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# INTRODUCTION

## 0.1 General

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The increased use of micro-controllers embedded in low-cost sensors and actuators has provided opportunities for adding diagnosis and configuration data to support increasing application requirements.

The driving force for the SDCI (IO-Link™[1])) technology is the need of these low-cost sensors and actuators to exchange this diagnosis and configuration data with a controller (PC or PLC) using a low-cost, digital communication technology while maintaining backward compatibility with the current DI/DO signals.

In fieldbus concepts, the SDCI technology defines a generic interface for connecting sensors and actuators to a Master unit, which may be combined with gateway capabilities to become a fieldbus remote I/O node.

Any SDCI compliant Device can be attached to any available interface port of the Master. SDCI compliant Devices perform physical to digital conversion in the Device, and then communicate the result directly in a standard format using "coded switching" of the 24 V I/O signalling line, thus removing the need for different DI, DO, AI, AO modules and a variety of cables.

Physical topology is point-to-point from each Device to the Master using 3 wires over distances up to 20 m. The SDCI physical interface is backward compatible with the usual 24 V I/O signalling specified in IEC 61131-2. Transmission rates of 4,8 kbit/s, 38,4 kbit/s and 230,4 kbit/s are supported.

The Master of the SDCI interface detects, identifies and manages Devices plugged into its ports.

Tools allow the association of Devices with their corresponding electronic I/O Device Descriptions (IODD) and their subsequent configuration to match the application requirements.

The SDCI technology specifies three different levels of diagnostic capabilities: for immediate response by automated needs during the production phase, for medium term response by operator intervention, or for longer term commissioning and maintenance via extended diagnosis information.

The structure of this standard is described in 4.8.

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| DE 10030845B4<br>EP 1168271B1<br>US 6889282B2 | [AB] | Fieldbus connecting system for actuators or sensors |
| EP 1203933 B1 | [FE] | Sensor device for measuring at least one variable |
| DE 102004035831-A1 | [SI] | Operational status of a computer system is checked by comparison of actual parameters with reference values and modification to software if needed |
| DE 102 119 39 A1<br>US 2003/0200323 A1 | [SK] | Coupling apparatus for the coupling of devices to a bus system |

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# PROGRAMMABLE CONTROLLERS —

# Part 9: Single-drop digital communication interface for small sensors and actuators (SDCI)

## 1 Scope

This part of IEC 61131 specifies a single-drop digital communication interface technology for small sensors and actuators SDCI (commonly known as IO-Link™[2]), which extends the traditional digital input and digital output interfaces as defined in IEC 61131-2 towards a point-to-point communication link. This technology enables the transfer of parameters to Devices and the delivery of diagnostic information from the Devices to the automation system.

This technology is mainly intended for use with simple sensors and actuators in factory automation, which include small and cost-effective microcontrollers.

This part specifies the SDCI communication services and protocol (physical layer, data link layer and application layer in accordance with the ISO/OSI reference model) for both SDCI Masters and Devices.

This part also includes EMC test requirements.

This part does not cover communication interfaces or systems incorporating multiple point or multiple drop linkages, or integration of SDCI into higher level systems such as fieldbuses.

## 2 Normative references

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

IEC 60947-5-2, *Low-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 5-2: Control circuit devices and switching elements – Proximity switches*

IEC 61000-4-2, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-2: Testing and measurement techniques – Electrostatic discharge immunity test*

IEC 61000-4-3, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-3: Testing and measurement techniques – Radiated, radio-frequency, electromagnetic field immunity test*

IEC 61000-4-4, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-4: Testing and measurement techniques – Electrical fast transient/burst immunity test*

IEC 61000-4-5, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-5: Testing and measurement techniques – Surge immunity test*

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IEC 61000-4-6, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-6: Testing and measurement techniques – Immunity to conducted disturbances, induced by radio-frequency fields*

IEC 61000-4-11, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-11: Testing and measurement techniques – Voltage dips, short interruptions and voltage variations immunity tests*

IEC 61000-6-2, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 6-2: Generic standards – Immunity for industrial environments*

IEC 61000-6-4, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 6-4: Generic standards – Emission standard for industrial environments*

IEC 61076-2-101, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 2-101: Circular connectors – Detail specification for M12 connectors with screw-locking*

IEC 61131-1, *Programmable controllers – Part 1: General information*

IEC 61131-2, *Programmable controllers – Part 2: Equipment requirements and tests*

IEC/TR 62390, *Common automation device – Profile guideline*

ISO/IEC 646:1991, *Information technology – ISO 7-bit coded character set for information interchange*

ISO/IEC 2022, *Information technology – Character code structure and extension techniques*

ISO/IEC 10646, *Information technology – Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS)*

ISO/IEC 10731, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – Basic Reference Model – Conventions for the definition of OSI services*

ISO/IEC 19505 (all parts), *Information technology – Object Management Group Unified Modeling Language (OMG UML)*

ISO 1177, *Information processing – Character structure for start/stop and synchronous character oriented transmission*

ANSI/IEEE Std 754-1985, *IEEE Standard for Floating-Point Arithmetic*

Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF): RFC 1305 – *Network Time Protocol Version 4: Specification, Implementation and Analysis*; available at < www.ietf.org >

# 3 Terms, definitions, symbols, abbreviated terms and conventions

## 3.1 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 61131-1 and IEC 61131-2, as well as the following apply.

196 **3.1.1**
197 **address**
198 part of the M-sequence control to reference data within data categories of a communication
199 channel

200 **3.1.2**
201 **application layer**
202 **AL**
203 <SDCI> part of the protocol responsible for the transmission of Process Data objects and On-
204 Request Data objects

205 **3.1.3**
206 **block parameter**
207 consistent parameter access via multiple Indices or Subindices

208 **3.1.4**
209 **checksum**
210 <SDCI> complementary part of the overall data integrity measures in the data link layer in
211 addition to the UART parity bit

212 **3.1.5**
213 **CHKPDU**
214 integrity protection data within an ISDU communication channel generated through XOR
215 processing the octets of a request or response

216 **3.1.6**
217 **coded switching**
218 SDCI communication, based on the standard binary signal levels of IEC 61131-2

219 **3.1.7**
220 **COM1**
221 SDCI communication mode with transmission rate of 4,8 kbit/s

222 **3.1.8**
223 **COM2**
224 SDCI communication mode with transmission rate of 38,4 kbit/s

225 **3.1.9**
226 **COM3**
227 SDCI communication mode with transmission rate of 230,4 kbit/s

228 **3.1.10**
229 **COMx**
230 one out of three possible SDCI communication modes COM1, COM2, or COM3

231 **3.1.11**
232 **communication channel**
233 logical connection between Master and Device

234 Note 1 to entry: Four communication channels are defined: process channel, page and ISDU channel (for
235 parameters), and diagnosis channel.

236 **3.1.12**
237 **communication error**
238 unexpected disturbance of the SDCI transmission protocol

**3.1.13**
**cycle time**
time to transmit an M-sequence between a Master and its Device including the following idle time

**3.1.14**
**Device**
single passive peer to a Master such as a sensor or actuator

Note 1 to entry: Uppercase "Device" is used for SDCI equipment, while lowercase "device" is used in a generic manner.

**3.1.15**
**Direct Parameters**
directly (page) addressed parameters transferred acyclically via the page communication channel without acknowledgement

**3.1.16**
**dynamic parameter**
part of a Device's parameter set defined by on-board user interfaces such as teach-in buttons or control panels in addition to the static parameters

**3.1.17**
**Event**
instance of a change of conditions in a Device

Note 1 to entry: Uppercase "Event" is used for SDCI Events, while lowercase "event" is used in a generic manner.

Note 2 to entry: An Event is indicated via the Event flag within the Device's status cyclic information, then acyclic transfer of Event data (typically diagnosis information) is conveyed through the diagnosis communication channel.

**3.1.18**
**fallback**
transition of a port from coded switching to switching signal mode

**3.1.19**
**inspection level**
degree of verification for the Device identity

**3.1.20**
**interleave**
segmented cyclic data exchange for Process Data with more than 2 octets through subsequent cycles

**3.1.21**
**ISDU**
indexed service data unit used for acyclic acknowledged transmission of parameters that can be segmented in a number of M-sequences

**3.1.22**
**legacy (Device or Master)**
Device or Master designed in accordance with [8][3]

**3.1.23**
**M-sequence**
sequence of two messages comprising a Master message and its subsequent Device message

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3 Numbers in square brackets refer to the Bibliography.

**3.1.24**
**M-sequence control**
first octet in a Master message indicating the read/write operation, the type of the communication channel, and the address, for example offset or flow control

**3.1.25**
**M-sequence error**
unexpected or wrong message content, or no response

**3.1.26**
**M-sequence type**
one particular M-sequence format out of a set of specified M-sequence formats

**3.1.27**
**Master**
active peer connected through ports to one up to n Devices and which provides an interface to the gateway to the upper level communication systems or PLCs

Note 1 to entry: Uppercase "Master" is used for SDCI equipment, while lowercase "master" is used in a generic manner.

**3.1.28**
**message**
<SDCI> sequence of UART frames transferred either from a Master to its Device or vice versa following the rules of the SDCI protocol

**3.1.29**
**On-request Data**
acyclically transmitted data upon request of the Master application consisting of parameters or Event data

**3.1.30**
**physical layer**
first layer of the ISO-OSI reference model, which provides the mechanical, electrical, functional and procedural means to activate, maintain, and de-activate physical connections for bit transmission between data-link entities

Note 1 to entry: Physical layer also provides means for wake-up and fallback procedures.

[SOURCE: ISO/IEC 7498-1, 7.7.2, modified — text extracted from subclause, note added]

**3.1.31**
**port**
communication medium interface of the Master to one Device

**3.1.32**
**port operating mode**
state of a Master's port that can be either INACTIVE, DO, DI, FIXEDMODE, or SCANMODE

**3.1.33**
**Process Data**
input or output values from or to a discrete or continuous automation process cyclically transferred with high priority and in a configured schedule automatically after start-up of a Master

**3.1.34**
**Process Data cycle**
complete transfer of all Process Data from or to an individual Device that may comprise several cycles in case of segmentation (interleave)

**3.1.35**
**single parameter**
independent parameter access via one single Index or Subindex

**3.1.36**
**SIO**
port operation mode in accordance with digital input and output defined in IEC 61131-2 that is established after power-up or fallback or unsuccessful communication attempts

**3.1.37**
**static parameter**
part of a Device's parameter set to be saved in a Master for the case of replacement without engineering tools

**3.1.38**
**switching signal**
binary signal from or to a Device when in SIO mode (as opposed to the "coded switching" SDCI communication)

**3.1.39**
**system management**
**SM**
<SDCI> means to control and coordinate the internal communication layers and the exceptions within the Master and its ports, and within each Device

**3.1.40**
**UART frame**
<SDCI> bit sequence starting with a start bit, followed by eight bits carrying a data octet, followed by an even parity bit and ending with one stop bit

**3.1.41**
**wake-up**
procedure for causing a Device to change its mode from SIO to SDCI

**3.1.42**
**wake-up request**
**WURQ**
physical layer service used by the Master to initiate wake-up of a Device, and put it in a receive ready state

## 3.2 Symbols and abbreviated terms

| | |
|---|---|
| $\Delta f_{DTRM}$ | permissible deviation from data transfer rate (measured in %) |
| $\Delta VS$ | power supply ripple (measured in V) |
| AL | application layer |
| BEP | bit error probability |
| C/Q | connection for communication (C) or switching (Q) signal (SIO) |
| $CL_{eff}$ | effective total cable capacity (measured in nF) |
| $CQ$ | input capacity at C/Q connection (measured in nF) |
| DI | digital input |
| DL | data link layer |
| DO | digital output |
| $f_{DTR}$ | data transfer rate (measured in bit/s) |
| H/L | high/low signal at receiver output |

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|---|---|
| I/O | input / output |
| $ILL$ | input load current at input C/Q to $V0$ (measured in A) |
| IODD | IO Device Description (see 10.8) |
| $IQ$ | driver current in saturated operating status ON (measured in A) |
| $IQH$ | driver current on high-side driver in saturated operating status ON (measured in A) |
| $IQL$ | driver current on low-side driver in saturated operating status ON (measured in A) |
| $IQPK$ | maximum driver current in unsaturated operating status ON (measured in A) |
| $IQPKH$ | maximum driver current on high-side driver in unsaturated operating status ON (measured in A) |
| $IQPKL$ | maximum driver current on low-side driver in unsaturated operating status ON (measured in A) |
| $IQQ$ | quiescent current at input C/Q to $V0$ with inactive output drivers (measured in A) |
| $IQ_{WU}$ | amplitude of Master's wake-up request current (measured in A) |
| $IS$ | supply current at $V+$ (measured in A) |
| $ISIR$ | current pulse supply capability at $V+$ (measured in A) |
| LED | light emitting diode |
| L- | power supply (-) |
| L+ | power supply (+) |
| N24 | 24 V extra power supply (-) |
| $n_{WU}$ | wake-up retry count |
| On/Off | driver's ON/OFF switching signal |
| OD | On-request Data |
| OVD | signal overload detect |
| P24 | 24 V extra power supply (+) |
| PD | Process Data |
| PDCT | port and Device configuration tool |
| PL | physical layer |
| PLC | programmable logic controller |
| $PS$ | power supply (measured in V) |
| $r$ | time to reach a stable level with reference to the beginning of the start bit (measured in $T_{BIT}$) |
| $RL_{eff}$ | loop resistance of cable (measured in Ω) |
| $s$ | time to exit a stable level with reference to the beginning of the start bit (measured in $T_{BIT}$) |
| SDCI | single-drop digital communication interface |
| SIO | standard input output (digital switching mode) [IEC 61131-2] |
| SM | system management |
| $t_1$ | UART frame transfer delay on Master (measured in $T_{BIT}$) |
| $t_2$ | UART frame transfer delay on Device (measured in $T_{BIT}$) |
| $t_A$ | response delay on Device (measured in $T_{BIT}$) |
| $T_{BIT}$ | bit time (measured in s) |
| $t_{CYC}$ | cycle time on M-sequence level (measured in s) |
| $t_{DF}$ | fall time (measured in s) |
| $T_{DMT}$ | delay time while establishing Master port communication (measured in $T_{BIT}$) |
| $T_{DR}$ | rise time (measured in s) |
| $T_{DSIO}$ | delay time on Device for transition to SIO mode following wake-up request (measured in s) |
| $T_{DWU}$ | wake-up retry delay (measured in s) |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| $t_{M\text{-sequence}}$ | M-sequence duration (measured in $T_{BIT}$) | |
| $t_{idle}$ | idle time between two M-sequences (measured in s) | |
| $t_H$ | detection time for high level (measured in s) | |
| $t_L$ | detection time for low level (measured in s) | |
| $t_{ND}$ | noise suppression time (measured in s) | |
| $T_{RDL}$ | wake-up readiness following power ON (measured in s) | |
| $T_{REN}$ | receive enable (measured in s) | |
| $T_{SD}$ | device detect time (measured in s) | |
| $T_{WU}$ | pulse duration of wake-up request (measured in s) | |
| UART | universal asynchronous receiver transmitter | |
| UML | Unified Modelling Language | [ISO/IEC 19505] |
| $V+$ | voltage at L+ | |
| $V0$ | voltage at L- | |
| $VD+_L$ | voltage drop on the line between the L+ connections on Master and Device (measured in V) | |
| $VD0_L$ | voltage drop on the line between the L- connections on Master and Device (measured in V) | |
| $VDQ_L$ | voltage drop on the line between the C/Q connections on Master and Device (measured in V) | |
| $VHYS$ | hysteresis of receiver threshold voltage (measured in V) | |
| $VI$ | input voltage at connection C/Q with reference to $V0$ (measured in V) | |
| $VIH$ | input voltage range at connection C/Q for high signal (measured in V) | |
| $VIL$ | input voltage range at connection C/Q for low signal (measured in V) | |
| $VRQ$ | residual voltage on driver in saturated operating status ON (measured in V) | |
| $VRQH$ | residual voltage on high-side driver in operating status ON (measured in V) | |
| $VRQL$ | residual voltage on low-side driver in saturated operating status ON (measured in V) | |
| $VTH$ | threshold voltage of receiver with reference to $V0$ (measured in V) | |
| $VTHH$ | threshold voltage of receiver for safe detection of a high signal (measured in V) | |
| $VTHL$ | threshold voltage of receiver for safe detection of a low signal (measured in V) | |
| WURQ | wake-up request pulse | |

## 3.3 Conventions

### 3.3.1 General

The service model, service primitives, and the diagrams shown in this standard are entirely abstract descriptions. The implementation of the services may reflect individual issues and can be different.

### 3.3.2 Service parameters

Service primitives are used to represent service provider/consumer interactions (ISO/IEC 10731). They convey parameters which indicate the information available in the provider/ consumer interaction. In any particular interface, not each and every parameter needs to be explicitly stated.

The service specification in this standard uses a tabular format to describe the component parameters of the service primitives. The parameters which apply to each group of service primitives are set out in tables. Each table consists of up to five columns:

1) parameter name;
2) request primitive (.req);

3) indication primitive (.ind);

4) response primitive (.rsp); and

5) confirmation primitive (.cnf).

One parameter (or component of it) is listed in each row of each table. Under the appropriate service primitive columns, a code is used to specify the type of usage of the parameter on the primitive specified in the column.

M Parameter is mandatory for the primitive.

U Parameter is a user option and can or cannot be provided depending on dynamic usage of the service user. When not provided a default value for the parameter is assumed.

C Parameter is conditional upon other parameters or upon the environment of the service user.

– Parameter is never present.

S Parameter is a selected item.

Some entries are further qualified by items in brackets. These may be:

a) a parameter-specific constraint "(=)" indicates that the parameter is semantically equivalent to the parameter in the service primitive to its immediate left in the table;

b) an indication that some note applies to the entry "(n)" indicates that the following note "n" contains additional information related to the parameter and its use.

### 3.3.3 Service procedures

The procedures are defined in terms of:

- the interactions between application entities through the exchange of protocol data units; and
- the interactions between a communication layer service provider and a communication layer service consumer in the same system through the invocation of service primitives.

These procedures are applicable to instances of communication between systems which support time-constrained communications services within the communication layers.

### 3.3.4 Service attributes

The nature of the different (Master and Device) services is characterized by attributes. All services are defined from the view of the affected layer towards the layer above.

I Initiator of a service (towards the layer above)

R Receiver (responder) of a service (from the layer above)

### 3.3.5 Figures

For figures that show the structure and services of protocol layers, the following conventions are used:

- an arrow with just a service name represents both a request and the corresponding confirmation, with the request being in the direction of the arrow;
- a request without confirmation, as well as all indications and responses are labelled as such (i.e. service.req, service.ind, service.rsp).

Figure 1 shows the example of a confirmed service.

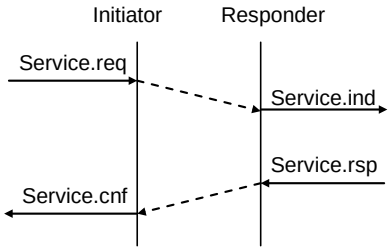
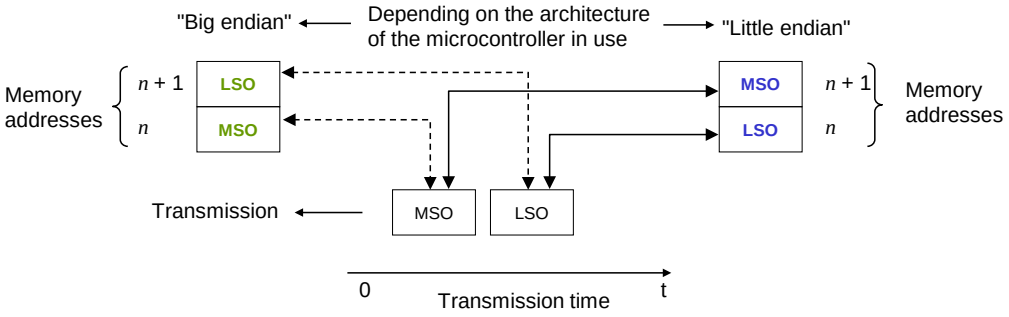



**Figure 1 – Example of a confirmed service**

### 3.3.6 Transmission octet order

Figure 2 shows how WORD based data types are transferred from memory to transmission medium and vice versa (i.e. most significant octet transmitted first, see 7.3.3.2 and 7.3.6.1).




