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- a) alignment with IEC 61918:2018, IEC 61918:2018/AMD1:2022 and IEC 61918:2018/AMD2:2024;
- b) addition of new content related to Single Pair Ethernet (SPE) in Annex B, Table B.1, Table B.3, Table B.4, Table B.6.

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INTRODUCTION

This document is one of a series produced to facilitate the use of communication networks in industrial control systems.

IEC 61918:2018, [IEC 61918:2018/AMD1:2022](#) and [IEC 61918:2018/AMD2:2024](#) provide the common requirements for the installation of communication networks in industrial control systems. This installation profile document provides the installation profiles of the communication profiles (CP) of a specific communication profile family (CPF) by stating which requirements of IEC 61918 fully apply and, where necessary, by supplementing, modifying, or replacing the other requirements (see Figure 1).

For general background on fieldbuses, their profiles, and relationship between the installation profiles specified in this document, see IEC 61158-1.

Each CP installation profile is specified in a separate annex of this document. Each annex is structured exactly as the reference document IEC 61918 for the benefit of the persons representing the roles in the fieldbus installation process as defined in IEC 61918 (planner, installer, verification personnel, validation personnel, maintenance personnel, administration personnel). By reading the installation profile in conjunction with IEC 61918, these persons immediately know which requirements are common for the installation of all CPs and which are modified or replaced. The conventions used to draft this document are defined in Clause 5.

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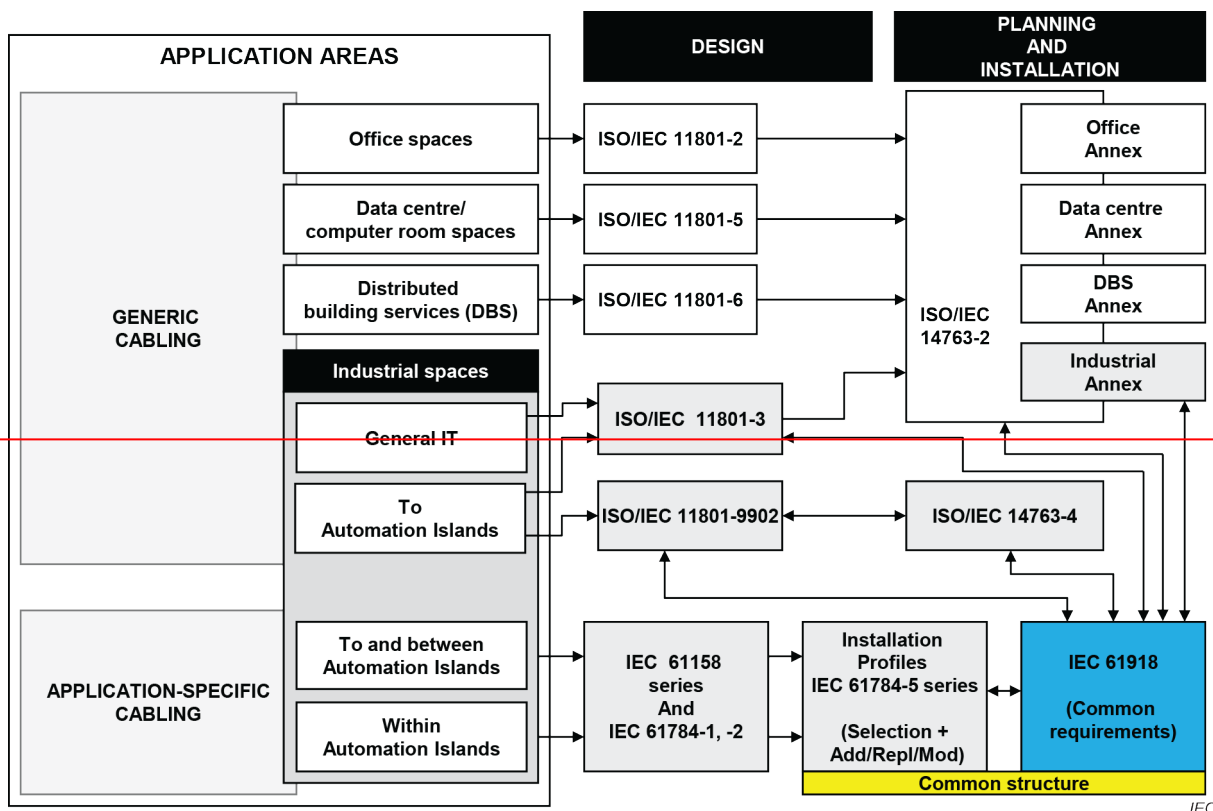
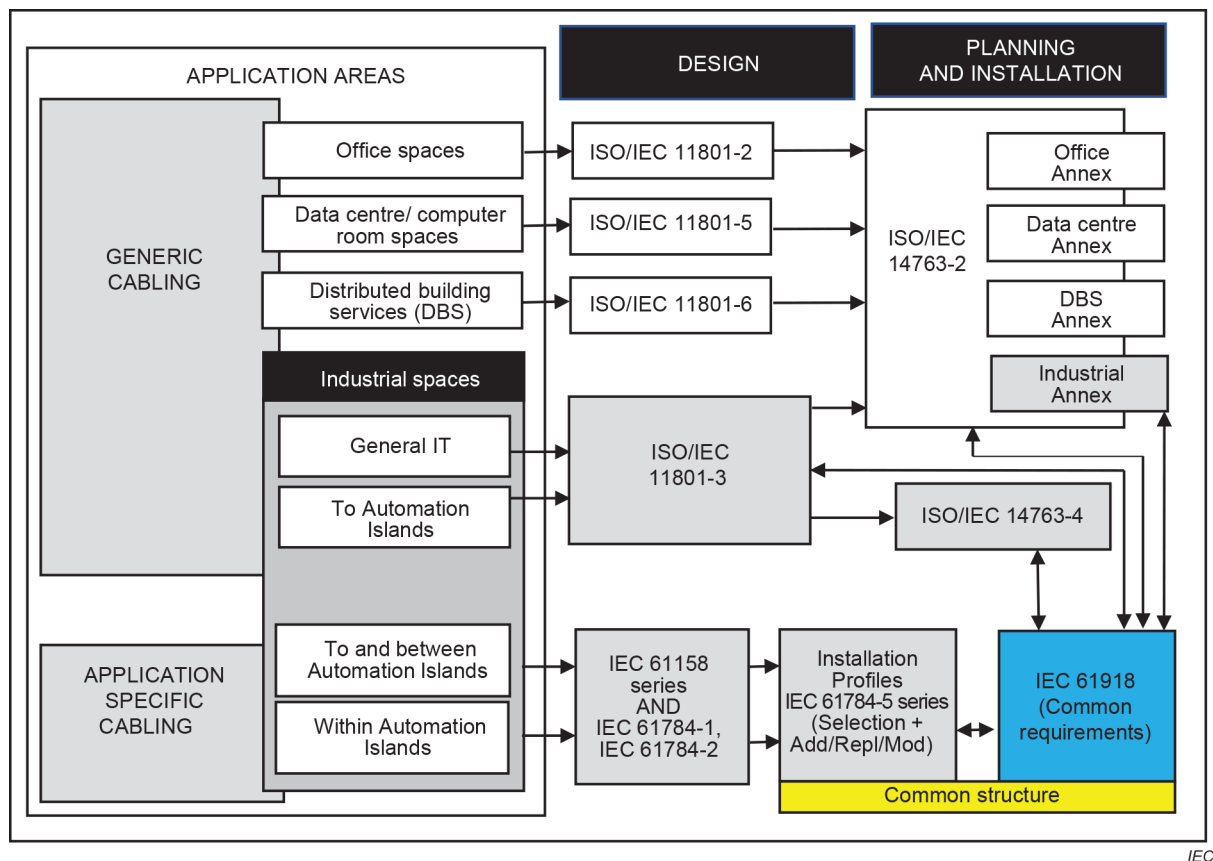


Figure 1 – Standards relationships

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Part 5-6: Installation of fieldbuses – Installation profiles for CPF 6

1 Scope

This part of IEC 61784-5 specifies the installation profiles for CPF 6 (INTERBUSTM)¹.

The installation profiles are specified in the annexes. These annexes are read in conjunction with IEC 61918:2018, IEC 61918:2018/AMD1:2022 and IEC 61918:2018/AMD2:2024.

2 Normative references

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IEC 61918:2018², *Industrial communication networks – Installation of communication networks in industrial premises*

IEC 61918:2018/AMD1:2022

IEC 61918:2018/AMD2:2024

~~The normative references of IEC 61918:2018, Clause 2, apply.~~

NOTE For profile specific normative references, see Clauses A.2, B.2.

