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Full information on the voting for the approval of this standard can be found in the report on voting indicated in the above table.

This publication has been drafted in accordance with the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2.

IEC 61850 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Communication networks and systems in substations*.

- Part 1: Introduction and overview
- Part 2: Glossary ¹
- Part 3: General requirements
- Part 4: System and project management
- Part 5: Communication requirements for functions and devices models ²
- Part 6: Configuration description language for communication in electrical substations related to IEDs ¹
- Part 7-1: Basic communication structure for substation and feeder equipment – Principles and models
- Part 7-2: Basic communication structure for substation and feeder equipment – Abstract communication service interface (ACSI)
- Part 7-3: Basic communication structure for substation and feeder equipment – Common data classes
- Part 7-4: Basic communication structure for substation and feeder equipment – Compatible logical node classes and data classes
- Part 8-1: Specific communication service mapping (SCSM) – Mappings to MMS (ISO/IEC 9506-1 and ISO/IEC 9506-2) and to ISO/IEC 8802-3 ¹
- Part 9-1: Specific communication service mapping (SCSM) – Sampled values over serial unidirectional multidrop point to point link
- Part 9-2: Specific communication service mapping (SCSM) – Sampled values over ISO/IEC 8802-3 ¹
- Part 10: Conformance testing ¹

The relationship between IEC 60044-8 and this standard is as follows:

IEC 60044-8 defines a merging unit as interface to electronic current and voltage transformers. Data objects provided by that merging unit are specified in IEC 60044-8. This standard specifies a serial communication interface between the merging unit and equipment using the digital output of the merging unit like protection or metering equipment. For the specification of that serial interface, a subset of the abstract communication services defined in IEC 61850-7-2 are mapped on an ISO/IEC 8802-3 based communication link.

The committee has decided that the contents of this publication will remain unchanged until 2005. At this date, the publication will be

- reconfirmed;
- withdrawn;
- replaced by a revised edition, or
- amended.

A bilingual version of this standard may be issued at a later date.

¹ Under consideration.

² To be published.

INTRODUCTION

This part of IEC 61850 applies to electronic current and voltage transformers (ECT and EVT) with a digital output via a merging unit, for use with electronic measuring instruments and electronic protective devices.

The transformer technology can be based on optical arrangements equipped with electronic components, on air core coils (with or without a built-in integrator) or, on iron core coils with integrated burden and used as a current to voltage converter, alone or equipped with electronic components.

For digital output, this standard takes into account a point to point connection from the merging unit to electronic measuring instruments and electronic devices.

This mapping allows interoperability between devices from different manufacturers.

This standard does not specify individual implementations or products, nor does it constrain the implementation of entities and interfaces within a computer system. This standard specifies the externally visible functionality of implementations.

Reading Guide

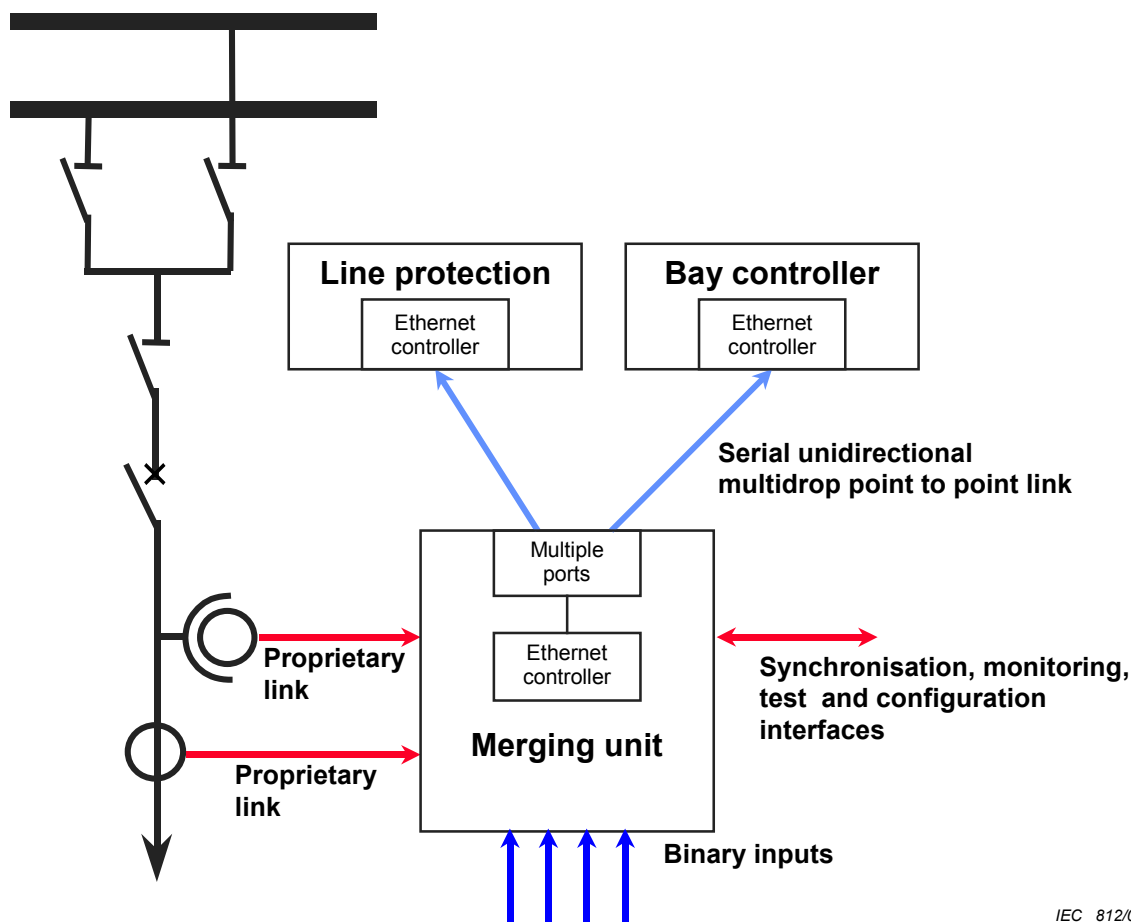
- The point to point transformer interface as defined here is based on the concepts described in IEC 60044-8. This standard extends this concept and proposes an alternative link layer to provide a solution for transmitting sampled measured values via Ethernet based interfaces. For the definition and measurement of the accuracy, synchronisation methods, data rates etc. of the transformers, refer to IEC 60044-8.
- This document can best be understood if the reader is thoroughly familiar with Parts 7-1, 7-2, 7-3 and 7-4 of this Standard.
- No explanations to the ACSI services are given in this part of the standard. For detailed information about the use of the ACSI services, refer to IEC 61850-7-2.