**Key**

MSO = Most significant octet
LSO = Least significant octet

**Figure 2 – Memory storage and transmission order for WORD based data types**

### 3.3.7 Behavioral descriptions

For the behavioral descriptions, the notations of UML 2 (ISO/IEC 19505) are used (e.g. state, sequence, activity, timing diagrams, guard conditions). The layout of the associated state-transition tables is following IEC/TR 62390.

Due to design tool restrictions the following exceptions apply. For state diagrams, a service parameter (in capital letters) is attached to the service name via an underscore character, such as for example in DL_SetMode_INACTIVE. For sequence diagrams, the service primitive is attached via an underscore character instead of a dot, and the service parameter is added in parenthesis, such as for example in DL_Event_ind (OPERATE). Timing constraints are labelled "tm(time in ms)".

Asynchronously received service calls are not modelled in detail within state diagrams.

## 4 Overview of SDCI (IO-Link™[4])

### 4.1 Purpose of technology

Figure 3 shows the basic concept of SDCI.

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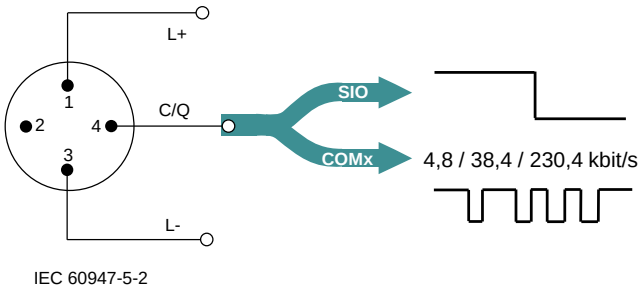



| Pin | Signal | Definition | Standard |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | L+ | 24 V | IEC 61131-2 |
| 2 | I/Q | Not connected, DI, or DO | IEC 61131-2 |
| 3 | L- | 0 V | IEC 61131-2 |
| 4 | Q | "Switching signal" DI (SIO) | IEC 61131-2 |
| | C | "Coded switching" (COM1, COM2, COM3) | IEC 61131-9 |

**Figure 3 – SDCI compatibility with IEC 61131-2**

The single-drop digital communication interface technology for small sensors and actuators SDCI (commonly known as IO-Link™) defines a migration path from the existing digital input and digital output interfaces for switching 24 V Devices as defined in IEC 61131-2 towards a point-to-point communication link. Thus, for example, digital I/O modules in existing fieldbus peripherals can be replaced by SDCI Master modules providing both classic DI/DO interfaces and SDCI. Analog transmission technology can be replaced by SDCI combining its robustness, parameterization, and diagnostic features with the saving of digital/analog and analog/digital conversion efforts.

## 4.2 Positioning within the automation hierarchy

Figure 4 shows the domain of the SDCI technology within the automation hierarchy.

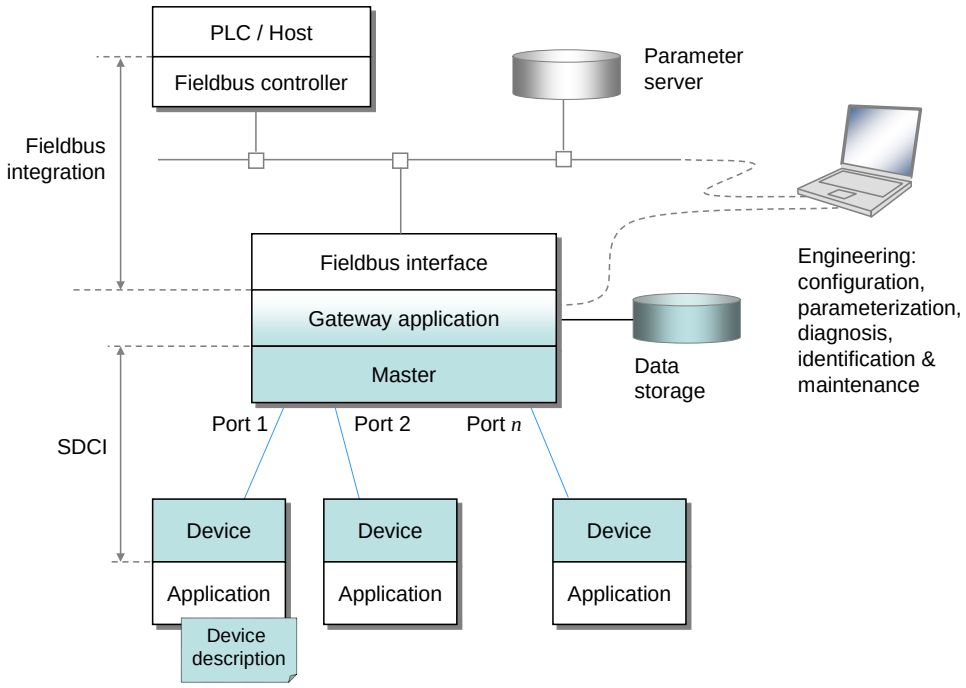



**Figure 4 – Domain of the SDCI technology within the automation hierarchy**

The SDCI technology defines a generic interface for connecting sensors and actuators to a Master unit, which may be combined with gateway capabilities to become a fieldbus remote I/O node.

Starting point for the design of SDCI is the classic 24 V digital input (DI) defined in IEC 61131-2 and output interface (DO) specified in Table 6. Thus, SDCI offers connectivity of classic 24 V sensors ("switching signals") as a default operational mode. Additional connectivity is provided for actuators when a port has been configured into "single-drop communication mode".

Many sensors and actuators nowadays are already equipped with microcontrollers offering a UART interface that can be extended by addition of a few hardware components and protocol software to support SDCI communication. This second operational mode uses "coded switching" of the 24 V I/O signalling line. Once activated, the SDCI mode supports parameterization, cyclic data exchange, diagnosis reporting, identification & maintenance information, and external parameter storage for Device backup and fast reload of replacement devices. Sensors and actuators with SDCI capability are referred to as "Devices" in this standard. To improve start-up performance these Devices usually provide non-volatile storage for parameters.

NOTE Configuration and parameterization of Devices is supported through an XML-based device description (see [6]), which is not part of this standard.

## 4.3 Wiring, connectors and power

The default connection (port class A) comprises 4 pins (see Figure 3). The default wiring for port class A complies with IEC 60947-5-2 and uses only three wires for 24 V, 0 V, and a signal line. The fourth wire may be used as an additional signal line complying with IEC 61131-2.

Five pins connections (port class B) are specified for Devices requiring additional power from an independant 24 V power supply.

NOTE A port class A Device using the fourth wire is not compatible with a port class B Master.

Maximum length of cables is 20 m, shielding is not required.

## 4.4 Communication features of SDCI

The generic Device model is shown in Figure 5 and explained in the following paragraphs.

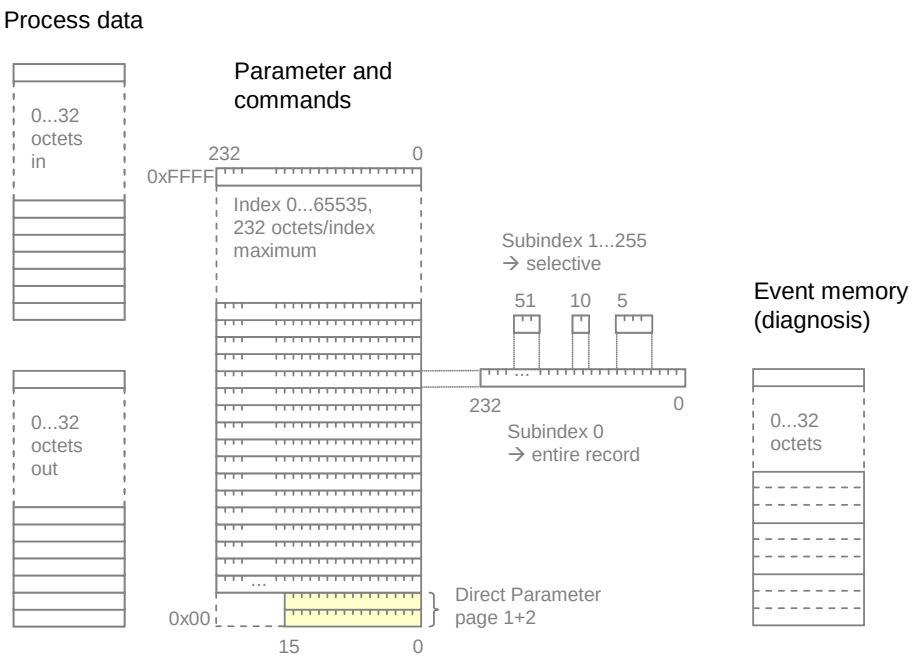



**Figure 5 – Generic Device model for SDCI (Master's view)**

A Device may receive Process Data (out) to control a discrete or continuous automation process or send Process Data (in) representing its current state or measurement values. The Device usually provides parameters enabling the user to configure its functions to satisfy particular needs. To support this case a large parameter space is defined with access via an Index (0 to 65535; with a predefined organization) and a Subindex (0 to 255).

493 The first two index entries 0 and 1 are reserved for the Direct Parameter page 1 and 2 with a
494 maximum of 16 octets each. Parameter page 1 is mainly dedicated to Master commands such
495 as Device startup and fallback, retrieval of Device specific operational and identification
496 information. Parameter page 2 allows for a maximum of 16 octets of Device specific
497 parameters.

498 The other indices (2 to 65535) each allow access to one record having a maximum size of 232
499 octets. Subindex 0 specifies transmission of the complete record addressed by the Index,
500 other subindices specify transfer of selected data items within the record.

501 Within a record, individual data items may start on any bit offset, and their length may range
502 from 1 bit to 232 octets, but the total number of data items in the record cannot exceed 255.
503 The organization of data items within a record is specified in the IO Device Description
504 (IODD).

505 All changes of Device condition that require reporting or intervention are stored within an
506 Event memory before transmission. An Event flag is then set in the cyclic data exchange to
507 indicate the existence of an Event.

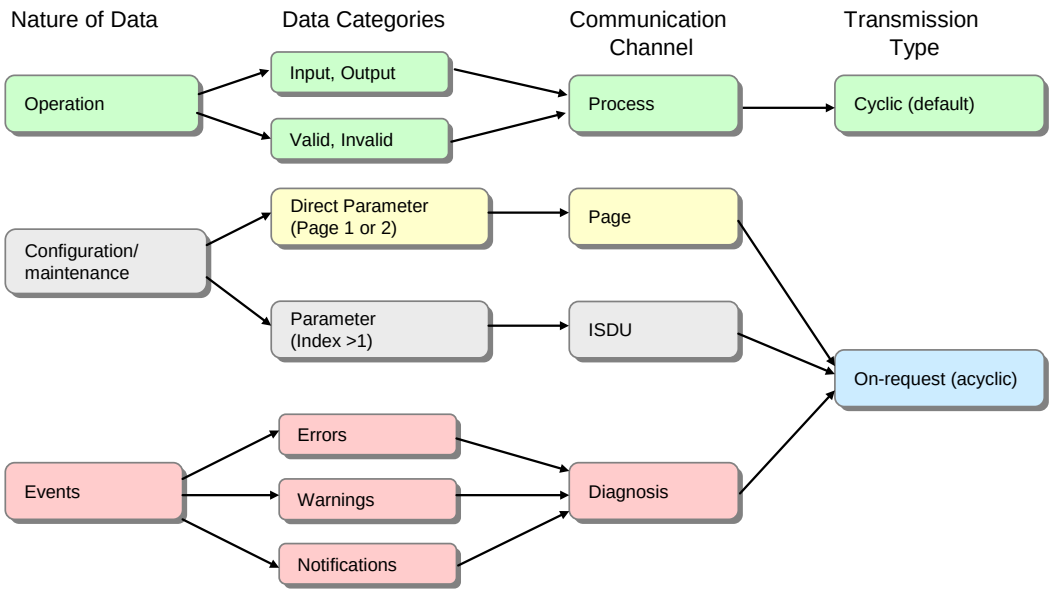
508 Communication between a Master and a Device is point-to-point and is based on the principle
509 of a Master first sending a request message and then a Device sending a response message
510 (see Figure 36). Both messages together are called an M-sequence. Several M-sequence
511 types are defined to support user requirements for data transmission (see Figure 37).

512 Data of various categories are transmitted through separate communication channels within
513 the data link layer, as shown in Figure 6.

514 • Operational data such as Device inputs and outputs is transmitted through a process
515 channel using cyclic transfer. Operational data may also be associated with qualifiers such
516 as valid/invalid.

517 • Configuration and maintenance parameters are transmitted using acyclic transfers. A page
518 channel is provided for direct access to parameter pages 1 and 2, and an ISDU channel is
519 used for accessing additional parameters and commands.

520 • Device events are transmitted using acyclic transfers through a diagnostic channel. Device
521 events are reported using 3 severity levels, error, warning, and notification.

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523 **Figure 6 – Relationship between nature of data and transmission types**

The first octet of a Master message controls the data transfer direction (read/write) and the type of communication channel.

Figure 7 shows each port of a Master has its own data link layer which interfaces to a common master application layer. Within the application layer, the services of the data link layer are translated into actions on Process Data objects (input/output), On-request Data objects (read/write), and events. Master applications include a Configuration Manager (CM), Data Storage mechanism (DS), Diagnosis Unit (DU), On-request Data Exchange (ODE), and a Process Data Exchange (PDE).

System management checks identification of the connected Devices and adjusts ports and Devices to match the chosen configuration and the properties of the connected Devices. It controls the state machines in the application (AL) and data link layers (DL), for example at start-up.

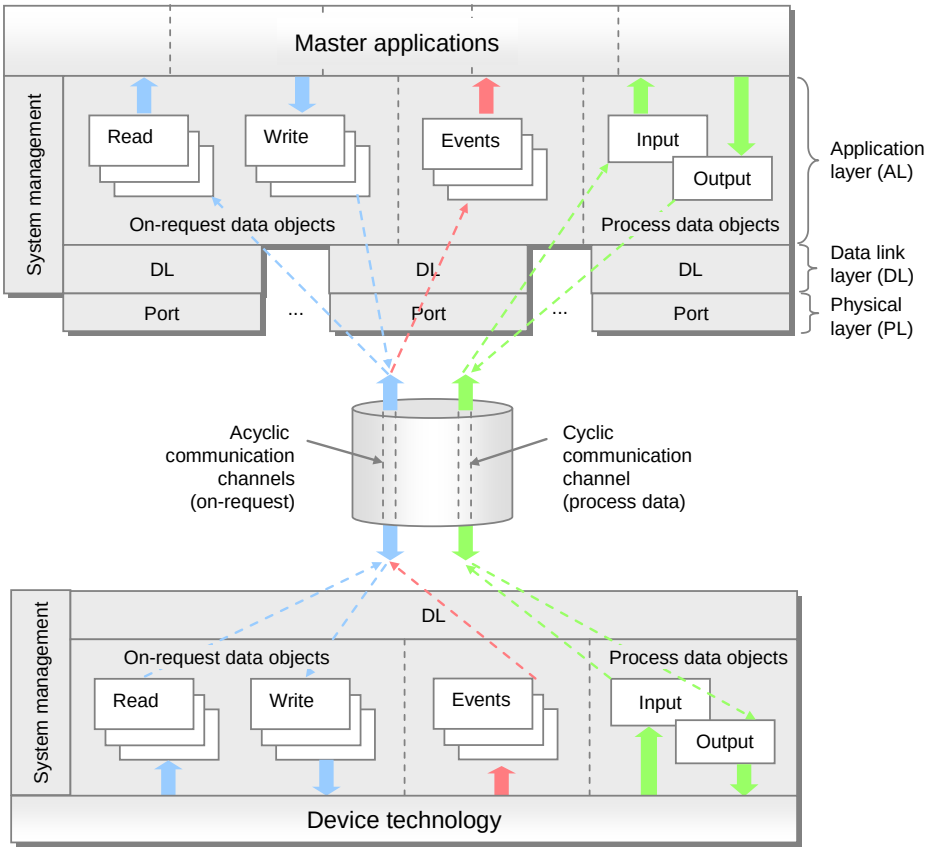



**Figure 7 – Object transfer at the application layer level (AL)**

## 4.5 Role of a Master

A Master accommodates 1 to *n* ports and their associated data link layers. During start-up it changes the ports to the user-selected port modes, which can be INACTIVE, DI, DO, FIXEDMODE, or SCANMODE. If communication is requested, the Master uses a special wake-up current pulse to initiate communication with the Device. The Master then auto-adjusts the transmission rate to COM1, COM2, or COM3 (see Table 8) and checks the "personality" of the connected Device, i.e. its VendorID, DeviceID, and communication properties.

If there is a mismatch between the Device parameters and the stored parameter set within the Master, the parameters in the Device are overwritten (see 11.3) or the stored parameters within the master are updated depending on configuration.

549 It is also possible to start a device in DI mode, switch to SDCI communication for
550 configuration and parameterization and then use the fallback command (see 11.8.5) to switch
551 back to DI mode for normal operation.

552 Coordination of the ports is also a task of the Master which the user can configure through the
553 selection of port cycle modes. In "FreeRunning" mode, each port defines its own cycle based
554 on the properties of the connected Device. In "MessageSync" mode, messages sent on the
555 connected ports start at the same time or in a defined staggered manner. In "FixedValue"
556 mode, each port uses a user-defined fixed cycle time (see 11.2.2.2).

557 The Master is responsible for the assembling and disassembling of all data from or to the
558 Devices (see Clause 11).

559 The Master provides a Data Storage area of at least 2 048 octets per Device for backup of
560 Device data (see 11.3). The Master may combine this Device data together with all other
561 relevant data for its own operation, and make this data available for higher level applications
562 for Master backup purpose or recipe control (see 11.8.3).

563 ## 4.6 SDCI configuration

564 Engineering support for a Master is usually provided by a Port and Device Configuration Tool
565 (PDCT). The PDCT configures both port properties and Device properties (see parameters
566 shown in Figure 5). It combines both an interpreter of the I/O Device Description (IODD) and a
567 configurator (see 11.7). The IODD provides all the necessary properties to establish
568 communication and the necessary parameters and their boundaries to establish the desired
569 function of a sensor or actuator. The PDCT also supports the compilation of the Process Data
570 for propagation on the fieldbus and vice versa.

571 ## 4.7 Mapping to fieldbuses

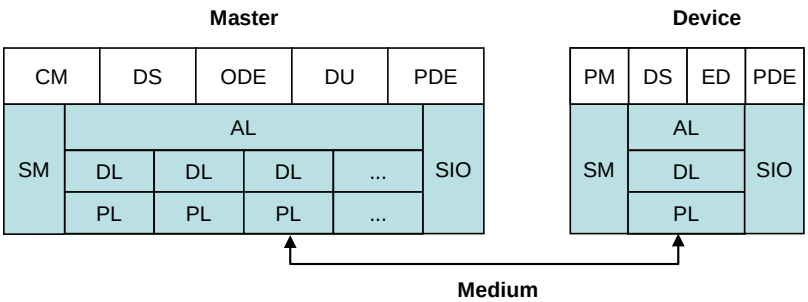
572 Integration of a Master within a fieldbus system, i.e. the definition of gateway functions for
573 exchanging data with higher level entities on a fieldbus, is out of the scope of this standard.