3 Terms, definitions and abbreviated terms

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~~NOTE For profile specific terms, definitions and abbreviated terms see Clauses A.3 and B.3.~~

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² The normative references of IEC 61918:2018, Clause 2, IEC 61918:2018/AMD1:2022, Clause 2 and IEC 61918:2018/AMD2:2024, Clause 2, apply.

4 CPF 6: Overview of installation profiles

CPF 6 consists of seven communication profiles (see IEC 61784-1:— for CP 6/1, CP 6/2, CP 6/3, see IEC 61784-2:— for CP 6/4, CP 6/5, CP 6/6, see IEC 61784-3-6 for FSCP 6/7).

The CPF 6 Type 8 network (non-Ethernet-based) installation profile is specified in Annex A.

The CPF 6 Ethernet network specific installation profile is specified in Annex B.

5 Installation profile conventions

The numbering of the clauses and subclauses in the annexes of this document corresponds to the numbering of IEC 61918:2018 main clauses and subclauses.

The annex clauses and subclauses of this document supplement, modify, or replace the respective clauses and subclauses in IEC 61918.

Where there is no corresponding subclause of IEC 61918 in the normative annexes in this document, the subclause of IEC 61918 applies without modification.

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If all subclauses of a (sub)clause are omitted, then the corresponding IEC 61918 (sub)clause applies.

If in a (sub)clause it is written "Not applicable", then the corresponding IEC 61918 (sub)clause does not apply.

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NOTE A replacement can also comprise additions.

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Annex A (normative)

CPF 6 Type 8 network specific installation profile

A.1 Installation profile scope

Addition:

This annex specifies the installation profile for CPF 6 Type 8 networks and the related Communication Profiles:

- CP 6/1, CP 6/2, CP 6/3 – specified in IEC 61784-1;
- CP 6/4, CP 6/5, CP 6/6 – specified in IEC 61784-2;
- FSCP 6/7 – specified in IEC 61784-3-6.

A.2 Normative references

Addition:

IEC 60189-1:2007²⁰¹⁸, *Low-frequency cables and wires with PVC insulation and PVC sheath – Part 1: General test and measuring methods*

IEC 60794-1-2, *Optical fibre cables – Part 1-2: Generic specification – Basic optical cable test procedures – General guidance*

~~IEC 61076-2-109 Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 2-109: Circular connectors – Detail specification for connectors M 12 × 1 with screw locking, for data transmissions with frequencies up to 500 MHz~~

IEC 61076-3-123, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 3-123: Rectangular connectors – Detail specification for hybrid connectors for industrial environments, for power supply and fibre optic data transmission, with push-pull locking*⁵

IEC 61156-1:2007⁶, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 1: Generic specification*

~~IEC 61156-5, Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 5: Symmetrical pair/quad cables with transmission characteristics up to 600 MHz – Horizontal floor wiring – Sectional specification~~

IEC 61754-24-21, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Fibre optic connector interfaces – Part 24-21: Type SC-RJ connectors with protective housings based on IEC 61076-3-106, variant 06*

IEC 61754-27, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Fibre optic connector interfaces – Part 27: Type M12 FO connector family*

⁵ ~~Under preparation. Stage at the time of publication: IEC/CDV 61076-3-123:2017.~~

⁶ A 2023 edition of this document exists but the listed edition applies.

A.3 Installation profile terms, definitions, and abbreviated terms

A.3.1 Terms and definitions

Addition:

A.3.1.8793

bus coupler

device that divides the Type 8 network into segments by opening the ring and integrating another ring at this point

A.3.1.8894

local bus

ring segment of a Type 8 network with alternate media specifications, which is coupled to a remote bus device via a bus coupler

A.3.1.8995

local bus device

device that operates as a slave on a local bus

A.3.1.9096

master

device that controls the data transfer on the Type 8 network and initiates the media access of the slaves by sending messages and that constitutes the interface to the control system

A.3.1.9197

remote bus

ring segment of a network

A.3.1.9298

remote bus device

device operating as a slave on a remote bus

A.3.1.9399

remote bus link

connection of two remote bus devices

A.3.1.94100

ring segment

one section of a Type 8 network

A.3.1.95101

slave

device that accesses the medium only after it has been initiated by the preceding slave or master

A.3.2 Abbreviated terms

Addition:

BC	Bus coupler
COM	Ground line
/DI	Incoming interface: send data line – Outgoing interface: receive data line –
DI	Incoming interface: send data line + Outgoing interface: receive data line +
/DO	Incoming interface: receive data line – Outgoing interface: send data line –
DO	Incoming interface: receive data line + Outgoing interface: send data line +
PELV	Protective extra low voltage
POF	Plastic optical fibre
SELV	Safety extra low voltage

A.3.3 Conventions for installation profiles

Not applicable.

A.4 Installation planning

A.4.1 General

A.4.1.1 Objective

A.4.1.2 Cabling in industrial premises

A.4.1.3 The planning process

A.4.1.4 Specific requirements for CPs

Not applicable.

A.4.1.5 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.2 Planning requirements

A.4.2.1 Safety

A.4.2.1.1 General

A.4.2.1.2 Electrical safety

Addition:

The power distribution system shall comply with IEC 60364-1:2005, 312.2.1 TN-S systems, i.e. earthed by bonding of enclosures with separated conductors for neutral (N) and protection earth (PE). Otherwise, there are additional efforts necessary to avoid currents on the shield, i.e. an AC earthed system on one end in a network with balanced cables or a network built with FO-cables. For networks built with OF-cables, the power distribution system should comply with IEC 60364-1:2005, 312.2.1 TN-S systems.

PELV is the default version for the power supply with extra-low voltage, but SELV may also be used. Temporary connected devices shall be powered by PELV or SELV.

A.4.2.1.3 Functional safety

A.4.2.1.4 Intrinsic safety

Not applicable.

A.4.2.1.5 Safety of optical fibre communication systems

A.4.2.2 Security

A.4.2.3 Environmental considerations and EMC

A.4.2.3.1 Description methodology

A.4.2.3.2 Use of the described environment to produce a bill of material

Addition:

To make fieldbus installation work easier for inexperienced planners, the user shall determine suitability of the components for the targeted environment through agreements with the component providers. The planner shall also observe the related technical data from the active devices. Depending on the expected environment the planner should define additional requirements. Passive optical components in the harsh industrial environment should be protected with suitable mitigation techniques or tested according to IEC 61753-1.

The planner shall take into account the mating or terminating interface of devices to be connected to the fieldbus network.

The planner shall take care about the environmental conditions of the whole Type 8 network and select suitable mitigation techniques to meet the respective requirements. ~~Products necessary for mitigation also shall be mentioned in the bill of material.~~ Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3.

A.4.2.4 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.3 Network capabilities

A.4.3.1 Network topology

A.4.3.1.1 Common description

A.4.3.1.2 Basic physical topologies for passive networks

Not applicable.

A.4.3.1.3 Basic physical topologies for active networks

Replacement:

For Type 8 networks only the ring topology specified in IEC 61158-2 shall be used.

NOTE The Type 8 ring topology is achieved with specific cables and resembles a linear tree topology. Further explanation of the physical layer of Type 8 networks can be found in IEC 61158-2.

A.4.3.1.4 Combination of basic topologies

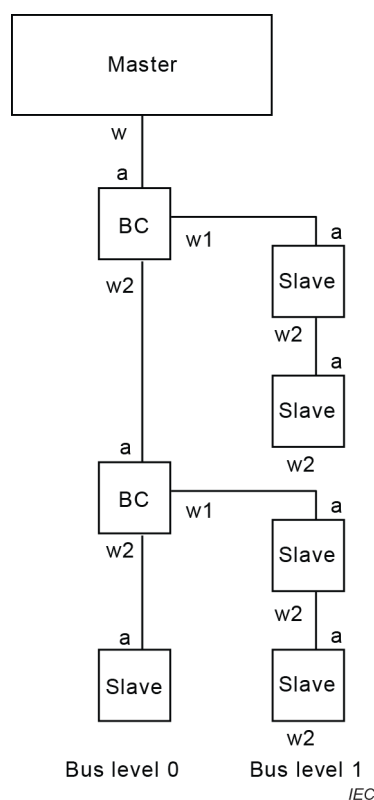
Replacement:

The combination of several topologies may also be used according to A.4.3.1.5.