COMMUNICATION NETWORKS AND SYSTEMS IN SUBSTATIONS –

Part 9-1: Specific Communication Service Mapping (SCSM) – Sampled values over serial unidirectional multidrop point to point link

1 Scope

This part of IEC 61850 specifies the specific communication service mappings for the communication between bay and process level and it specifies a mapping on a serial unidirectional multidrop point to point link in accordance with IEC 60044-8. This part of IEC 61850 specifies a mapping of the abstract service for the transmission of sampled values (as defined in IEC 61850-7-2) on a serial unidirectional multidrop point to point link in accordance with IEC 60044-8. It applies to the communication between merging units of electronic current (ECT) or voltage-transformers (EVT) and bay devices such as protection relays. If higher requirements on sampling rate, further sampled measured value data sets in addition to the universal data set, inter-bay communication and synchronisation apply, these will be covered by IEC 61850-9-2³. Figure 1 shows the schematics of this interface.



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Figure 1 – Example for the use of the serial unidirectional multidrop point to point link

³ Under consideration.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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.

IEC 60044-7: *Instrument Transformers – Part 7: Electronic voltage transformers*

IEC 60044-8: *Instrument Transformers – Part 8: Electronic current transformers*

IEC 60874-10-1:1997, *Connectors for optical fibres and cables – Part 10-1: Detail specification for fibre optic connector type BFOC/2,5 terminated to multimode fibre type A1*

IEC 61850-7-2: *Communication networks and systems in substations – Part 7-2: Basic communication structure for substation and feeder equipment – Abstract communication service interface (ACSI)*

IEC 61850-7-3: *Communication networks and systems in substations – Part 7-3: Basic communication structure for substation and feeder equipment – Common data classes*

ISO/IEC 8802-3: *Information technology – Telecommunications and information exchange between systems – Local and metropolitan area networks – Specific requirements – Part 3: Carrier sense multiple access with collision detection (CSMA/CD) access method and physical layer specifications*

ISO/IEC 8825-1: *Information technology – ASN.1 encoding rules: Specification of Basic Encoding Rules (BER), Canonical Encoding Rules (CER) and Distinguished Encoding Rules (DER)*

IEEE 802.1Q-1998: *IEEE Standards for Local and Metropolitan Area Networks: Virtual Bridged Local Area Networks*

IEEE 802.3: *Information Technology – Telecommunication and Information Exchange Between Systems – LAN/MAN – Specific Requirements – Part 3: Carrier Sense Multiple Access with Collision Detection (CSMA/CD) Access Method and Physical Layer Specifications*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purpose of this part of IEC 61850, the definitions of IEC 61850-24, IEC 60044-7 and IEC 60044-8 apply.

4 Abbreviations

| | |
|-------|--|
| ACSI | Abstract Communication Service Interface |
| ASDU | Application Service Data Unit |
| ASN.1 | Abstract Syntax Notation number One |
| APCI | Application Protocol Control Information |
| APDU | Application Protocol Data Unit |
| AUI | Attachment Unit Interface |
| BER | ASN.1 Basic Encoding Rules |
| CFI | Canonical format identifier |

⁴ Under consideration.

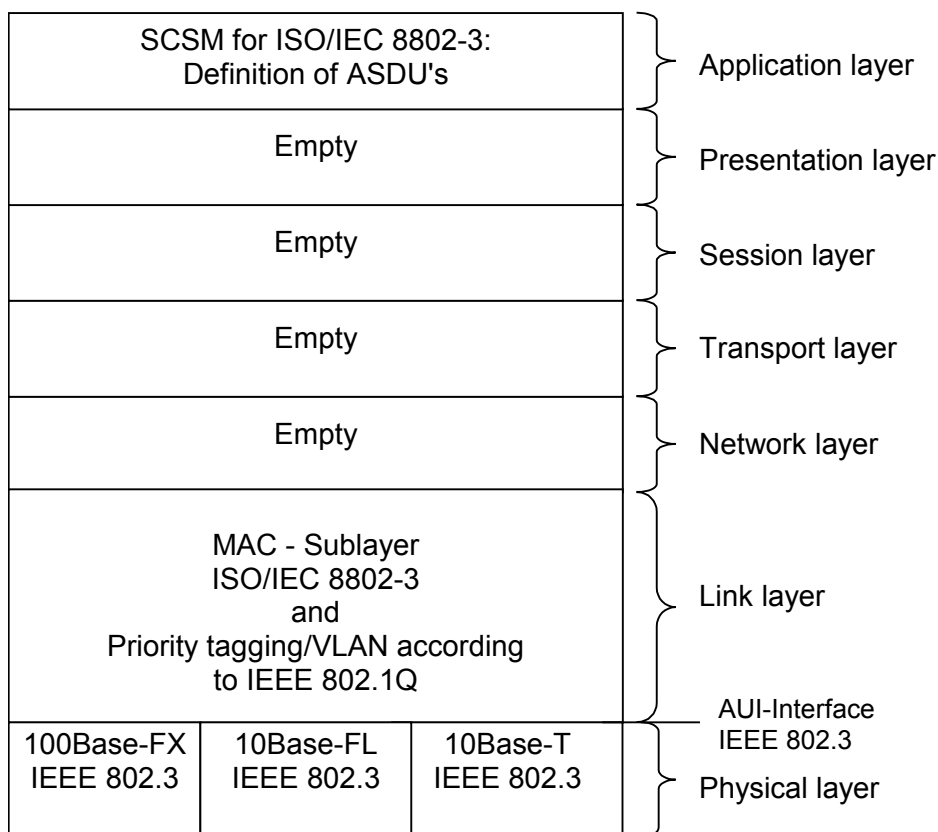
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|---------|---|
| CSMA/CD | Carrier Sense Multiple Access/Collision Detection |
| DF | Data Frame |
| DO | Data Object |
| DSG | Data Set Group |
| ECT | Electronic Current Transformers |
| EVT | Electronic Voltage Transformers |
| LSDU | Link Layer Service Data Unit |
| MAC | Media Access Control |
| MSVCB | Multicast Sampled Value Control Block |
| MU | Merging Unit |
| PDU | Protocol Data Unit |
| SBO | Select Before Operate |
| SC | Secondary Converter |
| SCSM | Specific Communication Services Mapping |
| SIG | Status Indication Group |
| SAV | Sampled Analogue Value |
| TCI | Tag Control Information |
| TPID | Tag Protocol Identifier |
| VID | VLAN Identifier |
| VLAN | Virtual Local Area Network |

5 Principle of mapping to the serial unidirectional multidrop point to point link

This Clause gives an overview of the mapping to the serial unidirectional multidrop point to point link. It defines the communication stack and data unit structures for the application layer. Restrictions to the application that are a consequence of this mapping are defined as well.