574 EXAMPLE These functions include mapping of the Process Data exchange, realization of program-controlled
575 parameterization or a remote parameter server, or the propagation of diagnosis information.

576 The integration of a PDCT into engineering tools of a particular fieldbus is out of the scope of
577 this standard.

578 ## 4.8 Standard structure

579 Figure 8 shows the logical structure of the Master and Device. Clause 5 specifies the Physical
580 Layer (PL) of SDCI, Clause 6 specifies details of the SIO mode. Clause 7 specifies Data Link
581 Layer (DL) services, protocol, wake-up, M-sequences, and the DL layer handlers. Clause 8
582 specifies the services and the protocol of the Application Layer (AL) and Clause 9 the System
583 Management responsibilities (SM).

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585 **Figure 8 – Logical structure of Master and Device**

586 Clause 10 specifies Device applications and features. These include Process Data Exchange
587 (PDE), Parameter Management (PM), Data Storage (DS), and Event Dispatcher (ED).
588 Technology specific applications are not part of this standard. They may be specified in
589 profiles for particular Device families.

590 Clause 11 specifies Master applications and features. These include Process Data Exchange
591 (PDE), On-request Data Exchange (ODE), Configuration Management (CM), Data Storage
592 (DS) and Diagnosis Unit (DU).

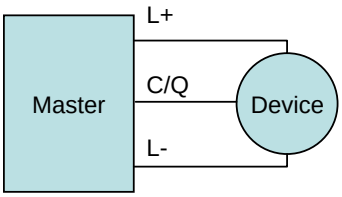
593 Several normative and informative annexes are included. Annex A defines the available M-
594 sequence types. Annex B describes the parameters of the Direct Parameter page and the
595 fixed Device parameters. Annex C lists the error types in case of acyclic transmissions and
596 Annex D the EventCodes (diagnosis information of Devices). Annex E specifies the available
597 basic and composite data types. Annex F defines the structure of Data Storage objects.
598 Annex G deals with conformity and electromagnetic compatibility test requirements and
599 Annex H provides graphs of residual error probabilities, demonstrating the level of SDCI's
600 data integrity. The informative Annex I provides an example of the sequence of acyclic data
601 transmissions. The informative Annex J explains two recommended methods for detecting
602 parameter changes in the context of Data Storage.

603 # 5 Physical Layer (PL)

604 ## 5.1 General

605 ### 5.1.1 Basics

606 The 3-wire connection system of SDCI is based on the specifications in IEC 60947-5-2. The
607 three lines are used as follows: (L+) for the 24 V power supply, (L-) for the ground line, and
608 (C/Q) for the switching signal (Q) or SDCI communication (C), as shown in Figure 9.

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610 **Figure 9 – Three wire connection system**

611 NOTE Binary sensors compliant with IEC 60947-5-2 are compatible with the SDCI 3-wire connection system
612 (including from a power consumption point of view).

613 Support of the SDCI 3-wire connection system is mandatory for Master. Ports with this
614 characteristic are called port class A.

615 Port class A uses a four pin connector. The fourth wire may be used as an additional signal
616 line complying with IEC 61131-2. Its support is optional in both Masters and Devices.

617 Five wire connections (port class B) are specified for Devices requiring additional power from
618 an independant 24 V power supply (see 5.5.1).

619 NOTE A port class A Device using the fourth wire is not compatible with a port class B Master.

620 ### 5.1.2 Topology

621 The SDCI system topology uses point-to-point links between a Master and its Devices as
622 shown in Figure 10. The Master may have multiple ports for the connection of Devices. Only
623 one Device shall be connected to each port.

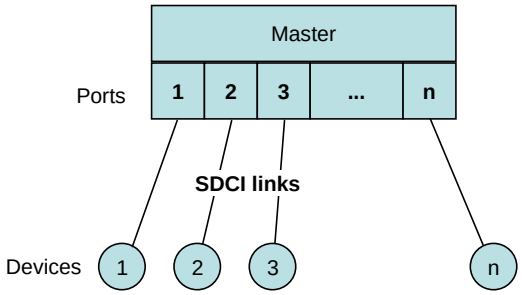



**Figure 10 – Topology of SDCI**

## 5.2 Physical layer services

### 5.2.1 Overview

Figure 11 shows an overview of the Master's physical layer and its service primitives.

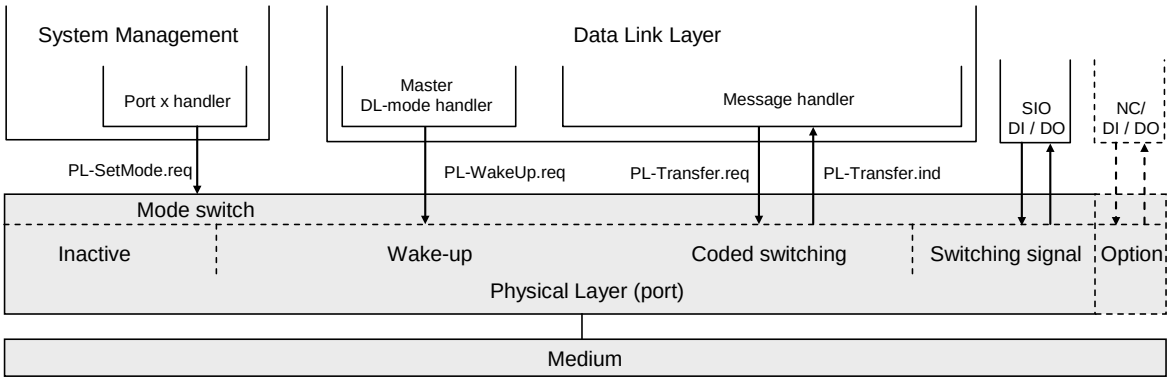



**Figure 11 – Physical layer (Master)**

The physical layer specifies the operation of the C/Q line in Figure 3 and the associated line driver (transmitter) and receiver of a particular port. The Master operates this line in three main modes (see Figure 11): inactive, "Switching signal" (DI/DO), or "Coded switching" (COMx). The service PL-SetMode.req is responsible for switching into one of these modes.

If the port is in inactive mode, the C/Q line shall be high impedance (floating). In SIO mode, the port can be used as a standard input or output interface according to the definitions of IEC 61131-2 or in Table 6 respectively. The communication layers of SDCI are bypassed as shown in Figure 11; the signals are directly processed within the Master application. In SDCI mode, the service PL_WakeUp.req creates a special signal pattern (current pulse) that can be detected by an SDCI enabled Device connected to this port (see 5.3.3.3).

Figure 12 shows an overview of the Device's physical layer and its service primitives.

The physical layer of a Device according to Figure 12 follows the same principle, except that there is no inactive state. By default at power on or cable reconnection, the Device shall operate in the SIO mode, as a digital input (from a Master's point of view). The Device shall always be able to detect a wake-up current pulse (wake-up request). The service PL_WakeUp.ind reports successful detection of the wake-up request (usually a microcontroller interrupt), which is required for the Device to switch to the SDCI mode.

A special MasterCommand (fallback) sent via SDCI causes the Device to switch back to SIO mode.

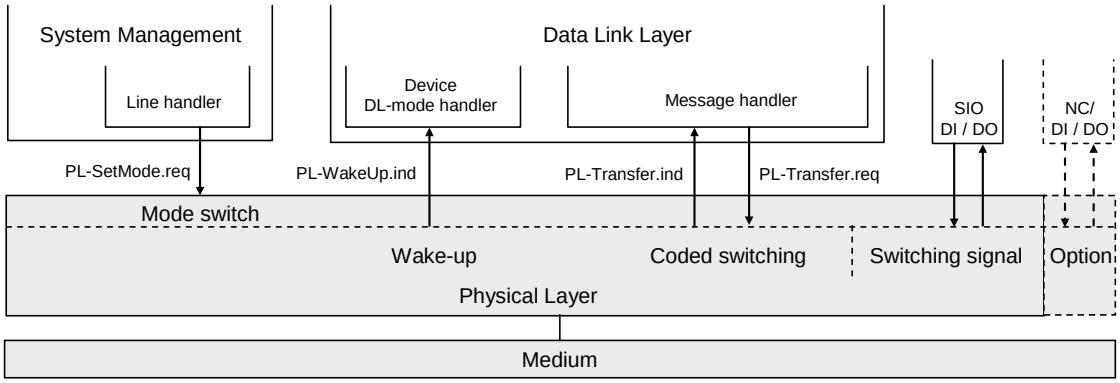



**Figure 12 – Physical layer (Device)**

Subsequently, the services are specified that are provided by the PL to System Management and to the Data Link Layer (see Figure 83 and Figure 94 for a complete overview of all the services). Table 1 lists the assignments of Master and Device to their roles as initiator or receiver for the individual PL services.

**Table 1 – Service assignments of Master and Device**

| Service name | Master | Device |
|---|---|---|
| PL-SetMode | R | R |
| PL-WakeUp | R | I |
| PL-Transfer | I / R | R / I |
| Key (see 3.3.4)<br>I Initiator of service<br>R Receiver (Responder) of service | | |

### 5.2.2 PL services

#### 5.2.2.1 PL_SetMode

The PL-SetMode service is used to setup the electrical characteristics and configurations of the Physical Layer. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 2.

**Table 2 – PL_SetMode**

| Parameter name | .req |
|---|---|
| Argument | M |
| TargetMode | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters of the service request are transmitted in the argument.

**TargetMode**
This parameter indicates the requested operation mode

Permitted values:
INACTIVE (C/Q line in high impedance),
DI (C/Q line in digital input mode),
DO (C/Q line in digital output mode),
COM1 (C/Q line in COM1 mode),
COM2 (C/Q line in COM2 mode),
COM3 (C/Q line in COM3 mode)

#### 5.2.2.2 PL_WakeUp

The PL-WakeUp service initiates or indicates a specific sequence which prepares the Physical Layer to send and receive communication requests (see 5.3.3.3). This unconfirmed service has no parameters. Its success can only be verified by a Master by attempting to communicate with the Device. The service primitives are listed in Table 3.

**Table 3 – PL_WakeUp**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind |
|---|---|---|
| <none> | | |

#### 5.2.2.3 PL_Transfer

The PL-Transfer service is used to exchange the SDCI data between Data Link Layer and Physical Layer. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 4.

**Table 4 – PL_Transfer**

| Parameter name | .req | ind. |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | | |
| Data | M | M |
| Result (+) | | S |
| Result (-) | | S |
| Status | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters of the service request are transmitted in the argument.

**Data**
This parameter contains the data value which is transferred over the SDCI interface.

Permitted values: 0…255

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service request has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service request failed.

**Status**
This parameter contains supplementary information on the transfer status.

Permitted values:
PARITY_ERROR (UART detected a parity error),
FRAMING_ERROR (invalid UART stop bit detected),
OVERRUN (octet collision within the UART)

## 5.3 Transmitter/Receiver

### 5.3.1 Description method

The physical layer is specified by means of electrical and timing requirements. Electrical requirements specify signal levels and currents separately for Master and Device in the form

of reference schematics. Timing requirements specify the signal transmission process (specifically the receiver) and a special signal detection function.

### 5.3.2 Electrical requirements

#### 5.3.2.1 General

The line driver is specified by a reference schematic corresponding to Figure 13. On the Master side, a transmitter comprises a combination of two line drivers and one current sink. On the Device side, in its simplest form, the transmitter takes the form of a p-switching driver. As an option there can be an additional n-switching or non-switching driver (this also allows the option of push-pull output operation).

In operating status ON the descriptive variables are the residual voltage *VRQ*, the standard driver current *IQ*, and the peak current *IQPK*. The source is controlled by the On/Off signal. An overload current event is indicated at the “Overload” output (OVD). This feature can be used for the current pulse detection (wake-up).

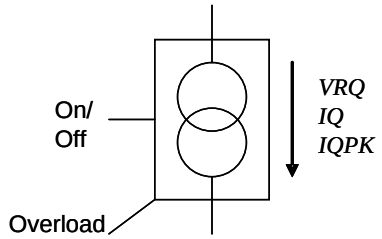



**Figure 13 – Line driver reference schematics**

The receiver is specified by a reference schematic according to Figure 14. It performs the function of a comparator and is specified by its switching thresholds *VTH* and a hysteresis *VHYS* between the switching thresholds. The output indicates the logic level (High or Low) at the receiver input.

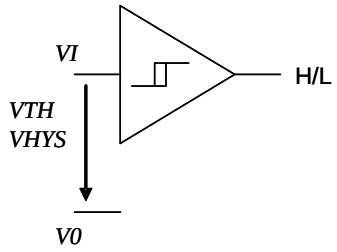
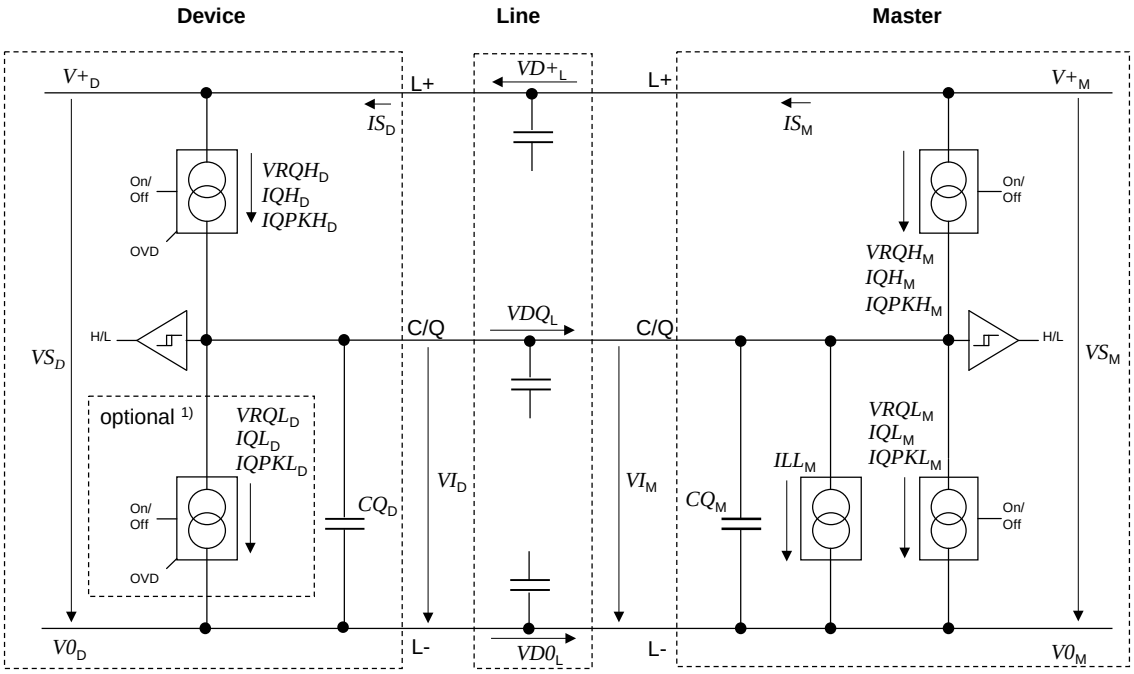



**Figure 14 – Receiver reference schematics**

Figure 15 shows the reference schematics for the interconnection of Master and Device for the SDCI 3-wire connection system.




1) Optional: low-side driver (push-pull only)

**Figure 15 – Reference schematics for SDCI 3-wire connection system**

The subsequent illustrations and parameter tables refer to the voltage level definitions in Figure 16. The parameter indices refer to the Master (M), Device (D) or line (L). The voltage drops on the line $VD+_L$, $VDQ_L$ and $VD0_L$ are implicitely specified in 5.5 through cable parameters.

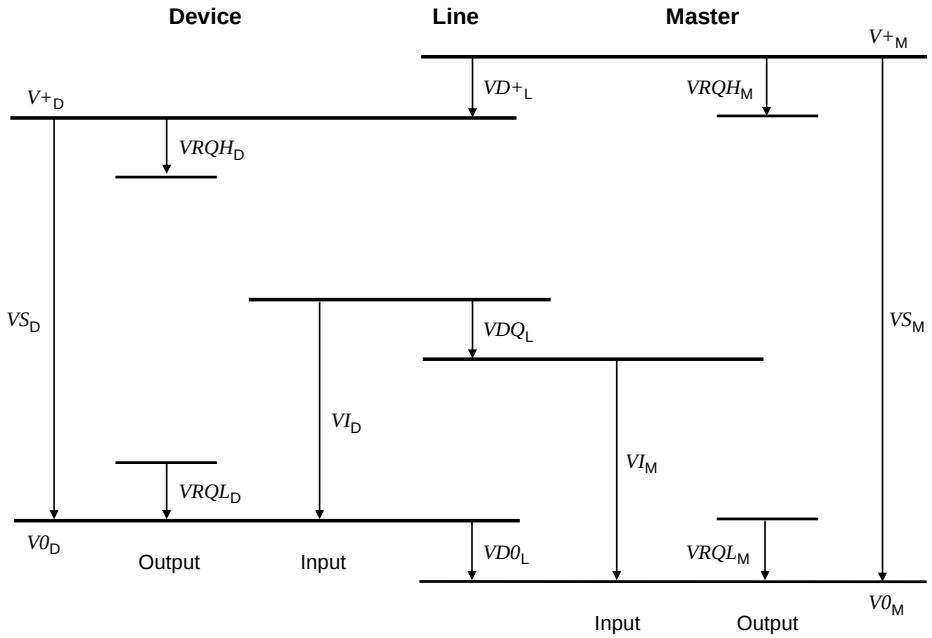



**Figure 16 – Voltage level definitions**

### 5.3.2.2 Receiver

The voltage range and switching threshold definitions are the same for Master and Device. The definitions in Table 5 apply.

743 **Table 5 – Electric characteristics of a receiver**

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $VTHH_{D,M}$ | Input threshold 'H' | 10,5 | n/a | 13 | V | See NOTE 1 |
| $VTHL_{D,M}$ | Input threshold 'L' | 8 | n/a | 11,5 | V | See NOTE 1 |
| $VHYS_{D,M}$ | Hysteresis between input thresholds 'H' and 'L' | 0 | n/a | n/a | V | Shall not be negative<br>See NOTE 2 |
| $VIL_{D,M}$ | Permissible voltage range 'L' | $V0_D$ -1,0<br>$V0_M$ | n/a | n/a | V | With reference to relevant negative supply voltage<br>See NOTE 3 |
| $VIH_{D,M}$ | Permissible voltage range 'H' | n/a | n/a | $V+_D$ + 1,0<br>$V+_M$ | V | With reference to relevant positive supply voltage.<br>See NOTE 3 |
| NOTE 1 Thresholds are compatible with the definitions of type 1 digital inputs in IEC 61131-2.<br>NOTE 2 Hysteresis voltage $VHYS = VTHH - VTHL$<br>NOTE 3 Due to 5.4.1 the Master receiver signals $VI_M$ are always within permitted supply ranges. | | | | | | |

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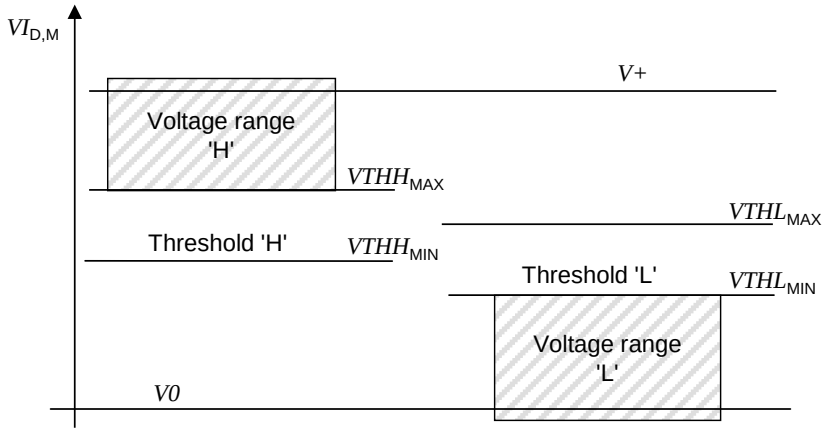
745 Figure 17 demonstrates the switching thresholds for the detection of Low and High signals.