A.4.3.1.5 Specific requirements for CPs

Addition:

The general structure is a ring topology with special cables to build tree like configurations. Bus couplers allow a branch from the remote bus to the local bus or to a further remote bus. Figure A.1 shows a Type 8 network structure example. There is no limit for the sub-leveling of remote buses. Only one local bus can be connected to a remote bus. A maximum of 63 devices can be connected to one local bus.



Key

w outgoing interface of the master

a incoming interface of a slave

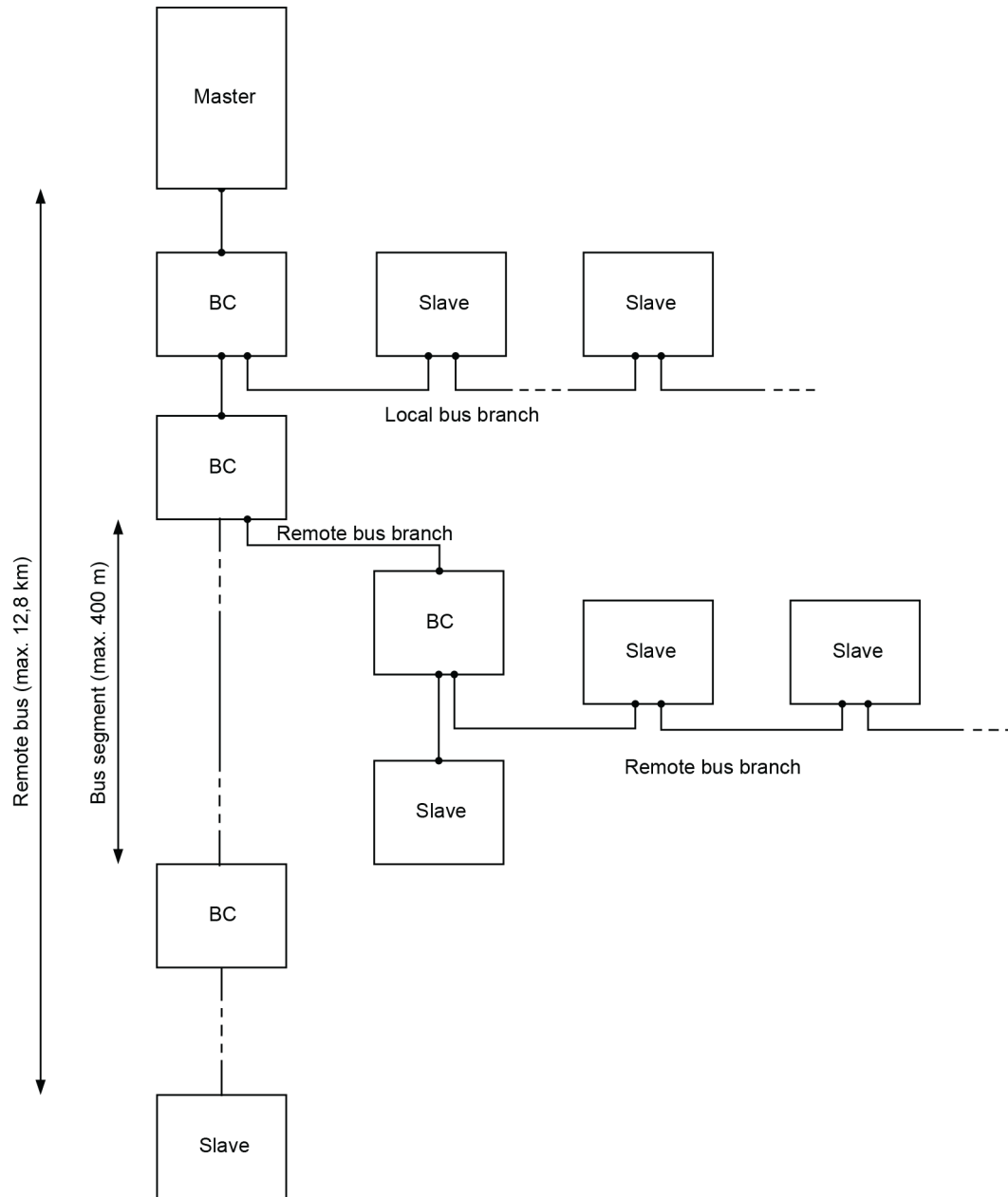
w1 first outgoing interface of a slave

w2 second outgoing interface of a slave

The ring segment level is increased when the devices are connected to w1.

Figure A.1 – Type 8 network structure example

The remote bus link length (i.e. the cable between two devices on a remote bus link) shall be between 0 m and the maximum length for the used bit rate (see Table A.1). The local bus link length (i.e. the cable between two devices on a local bus link) shall be between 0 m and 10 m. Figure A.2 shows a Type 8 network configuration example with bus length indications.



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Figure A.2 – Example of a Type 8 network configuration

A.4.3.1.6 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.3.2 Network characteristics

A.4.3.2.1 General

A.4.3.2.2 Network characteristics for balanced cabling not based on Ethernet

Replacement:

Table A.1 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018. Table 1.

Table A.1 – Basic network characteristics for balanced cabling not based on Ethernet

Characteristic	Type 8 network
Basic transmission technology	Type 8
Length / transmission speed	Segment length m
500 kbit/s	400 m between nodes ^a
2 Mbit/s	150 m between nodes ^a
8 Mbit/s	125 m between nodes ^a
16 Mbit/s	100 m between nodes ^a
Maximum capacity	Max. No.
Devices / segment	Remote bus: 256 ^b Local bus: 63 ^b
Number of devices / networks	Remote bus: 256 ^b Local bus: 256 ^b
^a The maximum length of a Type 8 network depends on the number of devices supported by the master and could be calculated by multiplication of link length by the number of devices. ^b The maximum number of all devices in one Type 8 network is limited to 256.	

A.4.3.2.3 Network characteristics for balanced cabling based on Ethernet

Not applicable.

A.4.3.2.4 Network characteristics for optical fibre cabling

Replacement:

Table A.2 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 3.

Table A.2 – Network characteristics for optical fibre cabling

Type 8 network		
Optical fibre type	Description	
Single mode silica	Bandwidth (MHz) or equivalent at λ (nm)	1 310 nm
	Minimum length (m)	0
	Maximum length ^a (m)	15 000
	Maximum channel Insertion loss/optical power budget (dB)	See IEC 61158-2
	Connecting hardware	See A.4.4.2.5
Multimode silica	Modal bandwidth (MHz × km) at λ (nm)	1 300 nm
	Minimum length (m)	0
	Maximum length ^a (m)	3 000
	Maximum channel insertion loss/optical power budget (dB)	See IEC 61158-2
	Connecting hardware	See A.4.4.2.5
POF	Modal bandwidth (MHz × 100 m) at λ (nm)	650 nm
	Minimum length (m)	0
	Maximum length ^a (m)	70
	Maximum channel insertion loss/optical power budget (dB)	See IEC 61158-2
	Connecting hardware	See A.4.4.2.5
Hard clad silica	Modal bandwidth (MHz × km) at λ (nm)	650 nm
	Minimum length (m)	0
	Maximum length ^a (m)	400
	Maximum channel insertion loss/optical power budget (dB)	See IEC 61158-2
	Connecting hardware	See A.4.4.2.5
^a This value is reduced by connections, splices and bends in accordance with IEC 61918:2018, Formula (1) in 4.4.3.4.1.		

A.4.3.2.5 Specific network characteristics

Not applicable.

A.4.3.2.6 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.4 Selection and use of cabling components**A.4.4.1 Cable selection****A.4.4.1.1 Common description****A.4.4.1.2 Copper cables****A.4.4.1.2.1 Balanced cables for Ethernet-based CPs**

Not applicable.

A.4.4.1.2.2 Copper cables for non-Ethernet-based CPs*Replacement:*

Table A.3 and Table A.4 provide values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 4 and Table 5.