5.1 Communication stack

Figure 2 gives an overview of the communication stack. The link layer is in conformity with ISO/IEC 8802-3. This standard is usually referred to as Ethernet. In the following, the term Ethernet will be used instead of ISO/IEC 8802-3 (CSMA/CD).



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Figure 2 – Communication stack

The relevant device standards will specify whether 100Base-FX, 10Base-FL or 10Base-T is used, depending on the application.

5.1.1 Physical layer

5.1.1.1 Specifications for the Medium Attachment Unit (MAU)

The connection of the merging unit to the secondary equipment can be an optical fibre transmission system. By taking into account and solving the EMC requirements, a copper based transmission system is an option.

5.1.1.2 Fibre optic transmission system

The preferred version of the fibre optic transmission system is IEEE 802.3 100Base-FX. The 10Base-FL system could be used also for sampling rates below $48 \times f_r$ (a selection guide is given in Annex B). This interface shall be used for applications where this media interface is already used for other communication links. It is recommended to use the BFOC connectors (IEC 60874-10-1). Two fibres are always necessary for the optical fibre transmission system in order to support the link supervision.

5.1.1.3 Twisted-pair transmission system

The twisted-pair medium according to IEEE 802.3 10Base-T could be used as an option, if appropriate electromagnetic shield measures are considered.

5.1.2 Link layer

5.1.2.1 Ethernet addresses

The Ethernet broadcast address shall be used as a default value for a destination address, which consists of ones in the destination address field (the Ethernet frame format is shown in Annex B). For this reason, no address configuration is necessary on the publisher side. However, the destination address could be configurable as an optional feature for example, adjust a multicast address to connect a merging unit via switch to bay level devices. A unique Ethernet address shall be used as a source address.

NOTE The recommended address range assignments will be specified in IEC 61850-9-2 and IEC 61850-8-1.

5.1.2.2 Priority tagging/Virtual LAN

Priority tagging according to IEEE 802.1Q is used to separate time critical and high priority bus traffic for protection relevant applications from low priority busload.

Structure of the tag header:

| Octets | | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
|--------|------|---------------|---|---|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| 1 | TPID | 0x8100 | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | TCI | User priority | | | CFI | VID | | | |
| 4 | | VID | | | | | | | |

Key

TPID value: 0x8100

User priority: BS3; user priority value shall be set by configuration to separate sampled analogue values and time critical protection relevant GOOSE messages from low priority busload.

CFI: BS1 [0]; No Embedded RIF field follows the length/type field in the Ethernet tagged frame.

VID: Virtual LAN support is optional. If this mechanism is used, the VLAN identifier (VID) shall be set by configuration. Otherwise, the VLAN identifier is set by default to 0.

5.1.2.3 Ethertype

An Ethertype based on ISO/IEC 8802-3 MAC – Sublayer is registered by the IEEE Authority Registration. The registered Ethertype value is 88-BA (hexadecimal). The sampled analogue value buffer update is directly mapped to the reserved Ethertype and the Ethertype PDU.

Structure of the Ethertype PDU:

| Octets | | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
|--------|-----------------------|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Ether- type PDU | Ethertype | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | APPID | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | | Length | | | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | | Reserved 1 | | | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | | Reserved 2 | | | | | | | |
| 10 | | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | | | | | | | | | |
| ... | | APDU | | | | | | | |
| m+2 | | | | | | | | | |

Key

APPID: application identifier. The APPID is used to select sampled analogue value messages and to distinguish the application association.

Reserved value range for SAV are 0x4000 to 0x7FFF.

Length: number of octets including the Ethertype PDU starting at APPID (8 + m) (m < 1480).

Reserved 1/Reserved 2: reserved for future standardised applications.

5.1.3 Network layer

This layer is intentionally left empty.

5.1.4 Transport layer

This layer is intentionally left empty.

5.1.5 Session layer

This layer is intentionally left empty.

5.1.6 Presentation layer

Empty. See additional definitions in 7.3.

5.1.7 Application layer

Empty. See additional definitions in 7.3.

5.2 Restrictions

This specification is restricted to define the communication between the ECT/EVT related merging unit and devices on bay level which need raw data of ECT and/or EVT for their algorithms. Referring to the ACSI, only the mapping of sampled values using multicast/broadcast is supported. The multicast sampled value control (MSVC) class is implicit.

The transmission of sampled values as specified in this standard only uses a unidirectional link from merging unit to bay level devices with broadcast/multicast addressing. However, the devices supporting this transmission will use an interface which is fully Ethernet compatible that includes all the facilities for easy plug in. This may imply that bi-directional exchanges exist to establish and maintain good quality transmission. These exchanges are part of the lower communication layers and are specified in the relevant standards.

The use of the Ethernet link in a bi-directional way to support other exchanges should be possible according to device capability, but it should not impact transmission of the universal data set. Typical cases may be synchronisation of local clocks, configuration loading and mode switching. These features are outside the scope of this standard.

6 Mapping of common types

6.1 Object name

For the transmission of the sampled value buffer, the object reference is encoded as integer values. The single elements of the object reference are assigned to integer values. Integer values related to logical node name and data name are defined with this SCSM. The integer value related to the logical device name will be defined by configuration tools or will be agreed by vendors of the client and server.

6.2 Object reference

As defined in IEC 61850-7-2, the name structure for the whole path to an instance is as follows:

<LDName> / <LNName>.<DataName>[.<DataName>]. <DataAttributeName>

The object reference in this SCSM concludes the whole path of the class and instance reference. Other hierarchy levels are not separately accessible.

In detail the SCSM Data Sets are mapped to the object reference as follows:

Table 1 – Mapping of the object reference

| ACSI Object name | SCSM value |
|--|-------------------|
| <LDName> | INTEGER UI16 |
| <LNName> | INTEGER UI8 |
| <DataName> | INTEGER UI8 |
| <DataAttributeName> | not visible |
| NOTE It is assumed, that the data sets used for the transmission of sampled values in many cases include data objects from more than one logical node and are therefore allocated in LLN0. | |

7 Mapping of the model for transmission of sampled values using multicast

There are two data sets specified in this document. The universal data set is compatible with IEC 60044-8 and the status indications is specified in Annex A.

Each data set refers to one multicast sampled value control class instantiation. The mapping of the sampled value buffer update is defined.