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747 **Figure 17 – Switching thresholds**

748 **5.3.2.3 Master port**

749 The definitions in Table 6 are valid for the electric characteristics of a Master port.

750 **Table 6 – Electric characteristics of a Master port**

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $VS_M$ | Supply voltage for Devices | 20 | 24 | 30 | V | See Figure 16 |
| $IS_M$ | Supply current for Devices | 200 | n/a | n/a | mA | External supply required for > 200 mA |

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $ISIR_M$ | Current pulse capability for Devices | 400 | n/a | n/a | mA | Master supply current capability for a minimum of 50 ms at 18 V after power-on of the port supply |
| $ILL_M$ | Load or discharge current for<br>0 V < $VI_M$ < 5 V<br>5 V < $VI_M$ < 15 V<br>15 V< $VI_M$ < 30 V | <br>0<br>5<br>5 | <br>n/a<br>n/a<br>n/a | <br>15<br>15<br>15 | <br>mA<br>mA<br>mA | See NOTE 1 |
| $VRQH_M$ | Residual voltage 'H' | n/a | n/a | 3 | V | Voltage drop relating to $V+_M$ at maximum driver current $IQH_M$ |
| $VRQL_M$ | Residual voltage 'L' | n/a | n/a | 3 | V | Voltage drop relating to $V0_M$ at maximum driver current $IQL_M$ |
| $IQH_M$ | DC driver current 'H' | 100 | n/a | n/a | mA | |
| $IQPKH_M$ | Output peak current 'H' | 500 | n/a | n/a | mA | Absolute value See NOTE 2 |
| $IQL_M$ | DC driver current 'L' | 100 | n/a | n/a | mA | |
| $IQPKL_M$ | Output peak current 'L' | 500 | n/a | n/a | mA | Absolute value See NOTE 2 |
| $CQ_M$ | Input capacitance | n/a | n/a | 1,0 | nF | $f$=0 MHz to 4 MHz |

NOTE 1 Currents are compatible with the definition of type 1 digital inputs in IEC 61131-2. However, for the range 5 V < $VI_M$ < 15 V, the minimum current is 5 mA instead of 2 mA in order to achieve short enough slew rates for pure p-switching Devices.

NOTE 2 Wake-up request current (5.3.3.3).

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752 **5.3.2.4 Device**

753 The definitions in Table 7 are valid for the electric characteristics of a Device.

754 **Table 7 – Electric characteristics of a Device**

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $VS_D$ | Supply voltage | 18 | 24 | 30 | V | See Figure 16 |
| $\Delta VS_D$ | Ripple | n/a | n/a | 1,3 | $V_{pp}$ | Peak-to-peak absolute value limits shall not be exceeded. $f_{ripple}$ = DC to 100 kHz |
| $VRQH_D$ | Residual voltage 'H' | n/a | n/a | 3 | V | Voltage drop compared with $V+_D$ (IEC 60947-5-2) |
| $VRQL_D$ | Residual voltage 'L' | n/a | n/a | 3 | V | Voltage drop compared with $V0_D$ |
| $IQH_D$ | DC driver current<br>P-switching output ("On" state) | 50 | n/a | minimum ($IQPKL_M$) | mA | Minimum value due to fallback to digital input in accordance with IEC 61131-2, |

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | type 2 |
| $IQL_D$ | DC driver current<br>N-switching output ("On" state) | 0 | n/a | minimum ($IQPKH_M$) | mA | Only for push-pull output stages |
| $IQQ_D$ | Quiescent current to $V0_D$<br>("Off" state) | 0 | n/a | 15 | mA | Pull-down or residual current with deactivated output driver stages |
| $CQ_D$ | Input capacitance | 0 | n/a | 1,0 | nF | Effective capacitance between C/Q and L+ or L- of Device in receive state |

The value of 1 nF is applicable for a transmission rate of 230,4 kbit/s. Input capacitance $CQ_D$ may be relaxed to a maximum of 10 nF in the case of push-pull stage design when operating at lower transmission rates, provided that all dynamic parameter requirements in 5.3.3.2 are met.

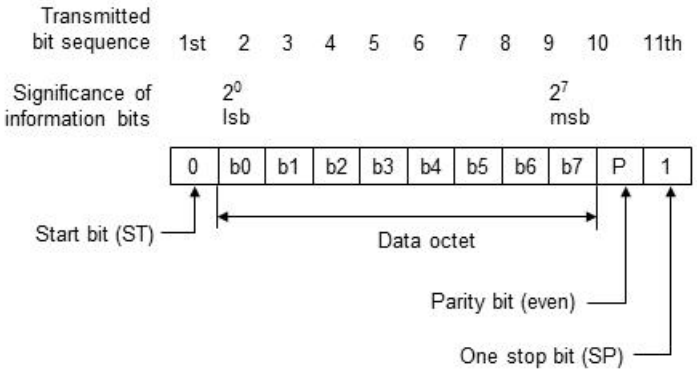
### 5.3.3 Timing requirements

#### 5.3.3.1 Transmission method

The “Non Return to Zero” (NRZ) modulation is used for the bit-by-bit coding. A logic value “1” corresponds to a voltage difference of 0 V between the C/Q line and L- line. A logic value "0" corresponds to a voltage difference of +24 V between the C/Q line and L- line.

The open-circuit level on the C/Q line is 0 V with reference to L-. A start bit has logic value “0”, i.e. +24 V with reference to L-.

A UART frame is used for the "data octet"-by-"data octet" coding. The format of the SDCI UART frame is a bit string structured as shown in Figure 18.




**Key:**
lsb least significant bit
msb most significant bit

**Figure 18 – Format of an SDCI UART frame**

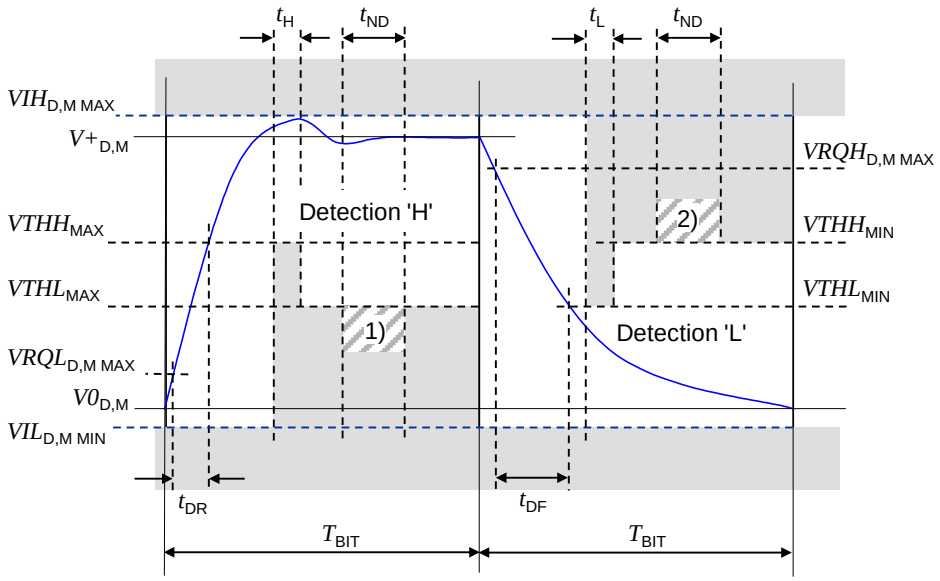
The definition of the UART frame format is based on ISO 1177 and ISO/IEC 2022.

### 5.3.3.2 Transmission characteristics

The timing characteristics of transmission are demonstrated in the form of an eye diagram with the permissible signal ranges (see Figure 19). These ranges are applicable for receiver in both the Master and the Device.

Regardless of boundary conditions, the transmitter shall generate a voltage characteristic on the receiver's C/Q connection that is within the permissible range of the eye diagram.

The receiver shall detect bits as a valid signal shape within the permissible range of the eye diagram on the C/Q connection. Signal shapes in the “no detection” areas (below $VTHL_{MAX}$ or above $VTHH_{MIN}$ and within $t_{ND}$) shall not lead to invalid bits.




NOTE In the figure, 1) = no detection 'L'; and 2) = no detection 'H'

**Figure 19 – Eye diagram for the 'H' and 'L' detection**

In order for a UART frame to be detected correctly, a signal characteristic as demonstrated in Figure 20 is required on the receiver side. The signal delay time between the C/Q signal and the UART input shall be taken into account. Time $T_{BIT}$ always indicates the receiver's bit rate.

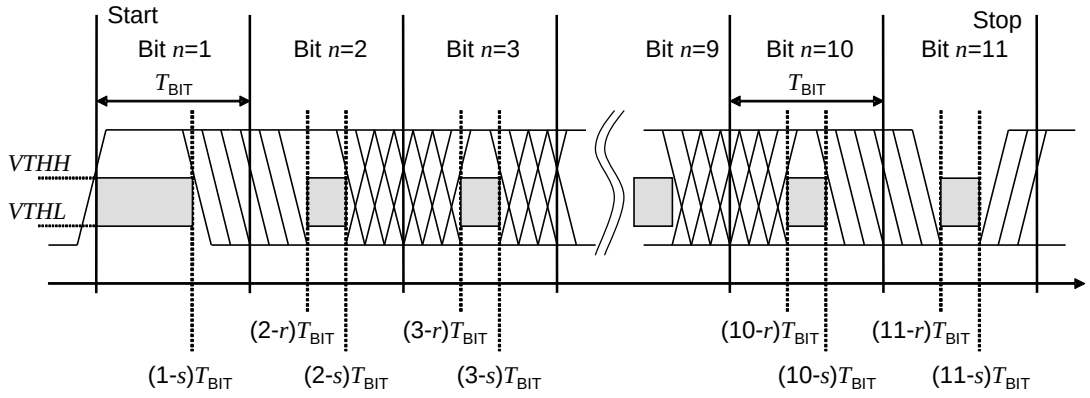



**Figure 20 – Eye diagram for the correct detection of a UART frame**

For every bit $n$ in the bit sequence ($n$ =1...11) of a UART frame, the time $(n\text{-}r)T_{BIT}$ (see Table 8 for values of $r$) designates the time at the end of which a correct level shall be reached in the 'H' or 'L' ranges as demonstrated in the eye diagram in Figure 19. The time $(n\text{-}s)$ $T_{BIT}$ (see Table 8 for values of $s$) describes the time, which shall elapse before the level changes. Reference shall always be made to the eye diagram in Figure 19, where signal characteristics within a bit time are concerned.

This representation permits a variable weighting of the influence parameters "transmission rate accuracy", "bit-width distortion", and "slew rate" of the receiver.

Table 8 specifies the dynamic characteristics of the transmission.

**Table 8 – Dynamic characteristics of the transmission**

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $f_{DTR}$ | transmission rate | n/a | 4,8<br>38,4<br>230,4 | n/a | kbit/s | COM1<br>COM2<br>COM3 |
| $T_{BIT}$ | Bit time<br>at 4,8 kbit/s<br>at 38,4 kbit/s<br>at 230,4 kbit/s | | <br>208,33<br>26,04<br>4,34 | | <br>µs<br>µs<br>µs | |
| $\Delta f_{DTRM}$ | Master transmission rate accuracy<br>at 4,8 kbit/s<br>at 38,4 kbit/s<br>at 230,4 kbit/s | <br>-0,1<br>-0,1<br>-0,1 | <br>n/a<br>n/a<br>n/a | <br>+0,1<br>+0,1<br>+0,1 | <br>%<br>%<br>% | Tolerance of the transmission rate of the Master<br>$\Delta T_{BIT}/T_{BIT}$ |
| $r$ | Start of detection time within a bit with reference to the raising edge of the start bit | 0,65 | n/a | n/a | - | Calculated in each case from the end of a bit at a UART sampling rate of 8 |
| $s$ | End of detection time within a bit with reference to the raising edge of the start bit | n/a | n/a | 0,22 | - | Calculated in each case from the end of a bit at a UART sampling rate of 8 |
| $T_{DR}$ | Rise time<br>at 4,8 kbit/s<br>at 38,4 kbit/s<br>at 230,4 kbit/s | 0<br>0<br>0<br>0 | n/a<br>n/a<br>n/a<br>n/a | 0,20<br>41,7<br>5,2<br>869 | $T_{BIT}$<br>µs<br>µs<br>ns | With reference to the bit time unit |
| $t_{DF}$ | Fall time<br>at 4,8 kbit/s<br>at 38,4 kbit/s<br>at 230,4 kbit/s | 0<br>0<br>0<br>0 | n/a<br>n/a<br>n/a<br>n/a | 0,20<br>41,7<br>5,2<br>869 | $T_{BIT}$<br>µs<br>µs<br>ns | With reference to the bit time unit |
| $t_{ND}$ | Noise suppression time | n/a | n/a | 1/16 | $T_{BIT}$ | Permissible duration of a receive signal above/below the detection threshold without detection taking place |
| $t_H$ | Detection time High | 1/16 | n/a | n/a | $T_{BIT}$ | Duration of a receive signal above the detection threshold for 'H' level |
| $t_L$ | Detection time Low | 1/16 | n/a | n/a | $T_{BIT}$ | Duration of a receive signal below the detection threshold for 'H' level |

The parameters '$r$' and '$s$' apply to the respective Master or Device receiver side. This definition allows for a more flexible definition of oscillator accuracy, bit distortion and slewrate on the Device side. The over-all bit-width distortion on the last bit of the UART frame shall provide a correct level in the range of Figure 20.

#### 5.3.3.3 Wake-up current pulse

The wake-up feature is used to request that a Device goes to the COMx mode.

A service call (PL_WakeUp.req) from the DL initiates the wake-up process (see 5.2.2.2).

The wake-up request (WURQ) starts with a current pulse induced by the Master (port) for a time $T_{WU}$. The wake-up request comprises the following phases (see Figure 21):

a) Injection of a current $IQ_{WU}$ by the Master depending on the level of the C/Q connection. For an input signal equivalent to logic "1" this is a current source; for an input signal equivalent to logic "0" this is a current sink.

b) Delay time of the Device until it is ready to receive.

The wake-up request pulse can be detected by the Device through a voltage change on the C/Q line or evaluation of the current of the respective driver element within the time $T_{WU}$. Figure 21 shows examples for Devices with low output power.

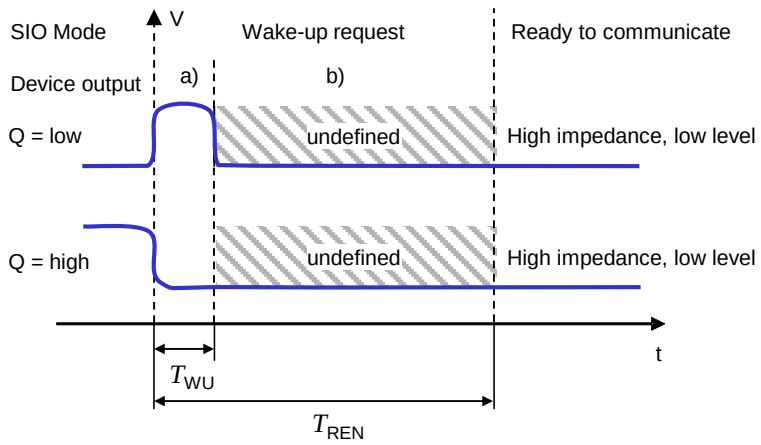



**Figure 21 – Wake-up request**

Table 9 specifies the current and timing properties associated with the wake-up request. See Table 6 for values of $IQPKL_M$ and $IQPKH_M$.

**Table 9 – Wake-up request characteristics**

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $IQ_{WU}$ | Amplitude of Master's wake-up current pulse | $IQPKL_M$ or $IQPKH_M$ | n/a | n/a | mA | Current pulse followed by switching status of Device |
| $T_{WU}$ | Duration of Master's wake-up current pulse | 75 | n/a | 85 | µs | Master property |
| $T_{REN}$ | Receive enable delay | n/a | n/a | 500 | µs | Device property |

## 5.4 Power supply

### 5.4.1 Power supply options

The SDCI connection system provides dedicated power lines in addition to the signal line. The communication section of a Device shall always be powered by the Master using the power lines defined in the 3-wire connection system (Power1).

The maximum supply current available from a Master port is specified in Table 6.

The application part of the device may be powered in one of three ways:

- via the power lines of the SDCI 3-wire connection system (class A ports), using Power1
- via the extra power lines of the SDCI 5-wire connection system (class B ports), using an extra power supply at the Master (Power2)
- via a local power supply at the Device (design specific).

Port class A allows power consumption of up to 200 mA, as specified in Table 6. Maximum power consumption on port class B depends on the selected connection method. M12 only allows up to an extra 3,5 A.

### 5.4.2 Power-on requirements

Figure 22 shows how the power-on behavior of a Device is defined by the ramp-up time of the Power1 supply and by the Device internal time to get ready for the wake-up operation.

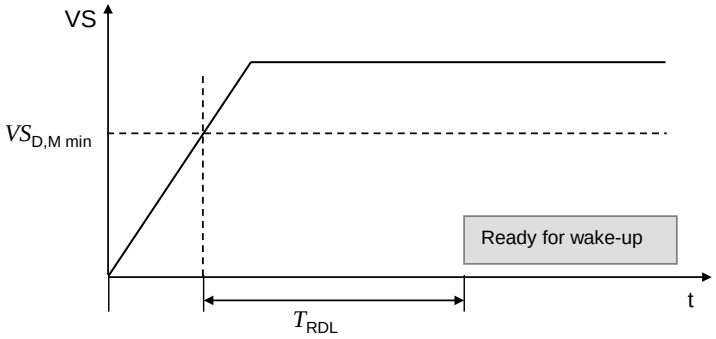



**Figure 22 – Power-on timing for Power1**

Upon power-on it is mandatory for a Device to reach the wake-up ready state within the time limits specified in Table 10.

**Table 10 – Power-on timing**

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $T_{RDL}$ | Wake-up readiness following power-on | n/a | n/a | 300 | ms | Device ramp-up time until it is ready for wake-up signal detection (See NOTE) |
| NOTE Equivalent to the time delay before availability in IEC 60947-5-2. | | | | | | |

## 5.5 Medium

### 5.5.1 Connectors

The Master and Device pin assignment is based on the specifications in IEC 60947-5-2, with extensions specified in the paragraphs below. Ports class A use M5, M8, and M12 connectors, with a maximum of four pins. Ports class B only use M12 connectors with 5 pins. M12 connectors are mechanically A-coded according to IEC 61076-2-101.

NOTE For legacy or compatibility reasons, direct wiring or different types of connectors can be used instead, provided that they do not violate the electrical characteristics and use signal naming specified in this standard.

Female connectors are assigned to the Master and male connectors to the Device. Table 11 lists the pin assignments and Figure 23 shows the layout and mechanical coding for M12, M8, and M5 connections.