Table A.3 – Information relevant to balanced cable: fixed cables

Characteristic	Type 8 network
Nominal impedance of cable (tolerance)	120 $\Omega \pm 20\%$ at $f = 0,064$ MHz 100 $\Omega \pm 15\%$ at $f > 1$ MHz Test method IEC 61156-1:2007, 6.3.1
DCR of conductors	max. 9,6 $\Omega / 100$ m Test method IEC 60189-1:2007, 8.1
DCR of shield	-
Number of conductors	3 $\times$ 2, twisted pair
Shielding	Yes
Colour code for conductor	DO = yellow /DO = green DI = grey /DI = pink COM = brown
Jacket colour requirements	Green, RAL 6017
Jacket material	Application dependant
Resistance to harsh environment (e.g. UV, oil resist, LS0H)	Cable types for different applications available
Agency ratings	Cable types with different ratings available
Cross section	Min. 0,20 mm ²
Dielectric strength	1 000 V RMS, 1 min
– Conductor/conductor	1 000 V RMS, 1 min
– Conductor/shield	Test method IEC 60189-1: 2007 2018, 8.2
Insulation resistance (after dielectric strength test)	Min 150 M Ω for a cable of 1 km in length Test method IEC 60189-1: 2007 2018, 8.3
Maximum transfer impedance	
– at 30 MHz	250 m Ω /m
Mutual capacitance (at 800 Hz)	Max. 60 nF for a cable of 1 km in length Test method IEC 60189-1: 2007 2018, 8.4
Min. near end cross talk loss (NEXT) for a cable of 100 m	
– at 0,772 MHz	61 dB
– at 1 MHz	59 dB
– at 2 MHz	55 dB
– at 4 MHz	50 dB
– at 8 MHz	46 dB
– at 10 MHz	44 dB
– at 16 MHz	41 dB
– at 20 MHz	40 dB
	Test method IEC 61156-1: 2007 2018, 6.3.5

Characteristic	Type 8 network
Max. attenuation for a cable of 100 m	
– at 0,256 MHz	1,5 dB
– at 0,772 MHz	2,4 dB
– at 1 MHz	2,7 dB
– at 4 MHz	5,2 dB
– at 10 MHz	8,4 dB
– at 16 MHz	11,2 dB
– at 20 MHz	11,9 dB
	Test method IEC 61156-1:2007, 6.3.3

Table A.4 – Information relevant to balanced cable: cords

Characteristic	Type 8 network
Nominal impedance of cable (tolerance)	120 $\Omega \pm 20\%$ at $f = 0,064$ MHz 100 $\Omega \pm 15\%$ at $f > 1$ MHz Test method IEC 61156-1:2007, 6.3.1
DCR of conductors	Max. 9,6 Ω / 100 m Test method IEC 60189-1:2007, 8.1
DCR of shield	-
Number of conductors	3 $\times$ 2, twisted pair
Shielding	Yes
Colour code for conductor	DO = yellow /DO = green DI = grey /DI = pink COM = brown
Jacket colour requirements	Green, RAL 6017
Jacket material	Application dependant
Resistance to harsh environment (e.g., UV, oil resist, LS0H)	Cable types for different applications available
Agency ratings	Cable types with different ratings available
Cross section	min. 0,20 mm ²
Dielectric strength	1 000 V RMS, 1 min
– Conductor/conductor	1 000 V RMS, 1 min
– Conductor/shield	Test method IEC 60189-1:20072018, 8.2
Insulation resistance	Min 150 M Ω for a cable of 1 km in length
(After dielectric strength test)	Test method IEC 60189-1:20072018, 8.3
Maximum transfer impedance	
– at 30 MHz	250 m Ω / m
Mutual capacitance (at 800 Hz)	Max. 60 nF for a cable of 1 km in length
	Test method IEC 60189-1:20072018, 8.4

Characteristic	Type 8 network
Min. near end cross talk loss (NEXT) for a cable of 100 m	
– at 0,772 MHz	61 dB
– at 1 MHz	59 dB
– at 2 MHz	55 dB
– at 4 MHz	50 dB
– at 8 MHz	46 dB
– at 10 MHz	44 dB
– at 16 MHz	41 dB
– at 20 MHz	40 dB
	Test method IEC 61156-1:2007, 6.3.5
Max. attenuation for a cable of 100 m	
– at 0,256 MHz	1,5 dB
– at 0,772 MHz	2,4 dB
– at 1 MHz	2,7 dB
– at 4 MHz	5,2 dB
– at 10 MHz	8,4 dB
– at 16 MHz	11,2 dB
– at 20 MHz	11,9 dB
	Test method IEC 61156-1:2007, 6.3.3

A.4.4.1.3 Cables for wireless installation

A.4.4.1.4 Optical fibre cables

Replacement:

The planner shall select the appropriate optical fibre cable to support the required channel lengths and number of connections to be installed.

The cable shall be according to IEC 61158-2:20142023, 27.7.2 and 28.1.

Polymer optical fibre cable shall be detailed according to IEC 61158-2:20142023, 28.6.2.

Polymer clad optical fibre cable shall be detailed according to IEC 61158-2:20142023, 28.6.3.

A.4.4.1.5 Special purpose balanced and optical fibre cables

Addition:

The specification from additional mechanical data depends on the application. The electrical or optical data apply also for specific cabling (see Table A.5).

Table A.5 – Remote bus fibre optic cable length

Fibre type	Minimum length	Maximum length
Polymer optical fibre	0 m	50 m (see Notes 1, 2)
Plastic clad silica fibre	0 m	300 m (see Notes 1, 2)
NOTE 1 This does not exclude longer distances between two devices e.g. by using receive circuits with a lower minimum optical receiver sensitivity than specified.		
NOTE 2 The maximum length can be reduced in cases where special cables with higher attenuation than the standard cables specified are used.		

A.4.4.1.6 Specific requirements for CPs

Addition:

The specification from additional mechanical data depends on the application. The electrical or optical data apply also for specific cabling.

A.4.4.1.7 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.4.2 Connecting hardware selection**A.4.4.2.1 Common description****A.4.4.2.2 Connecting hardware for balanced cabling CPs based on Ethernet**

Not applicable.

A.4.4.2.3 Connecting hardware for copper cabling CPs not based on Ethernet

Replacement:

Table A.6 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 8.

Table A.6 – Connectors for copper cabling CPs not based on Ethernet

	IEC 60807-2 or IEC 60807-3	IEC 61076-2-101			IEC 61169-8	ANSI/NFPA T3.5.29 R1-2007		Others		
	Sub-D	M12-5 A-coding	M12-5 B-coding	M12-n X-coding	Coaxial (BNC)	M 18	7/8-16 UN-2B THD	Open style	Terminal block	M23 9 pos
CPF 6 Type 8 network	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes ^a
NOTE For M12-5 connectors, there are many applications using these connectors that are not compatible and when mixed can cause damage to the applications.										
^a Hybrid connector as specified in IEC 61158-2:—2023, Clause M.3.										

A.4.4.2.4 Connecting hardware for wireless installation**A.4.4.2.5 Connecting hardware for optical fibre cabling***Replacement:*

Table A.7 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 9.

Table A.7 – Optical fibre connecting hardware

	IEC 61754-2	IEC 61754-4	IEC 61754-24	IEC 61754-24-21	IEC 61754-20	IEC 61754-22	Others	IEC 61754-27	IEC 61076 3-123
	BFOC 2,5	SC	SC-RJ	Sealed SC-RJ	LC	F-SMA	Hybrid con- nector	M12-FO	Push- Pull- Hybrid
CPF 6 Type 8 network	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes ^a	Yes ^b	Yes
NOTE The IEC 61754 series defines the optical fibre connector mechanical interfaces; performance specifications for optical fibre connectors terminated to specific fibre types are standardised in the IEC 61753 series.									
^a As specified in IEC 61158-2:2023, Clause M.3.									

Replacement:

Table A.8 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 10.

Table A.8 – Relationship between FOC and fibre types (Type 8 networks)

	Fibre type				
	9..10/125 µm single mode silica	50/125 µm multimode silica	62,5/125 µm multimode silica	980/1 000 µm step index POF	200/230 µm step index hard clad silica
BFOC/2,5	No	No	Yes	No	Yes
SC	No	No	No	No	No
SC-RJ	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
LC	No	No	No	No	No
F-SMA	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Hybrid connector	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
M12-FO	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Push-Pull-Hybrid	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No

A.4.4.2.6 Specific requirements for CPs

Not applicable.

A.4.4.2.7 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.4.3 Connections within a channel/permanent link**A.4.4.3.1 Common description**

Not applicable.

A.4.4.3.2 Balanced cabling connections and splices for CPs based on Ethernet

Not applicable.

A.4.4.3.3 Copper cabling connections and splices for CPs not based on Ethernet**A.4.4.3.3.1 Common description**

Addition:

Refer to the manufacturer's data sheet regarding the number of allowed connections. The number of allowed connections, adaptors and splices relates to the maximum channel attenuation.

A.4.4.3.3.2 Connections minimum distance**A.4.4.3.3.3 Copper cabling splices****A.4.4.3.3.4 Copper cabling bulkhead connections****A.4.4.3.3.5 Copper cabling J-J couplers (J-J adaptors)****A.4.4.3.4 Optical fibre cabling connections and splices for CPs based on Ethernet**

Not applicable.