The transmission buffer refresh rate and the communication update rate are always equal and not independent from each other. The consequences on the publisher level are:

- After the sampling procedure is finished, the APDU will be stored into the transmission buffer (refresh rate = sampled rate), or more than one ASDU (n = number of ASDUs) could be stored into one APDU frame before the transmission buffer is refreshed (refresh rate = sampled rate/ n). For a description of the blocking mechanism, see 7.3.
- Only one APDU can be stored into the transmission buffer, previous entries will be overwritten. The consistency of stored data will be guaranteed in case of overwriting.
- To avoid data overwriting, the data transmission must be initiated from the communication system immediately after the buffer update process is finished.

7.1 Mapping of the multicast sampled values services

Table 2 – Mapping of the multicast sampled value services

| ACSI services | Ethernet services |
|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Send MSVMessage | not supported |
| GetMSVCValue | not supported |
| SetMSVCValue | not supported |

7.2 Mapping of the update of the sampled value buffer

According to the standard of IEC 61850-7-2, the communication system is responsible for updating the buffer of the subscriber.

The update is directly mapped to an Ethertype reserved for IEC 61850 applications based on ISO/IEC 8802-3 MAC – Sublayer.

However, the communication stack used does not provide the following functionalities:

- Initiating the update of the sampled value buffer over the communication link. This is an application layer functionality.
- Encode the abstract data types. This is a presentation layer functionality.
- Concatenation and segmentation of ASDU's is not supported.

NOTE Segmentation is not further considered, since the maximum frame length of the link layer protocol is sufficient.

Therefore, the additional definitions of 7.3 apply.

7.3 Additional definitions for the transmission of sampled analogue values

7.3.1 Application layer functionality

The mapping provides the capacity, to concatenate more than one ASDU into one APDU before the APDU is posted into the transmission buffer. The number of ASDUs which will be concatenated into one ASDU is defined with a configuration parameter and related to the sample rate.

Details are shown in Figure 3.

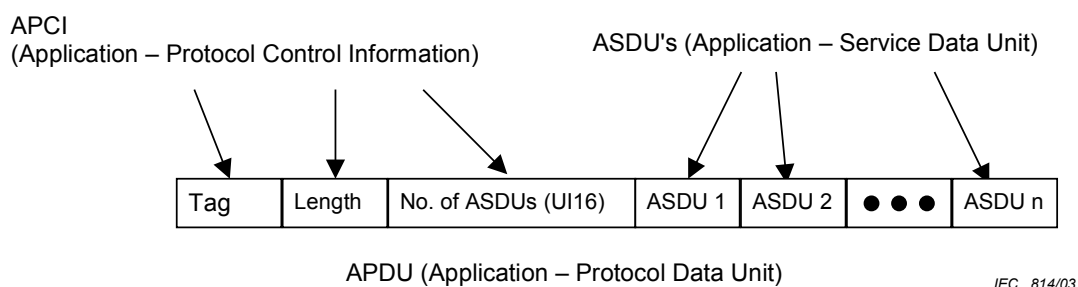


Figure 3 – Concatenation of several ASDU's into one APDU

An ASN.1 tag and length according to ISO/IEC 8825-1 is added up front as a part of the APCI. This tag specifies an octet string and is defined as context-specific and primitive (0x80) according to the ASN.1 basic encoding rules. The ASN.1 grammar for the sampled analogue value messages are defined as follows to ensure data consistency in combination with further sampled analogue value messages as described in this SCSSM.

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```

IecSavPdu ::= CHOICE {
    9-1-Pdu          [0] IMPLICIT OCTET STRING,  -- Used for 9-1 APDU
    savPdu           [1] IMPLICIT SavPdu,        -- Reserved for 9-2 APDUs