**Table 11 – Pin assignments**

| Pin | Signal | Designation | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | L+ | Power supply (+) | See Table 7 |
| 2 | I/Q<br>P24 | NC/DI/DO (port class A)<br>P24 (port class B) | Option 1: NC (not connected)<br>Option 2: DI<br>Option 3: DI, then configured DO<br>Option 4: Extra power supply for power Devices (port class B) |
| 3 | L- | Power supply (-) | See Table 7 |
| 4 | C/Q | SIO/SDCI | Standard I/O mode (DI/DO) or SDCI (see Table 6 for electrical characteristics of DO). |
| 5 | NC<br>N24 | NC (port class A)<br>N24 (port class B) | Option 1: Shall not be connected on the Master side (port class A).<br>Option 2: Reference to the extra power supply (port class B) |
| NOTE M12 is always a 5 pin version on the Master side (female). | | | |

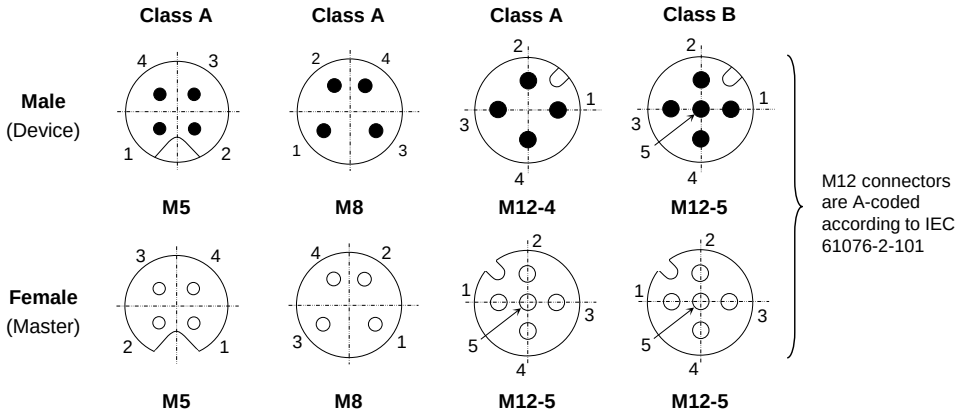



**Figure 23 – Pin layout front view**

Figure 24 shows the layout of the two port classes A and B. Class B ports shall be marked to distinguish them from Class A ports, because of risks deriving from incompatibilities.

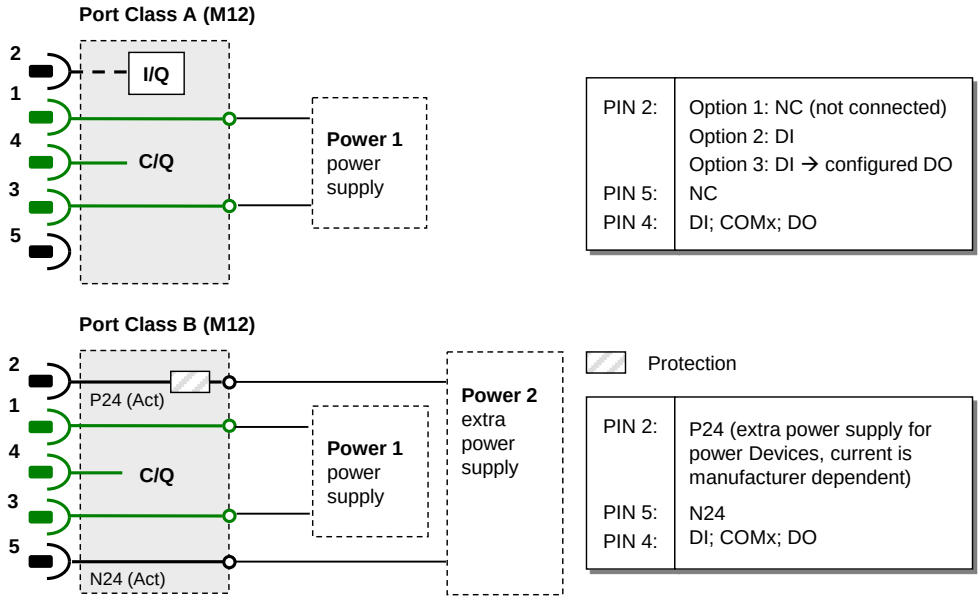



**Figure 24 – Class A and B port definitions**

### 5.5.2 Cable

The transmission medium for SDCI communication is a multi-wired cable with 3 or more wires. The definitions in the following paragraphs implicitly cover the static voltage definitions in Table 5 and Figure 16. To ensure functional reliability, the cable properties shall comply with Table 12.

**Table 12 – Cable characteristics**

| Property | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Length | 0 | n/a | 20 | m |
| Overall loop resistance $RL_{\text{eff}}$ | n/a | n/a | 6,0 | Ω |
| Effective line capacitance $CL_{\text{eff}}$ | n/a | n/a | 3,0 | nF (<1 MHz) |

The loop resistance $RL_{\text{eff}}$ and the effective line capacitance $CL_{\text{eff}}$ may be measured as demonstrated in Figure 25.

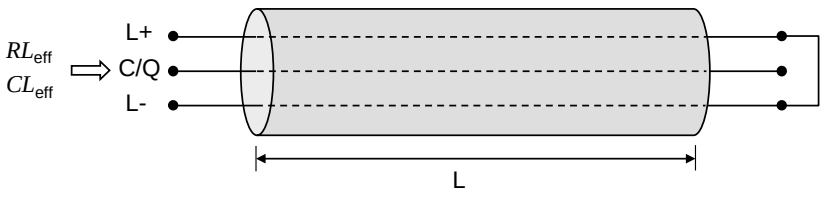



**Figure 25 – Reference schematic for effective line capacitance and loop resistance**

Table 13 shows the cable conductors and their assigned color codes.

**Table 13 – Cable conductor assignments**

| Signal | Designation | Color | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|
| L- | Power supply (-) | Blue[a] | SDCI 3-wire connection system |

| Signal | Designation | Color | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|
| C/Q | Communication signal | Black[a] | SDCI 3-wire connection system |
| L+ | Power supply (+) | Brown[a] | SDCI 3-wire connection system |
| I/Q | DI or DO | White[a] | Optional |
| P24 | Extra power supply (+) | Any other | Optional |
| N24 | Extra power supply (-) | Any other | Optional |
| [a] Corresponding to IEC 60947-5-2 | | | |

# 6 Standard Input and Output (SIO)

Figure 83 and Figure 94 demonstrate how the SIO mode allows a Device to bypass the SDCI communication layers and to map the DI or DO signal directly into the data exchange message of the higher level fieldbus or system. Changing between the SDCI and SIO mode is defined by the user configuration or implicitly by the services of the Master applications. The system management takes care of the corresponding initialization or deactivation of the SDCI communication layers and the physical layer (mode switch). The characteristics of the interfaces for the DI and DO signals are derived from the caracteristics specified in IEC 61131-2 for type 1.

# 7 Data link layer (DL)

## 7.1 General

The data link layers of SDCI are concerned with the delivery of messages between a Master and a Device across the physical link. It uses several M-sequence ("message sequence") types for different data categories.

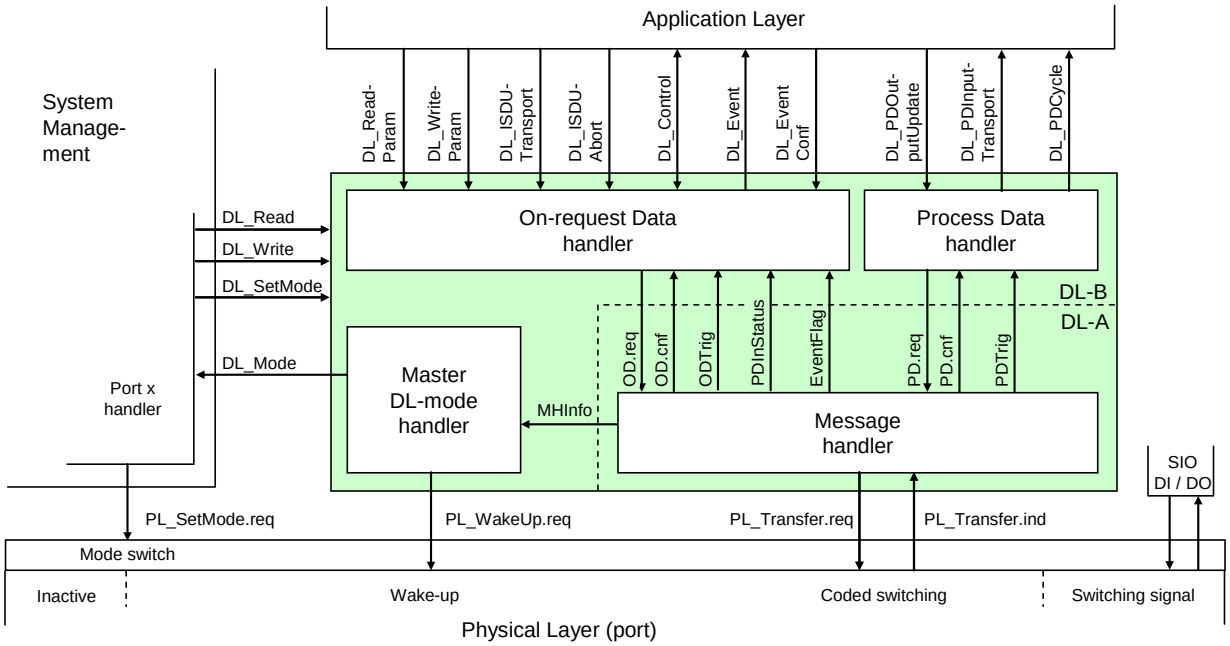
A set of DL-services is available to the application layer (AL) for the exchange of Process Data (PD) and On-request Data (OD). Another set of DL-services is available to system management (SM) for the retrieval of Device identification parameters and the setting of state machines within the DL. The DL uses PL-Services for controlling the physical layer (PL) and for exchanging UART frames. The DL takes care of the error detection of messages (whether internal or reported from the PL) and the appropriate remedial measures (e.g. retry).

The data link layers are structured due to the nature of the data categories into Process Data handlers and On-request Data handlers which are in turn using a message handler to deal with the requested transmission of messages. The special modes of Master ports such as wake-up, COMx, and SIO (disable communication) require a dedicated DL-mode handler within the Master DL. The special wake-up signal modulation requires signal detection on the Device side and thus a DL-mode handler within the Device DL. Each handler comprises its own state machine.

The data link layer is subdivided in a DL-A section with its own internal services and a DL-B section with the external services.

The DL uses additional internal administrative calls between the handlers which are defined in the "internal items" section of the associated state-transition tables.

Figure 26 shows an overview of the structure and the services of the Master's data link layer.




NOTE This figure uses the conventions in 3.3.5.

**Figure 26 – Structure and services of the data link layer (Master)**

Figure 27 shows an overview of the structure and the services of the Device's data link layer.

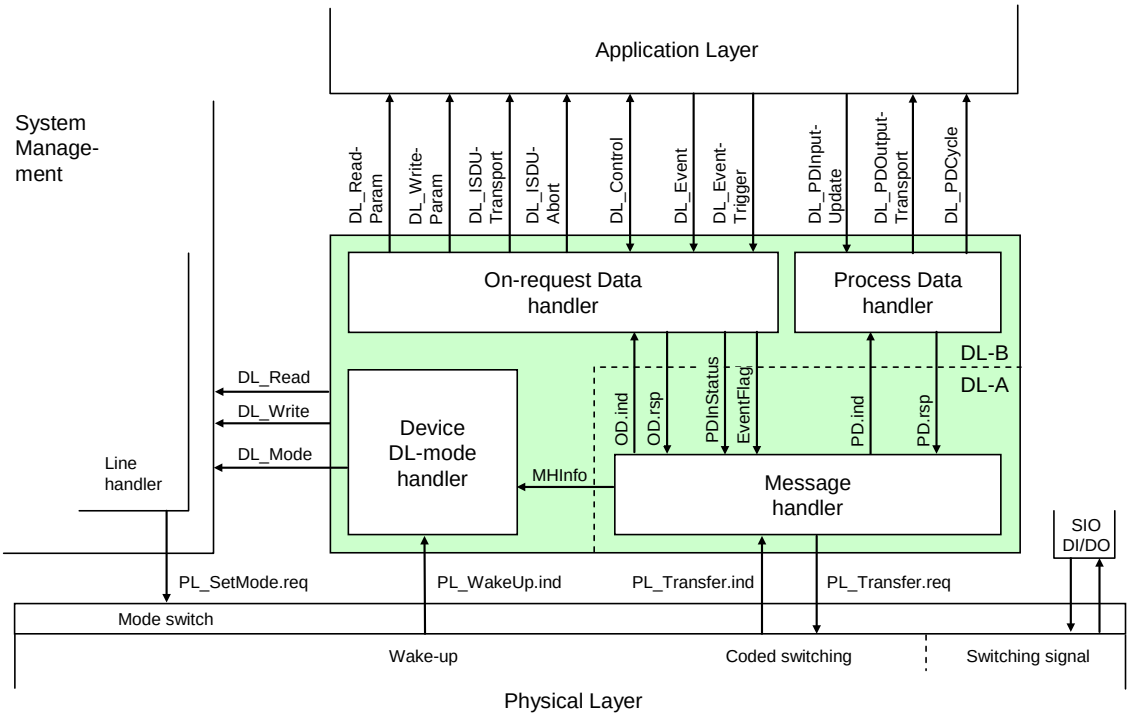



**Figure 27 – Structure and services of the data link layer (Device)**

## 7.2 Data link layer services

### 7.2.1 DL-B services

#### 7.2.1.1 Overview of services within Master and Device

This clause defines the services of the data link layer to be provided to the application layer and system management via its external interfaces. Table 14 lists the assignments of Master and Device to their roles as initiator or receiver for the individual DL services. Empty fields indicate no availability of this service on Master or Device.

**Table 14 – Service assignments within Master and Device**

| Service name | Master | Device |
|---|---|---|
| DL_ReadParam | R | I |
| DL_WriteParam | R | I |
| DL_ISDUTransport | R | I |
| DL_ISDUAbort | R | I |
| DL_PDOutputUpdate | R | |
| DL_PDOutputTransport | | I |
| DL_PDInputUpdate | | R |
| DL_PDInputTransport | I | |
| DL_PDCycle | I | I |
| DL_SetMode | R | |
| DL_Mode | I | I |
| DL_Event | I | R |
| DL_EventConf | R | |
| DL_EventTrigger | | R |
| DL_Control | I / R | R / I |
| DL_Read | R | I |
| DL_Write | R | I |
| Key (see 3.3.4)<br>I Initiator of service<br>R Receiver (responder) of service | | |

See 3.3 for conventions and how to read the service descriptions in 7.2, 8.2, 9.2.2, and 9.3.2.

#### 7.2.1.2 DL_ReadParam

The DL_ReadParam service is used by the AL to read a parameter value from the Device via the page communication channel. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 15.

**Table 15 – DL_ReadParam**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf | .ind |
|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | | M |
| Address | M | | M |
| | | | |
| Result (+) | | S | |
| Value | | M | |

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf | .ind |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | |
| Result (-) | | S | |
| ErrorInfo | | M | |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Address**
This parameter contains the address of the requested Device parameter, i.e. the Device parameter addresses within the page communication channel (see Table B.1).

Permitted values: 0 to 31

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Value**
This parameter contains read Device parameter values.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 7.2.1.3 DL_WriteParam

The DL_WriteParam service is used by the AL to write a parameter value to the Device via the page communication channel. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 16.

**Table 16 – DL_WriteParam**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf | .ind |
|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | | M |
| Address | M | | M |
| Value | M | | M |
| | | | |
| Result (+) | | S | |
| | | | |
| Result (-) | | S | |
| ErrorInfo | | M | |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Address**
This parameter contains the address of the requested Device parameter, i.e. the Device parameter addresses within the page communication channel.

Permitted values: 16 to 31, in accordance with Device parameter access rights

**Value**
This parameter contains the Device parameter value to be written.

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 7.2.1.4 DL_Read

The DL_Read service is used by system management to read a Device parameter value via the page communication channel. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 17.

**Table 17 – DL_Read**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf | .ind |
|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | | M |
| Address | M | | M |
| Result (+) | | S | |
| Value | | M | |
| Result (-) | | S | |
| ErrorInfo | | M | |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Address**
This parameter contains the address of the requested Device parameter, i.e. the Device parameter addresses within the page communication channel (see Table B.1).

Permitted values: 0 to 15, in accordance with Device parameter access rights

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Value**
This parameter contains read Device parameter values.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 7.2.1.5 DL_Write

The DL_Write service is used by system management to write a Device parameter value to the Device via the page communication channel. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 18.

**Table 18 – DL_Write**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf | .ind |
|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | | M |
| Address | M | | M |
| Value | M | | M |
| Result (+) | | S | |
| Result (-) | | S | |
| ErrorInfo | | M | |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Address**
This parameter contains the address of the requested Device parameter, i.e. the Device parameter addresses within the page communication channel.

Permitted values: 0 to 15, in accordance with parameter access rights

**Value**
This parameter contains the Device parameter value to be written.

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 7.2.1.6 DL_ISDUTransport

The DL_ISDUTransport service is used to transport an ISDU. This service is used by the Master to send a service request from the Master application layer to the Device. It is used by the Device to send a service response to the Master from the Device application layer. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 19.

**Table 19 – DL_ISDUTransport**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind | .cnf | .res |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M | | |
| ValueList | M | M | | |

| Parameter name | .req | .ind | .cnf | .res |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Result (+) | | | S | S |
| Data | | | C | C |
| Qualifier | | | M | M |
| | | | | |
| Result (-) | | | S | S |
| ISDUTransportErrorInfo | | | M | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**ValueList**
This parameter contains the relevant operating parameters

Parameter type: Record

**Index**
Permitted values: 2 to 65535 (See B.2.1 for constraints)

**Subindex**
Permitted values: 0 to 255

**Data**
Parameter type: Octet string

**Direction**
Permitted values:
READ (Read operation),
WRITE (Write operation)

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Data**
Parameter type: Octet string

**Qualifier**
Permitted values: an I-Service Device response according to Table A.12

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ISDUTransportErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state),
ISDU_TIMEOUT (ISDU acknowledgement time elapsed, see Table 97),
ISDU_NOT_SUPPORTED (ISDU not implemented),
VALUE_OUT_OF_RANGE (Service parameter value violates range definitions)

#### 7.2.1.7 DL_ISDUAbort

The DL_ISDUAbort service aborts the current ISDU transmission. This service has no parameters. The service primitives are listed in Table 20.

**Table 20 – DL_ISDUAbort**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| <none> | | |

The service returns with the confirmation after abortion of the ISDU transmission.

#### 7.2.1.8 DL_PDOutputUpdate

The Master's application layer uses the DL_PDOutputUpdate service to update the output data (Process Data from Master to Device) on the data link layer. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 21.

**Table 21 – DL_PDOutputUpdate**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| OutputData | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| TransportStatus | | M |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**OutputData**
This parameter contains the Process Data provided by the application layer.

Parameter type: Octet string

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**TransportStatus**
This parameter indicates whether the data link layer is in a state permitting data to be transferred to the communication partner(s).

Permitted values:
YES (data transmission permitted),
NO (data transmission not permitted),

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 7.2.1.9 DL_PDOutputTransport

The data link layer on the Device uses the DL_PDOutputTransport service to transfer the content of output Process Data to the application layer (from Master to Device). The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 22.

**Table 22 – DL_PDOutputTransport**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | M |
| OutputData | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**OutputData**
This parameter contains the Process Data to be transmitted to the application layer.

Parameter type: Octet string

#### 7.2.1.10 DL_PDInputUpdate

The Device's application layer uses the DL_PDInputUpdate service to update the input data (Process Data from Device to Master) on the data link layer. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 23.

**Table 23 – DL_PDInputUpdate**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| InputData | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| TransportStatus | | M |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**InputData**
This parameter contains the Process Data provided by the application layer.

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**TransportStatus**
This parameter indicates whether the data link layer is in a state permitting data to be transferred to the communication partner(s).