A.4.4.3.5 Optical fibre cabling connections and splices for CPs not based on Ethernet

Addition:

The number of allowed connections and splices relates to the maximum channel attenuation.

A.4.4.3.6 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.4.4 Terminators

Not applicable.

A.4.4.5 Device location and connection**A.4.4.5.1 Common description****A.4.4.5.2 Specific requirements for CPs**

Not applicable.

A.4.4.5.3 Specific requirements for wireless installation

A.4.4.5.4 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.4.6 Coding and labelling**A.4.4.6.1 Common description****A.4.4.6.2 Additional requirements for CPs****A.4.4.6.3 Specific requirements for CPs**

Addition:

For balanced cables, the signal wires shall comply with the colour codes specified in Table A.9.

Table A.9 – Colour code for balanced cables used by Type 8 networks

Signal	Colour code
DO	YE
/DO	GN
DI	GY
/DI	PK
COM	BN

A.4.4.6.4 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.4.7 Earthing and bonding of equipment and devices and shielded cabling**A.4.4.7.1 Common description****A.4.4.7.1.1 Basic requirements**

Replacement:

Earth potential differences between cabling end points will induce noise in the cabling system. This is especially true in shielded cabling systems. Controlling earth currents is extremely important in reducing interference caused by earth offsets. Shield currents shall be mitigated by using a proper earthing system and/or proper shield termination techniques as defined in this document and the relevant CPs. If this requirement cannot be met, then alternate media, such as optical fibre cables, or wireless, shall be considered. UTP cables shall not be used.

A.4.4.7.1.2 Planner tasks**A.4.4.7.1.3 Methods for controlling potential differences in the earth system****A.4.4.7.1.4 Selection of the earthing and bonding systems**

A.4.4.7.2 Bonding and earthing of enclosures and pathways**A.4.4.7.2.1 Equalisation and earthing conductor sizing and length****A.4.4.7.2.2 Bonding straps and sizing****A.4.4.7.2.3 Surface preparation and methods****A.4.4.7.2.4 Bonding and earthing****A.4.4.7.3 Earthing methods****A.4.4.7.4 Shield earthing****A.4.4.7.4.1 Non-earthing or parallel RC**

Replacement:

A parallel RC circuit is located in the devices. Otherwise, an equipotential cable between any two devices shall be installed according to IEC 61918:2018, 4.4.7.2.1.

A.4.4.7.4.2 Direct

Not applicable.

A.4.4.7.4.3 Derivatives of direct and parallel RC

Not applicable.

A.4.4.7.5 Specific requirements for CPs

Not applicable.

A.4.4.7.6 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.4.4.8 Storage and transportation of cables**A.4.4.9 Routing of cables****A.4.4.10 Separation of circuits****A.4.4.11 Mechanical protection of cabling components****A.4.4.11.1 Common description****A.4.4.11.2 Specific requirements for CPs****A.4.4.11.3 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3**

Not applicable.

A.4.4.12 Installation in special areas

Subclause 4.4.12.3 is not applicable.

A.4.5 Cabling planning documentation**A.4.5.1 Common description****A.4.5.2 Cabling planning documentation for CPs***Addition:*

The device documentation shall be observed for additional rules.

A.4.5.3 Network certification documentation**A.4.5.4 Cabling planning documentation for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3**

Not applicable.

A.4.6 Verification of cabling planning specification**A.5 Installation implementation****A.5.1 General requirements****A.5.1.1 Common description****A.5.1.2 Installation of CPs****A.5.1.3 Installation of generic cabling in industrial premises**

Not applicable.

A.5.2 Cable installation**A.5.2.1 General requirements for all cabling types****A.5.2.1.1 Storage and installation****A.5.2.1.2 Protecting communication cables against potential mechanical damage***Replacement:*

Table A.10 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 18.

Table A.10 – Parameters for balanced cables

Characteristic		Type 8 network
Mechanical force	Minimum bending radius, single bending	64 mm ^a
	Bending radius, multiple bending	64 mm ^a
	Pull forces	N ^a
	Permanent tensile forces	N ^a
	Maximum lateral forces	N/cm
	Temperature range during installation	0 °C to 70 °C ^a
^a Reference value, deviations are allowed; see manufacturer's data sheet.		

Replacement:

Table A.11 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 19.

Table A.11 – Parameters for silica optical fibre cables

Characteristic		Type 8 network
Mechanical force	Minimum bending radius, single bending	30 mm ^a
	Bending radius, multiple bending	50 mm ^a
	Pull forces	800 N ^a
	Permanent tensile forces	200 N ^a
	Maximum lateral forces	100 N/cm
	Temperature range during installation	5 °C to 50 °C ^a
^a Reference value, deviations are allowed; see manufacturer's data sheet.		

Replacement:

Table A.12 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 20.

Table A.12 – Parameters for POF optical fibre cables

Characteristic		Type 8 network for permanent indoor installation	Type 8 network for indoor installations with movements
Mechanical force	Minimum bending radius, single bending	30 mm ^a	50 mm ^a
	Bending radius, multiple bending	50 mm ^a	65 mm ^a
	Pull forces	600 N ^a	300 N ^a
	Permanent tensile forces	100 N ^a	100 N ^a
	Maximum lateral forces	20 N/cm	20 N/cm
	Temperature range during installation	5 °C to 50 °C ^a	5 °C to 50 °C ^a
	Suitable for use as trailing cable	No	10 × <i>d</i> , at least 5 million cycles, Increase in attenuation ≤ 1 dBm
^a Reference value, deviations are allowed; see manufacturer's data sheet.			

Replacement:

Table A.13 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 21.

Table A.13 – Parameters for hard clad silica optical fibre cables

Characteristic		Type 8 network for permanent indoor installation	Type 8 network for permanent outdoor installation
Mechanical force	Minimum bending radius, single bending	30 mm ^a	150 mm ^a
	Bending radius, multiple bending	50 mm ^a	200 mm ^a
	Pull forces	800 N ^a	1 500 N ^a
	Permanent tensile forces	200 N ^a	200 N ^a
	Maximum lateral forces	100 N/cm	300 N/cm
	Temperature range during installation	5 °C to 50 °C ^a	–5 °C to 50 °C ^a
	Longitudinal water tightness	No	IEC 60794-1-2 Method F5
^a Reference value, deviations are allowed; see manufacturer's data sheet.			

A.5.2.1.3 Avoid forming loops**A.5.2.1.4 Torsion (twisting)****A.5.2.1.5 Tensile strength (on installed cables)****A.5.2.1.6 Bending radius****A.5.2.1.7 Pull force****A.5.2.1.8 Fitting strain relief****A.5.2.1.9 Installing cables in cabinet and enclosures****A.5.2.1.10 Installation on moving parts****A.5.2.1.11 Cable crush****A.5.2.1.12 Installation of continuous flexing cables****A.5.2.1.13 Additional instructions for the installation of optical fibre cables****A.5.2.2 Installation and routing****A.5.2.2.1 Common description****A.5.2.2.2 Separation of circuits****A.5.2.3 Specific requirements for CPs**

Not applicable.

A.5.2.4 Specific requirements for wireless installation**A.5.2.5 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3**

Not applicable.

A.5.3 Connector installation

A.5.3.1 Common description

A.5.3.2 Shielded connectors

A.5.3.3 Unshielded connectors

Not applicable.

A.5.3.4 Specific requirements for CPs

Replacement:

Deviations from the mechanical specifications are permitted for special applications if the electrical features of the cable correspond to the data specified in A.4.4 (in the event of deviations, please see the data sheet). A cable connection method should be selected, which will not cause a marked deterioration in the specified electrical data. Particular attention should be paid when selecting the connection method for the shielding. The shielding shall be connected in such a way that the conductor cross section is not reduced and the wires are covered with as much of the shielding as possible. The shielding shall be led concentrically through the threaded joint as far as possible.

The wire pairs shall be twisted up to the connection contacts. Two cables should not be connected with each other as losses can be caused by reflections at the connection point and the effectiveness of the shielding could also deteriorate. This is especially relevant if different cable types are connected with one another.

If it is not possible to avoid connection points or the electrical data cannot be achieved for a special cable, an individual test should be carried out to determine whether, for example, the cable can still be used by reducing the permissible transmission distance.

Different connectors can be applied. The wiring schemes are shown in Figure A.3, Figure A.4 and Figure A.5.