    -- others TBD
}
    
```


7.3.2 Presentation layer functionality

For the transmission, the sampled value buffer is encoded as specified in Table 3.

Table 3 – Encoding for the transmission of sampled value buffer

| Abstract Buffer Format according to IEC 61850-7-2 | | Coding in IEC 61850-9-1 | Comment |
|---|---|--|---|
| Attribute Name | Attribute Type | | |
| | | OCTET: Tag | Tag is encoded according to ASN.1 Basic encoding rules |
| | | OCTET STRING: Length | Length is encoded according to ASN.1 Basic encoding rules |
| | | UI16: No. of ASDUs | Number of ASDU which will concatenated into one APDU and stored into the sampled value buffer |
| MsvID | VISIBLE STRING65 | OCTET STRING | Broadcast MAC address is part of the Ethernet header |
| | | UI16: Length | Length of the ASDU added as header (UI = Unsigned Integer) |
| OptFlds | PACKED LIST | | Not mapped |
| DatSet | ObjectReference | | |
| LNName DataSetInstanceName DataSetName LDName | | UI8: UI8: UI16: | |
| Sample [1 .. n] | Value of the member of the instance of the DATA-SET | <i>Encoding of common data classes</i> | See Note |
| SmpCnt | INT16U | UI16 | Counter specification see IEC 60044-8 |
| RefrTm | TimeStamp | | Not mapped |
| ConfRev | INT32U | UI8 | Configuration revision number will be incremented each time that the configuration of the logical device changes. Default value is NULL |
| SmpSynch | BOOLEAN | | See IEC 60044-8 status word attribute "NotSynch" |
| SmpRate | INT16U | UI8 | 0 = not defined; 1 – 255 = number of samples per cycle related to f_i |
| NOTE For the encoding of the samples, the rules for the encoding of the common data classes apply for the SIG. The mapping of the sampled values and status attributes in the universal data set is optimised according to the specifications in IEC 60044-8. It is not necessary that all possible transformers be connected to the merging unit. In this case, in the universal data set for the current or respectively voltage values not used, zeros are transmitted and the relevant data invalid bits are set. | | | |

7.3.3 Transport layer functionality

The communication system of the publisher has to send the sampled value buffer over the communication link after every buffer refresh. The buffer refresh rate depends on the sampling rate and the number of concatenated ASDUs as specified in Clause 7.

8 Mapping of the common data classes

8.1 Overview

For the use of the common data classes defined in IEC 61850-7-3 with the model for the transmission of sampled analogue values, the definitions of 8.2 apply.

8.2 Additional definitions for the mapping of the common data classes

To support the mapping to a bitstring based status indication group, an extended common data class SPS will be defined as follows by using the name space mechanism specified in IEC 61850-7-2.

Table 4 – Extended common data class single point status information

| SPS class | | | | | |
|--|---|----|------------|----------------------|----------|
| Attribute Name | Attribute Type | FC | TrgOp | Value / Value Range | M/O |
| DataName | Inherited from Data Class (see IEC 61850-7-2) | | | | |
| DataAttribute | | | | | |
| status | | | | | |
| stVal | BOOLEAN | ST | dchg | TRUE FALSE | AC_UDS_M |
| grpVal | BIT STRING | ST | dchg, dupd | | AC_SIG_M |
| q | Quality | ST | qchg | | M |
| t | TimeStamp | ST | | | M |
| configuration, description and extension | | | | | |
| cdcNs | VISIBLE STRING255 | EX | | "IEC 61850-9-1:2003" | |

| Abbreviation | Condition |
|--------------|---|
| AC_UDS_M | Attribute is mandatory, if universal data set is supported |
| AC_SIG_M | Attribute is mandatory, if status indication group is supported |

| Data attribute name | Semantics |
|---------------------|--|
| grpVal | Bitstring where each bit represents a status |

The common data classes of IEC 61850-7-3 and of this standard used in the context of the transmission of sampled analogue values shall be encoded as specified in Tables 5, 6 and 7 (only status attributes are shown).

Table 5 – Encoding of the common data class SPS used for the universal data set

| Common data class SPS (IEC 61850-9-1) | | Coding in IEC 61850-9-1 | Comment |
|--|----------------|---|--|
| Attribute name | Attribute type | | |
| stVal | BOOLEAN | BOOLEAN <0> = FALSE, OFF <1> = TRUE, ON | Status attribute of the universal data set according to IEC 60044-8. |
| grpVal | BIT STRING | - | Not mapped |
| q | Quality | - | Not mapped |
| t | TimeStamp | - | Not mapped |
| NOTE The transmission of information with the common data class SPS is only supported in the context of the universal data set that is defined in IEC 60044-8. | | | |

Table 6 – Encoding of the common data class MV

| Common data class MV (IEC 61850-7-3) | | Coding in IEC 61850-9-1 | Comment |
|---|---------------------------|--|---|
| Attribute name | Attribute type | | |
| instMag | AnalogueValue | | Not mapped |
| mag | AnalogueValue | | |
| i f | INT32 FLOATING POINT32 | UI16 - | Sampled analogue values of the universal data set according to IEC 60044-8. |
| range | ENUMERATED | - | Not mapped, see Note 1 |
| q | Quality | | |
| validity | CODED ENUM | BOOLEAN <0> = valid <1> = questionable, invalid | |
| detail-qual | PACKED LIST | - | Not mapped |
| source | CODED ENUM | - | Not mapped |
| test | BOOLEAN | - | Not mapped |
| operatorBlocked | BOOLEAN | - | Not mapped |
| t | TimeStamp | - | Not mapped, see Note 2 |

NOTE 1 According to IEC 61850-7-3, range is an optional attribute and is not required in the sampled value buffer format defined in IEC 61850-7-2.

NOTE 2 According to IEC 61850-7-3, t is a mandatory attribute. However, in the specification of the sampled value buffer format as defined in IEC 61850-7-2, t is not included with the data object values; there is only one sample counter attached that indicates the refresh of the universal data set sampled values as specified in IEC 60044-8.