Permitted values:
YES (data transmission permitted),
NO (data transmission not permitted),

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 7.2.1.11 DL_PDInputTransport

The data link layer on the Master uses the DL_PDInputTransport service to transfer the content of input data (Process Data from Device to Master) to the application layer. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 24.

**Table 24 – DL_PDInputTransport**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | M |
| InputData | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**InputData**
This parameter contains the Process Data to be transmitted to the application layer.

Parameter type: Octet string

#### 7.2.1.12 DL_PDCycle

The data link layer uses the DL_PDCycle service to indicate the end of a Process Data cycle to the application layer. This service has no parameters. The service primitives are listed in Table 25.

**Table 25 – DL_PDCycle**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| <none> | |

#### 7.2.1.13 DL_SetMode

The DL_SetMode service is used by system management to set up the data link layer's state machines and to send the characteristic values required for operation to the data link layer. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 26.

**Table 26 – DL_SetMode**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| Mode | M | |
| ValueList | U | |
| Result (+) | | S |

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Mode**
This parameter indicates the requested mode of the Master's DL on an individual port.

Permitted values:
INACTIVE (handler shall change to the INACTIVE state),
STARTUP (handler shall change to STARTUP state),
PREOPERATE (handler shall change to PREOPERATE state),
OPERATE (handler shall change to OPERATE state)

**ValueList**
This parameter contains the relevant operating parameters.

Data structure: record

**M-sequenceTime:** (to be propagated to message handler)

**M-sequenceType:** (to be propagated to message handler)
Permitted values:
TYPE_0,
TYPE_1_1, TYPE_1_2, TYPE_1_V,
TYPE_2_1, TYPE_2_2, TYPE_2_3, TYPE_2_4, TYPE_2_5, TYPE_2_6, TYPE_2_V
(TYPE_1_1 forces interleave mode of Process and On-request Data transmission, see 7.3.4.2)

**PDInputLength:** (to be propagated to message handler)

**PDOutputLength:** (to be propagated to message handler)

**OnReqDataLengthPerMessage:** (to be propagated to message handler)

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state),
PARAMETER_CONFLICT (consistency of parameter set violated)

### 7.2.1.14 DL_Mode

The DL uses the DL_Mode service to report to system management that a certain operating status has been reached. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 27.

**Table 27 – DL_Mode**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | M |
| RealMode | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**RealMode**
This parameter indicates the status of the DL-mode handler.

Permitted values:

| | |
|---|---|
| INACTIVE | (Handler changed to the INACTIVE state) |
| COM1 | (COM1 mode established) |
| COM2 | (COM2 mode established) |
| COM3 | (COM3 mode established) |
| COMLOST | (Lost communication) |
| ESTABCOM | (Handler changed to the EstablishCom state) |
| STARTUP | (Handler changed to the STARTUP state) |
| PREOPERATE | (Handler changed to the PREOPERATE state) |
| OPERATE | (Handler changed to the OPERATE state) |

### 7.2.1.15 DL_Event

The service DL_Event indicates a pending status or error information. The cause for an Event is located in a Device and the Device application triggers the Event transfer. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 28.

**Table 28 – DL_Event**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M |
| Instance | M | M |
| Type | M | M |
| Mode | M | M |
| EventCode | M | M |
| EventsLeft | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Instance**
This parameter indicates the Event source.

Permitted values: Application (see Table A.17)

**Type**
This parameter indicates the Event category.

Permitted values: ERROR, WARNING, NOTIFICATION (see Table A.19)

**Mode**
This parameter indicates the Event mode.

Permitted values: SINGLESHOT, APPEARS, DISAPPEARS (see Table A.20)

**EventCode**
This parameter contains a code identifying a certain Event (see Table D.1).

Parameter type: 16 bit unsigned integer

**EventsLeft**
This parameter indicates the number of unprocessed Events.

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1247 #### 7.2.1.16 DL_EventConf

1248 The DL_EventConf service confirms the transmitted Events via the Event handler. This
1249 service has no parameters. The service primitives are listed in Table 29.

1250 **Table 29 – DL_EventConf**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| <none> | | |

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1252 #### 7.2.1.17 DL_EventTrigger

1253 The DL_EventTrigger request starts the Event signaling (see Event flag in Figure A.3) and
1254 freezes the Event memory within the DL. The confirmation is returned after the activated
1255 Events have been processed. Additional DL_EventTrigger requests are ignored until the
1256 previous one has been confirmed (see 7.3.8, 8.3.3 and Figure 64). This service has no
1257 parameters. The service primitives are listed in Table 30.

1258 **Table 30 – DL_EventTrigger**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| <none> | | |

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1260 #### 7.2.1.18 DL_Control

1261 The Master uses the DL_Control service to convey control information via the
1262 MasterCommand mechanism to the corresponding technology specific Device application and
1263 to get control information via the PD status flag mechanism (see A.1.5) and the PDInStatus
1264 service (see 7.2.2.5). The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 31.

1265 **Table 31 – DL_Control**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M |
| ControlCode | M | M(=) |

1266
1267 **Argument**
1268 The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

1269 **ControlCode**
1270 This parameter indicates the qualifier status of the Process Data (PD)

1271 Permitted values:
1272 VALID (Input Process Data valid; see 7.2.2.5, 8.2.2.12)
1273 INVALID (Input Process Data invalid)
1274 PDOUTVALID (Output Process Data valid; see 7.3.7.1)
1275 PDOUTINVALID (Output Process Data invalid or missing)

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### 7.2.2 DL-A services

#### 7.2.2.1 Overview

According to 7.1 the data link layer is split into the upper layer DL-B and the lower layer DL-A. The layer DL-A comprises the message handler as shown in Figure 26 and Figure 27.

The Master message handler encodes commands and data into messages and sends these to the connected Device via the physical layer. It receives messages from the Device via the physical layer and forwards their content to the corresponding handlers in the form of a confirmation. When the "Event flag" is set in a Device message (see A.1.5), the Master message handler invokes an EventFlag service to prompt the Event handler.

The Master message handler shall employ a retry strategy following a corrupted message, i.e. upon receiving an incorrect checksum from a Device, or no checksum at all. In these cases the Master shall repeat the Master message two times (see Table 97). If the retries are not successful, a negative confirmation shall be provided and the Master shall re-initiate the communication via the Port-x handler beginning with a wake-up.

After a start-up phase the message handler performs cyclic operation with the M-sequence type and cycle time provided by the DL_SetMode service.

Table 32 lists the assignment of Master and Device to their roles as initiator (I) or receiver (R) in the context of the execution of their individual DL-A services.

**Table 32 – DL-A services within Master and Device**

| Service name | Master | Device |
|---|---|---|
| OD | R | I |
| PD | R | I |
| EventFlag | I | R |
| PDInStatus | I | R |
| MHInfo | I | I |
| ODTrig | I | |
| PDTrig | I | |

#### 7.2.2.2 OD

The OD service is used to set up the On-request Data for the next message to be sent. In turn, the confirmation of the service contains the data from the receiver. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 33.

**Table 33 – OD**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind | .rsp | .cnf |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M | | |
| RWDirection | M | M | | |
| ComChannel | M | M | | |
| AddressCtrl | M | M | | |
| Length | M | M | | |
| Data | C | C | | |

| Parameter name | .req | .ind | .rsp | .cnf |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Result (+) | | | S | S |
| Data | | | C | C(=) |
| Length | | | M | M |
| | | | | |
| Result (-) | | | S | S |
| ErrorInfo | | | M | M(=) |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**RWDirection**
This parameter indicates the read or write direction.

Permitted values:
READ (Read operation),
WRITE (Write operation)

**ComChannel**
This parameter indicates the selected communication channel for the transmission.

Permitted values: DIAGNOSIS, PAGE, ISDU (see Table A.1)

**AddressCtrl**
This parameter contains the address or flow control value (see A.1.2).

Permitted values: 0 to 31

**Length**
This parameter contains the length of data to transmit.

Permitted values: 0 to 32

**Data**
This parameter contains the data to transmit.

Data type: Octet string

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Data**
This parameter contains the read data values.

**Length**
This parameter contains the length of the received data package.

Permitted values: 0 to 32

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 7.2.2.3 PD

The PD service is used to setup the Process Data to be sent through the process communication channel. The confirmation of the service contains the data from the receiver. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 34.

**Table 34 – PD**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind | .rsp | .cnf |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M | | |
| PDInAddress | C | C(=) | | |
| PDInLength | C | C(=) | | |
| PDOut | C | C(=) | | |
| PDOutAddress | C | C(=) | | |
| PDOutLength | C | C(=) | | |
| | | | | |
| Result (+) | | | S | S |
| PDIn | | | C | C(=) |
| | | | | |
| Result (-) | | | S | S |
| ErrorInfo | | | M | M(=) |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**PDInAddress**
This parameter contains the address of the requested input Process Data (see 7.3.4.2).

**PDInLength**
This parameter contains the length of the requested input Process Data.

Permitted values: 0 to 32

**PDOut**
This parameter contains the Process Data to be transferred from Master to Device.

Data type: Octet string

**PDOutAddress**
This parameter contains the address of the transmitted output Process Data (see 7.3.4.2).

**PDOutLength**
This parameter contains the length of the transmitted output Process Data.

Permitted values: 0 to 32

**Result (+)**

This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**PDIn**
This parameter contains the Process Data to be transferred from Device to Master.

Data type: Octet string

**Result (-)**

This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**

This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_COMM (no communication available),
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 7.2.2.4 EventFlag

The EventFlag service sets or signals the status of the "Event flag" (see A.1.5) during cyclic communication. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 35.

**Table 35 – EventFlag**

| Parameter name | .ind | .req |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | | |
| Flag | M | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Flag**
This parameter contains the value of the "Event flag".

Permitted values:
TRUE ("Event flag" = 1)
FALSE ("Event flag" = 0)

#### 7.2.2.5 PDInStatus

The service PDInStatus sets and signals the validity qualifier of the input Process Data. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 36.

**Table 36 – PDInStatus**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | | |
| Status | M | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Status**
This parameter contains the validity indication of the transmitted input Process Data.

Permitted values:
VALID (Input Process Data valid based on PD status flag (see A.1.5); see 7.2.1.18)
INVALID (Input Process Data invalid)

#### 7.2.2.6 MHInfo

The service MHInfo signals an exceptional operation within the message handler. The parameters of the service are listed in Table 37.

**Table 37 – MHInfo**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | |
| MHInfo | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**MHInfo**
This parameter contains the exception indication of the message handler.

Permitted values:
COMLOST (lost communication),
ILLEGAL_MESSAGETYPE (unexpected M-sequence type detected)
CHECKSUM_MISMATCH (Checksum error detected)

#### 7.2.2.7 ODTrig

The service ODTrig is only available on the Master. The service triggers the On-request Data handler and the ISDU, Command, or Event handler currently in charge to provide the On-request Data (via the OD service) for the next Master message. The parameters of the service are listed in Table 38.

**Table 38 – ODTrig**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | |
| DataLength | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**DataLength**
This parameter contains the available space for On-request Data (OD) per message.

#### 7.2.2.8 PDTrig

The service PDTrig is only available on the Master. The service triggers the Process Data handler to provide the Process Data (PD) for the next Master message.

The parameters of the service are listed in Table 39.

**Table 39 – PDTrig**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | |
| DataLength | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**DataLength**
This parameter contains the available space for Process Data (PD) per message.

## 7.3 Data link layer protocol

### 7.3.1 Overview

Figure 26 and Figure 27 are showing the structure of the data link layer and its components; a DL-mode handler, a message handler, a Process Data handler, and an On-request Data handler to provide the specified services. Subclauses 7.3.2 to 7.3.8 define the behaviour (dynamics) of these handlers by means of UML state machines and transition tables.

The On-request Data handler supports three independent types of data: ISDU, command and Event. Therefore, three additional state machines are working together with the On-request Data handler state machine as shown in Figure 28. Supplementary sequence or activity diagrams are demonstrating certain use cases. See IEC/TR 62390 and ISO/IEC 19505.

The elements each handler is dealing with, such as messages, wake-up procedures, interleave mode, ISDU (Indexed Service Data Units), and Events are defined within the context of the respective handler.

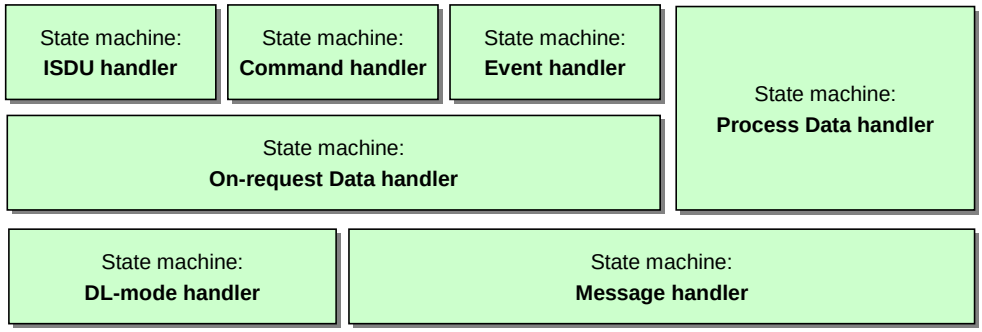


**Figure 28 – State machines of the data link layer**

### 7.3.2 DL-mode handler

#### 7.3.2.1 General

The Master DL-mode handler shown in Figure 26 is responsible to setup the SDCI communication using services of the Physical Layer (PL) and internal administrative calls to control and monitor the message handler as well as the states of other handlers.

The Device DL-mode handler shown in Figure 27 is responsible to detect a wake-up request and to establish communication. It receives MasterCommands to synchronize with the Master DL-mode handler states STARTUP, PREOPERATE, and OPERATE and manages the activation and de-activation of handlers as appropriate.

#### 7.3.2.2 Wake-up procedures and Device conformity rules

System management triggers the following actions on the data link layer with the help of the DL_SetMode service (requested mode = STARTUP).

The Master DL-mode handler tries to establish communication via a wake-up request (PL_WakeUp.req) followed by a test message with M-sequence TYPE_0 (read "MinCycleTime") according to the sequence shown in Figure 29.

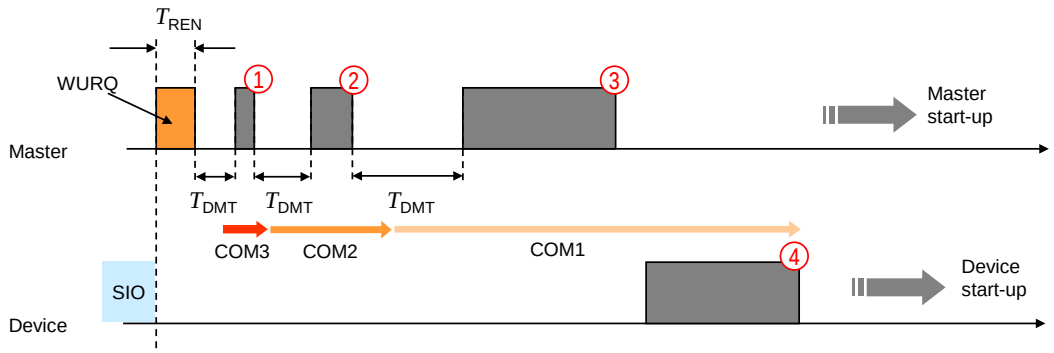


**Figure 29 – Example of an attempt to establish communication**

After the wake-up request (WURQ), specified in 5.3.3.3, the DL-mode handler requests the message handler to send the first test message after a time $T_{REN}$ (see Table 9) and $T_{DMT}$ (see Table 40). The specified transmission rates of COM1, COM2, and COM3 are used in descending order until a response is obtained, as shown in the example of Figure 29:

Step ①: Master message with transmission rate of COM3 (see Table 8).

Step ②: Master message with transmission rate of COM2 (see Table 8).

Step ③: Master message with transmission rate of COM1 (see Table 8).

Step ④: Device response message with transmission rate of COM1.

Before initiating a (new) message, the DL-mode handler shall wait at least for a time of $T_{DMT}$. $T_{DMT}$ is specified in Table 40.

The following conformity rule applies for Devices regarding support of transmission rates:

- a Device shall support only one of the transmission rates of COM1, COM2, or COM3.

If an attempt to establish communication fails, the Master DL-mode handler shall not start a new retry wake-up procedure until after a time $T_{DWU}$ as shown in Figure 30 and specified in Table 40.

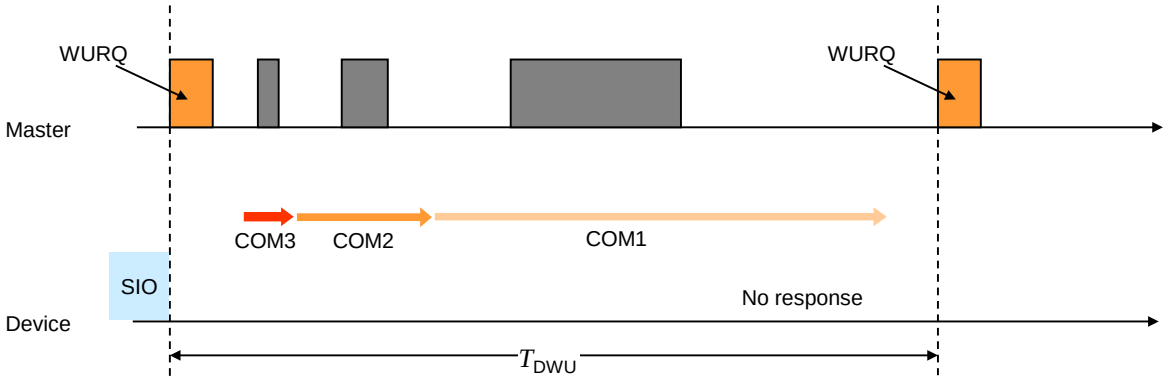


**Figure 30 – Failed attempt to establish communication**

The Master shall make up to $n_{WU}$+1 successive wake-up requests as shown in Figure 31. If this initial wake-up retry sequence fails, the Device shall reset its C/Q line to SIO mode after a time $T_{DSIO}$ ($T_{DSIO}$ is retrigged in the Device after each detected WURQ). The Master shall not trigger a new wake-up retry sequence until after a time $T_{SD}$.

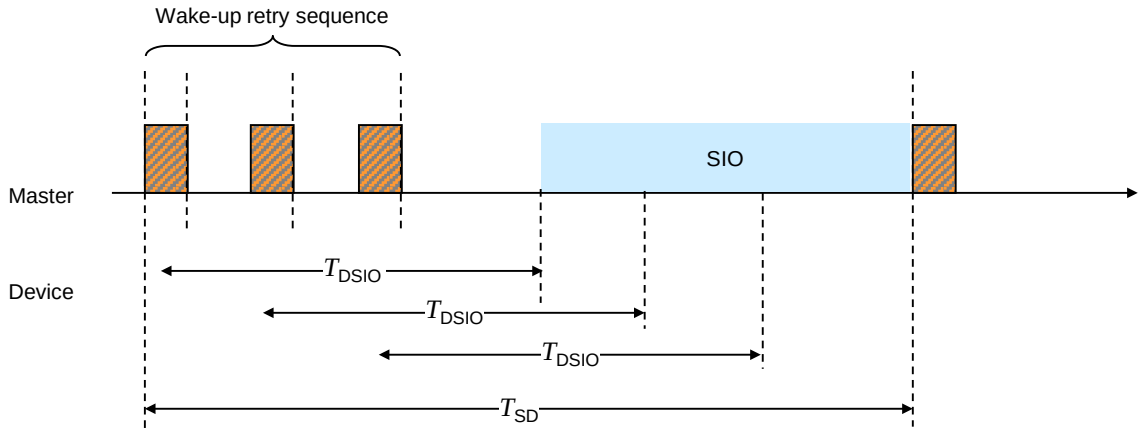


**Figure 31 – Retry strategy to establish communication**

The DL of the Master shall request the PL to go to SIO mode after a failed wake-up retry sequence.