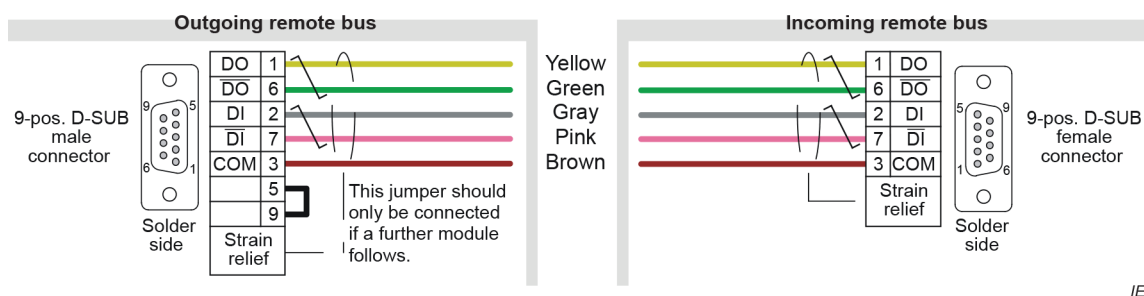


Figure A.3 – Sub-D connector pin assignment

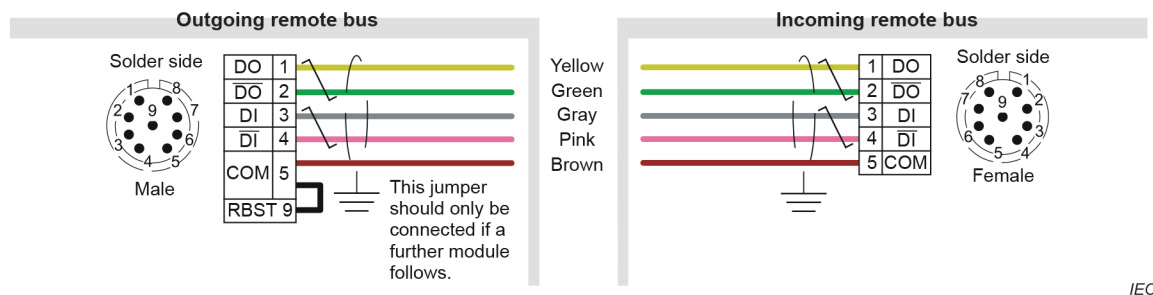


Figure A.4 – M23 circular connector pin assignment

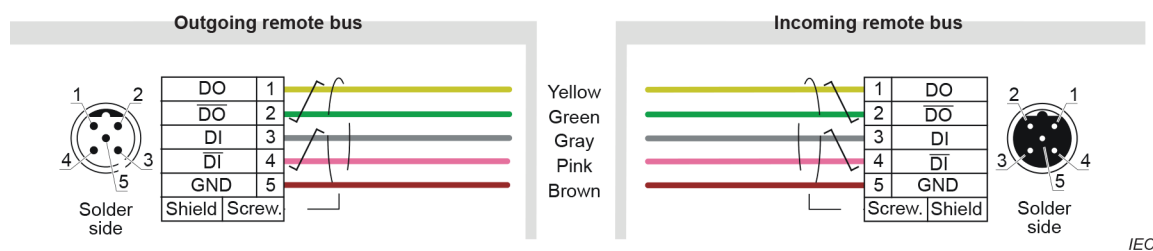


Figure A.5 – M12 circular connector pin assignment

Figure A.6 shows the terminal connector position at the device, and the pin assignments of the terminal connector are shown in Table A.14.

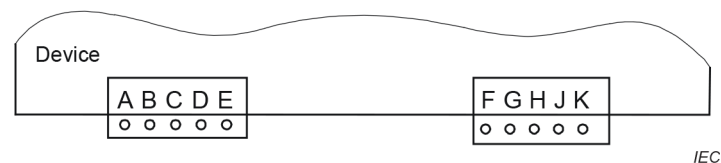


Figure A.6 – Terminal connector at the device

Table A.14 – Pin assignment of the terminal connector

Incoming interface		Outgoing interface	
Pin	Standard	Pin	Standard
A	/DO1	F	/DO2
B	DO1	G	DO2
C	/DI1	H	/DI2
D	DI1	J	DI2
E	GND1	K	GND

A separate terminal for protective earth shall be provided. The sequence of terminal points should be observed.

A.5.3.5 Specific requirements for wireless installation

A.5.3.6 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.5.4 Terminator installation

Not applicable.

A.5.5 Device installation

A.5.6 Coding and labelling

A.5.7 Earthing and bonding of equipment and devices and shield cabling

Subclause 5.7.6 is not applicable.

A.5.8 As-implemented cabling documentation

A.6 Installation verification and installation acceptance test

A.6.1 General

A.6.2 Installation verification

A.6.2.1 General

A.6.2.2 Verification according to cabling planning documentation

A.6.2.3 Verification of earthing and bonding

A.6.2.3.1 General

A.6.2.3.2 Specific requirements for earthing and bonding

Not applicable.

A.6.2.4 Verification of shield earthing

A.6.2.5 Verification of cabling system

A.6.2.6 Cable selection verification

A.6.2.6.1 Common description

A.6.2.6.2 Specific requirements for CPs

Not applicable.

A.6.2.6.3 Specific requirements for wireless installation

A.6.2.7 Connector verification

A.6.2.7.1 Common description

A.6.2.7.2 Specific requirements for CPs

Not applicable.

A.6.2.7.3 Specific requirements for wireless installation

A.6.2.8 Connection verification

A.6.2.8.1 Common description

A.6.2.8.2 Number of connections and connectors

A.6.2.8.3 Wire mapping

A.6.2.9 Terminator verification

Not applicable.

A.6.2.10 Coding and labelling verification**A.6.2.10.1 Common description****A.6.2.10.2 Specific coding and labelling verification requirements**

Not applicable.

A.6.2.11 Verification report**A.6.3 Installation acceptance test****A.6.3.1 General****A.6.3.2 Acceptance test of Ethernet-based cabling**

Not applicable.

A.6.3.3 Acceptance test of non-Ethernet-based cabling**A.6.3.3.1 Copper cabling for non-Ethernet-based CPs****A.6.3.3.1.1 Common description****A.6.3.3.1.2 Specific requirements for copper cabling for non-Ethernet-based CPs**

Addition:

The installation shall be validated with a cable tester. The Type 8 network structure shall be checked.

Software support tools should be used for the network structure validation.

A.6.3.3.2 Optical fibre cabling for non-Ethernet-based CPs**A.6.3.3.2.1 Common description****A.6.3.3.2.2 Specific requirements for non-Ethernet-based CPs**

Addition:

The Type 8 network structure and installation shall be checked.

Software support tools should be used for the network structure validation.

A.6.3.3.3 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

A.6.3.4 Specific requirements for wireless installation

A.6.3.5 Acceptance test report

Addition:

Software tools which generate test reports should be used. The test reports should be stored as a file or in a paper version.

A.7 Installation administration

Subclause 7.8 is not applicable.

A.8 Installation maintenance and installation troubleshooting

Subclause 8.4 has addition:

Inspection:

Software tools which allow a broad inspection of the system should be used for inspection.

Maintenance and repair: trained personnel shall be used.

Software tools which display the diagnostics results should be used.

Specific requirements for maintenance and troubleshooting:

Type 8 networks contain integrated diagnostic. Software tools which support a convenient presentation of the diagnostic results should be used.

Annex B (normative)

CPF 6 Ethernet network specific installation profile

B.1 Installation profile scope

Addition:

This annex specifies the installation profile for the Ethernet network of devices applying to Communication Profile CP 6/2. CP 6/2 itself is defined in IEC 61784-1.

NOTE For the Type 8 network of devices applying CP 6/2 the installation profile specified in Annex A is used.