However, for the universal data set, the encoding of the list of data object values does not follow some general rules but is instead optimised. The encoding of the list of data object values is defined in IEC 60044-8.

Table 7 – Encoding of common data class SPS used for the status indication group

| Common data class SPS (IEC 61850-7-3) | | Coding in IEC 61850-9-1 | Comment |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|---|
| Attribute name | Attribute type | | |
| stVal | BOOLEAN | - | Not mapped |
| grpVal | BIT STRING | BS16 <0> = FALSE, OFF <1> = TRUE, ON | 16 individual status values. See Annex A |
| | | BS16 <0> = VALID <1> = INVALID | 16 individual quality indications related to the status values. See Annex A |
| q | Quality | | |
| validity (IV) | CODED ENUM | BS1 [0] <0> = VALID <1> = INVALID | Further elements of detail-qual not mapped |
| detailQual | PACKED LIST | BS7 [1] = oscillatory (OS) [2] = failure, external error (EE) [3] = oldData (OD) [4] = inconsistent (IC) [5..7] = reserved (RE) | |
| source test operatorBlocked | CODED ENUM BOOLEAN BOOLEAN | - - - | |
| t | TimeStamp | | |
| SecondsSinceEpoch | INT32 | UI32 | |
| FractionOfSecond | INT24 | UI24 | |
| TimeQuality | TimeQuality | | |
| LeapSecondsKnown (LK) | BOOLEAN | BS1 [0] <0> = FALSE <1> = TRUE | SecondsSinceEpoch includes leap seconds |
| ClockFailure (CF) | BOOLEAN | BS1 [0] <0> = FALSE, <1> = TRUE, | Time function is unreliable |
| ClockNotSynchronized (NS) | BOOLEAN | BS1 [1] <0> = FALSE, <1> = TRUE, | Clock is not synchronized to the reference source |
| TimeAccuracy | CODED ENUM | UI5 | Reserved |

Annex A (normative)

Definition of data set instances and related multicast sampled value control instances

A.1 ASDU for universal data set

This data set is defined in IEC 60044-8, an overview is shown in Annex C.

**Table A.1 – Predefined multicast sampled value control block instances relating
to the transmission of the Universal Data Set according to IEC 60044-8**

| MSVCB attribute | Value |
|------------------------|--|
| MsvCBNam | Implicit (IEC 60044-8) |
| MsvCBRef | Not visible |
| SvEna | Enabled during the start up phase |
| MsvID | Broadcast MAC address (optional multicast if configurable) |
| DatSet | <LDName> = UI16 = <FFFF H> or configurable |
| | <LNName>.<DataSetName> = <UI8>.<UI8> = <2>.< 1> |
| ConfRev | Preconfigured |
| SmpRate | Preconfigured |
| OptFlds | refresh-time=FALSE sample-synchronised=TRUE sample-rate=TRUE |

A.2 ASDU for status indication data set

The status indication data set contains binary input status and quality information which will be transmitted periodically in the same way as the sampled analogue values. The intention is to give for example merging units or simpler devices the possibility to transmit binary input status indications, as a kind of distributed I/O mechanism based on the sampled value class model, to avoid the implementation of the reporting models specified in IEC 61850-7-2. Only one data set instance is permitted. This data set is related to the data name “Ind” of the logical node GGIO.

| Octets | | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | |
|--------|--------------------|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Length | msb | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | Length = 21lsb | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | Data set reference | msbLNName = 2lsb | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | msbDataSetName = 2lsb | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | | msb | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | | LDNamelsb | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | SIG | S16 | S15 | S14 | S13 | S12 | S11 | S10 | S9 | |
| 8 | | S8 | S7 | S6 | S5 | S4 | S3 | S2 | S1 | |
| 9 | | Q16 | Q15 | Q14 | Q13 | Q12 | Q11 | Q10 | Q9 | |
| 10 | | Q8 | Q7 | Q6 | Q5 | Q4 | Q3 | Q2 | Q1 | |
| 11 | | RE | RE | RE | IC | OD | EE | OS | IV | |
| 12 | | 2 ³¹ | | | | | | | | 2 ²⁴ |
| 13 | | 2 ²³ | | | | | | | | 2 ¹⁶ |
| 14 | | 2 ¹⁵ | | | | | | | | 2 ⁸ |
| 15 | | 2 ⁷ | | | | | | | | 2 ⁰ |
| 16 | | Reserved | | | | | | NS | CF | LK |
| 17 | 2 ²³ | | | | | | | | 2 ¹⁶ | |
| 18 | 2 ¹⁵ | | | | | | | | 2 ⁸ | |
| 19 | 2 ⁷ | | | | | | | | 2 ⁰ | |
| 20 | SC | msb | | | | | | | | |
| 21 | | Counterlsb | | | | | | | | |
| 22 | SR | msbSample Ratelsb | | | | | | | | |
| 23 | CR | msbConfiguration Revisionlsb | | | | | | | | |

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Figure A.1 – Data set for status indication

**Table A.2 – Predefined multicast sampled value control block instances
relating to the transmission of status indications**

| MSVCB attribute | Value |
|------------------------|---|
| MsvCBNam | Implicit (Status indications) |
| MsvCBRef | Not visible |
| SvEna | Enabled during the start up phase. |
| MsvID | Broadcast MAC address (optional multicast if configurable) |
| DatSet | <LDName> = UI16 = <FFFF H> or configurable |
| | <LNName>.<DataSetName> = <UI8>.<UI8> = <2>.< 2> |
| ConfRev | Preconfigured |
| SmpRate | Preconfigured |
| OptFlds | refresh-time=FALSE sample-synchronised=FALSE sample-rate=TRUE |

Annex B (informative)

Calculation of required bandwidth

The following tables can be used as a guideline for the selection of the appropriate physical layer related to the transmission of sampled analogue values.

Table B.1 – Selection guide for Ethernet physical layer (receiving node)

| Sampling rate | Number of connected MUs | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4-5 | |
| $10 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | |
| $12 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | |
| $16 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | |
| $20 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | Rated value according to IEC 60044-8 |
| $40 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 100 Mbps | |