The values for the timings of the wake-up procedures and retries are specified in Table 9 and Table 40. They are defined from a Master's point of view.

**Table 40 – Wake-up procedure and retry characteristics**

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $T_{DMT}$ | Master message delay | 27 | n/a | 37 | $T_{BIT}$ | Bit time of subsequent data transmission rate |
| $T_{DSIO}$ | Standard IO delay | 60 | n/a | 300 | ms | After $T_{DSIO}$ the Device falls back to SIO mode (if supported) |
| $T_{DWU}$ | Wake-up retry delay | 30 | n/a | 50 | ms | After $T_{DWU}$ the Master repeats the wake-up request |
| $n_{WU}$ | Wake-up retry count | 2 | 2 | 2 | | Number of wake-up request retries |
| $T_{SD}$ | Device detection time | 0,5 | n/a | 1 | s | Time between 2 wake-up request sequences. (See NOTE) |
| NOTE Characteristic of the Master. | | | | | | |

The Master's data link layer shall stop the establishing communication procedure once it finds a communicating Device, and shall report the detected COMx-Mode to system management using a DL_Mode indication. If the procedure fails, a corresponding error is reported using the same service.

#### 7.3.2.3 Fallback procedure

System management induces the following actions on the data link layer with the help of the DL_SetMode service (mode = INACTIVE):

- A MasterCommand "Fallback" (see Table B.2) forces the Device to change to the SIO mode.
- The Device shall accomplish the transition to the SIO mode after 3 MasterCycleTimes and/or within 500 ms after the MasterCommand "Fallback". This allows for possible retries if the MasterCommand failed indicated through a negative Device response.

Figure 32 shows the fallback procedure and its retry and timing constraints.

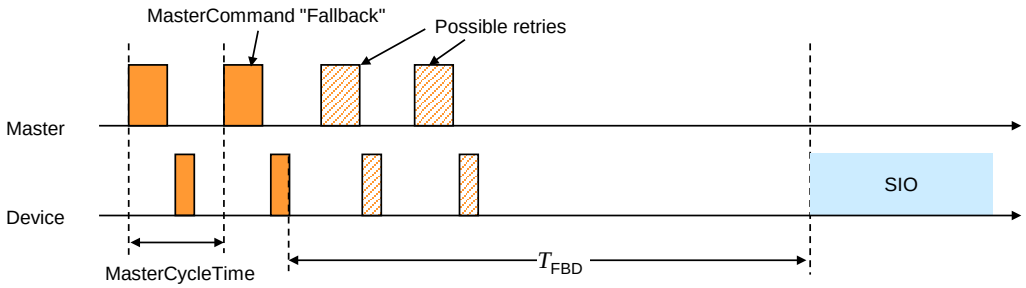


**Figure 32 – Fallback procedure**

Table 41 specifies the fallback timing characteristics. See A.2.6 for details.

**Table 41 – Fallback timing characteristics**

| Property | Designation | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $T_{FBD}$ | Fallback delay | 3 MasterCycle-Times (OPERATE)<br>or<br>3 $T_{initcyc}$ (PREOPERATE) | n/a | 500 | ms | After a time $T_{FBD}$ the Device shall be switched to SIO mode (see Figure 32) |

### 7.3.2.4 State machine of the Master DL-mode handler

Figure 33 shows the state machine of the Master DL-mode handler.

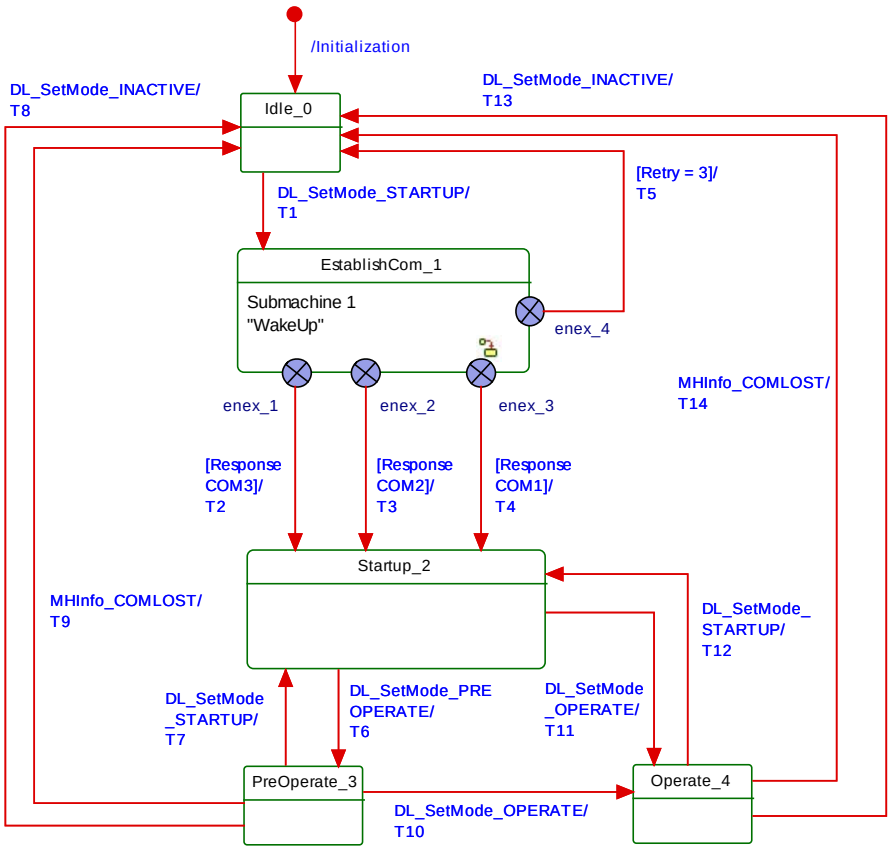


**Figure 33 – State machine of the Master DL-mode handler**

NOTE The conventions of the UML diagram types are defined in 3.3.7.

After reception of the service DL_SetMode_STARTUP from system management, the DL-mode handler shall first create a wake-up current pulse via the PL_WakeUp service and then establish communication. This procedure is specified in submachine 1 in Figure 34.

The purpose of state "Startup_2" is to check a Device's identity via the data of the Direct Parameter page (see Figure 5). In state "PreOperate_3", the Master assigns parameters to the Device using ISDUs. Cyclic exchange of Process Data is performed in state "Operate". Within this state additional On-request Data such as ISDUs, commands, and Events can be transmitted using appropriate M-sequence types (see Figure 37).

In state PreOperate_3 and Operate_4 different sets of handlers within the Master are activated.

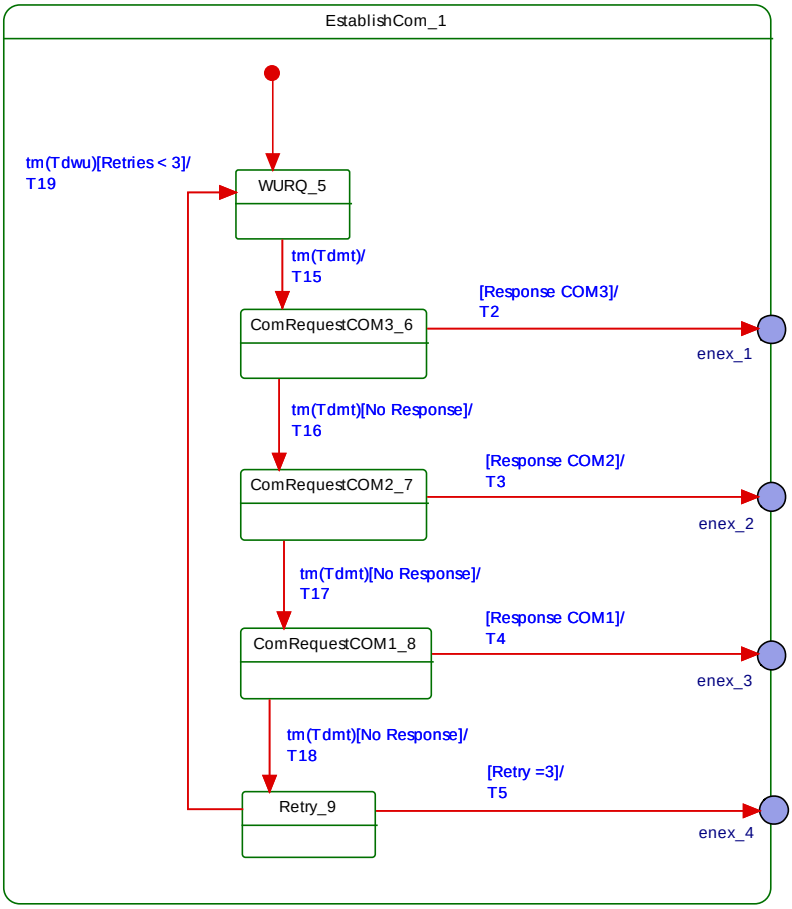


**Figure 34 – Submachine 1 to establish communication**

Table 42 shows the state transition tables of the Master DL-mode handler.

**Table 42 – State transition tables of the Master DL-mode handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Idle_0 | Waiting on wakeup request from System Management (SM): DL_SetMode (STARTUP) |
| EstablishComm_1 | Perform wakeup procedure (submachine 1) |
| Startup_2 | System Management uses the STARTUP state for Device identification, check, and communication configuration (see Figure 69) |
| Preoperate_3 | On-request Data exchange (parameter, commands, Events) without Process Data |

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Operate_4 | Process Data and On-request Data exchange (parameter, commands, Events) |
| SM: WURQ_5 | Create wakeup current pulse: Invoke service PL-Wake-Up (see Figure 11 and 5.3.3.3) and wait $T_{DMT}$ (see Table 40). |
| SM: ComRequestCOM3_6 | Try test message with transmission rate of COM3 via the message handler: Call MH_Conf_COMx (see Figure 38) and wait $T_{DMT}$ (see Table 40). |
| SM: ComRequestCOM2_7 | Try test message with transmission rate of COM2 via the message handler: Call MH_Conf_COMx (see Figure 38) and wait $T_{DMT}$ (see Table 40). |
| SM: ComRequestCOM1_8 | Try test message with transmission rate of COM1 via the message handler: Call MH_Conf_COMx (see Figure 38) and wait $T_{DMT}$ (see Table 40). |
| SM: Retry_9 | Check number of Retries |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | Set Retry = 0. |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | Transmission rate of COM3 successful. Message handler activated and configured to COM3 (see Figure 38, Transition T2). Activate command handler (call CH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 51). Return DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) and DL_Mode.ind (COM3) to SM. |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | Transmission rate of COM2 successful. Message handler activated and configured to COM2 (see Figure 38, Transition T2). Activate command handler (call CH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 51). Return DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) and DL_Mode.ind (COM2) to SM. |
| T4 | 1 | 2 | Transmission rate of COM1 successful. Message handler activated and configured to COM1 (see Figure 38, Transition T2). Activate command handler (call CH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 51). Return DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) and DL_Mode.ind (COM1) to SM. |
| T5 | 1 | 0 | Return DL_Mode.ind (INACTIVE) to SM. |
| T6 | 2 | 3 | SM requested the PREOPERATE state. Activate On-request Data (call OH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 46), ISDU (call IH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 49), and Event handler (call EH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 53). Change message handler state to PREOPERATE (call MH_Conf_PREOPERATE in Figure 38). Return DL_Mode.ind (PREOPERATE) to SM. |
| T7 | 3 | 2 | SM requested the STARTUP state. Change message handler state to STARTUP (call MH_Conf_STARTUP in Figure 38). Deactivate On-request Data (call OH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 46), ISDU (call IH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 49), command (call CH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 51) and Event handler (call EH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 53). Return DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) to SM. |
| T8 | 3 | 0 | SM requested the SIO mode. Deactivate all handlers (call xx_Conf_INACTIVE). Return DL_Mode.ind (INACTIVE) to SM. See 7.3.2.3. |
| T9 | 3 | 0 | Message handler informs about lost communication via the DL-A service MHInfo (COMLOST). Deactivate all handlers (call xx_Conf_INACTIVE). Return DL_Mode.ind (COMLOST) to SM. |
| T10 | 3 | 4 | SM requested the OPERATE state. Activate the Process Data handler (call PD_Conf_SINGLE if M-sequence type = TYPE_2_x, or PD_Conf_INTERLEAVE if M-sequence type = TYPE_1_1 in Figure 44). Change message handler state to OPERATE (call MH_Conf_OPERATE in Figure 38). Return DL_Mode.ind (OPERATE) to SM. |
| T11 | 2 | 4 | SM requested the OPERATE state. Activate the Process Data handler (call PD_Conf_SINGLE or PD_Conf_INTERLEAVE in Figure 44 according to the Master port configuration). Activate On-request Data (call OH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 46), ISDU (call IH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 49), and Event handler (call EH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 53). Change message handler state to OPERATE (call MH_Conf_OPERATE in Figure 38). Return DL_Mode.ind (OPERATE) to SM. |
| T12 | 4 | 2 | SM requested the STARTUP state. Change message handler state to STARTUP (call MH_Conf_STARTUP in Figure 38). Deactivate Process Data (call PD_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 44), On-request Data (call OH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 46), ISDU (call IH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 49), and Event handler (call EH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 53). Return DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) to SM. |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T13 | 4 | 0 | SM requested the SIO state. Deactivate all handlers (call xx_Conf_INACTIVE). Return DL_Mode.ind (INACTIVE) to SM. See 7.3.2.3. |
| T14 | 4 | 0 | Message handler informs about lost communication via the DL-A service MHInfo (COMLOST). Deactivate all handlers (call xx_Conf_INACTIVE). Return DL_Mode.ind (COMLOST) to SM. |
| T15 | 5 | 6 | Set transmission rate of COM3 mode. |
| T16 | 6 | 7 | Set transmission rate of COM2 mode. |
| T17 | 7 | 8 | Set transmission rate of COM1 mode. |
| T18 | 8 | 9 | Increment Retry |
| T19 | 9 | 5 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| MH_Conf_COMx | Call | This call causes the message handler to send a message with the requested transmission rate of COMx and with M-sequence TYPE_0 (see Table 44). |
| MH_Conf_STARTUP | Call | This call causes the message handler to switch to the STARTUP state (see Figure 38) |
| MH_Conf_PREOPERATE | Call | This call causes the message handler to switch to the PREOPERATE state (see Figure 38) |
| MH_Conf_OPERATE | Call | This call causes the message handler to switch to the OPERATE state (see Figure 38) |
| xx_Conf_ACTIVE | Call | This call activates the respective handler. xx is substitute for MH (message handler), OH (On-request Data handler), IH (ISDU handler), CH (Command handler), and/or EH (Event handler) |
| xx_Conf_INACTIVE | Call | This call deactivates the message handler. xx is substitute for MH (message handler), OH (On-request Data handler), IH (ISDU handler), CH (Command handler), and/or EH (Eventhandler) |
| Retry | Variable | Number of retries to establish communication |

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1534 **7.3.2.5 State machine of the Device DL-mode handler**

1535 Figure 35 shows the state machine of the Device DL-mode handler. In state PreOperate_3
1536 and Operate_4 different sets of handlers within the Device are activated.

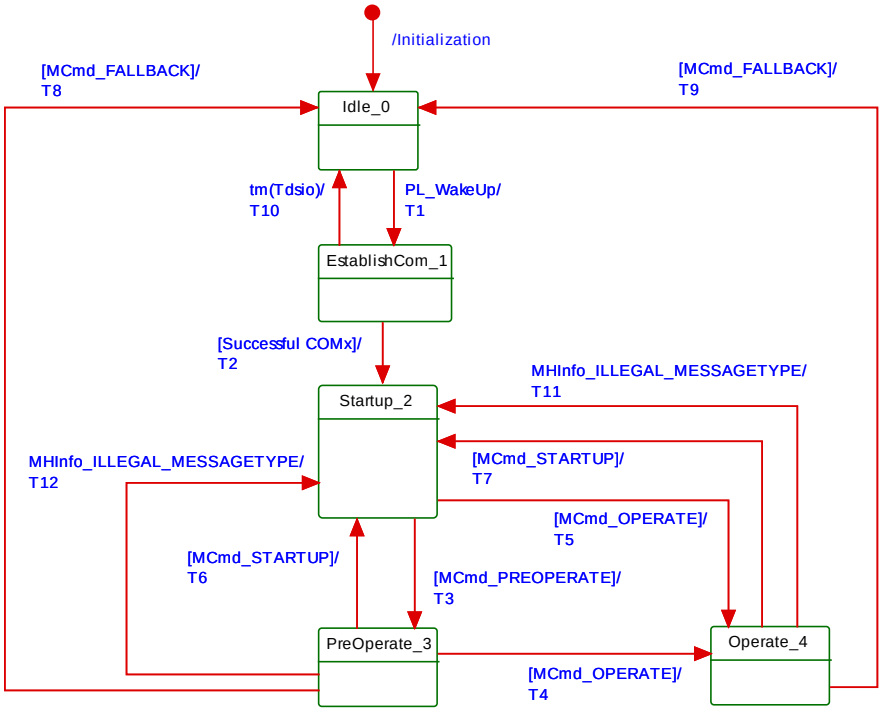


**Figure 35 – State machine of the Device DL-mode handler**

The Master uses MasterCommands (see Table 42) to change the Device to SIO, STARTUP, PREOPERATE, and OPERATE states. Whenever the message handler detects illegal (unexpected) M-sequence types, it will cause the DL-mode handler to change to the STARTUP state and to indicate this state to its system mangement (see 9.3.3.2) for the purpose of synchronization of Master and Device.

Table 43 shows the state transition tables of the Device DL-mode handler.

