

Method for

**Conversion between
the two coded
character sets of
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BS 6692-2 (ISO 6937-2)
and the CCITT
international telegraph
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National foreword

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Cross-references

International Standard	Corresponding British Standard
ISO 646:1983	BS 4730:1985 <i>Specification for UK 7-bit coded character set</i> (Identical exercising national options)
ISO 2022:1986	BS 6856:1987 <i>Specification for code extension techniques for United Kingdom 7-bit and 8-bit coded character sets</i> (Identical)
ISO 6937-2:1983	BS 6692 <i>Coded character sets for text communication</i> Part 2:1986 <i>Specification for Latin alphabet and non-alphabet graphic characters</i> (Identical)

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CCITT Recommendation F.1 (Geneva, 1984), Operational provisions for the International Public Telegram Service.

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