B.2 Normative references

Addition:

IEC 60603-7-3:2010, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Part 7-3: Detail specification for 8-way, shielded, free and fixed connectors, for data transmission with frequencies up to 100 MHz*

IEC 60603-7-5:2010, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Part 7-5: Detail specification for 8-way, shielded, free and fixed connectors, for data transmissions with frequencies up to 250 MHz*

IEC 60603-7-51:2010, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Part 7-51: Detail specification for 8-way, shielded, free and fixed connectors, for data transmissions with frequencies up to 500 MHz*

IEC 60793-2-30:2015, *Optical fibres – Part 2-30: Product specifications – Sectional specification for category A3 multimode fibres*

IEC 60793-2-40:2015/2021, *Optical fibres – Part 2-40: Product specifications – Sectional specification for category A4 multimode fibres*

IEC 60793-2-50:2015/2018, *Optical fibres – Part 2-50: Product specifications – Sectional specification for class B single-mode fibres*

IEC 60794-1-2, *Optical fibre cables – Part 1- 2: Generic specification – Basic optical cable test procedures – General guidance*

~~IEC 61156-1:2007, Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 1: Generic specification~~

IEC 61156-5, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 5: Symmetrical pair/quad cables with transmission characteristics up to 1 000 MHz – Horizontal floor wiring – Sectional specification*

IEC 61076-2-111:2017, *Connectors for electrical and electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 2-111: Circular connectors – Detail specification for power connectors with M12 screw-locking*

~~IEC 61076-2-114:2016, Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 2-114: Circular connectors – Detail specification for data and power connectors with M8 screw locking~~

IEC 61076-3-123, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 3-123: Rectangular connectors – Detail specification for hybrid connectors for industrial environments, for power supply and fibre optic data transmission, with push-pull locking*⁷

IEC 61754-24-21, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Fibre optic connector interfaces – Part 24-21: Type SC-RJ connectors with protective housings based on IEC 61076-3-106, variant 06*

IEC 61754-27, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Fibre optic connector interfaces – Part 27: Type M12-FO connector family*

IEC 63171 (all parts), *Connectors for electrical and electronic equipment*

B.3 Installation profile terms, definitions, and abbreviated terms

B.3.1 Terms and definitions

B.3.2 Abbreviated terms

Addition:

FO	Fibre optical
PELV	Protective extra low voltage
POF	Plastic optical fibre
SELV	Safety extra low voltage

B.3.3 Conventions for installation profiles

Not applicable.

B.4 Installation planning

B.4.1 General

B.4.1.1 Objective

B.4.1.2 Cabling in industrial premises

B.4.1.3 The planning process

B.4.1.4 Specific requirements for CPs

Not applicable.

B.4.1.5 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

⁷ ~~Under preparation. Stage at the time of publication: IEC/ACDV 61076-3-123:2017.~~

B.4.2 Planning requirements

B.4.2.1 Safety

B.4.2.1.1 General

B.4.2.1.2 Electrical safety

Addition:

The power distribution system shall comply with IEC 60364-1:2005, 312.2.1 TN-S systems, i.e. earthed by bonding of bodies with separated conductors for neutral (N) and protection earth (PE). Otherwise, there are additional efforts necessary to avoid currents on the shield, i.e. an AC earthed system on one end in a network with balanced cables or a network built with FO-cables. For networks built with FO-cables, the power distribution system should comply with IEC 60364-1:2005, 312.2.1 TN-S systems.

PELV is the default version for the power supply with extra-low voltage, but SELV may also be used. Temporary connected devices shall be powered by PELV or SELV.

B.4.2.1.3 Functional safety

B.4.2.1.4 Intrinsic safety

Not applicable.

B.4.2.1.5 Safety of optical fibre communication systems

B.4.2.2 Security

B.4.2.3 Environmental considerations and EMC

B.4.2.3.1 Description methodology

B.4.2.3.2 Use of the described environment to produce a bill of material

Addition:

To make fieldbus installation work easier for inexperienced planners, the user shall determine suitability of the components for the targeted environment through agreements with the component providers. The planner shall also observe the related technical data from the active devices. Depending on the expected environment, the planner should define additional requirements. Passive optical components in the harsh industrial environment should be protected with suitable mitigation techniques or tested according to IEC 61753-1-3.

The planner shall take into account the mating or terminating interface of devices to be connected to the fieldbus network.

The planner shall take care about the environmental conditions of the whole network and select suitable mitigation techniques in addition to meet the respective requirements.

B.4.2.4 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3**B.4.3 Network capabilities****B.4.3.1 Network topology****B.4.3.1.1 Common description****B.4.3.1.2 Basic physical topologies for passive networks**

Not applicable.

B.4.3.1.3 Basic physical topologies for active networks

Replacement:

For the Ethernet network of devices applying CP 6/2 the following topologies are permitted:

- linear,
- star.

B.4.3.1.4 Combination of basic topologies

Not applicable.

B.4.3.1.5 Specific requirements for CPs

Not applicable.

B.4.3.1.6 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3**B.4.3.2 Network characteristics****B.4.3.2.1 General****B.4.3.2.2 Network characteristics for balanced cabling not based on Ethernet**

Not applicable.

B.4.3.2.3 Network characteristics for balanced cabling based on Ethernet

Replacement:

Table B.1 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 2.

Table B.1 – Network characteristics for balanced cabling based on Ethernet

Characteristic	CP 6/2 Ethernet network
Supported data rates (Mbit/s)	100 1-pair: 10 two and four pair: 100, 1 000
Supported channel length (m) ^b	100 1-pair: 1 000 two and four pair: 100
Number of connections in the channel (max.) ^{a, b}	4 1-pair: 10 two and four pair: 4
Patch cord length (m) ^a	82 (AWG 24) 1-pair: 990 two and four pair: 10
Channel class per ISO/IEC 11801-3 (min.) ^b	D 1-pair: T1 two and four pair: D
Cable category per ISO/IEC 11801-3 (min.) ^c	5 1-pair: T1 two and four pair: 5
Connecting HW category per ISO/IEC 11801-3 (min.)	5 1-pair: A, B (according to IEC 63171) two and four pair: 5
Cable types	Shielded-TP, 2- or 4-pair, according to ISO/IEC 11801-1:2017, Annex E 1-pair: 1-pair cable types for SPE according to IEC 61156-11, IEC 61156-12, IEC 61156-13 two and four pair: Shielded-TP, according to ISO/IEC 11801-1:2017, Annex E
^a See B.4.4.3.2. ^b For the purpose of this table, the channel definitions of ISO/IEC 11801-3, as referenced in IEC 61918:2018/AMD1:2022, Annex Q, are applicable. ^c For additional information, see IEC 61156 series.	

B.4.3.2.4 Network characteristics for optical fibre cabling*Replacement:*

Table B.2 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 3.

Table B.2 – Network characteristics for optical fibre cabling

CP 6/2 Ethernet network		
Optical fibre type	Description	
Single mode silica	Bandwidth (MHz) or equivalent at λ (nm)	1 310 nm
	Minimum length (m)	0
	Maximum length ^a (m)	14 000
	Maximum channel Insertion loss/optical power budget (dB)	See ISO/IEC 11801-1
	Connecting hardware	See B.4.4.2.5
Multimode silica	Modal bandwidth (MHz × km) at λ (nm)	850
	Minimum length (m)	0
	Maximum length ^a (m)	2 000
	Maximum channel insertion loss/optical power budget (dB)	See ISO/IEC 11801-1
	Connecting hardware	See B.4.4.2.5
POF	Modal bandwidth (MHz × 100 m) at λ (nm)	650
	Minimum length (m)	0
	Maximum length ^a (m)	50
	Maximum channel insertion loss/optical power budget (dB)	11,5
	Connecting hardware	See B.4.4.2.5
Hard clad silica	Modal bandwidth (MHz × km) at λ (nm)	650
	Minimum length (m)	0
	Maximum length ^a (m)	100
	Maximum channel insertion loss/optical power budget (dB)	4
	Connecting hardware	See B.4.4.2.5
^a This value is reduced by connections, splices and bends in accordance with IEC 61918:2018, Formula (1) in 4.4.3.4.1.		

B.4.3.2.5 Specific network characteristics*Addition:*

For CP 6/2 Ethernet networks neither patch cords / jumpers nor patch panels / outlets (TO or AO) are mandatory. CP6/2 Ethernet networks are often built with connectionless links; not more than 4 connections shall be used.

CP 6/2 Ethernet networks shall be connected to the generic cabling as defined in IEC 11801-3 via an AO with a mating interface according to IEC 61076-3-106 Variant ~~06~~ 06 or IEC 61076-2-101.

B.4.3.2.6 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

B.4.4 Selection and use of cabling components

B.4.4.1 Cable selection

B.4.4.1.1 Common description

B.4.4.1.2 Copper cables

B.4.4.1.2.1 Balanced cables for Ethernet-based CPs

Addition:

For Ethernet networks with two or four pairs for CP 6/2, a minimum of CAT 5 according to ISO/IEC 11801-1 shall be used.

Replacement:

Table B.3 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 4.

