system and the ranges where various interface control documents are applicable.

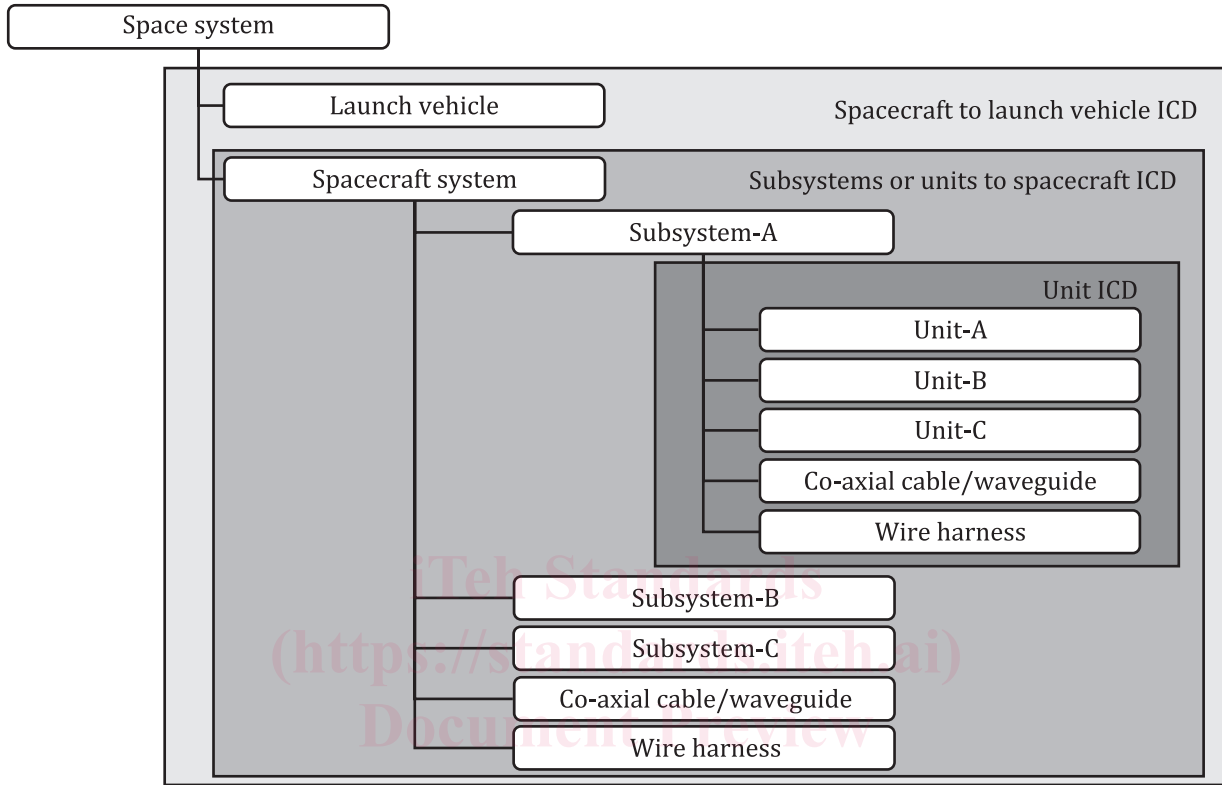


Figure 1 — Hierarchy of a space system and related interface control document (ICD)

3.2 Abbreviated terms

- CAD computer aided design
- ICD interface control document
- IDS interface data sheet
- MOI moment of inertia
- RF radio frequency
- RLC resistor (R), inductor (L), and capacitor (C)

4 Subsystem to spacecraft ICD

4.1 General

A subsystem ICD is a package constructed of sub-documents as shown in [Table 1](#). It shall contain configuration control information, subsystem definition diagrams, and if applicable, co-axial cable or waveguide or wire