| $48 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 10 Mbps | 100 Mbps | Rated value according to IEC 60044-8 |
| $80 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | 100 Mbps | 100 Mbps | 100 Mbps | Rated value according to IEC 60044-8 |
| $200 \times f_r$ | 100 Mbps | 100 Mbps | 100 Mbps | 100 Mbps | |
| f_r : Rated frequency (Hz). | | | | | |
| NOTE Concerning $400 \times f_r$: the available bandwidth of 100 Mbps Ethernet is not sufficient to allow three or more MUs transmit their samples to one receiving device. | | | | | |

Table B.2 – Selection guide for Ethernet physical layer (sending node)

| Sampling rate | 1 | |
|-------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| $10 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | |
| $12 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | |
| $16 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | |
| $20 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | Rated value according to IEC 60044-8 |
| $40 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | |
| $48 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | Rated value according to IEC 60044-8 |
| $80 \times f_r$ | 10 Mbps | Rated value according to IEC 60044-8 |
| $200 \times f_r$ | 100 Mbps | |
| f_r : Rated frequency (Hz). | | |

Available Data rate: $S_R \times T_L \times n_{MU} \leq D_R$

D_R : Data rate (10 Mbps or 100 Mbps).

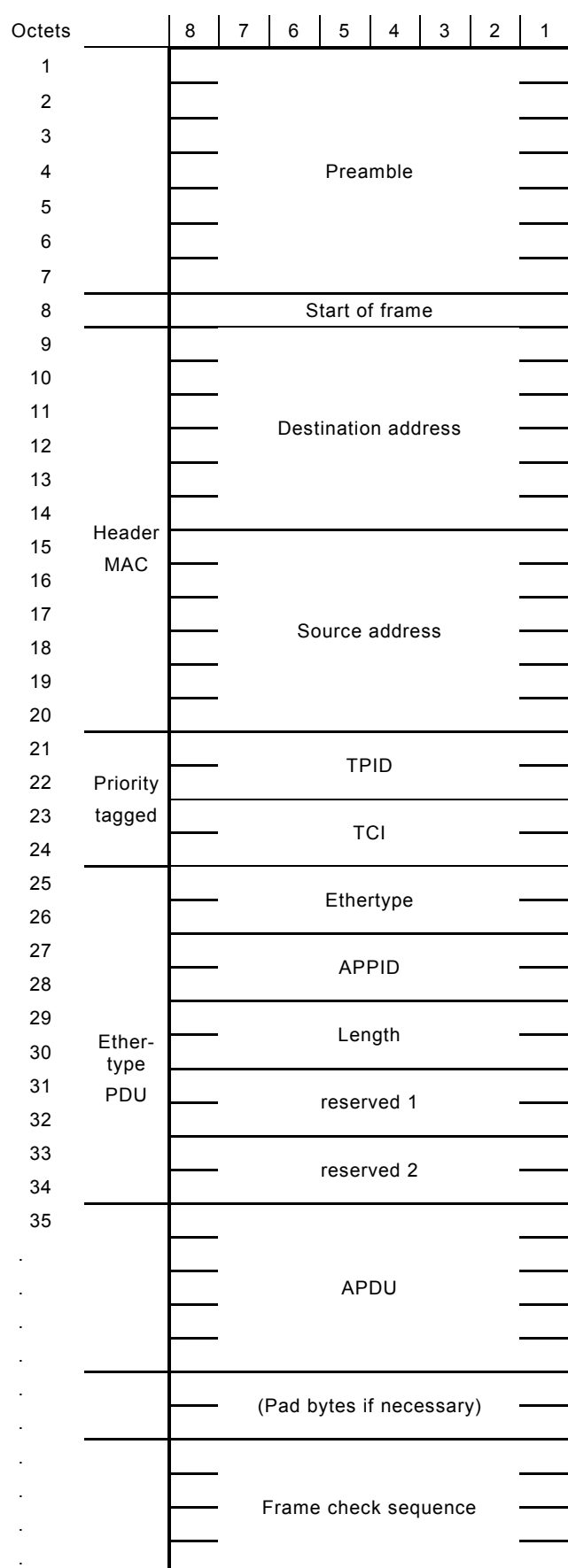
S_R : Sampling rate (Hz).

T_L : Max. telegram length; (26 Byte Ethernet frame + 4 Byte Priority tagging + 8 Byte Ethertype PDU + 2 Byte ASN.1 tag/length + 2 Byte No. of blocks + 46 Byte universal data set + 23 Byte status indications = 111 Byte \times 8 Bit = 888 Bit + 96 Bit interFrameGap = 984 Bit)

n_{MU} : Number of connected MUs

EXAMPLE $S_R \times T_L \times n_{MU} = (400 \times 60 \text{ Hz}) \times 984 \text{ Bit} \times 1 = 23,616 \text{ Mbps} \leq 100 \text{ Mbps}$

NOTE The above equation to determine the available data rate is theoretical only. In practice, it should be calculated with a reserve of approximately 10 %. In real applications, the available data rate depends normally on the CPU-power within the sender or receiver.



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Figure B.1 – Ethernet Frame Format

Annex C (informative)

Definitions of logical node instance names and data names related to the data sets

The following tables show the relationship between the universal data set and status indications data set object names related to the logical node and data classes defined in IEC 61850-7-4.

**Table C.1 – Definitions of logical instance name and data names
related to the universal data set**

| Attribute | Type | Definition |
|----------------|----------------|---|
| DataSetName | INTEGER | For the universal data set according to IEC 60044-8 the integer value is set to 1 |
| Data-Reference | See next table | |

| Logical node instance name | Data name | Common data class | Definition according to IEC 60044-8 |
|----------------------------|-----------|-------------------|--|
| phsaTCTR | ARtg | ASG | Rated phase current Defines the rated current in Ampere r.m.s. |
| neutTCTR | ARtg | ASG | Rated neutral current Defines the rated neutral current in Ampere r.m.s. |
| phsaTVTR | VRtg | ASG | Rated phase voltage Defines the rated voltage in 1/10 kV r.m.s. |
| | Tdr | SAV | Rated delay time Defines the rated delay time in μ s. The rated delay time indicates the time between the instant a certain current/voltage is present at the primary terminals and the instant the transmission of the belonging digital data set starts. According to this standard, synchronisation pulses are used to synchronise several merging units. Therefore the rated delay time is not relevant for the ECT/EVT accuracy. The rated delay time value shall be high enough to allow reasonable antialiasing filters in the merging unit, but it shall not be so high that it significantly affects protection device performance. Therefore the rated delay time for this standard should be 3 000 μ s (tolerance band –100 % to +10 %) for all sampled rates. Tdr is not defined in IEC 61850-7-4. |
| phsaTCTR | Amp | SAV | Current phase A, used for protection |
| phsbTCTR | Amp | SAV | Current phase B, used for protection |
| phscTCTR | Amp | SAV | Current phase C, used for protection |
| neutTCTR | Amp | SAV | Current neutral |
| phsaTCTR1 | Amp | SAV | Current phase A; different scaling; used for measurement |
| phsbTCTR1 | Amp | SAV | Current phase B; different scaling; used for measurement |
| phscTCTR1 | Amp | SAV | Current phase C; different scaling; used for measurement |
| phsaTVTR | Vol | SAV | Voltage phase A |
| phsbTVTR | Vol | SAV | Voltage phase B |
| phscTVTR | Vol | SAV | Voltage phase C |
| neutTVTR | Vol | SAV | Voltage neutral |
| bbTVTR | Vol | SAV | Busbar Voltage |

| Logical node instance name | Data name | Common data class | Definition according to IEC 60044-8 |
|----------------------------|------------|-------------------|---|
| LPHD | PhyHealth | ISI | <p>Merging unit maintenance required:</p> <p>This attribute is part of the first status word defined in IEC 60044-8.</p> <p>If the merging unit has failed, the maintenance required status shall be set.</p> <p><0> = Maintenance not required <1> = Maintenance required</p> <p>The stVal attribute will be mapped to BIT STRING.</p> |
| LLN0 | Mod | ISC | <p>Merging unit test status:</p> <p>This attribute is part of the first status word defined in IEC 60044-8.</p> <p>This status shall be set if the merging unit operates in test mode and calculates sampled values internally.</p> <p><0> = Normal operation <1> = Test mode activated</p> <p>The stVal attribute will be mapped to BIT STRING.</p> |