Table B.3 – Information relevant to copper cable: fixed cables

Characteristic	CP 6/2 Ethernet network
Nominal impedance of cable (tolerance)	100 Ω ± 15 Ω 1-pair: 100 Ω ± 5 Ω (IEC 61156-11 and -IEC 61156-13) two and four pair: 100 Ω ± 15 Ω (IEC 61156-5)
DCR of conductors	≤ 9,38 Ω / 100 m
DCR of shield	–
Number of conductors	2, 4 or 8
Shielding	S/FTP, S/FTQ, S/STP
Colour code for conductor	1-pair: BU-WH two pairs: BU-WH/BU, OG-WH/OG four pairs: BU-WH/BU, OG-WH/OG, GN-WH/GN, BN-WH/BN Or: BU-WH, OG-WH, GN-WH, BN-WH
Jacket colour requirements	RAL 5021 To meet user requirement
Jacket material	To meet user requirement
Resistance to harsh environment (e.g., UV, oil resist, LS0H)	–; To meet user requirement; Up to manufacturer's differentiation
Agency ratings	Local Government requirements
Transfer impedance	50 m Ω / m at 10 MHz
Installation type	Stationary, no movement after installation
Outer cable diameter (max)	8,5 mm
Wire cross section	Min. AWG 24 – 0,22 mm ²
Wire diameter (insulated)	≤ 1,6 mm

Replacement:

Table B.4 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 5.

Table B.4 – Information relevant to copper cable: cords

Characteristic	CP 6/2 Ethernet network
Nominal impedance of cable (tolerance)	100 Ω $\pm$ 15 Ω 1-pair: 100 Ω $\pm$ 5 Ω (IEC 61156-12) two and four pair: 100 Ω $\pm$ 15 Ω (IEC 61156-5)
DCR of conductors	$\leq 9,38 \Omega / 100 \text{ m}$
DCR of shield	–
Number of conductors	2, 4 or 8
Length	1-pair: $\leq 1.000 \text{ m}$ two and four pair: $\leq 100 \text{ m}$
Shielding	S/FTP, S/FTQ, S/STP
Colour code for conductor	1-pair: BU-WH two pairs: BU-WH/BU, OG-WH/OG four pairs: BU-WH/BU, OG-WH/OG, GN-WH/GN, BN-WH/BN Or: BU-WH, OG-WH, GN-WH, BN-WH
Jacket colour requirements	RAL-5021 To meet user requirement
Jacket material	To meet user requirement
Resistance to harsh environment (e.g., UV, oil resist, LS0H)	– To meet user requirement; Up to manufacturer's differentiation
Agency ratings	Local Government requirements
Transfer Impedance	50 m Ω /m at 10 MHz
Installation type	Stationary or with movement after installation
Outer cable diameter (max)	8,5 mm
Wire cross section	AWG 26 to 22 – 0,14 mm ² to 0,35 mm ²
Wire diameter (insulated)	$\leq 1,6 \text{ mm}$

B.4.4.1.2.2 Copper cables for non-Ethernet-based CPs

Not applicable.

B.4.4.1.3 Cables for wireless installation

B.4.4.1.4 Optical fibre cables

Replacement:

Table B.5 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 6.

Table B.5 – Information relevant to optical fibre cables

Characteristics for CP 6/2 Ethernet network	9..10/125 µm single mode silica	50/125 µm multimode silica	62,5/125 µm multimode silica	980/1 000 µm step index POF	200/230 µm step index hard clad silica
Document	IEC 60793-2-50; Type B1 Types B-652.B, B-652.D	IEC 60793-2-10; Type A1a Types A1-OM2, A1-OM3, A1-OM4, A1-OM5	IEC 60793-2-10; Type A1b A1-OM1	IEC 60793-2-40; Type A4a	IEC 60793-2-30; Type A3c
Attenuation per km (650 nm)	–	–	–	280 dB	10 dB
Attenuation per km (820 nm)	–	–	–	–	14 dB
Attenuation per km (1 310 nm)	1 dB	1,5 dB	1,5 dB	–	–
Number of optical fibres	2	2	2	2	2
Jacket colour requirements	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red
Jacket material	To meet user requirements	To meet user requirements	To meet user requirements	Polyurethane	Polyurethane
Resistance to harsh environment (e.g.: UV, oil resist, LS0H)	To meet user requirements	To meet user requirements	To meet user requirements	To meet user requirements	To meet user requirements
Outer diameter	8 mm ± 0,5 mm	8 mm ± 0,5 mm	8 mm ± 0,5 m	8 mm ± 0,5 mm	8 mm ± 0,5 mm
Bandwidth × length	–	–	–	> 10 MHz × 100 m	≥ 17 MHz × km at 650 nm
Wire material	–	–	–	Polyamide	Flame retardant non corrosive
Wire colour	–	–	–	Orange, black	Red, green or grey
Wire diameter	–	–	–	2,2 mm ± 0,07 mm	2,9 mm
Strain relief	Non-metal, aramide or wool	Non-metal, aramide or wool	Non-metal, aramide or wool	Non-metal, aramide or wool	Non-metal, aramide
Bending radius	–	–	–	30 mm	30 mm

B.4.4.1.5 Special purpose balanced and optical fibre cables**B.4.4.1.6 Specific requirements for CPs****B.4.4.1.7 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3****B.4.4.2 Connecting hardware selection****B.4.4.2.1 Common description****B.4.4.2.2 Connecting hardware for balanced cabling CPs based on Ethernet**

Replacement:

Table B.6 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 7.

Table B.6 – Connectors for balanced cabling CPs based on Ethernet

	IEC 60603-7 series ^a		IEC 61076-3-106 ^b	IEC 61076-3-117 ^b	IEC 61076-2-101	IEC 61076-2-109	IEC 61076-2-114	IEC 63171-2		IEC 63171-5	
	Shielded	unshielded	Var. 6	Var. 14	M12-4 with D-coding	M12-8 with X-coding	M8-4 with D-coding	Shielded	Unshielded	M8	M12
CP 6/2 Ethernet network two or four pair	IEC 60603-7-3 or IEC 60603-7-5 or IEC 60603-7-51	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No
CP 6/2 Ethernet network 1-pair	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
^a With regards to IEC 60603-7 series, the connector selection is based on the desired channel.											
^b Housings to protect connectors.											

B.4.4.2.3 Connecting hardware for copper cabling CPs not based on Ethernet

Replacement:

Table B.7 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 8.

Table B.7 – Connectors for copper cabling CPs not based on Ethernet

	IEC 60807-2 or IEC 60807-3	IEC 61076-2-111	Others		
	Sub-D	M12-n with L-coding	Open style	Terminal block	M23
Power supply for CP 6/2 Ethernet network devices	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
NOTE There are many applications using these connectors that are not compatible and when mixed may can cause damage to the applications.					

B.4.4.2.4 Connecting hardware for wireless installation

B.4.4.2.5 Connecting hardware for optical fibre cabling

Replacement:

Table B.8 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 9.

Table B.8 – Optical fibre connecting hardware

	IEC 61754-2	IEC 61754-4	IEC 61754 -24	IEC 61754 -24-21	IEC 61754-20	IEC 61754-22	IEC 61754-27	IEC 61076 -3-123
	BFOC 2,5	SC	SC-RJ	Sealed SC-RJ	LC	F-SMA	M12-FO	Push-Pull- Hybrid
CP 6/2 Ethernet network	Yes	Yes	Yes ^a	Yes ^a	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
NOTE The IEC 61754 series defines the optical fibre connector mechanical interfaces; performance specifications for optical fibre connectors terminated to specific fibre types are standardised in the IEC 61753 series.								
^a The SC-RJ is the default connector.								

Replacement:

Table B.9 provides values based on the template given in IEC 61918:2018, Table 10.

Table B.9 – Relationship between FOC and fibre types (CP 6/2 Ethernet network)

	Fibre type				
	9..10/125 µm single mode silica	50/125 µm multimode silica	62,5/125 µm multimode silica	980/1 000 µm step index POF	200/230 µm step index hard clad silica
BFOC/2,5	No	No	Yes	No	Yes
SC	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
SC-RJ	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Sealed SC-RJ	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
LC	No	No	No	No	No
F-SMA	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
M12-FO	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Push-Pull-Hybrid	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No

B.4.4.2.6 Specific requirements for CPs

Not applicable.

B.4.4.2.7 Specific requirements for generic cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-3

Not applicable.

B.4.4.3 Connections within a channel/permanent link

B.4.4.3.1 Common description

B.4.4.3.2 Balanced cabling connections and splices for CPs based on Ethernet

B.4.4.3.2.1 Common description

Addition:

Refer to the manufacturer's data sheet regarding the number of allowed connections.