| | WkUpTim | SPS | <p>Wake up time indication:</p> <p>This attribute is part of the first status word defined in IEC 60044-8.</p> <p>Wake up time indication shall be set during a wake up time period respectively start up time period corresponding with the sampled value invalid indication.</p> <p><0> = Normal operation <1> = Data not valid</p> <p>WkUpTim is not defined in IEC 61850-7-4.</p> |
| | SynchMeth | SPS | <p>Synchronisation method:</p> <p>This attribute is part of the first status word defined in IEC 60044-8.</p> <p>The synchronisation method indicates whether the sampled values of the data set are suitable for interpolation or whether the data set values cannot be used with interpolation schemes.</p> <p><0> = Data set values not to be used with interpolation schemes <1> = Data set values are suitable for interpolation; Not recommended for IEC 61850-9-1 applications</p> <p>SynchMeth is not defined in IEC 61850-7-4.</p> |
| | NotSynch | SPS | <p>Merging Unit not synchronised:</p> <p>This attribute is part of the first status word defined in IEC 60044-8.</p> <p>If interpolation schemes are defined via the synchronisation method, the unsynchronised bit must be set.</p> <p><0> = Time synchronisation activated and ready. <1> = Time synchronisation missing or invalid.</p> <p>NotSynch is not defined in IEC 61850-7-4.</p> |
| | CTType | SPS | <p>Type of CT output:</p> <p>This attribute is part of the first status word defined in IEC 60044-8.</p> <p>Type of CT output shall be set to indicate the use of air core coils.</p> <p><0> = $\dot{x}(t)$ <1> = $d(\dot{x}(t))/dt$; air core coils.</p> <p>CTType is not defined in IEC 61850-7-4.</p> |
| | Range Flag | SPS | <p>Range flag defines the scaling factor for the phase current data for protection applications.</p> <p><0> = 01CF H (dynamic range $50 \times I_p$) <1> = 00E7 H (dynamic range $100 \times I_p$)</p> <p>RangeFlag is not defined in IEC 61850-7-4.</p> |

| | | 27 | 26 | 25 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 20 |
|---------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Byte 1 | ASDU Header | msb Length of ASDU (= 44) | | | | | | | |
| Byte 2 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 3 | ASDU (universal data set) | msb LNNName (=02) | | | | | | | |
| Byte 4 | | msb DataSetName (=01) | | | | | | | |
| Byte 5 | | msb LDName | | | | | | | |
| Byte 6 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 7 | | msb Rated Phase Current | | | | | | | |
| Byte 8 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 9 | | msb Rated Neutral Current | | | | | | | |
| Byte 10 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 11 | | msb Rated Phase Voltage | | | | | | | |
| Byte 12 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 13 | | msb Rated Delay Time | | | | | | | |
| Byte 14 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 15 | | msb Current Phase A, prot. | | | | | | | |
| Byte 16 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 17 | | msb Current Phase B, prot. | | | | | | | |
| Byte 18 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 19 | | msb Current Phase C, prot. | | | | | | | |
| Byte 20 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 21 | | msb Current Neutral | | | | | | | |
| Byte 22 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 23 | | msb Current Phase A, mes. | | | | | | | |
| Byte 24 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 25 | | msb Current Phase B, mes. | | | | | | | |
| Byte 26 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 27 | | msb Current Phase C, mes. | | | | | | | |
| Byte 28 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 29 | | msb Voltage Phase A | | | | | | | |
| Byte 30 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 31 | | msb Voltage Phase B | | | | | | | |
| Byte 32 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 33 | | msb Voltage Phase C | | | | | | | |
| Byte 34 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 35 | | msb Voltage Neutral | | | | | | | |
| Byte 36 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 37 | | msb Busbar Voltage | | | | | | | |
| Byte 38 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 39 | | msb StatusWord#1 | | | | | | | |
| Byte 40 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 41 | | msb StatusWord#2 | | | | | | | |
| Byte 42 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 43 | | msb Sample Counter | | | | | | | |
| Byte 44 | | lsb | | | | | | | |
| Byte 45 | | msb Sampling rate | | | | | | | |
| Byte 46 | | msb Configuration revision no. | | | | | | | |

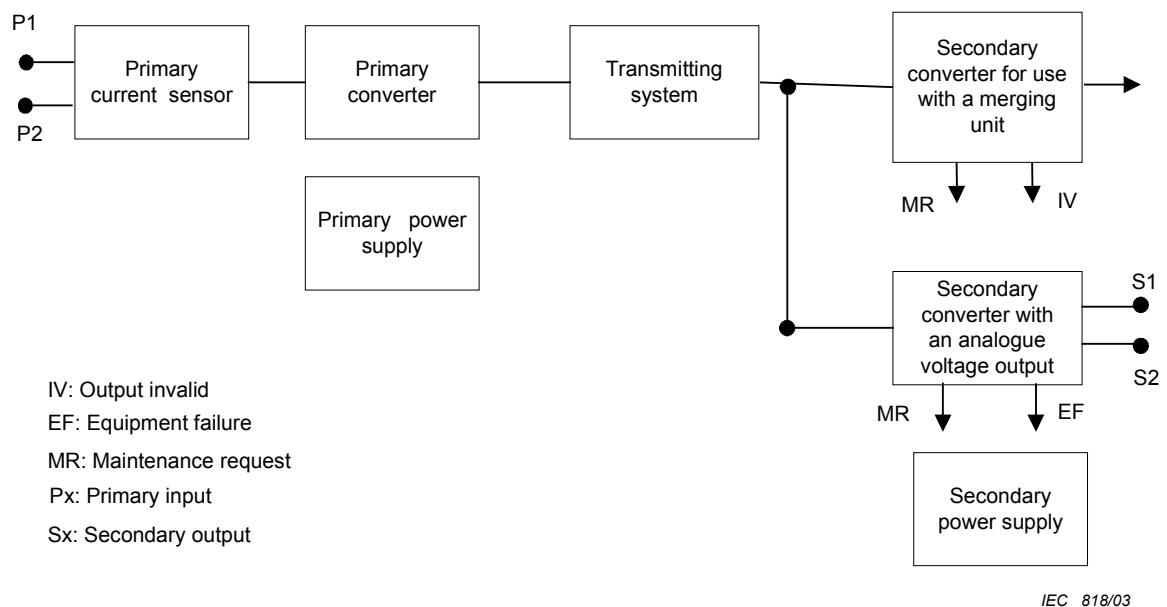
**Figure C.1 – Contents of the universal data set
based on the specification in IEC 60044-8**

Annex D (informative)

Electronic transformers block diagram and configuration example

D.1 General block diagram of electronic transformers

Figure D.1 is a general block diagram of an electronic transformer. Depending on the application, not all of the illustrated blocks may be included in the transformers (see IEC 60044-8).

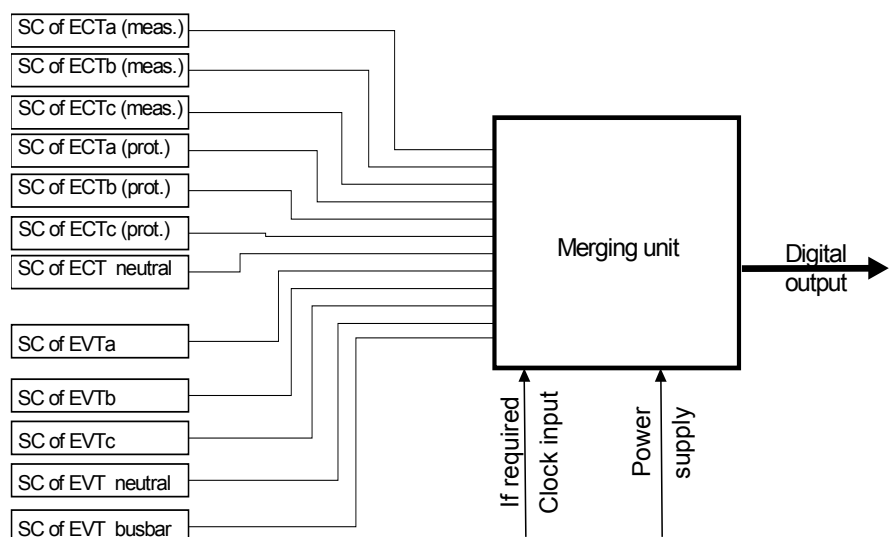


**Figure D.1 – Example for general block diagram of
a single-phase electronic transformer**

D.2 General block diagram of electronic transformers with a digital output and the merging unit

Up to seven current transformers and up to five voltage transformers are grouped together using a merging unit (MU). This merging unit supplies the secondary equipment with a time-coherent set of current and voltage data.

Figure D.2 gives the maximum configuration.



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Figure D.2 – Example for electronic transformers configuration

NOTE SC of EVTa is the secondary converter of the electronic voltage transformers of phase a (see IEC 60044-7). SC of ECTa is the secondary converter of the electronic current transformers of phase a (see IEC 60044-8).

The implementation of the merging unit as a standalone device is not a mandatory requirement. It may be part of the ECT or EVT electronics.



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