**Table 43 – State transition tables of the Device DL-mode handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Idle_0 | Waiting on a detected wakeup current pulse (PL_WakeUp.ind). |
| EstablishComm_1 | Message handler activated and waiting for the COMx test messages (see Table 42) |
| Startup_2 | Compatibility check (see 9.2.3.3) |
| Preoperate_3 | On-request Data exchange (parameter, commands, Events) without Process Data |
| Operate_4 | Process Data (PD) and On-request Data exchange (parameter, commands, Events) |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | Wakeup current pulse detected. Activate message handler (call MH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 42). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (ESTABCOM) to SM. |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | One out of the three transmission rates of COM3, COM2, or COM1 mode established. Activate On-request Data (call OH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 47) and command handler (call CH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 52). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (COM1, COM2, or COM3) to SM. |
| T3 | 2 | 3 | Device command handler received MasterCommand (MCmd_PREOPERATE). Activate ISDU (call IH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 50) and Event handler (call EH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 54). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (PREOPERATE) to SM. |
| T4 | 3 | 4 | Device command handler received MasterCommand (MCmd_OPERATE). Activate Process Data handler (call PD_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 45). |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (OPERATE) to SM. |
| T5 | 2 | 4 | Device command handler received MasterCommand (MCmd_OPERATE). Activate Process Data handler (call PD_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 45), ISDU (call IH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 50), and Event handler (call EH_Conf_ACTIVE in Figure 54). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (OPERATE) to SM. |
| T6 | 3 | 2 | Device command handler received MasterCommand (MCmd_STARTUP). Deactivate ISDU (call IH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 50) and Event handler (call EH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 54). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) to SM. |
| T7 | 4 | 2 | Device command handler received MasterCommand (MCmd_STARTUP). Deactivate Process Data handler (call PD_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 45), ISDU (call IH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 50), and Event handler (call EH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 54). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) to SM. |
| T8 | 3 | 0 | Device command handler received MasterCommand (MCmd_FALLBACK). Wait until $T_{FBD}$ elapsed, and then deactivate all handlers (call xx_Conf_INACTIVE). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (INACTIVE) to SM (see Figure 79 and Table 93). |
| T9 | 4 | 0 | Device command handler received MasterCommand (MCmd_FALLBACK). Wait until $T_{FBD}$ elapsed, and then deactivate all handlers (call xx_Conf_INACTIVE). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (INACTIVE) to SM (see Figure 79 and Table 93). |
| T10 | 1 | 0 | After unsuccessful wakeup procedures (see Figure 30) the Device establishes the configured SIO mode after an elapsed time $T_{DSIO}$ (see Figure 31). Deactivate all handlers (call xx_Conf_INACTIVE). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (INACTIVE) to SM. |
| T11 | 4 | 2 | Message handler detected an illegal M-sequence type. Deactivate Process Data (call PD_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 45), ISDU (call IH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 50), and Event handler (call EH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 54). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) to SM (see Figure 79 and Table 93). |
| T12 | 3 | 2 | Message handler detected an illegal M-sequence type. Deactivate ISDU (call IH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 50) and Event handler (call EH_Conf_INACTIVE in Figure 54). Indicate state via service DL_Mode.ind (STARTUP) to SM (see Figure 79 and Table 93). |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| $T_{FBD}$ | Time | See Table 41. |
| $T_{DSIO}$ | Time | See Figure 31 |
| MCmd_XXXXXXX | Call | Any MasterCommand received by the Device command handler (see Table 42 and Figure 52, state "CommandHandler_2") |

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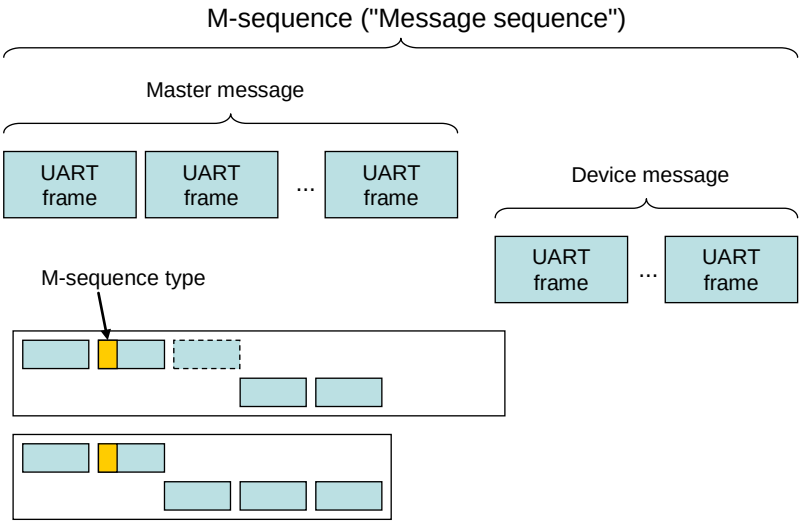
1549 ### 7.3.3 Message handler

1550 #### 7.3.3.1 General

1551 The role of the message handler is specified in 7.1 and 7.2.2.1. This subclause specifies the
1552 structure and types of M-sequences and the behaviour (dynamics) of the message handler.

1553 #### 7.3.3.2 M-sequences

1554 A Master and its Device exchange data by means of a sequence of messages (M-sequence).
1555 An M-sequence comprises a message from the Master followed by a message from the
1556 Device as shown in Figure 36. Each message consists of UART frames.

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1558 **Figure 36 – SDCI message sequences**

1559 All the multi-octet data types shall be transmitted as a big-endian sequence, i.e. the most
1560 significant octet (MSO) shall be sent first, followed by less significant octets in descending
1561 order, with the least significant octet (LSO) being sent last, as shown in Figure 2.

1562 The Master message starts with the "M-sequence Control" (MC) octet, followed by the
1563 "CHECK/TYPE" (CKT) octet, and optionally followed by either "Process Data" (PD) and/or
1564 "On-request Data" (OD) octets. The Device message in turn starts optionally with "Process
1565 Data" (PD) octets and/or "On-request Data" (OD) octets, followed by the "CHECK/STAT"
1566 (CKS) octet.

1567 Various M-sequence types can be selected to meet the particular needs of an actuator or
1568 sensor (scan rate, amount of Process Data). The length of Master and Device messages may
1569 vary depending on the type of messages and the data transmission direction, see Figure 36.

1570 Figure 37 presents an overview of the defined M-sequence types. Parts within dotted lines
1571 depend on the read or write direction within the M-sequence control octet.

1572 The fixed M-sequence types consist of TYPE_0, TYPE_1_1, TYPE_1_2, and TYPE_2_1
1573 through TYPE_2_6. The variable M-sequence types consist of TYPE_1_V and TYPE_2_V.

1574 The different M-sequence types meet the various requirements of sensors and actuators
1575 regarding their Process Data width and respective conditions. See A.2 for details of M-
1576 sequence types. See A.3 for the timing constraints with M-sequences.

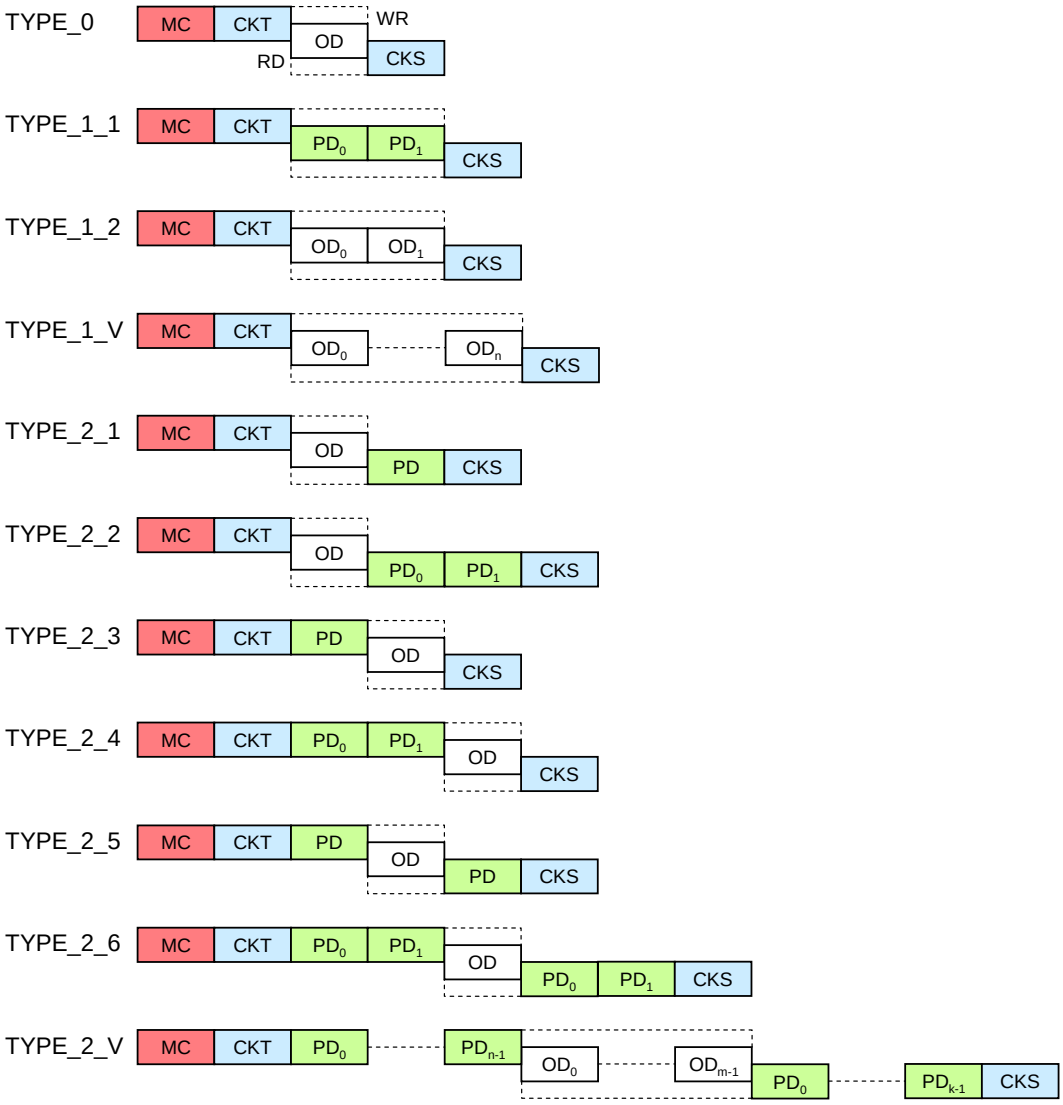



**Figure 37 – Overview of M-sequence types**

### 7.3.3.3 MasterCycleTime constraints

Within state STARTUP and PREOPERATE a Device is able to communicate in an acyclic manner. In order to detect the disconnecting of Devices it is highly recommended for the Master to perform from this point on a periodic communication ("keep-alive message") via acyclic M-sequences through the data link layer. The minimum recovery times for acyclic communication specified in A.2.6 shall be considered.

After these phases, cyclic Process Data communication can be started by the Master via the DL_SetMode (OPERATE) service. M-sequence types for the cyclic data exchange shall be used in this communication phase to exchange Process Data (PD) and On-request Data with a Device (see Table A.9 and Table A.10).

The Master shall use for time $t_{CYC}$ the value indicated in the Device parameter "MasterCycleTime" (see Table B.1) with a relative tolerance of 0 % to +10 % (including jitter).

In cases, where a Device has to be switched back to SIO mode after parameterization, the Master shall send a command "Fallback" (see Table B.2), which is followed by a confirmation from the Device.

### 7.3.3.4 State machine of the Master message handler

Figure 38 shows the Master state machine of the Master message handler. Three submachines describing reactions on communication errors are shown in Figure 39, Figure 40, and Figure 41.

The message handler takes care of the special communication requirements within the states "EstablishCom", "Startup", "PreOperate", and "Operate" of the DL-Mode handler.

An internal administrative call MH_Conf_COMx in state "Inactive_0" causes the message handler to send "test" messages with M-sequence TYPE_0 and different transmission rates of COM3, COM2, or COM1 during the establish communication sequence.

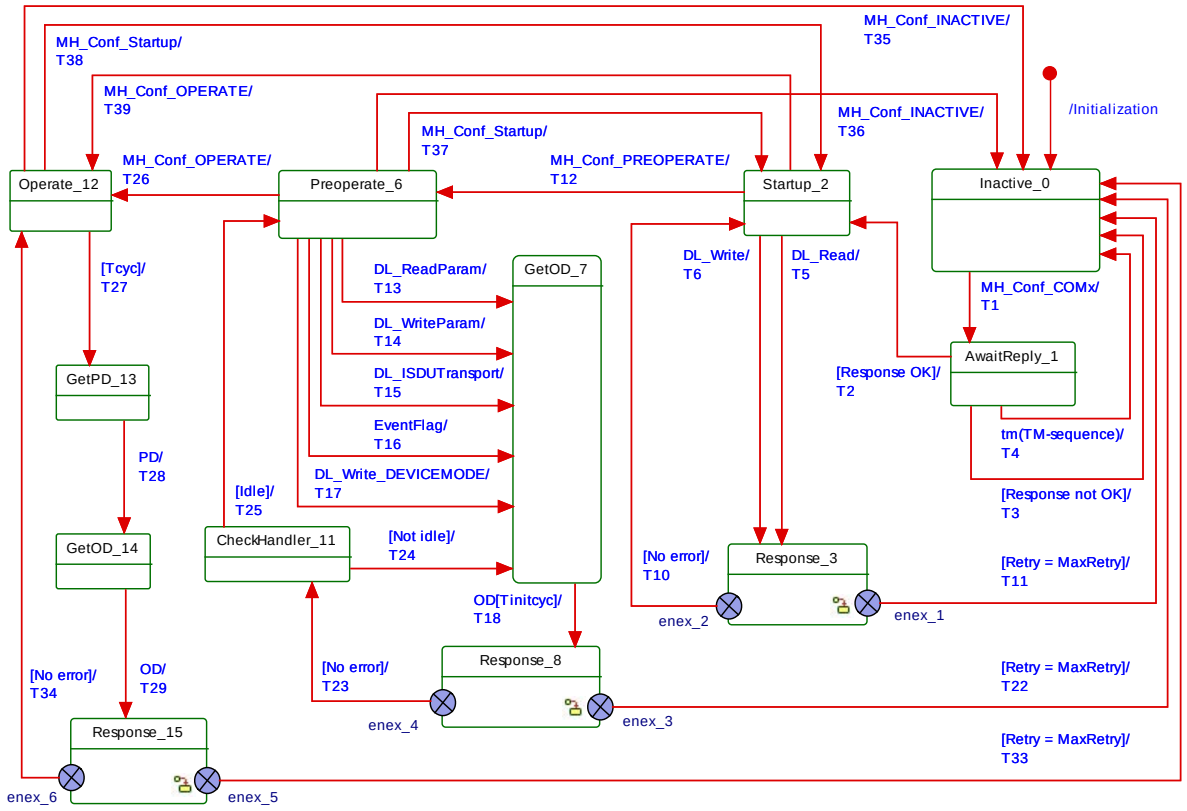


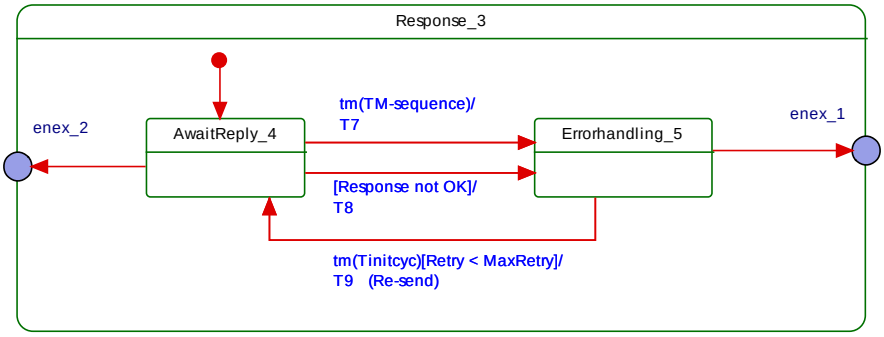

**Figure 38 – State machine of the Master message handler**

The state "Startup_2" provides all the communication means to support the identity checks of system management with the help of DL_Read and DL_Write services. The message handler waits on the occurrence of these services to send and receive messages (acyclic communication).

The state "Preoperate_6" is the checkpoint for all On-request Data activities such as ISDUs, commands, and Events for parameterization of the Device. The message handler waits on the occurrence of the services shown in Figure 38 to send and receive messages (acyclic communication).

The state "Operate_12" is the checkpoint for cyclic Process Data exchange. Depending on the M-sequence type the message handler generates Master messages with Process Data acquired from the Process Data handler via the PD service and optionally On-request Data acquired from the On-request Data handler via the OD service.

Figure 39 shows the submachine of state "Response 3".

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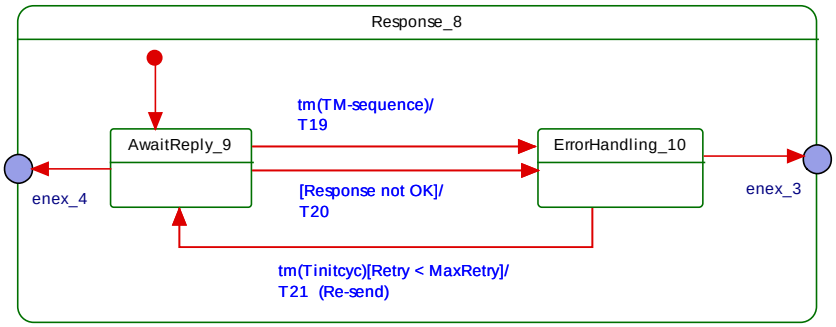
1619 **Figure 39 – Submachine "Response 3" of the message handler**

1620 Figure 40 shows the submachine of state "Response 8".

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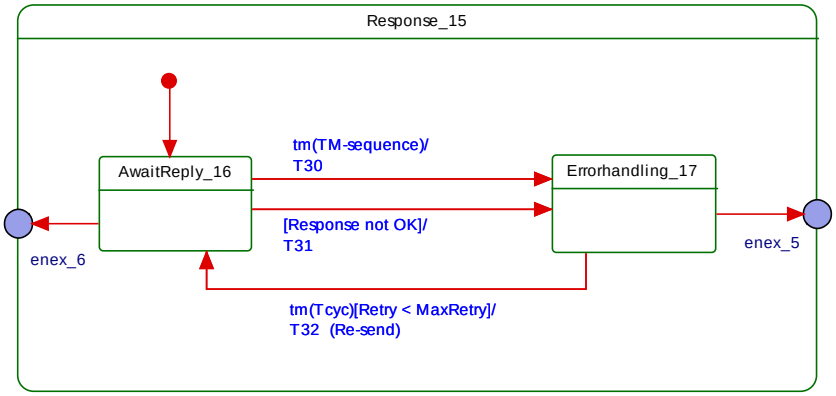
1622 **Figure 40 – Submachine "Response 8" of the message handler**

1623 Figure 41shows the submachine of state "Response 15".

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1625 **Figure 41 – Submachine "Response 15" of the message handler**

1626 Table 44 shows the state transition tables of the Master message handler.

1627 **Table 44 – State transition table of the Master message handler**

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| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on demand for a "test" message via MH_Conf_COMx call (see Figure 34 and Table 42) from DL-mode handler. |
| AwaitReply_1 | Waiting on response from the Device to the "test" message. Return to Inactive_0 state |

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| | whenever the time $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$ elapsed without response from the Device or the response to the "test" message could not be decoded. In case of a correct response from the Device, the message handler changes to the Startup_2 state. |
| Startup_2 | When entered via transition T2, this state is responsible to control acyclic On-request Data exchange according to conditions specified in Table A.7. Any service DL_Write or DL_Read from system management causes a transition. |
| Response_3 | The OD service caused the message handler to send a corresponding message.The submachine in this pseudo state waits on the response and checks its correctness. |
| SM: AwaitReply_4 | This state checks whether the time $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$ elapsed and the response is correct. |
| SM: ErrorHandling_5 | In case of an incorrect response the message handler will re-send the message after a waiting time $T_{\text{initcyc}}$. After too many retries the message handler will change to the Inactive_0 state. |
| Preoperate_6 | Upon reception of a call MH_Conf_PREOPERATE the message handler changed to this state. The message handler is now responsible to control acyclic On-request Data exchange according to conditions specified in Table A.8. Any service DL_ReadParam, DL_WriteParam, DL_ISDUTransport, DL_Write, or EventFlag causes a transition. |
| GetOD_7 | The message handler used the ODTrig service to aquire OD from the On-request Data handler. The message handler waits on the OD service to send a message after a time $T_{\text{initcyc}}$. |
| Response_8 | The OD service caused the message handler to send a corresponding message.The submachine in this pseudo state waits on the response and checks its correctness. |
| SM: AwaitReply_9 | This state checks whether the time $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$ elapsed and the response is correct. |
| SM: ErrorHandling_10 | In case of an incorrect response the message handler will re-send the message after a waiting time $T_{\text{initcyc}}$. After too many retries the message handler will change to the Inactive_0 state. |
| CheckHandler_11 | Some services require several OD acquisition cycles to exchange the OD. Whenever the affected OD, ISDU, or Event handler returned to the idle state, the message handler can leave the OD acquisition loop. |
| Operate_12 | Upon reception of a call MH_Conf_OPERATE the message handler changed to this state and after an initial time $T_{\text{initcyc}}$, it is responsible to control cyclic Process Data and On-request Data exchange according to conditions specified in Table A.9 and Table A.10. The message handler restarts on its own a new message cycle after the time $t_{\text{CYC}}$ elapsed. |
| GetPD_13 | The message handler used the PDTrig service to aquire PD from the Process Data handler. The message handler waits on the PD service and then changes to state GetOD_14. |
| GetOD_14 | The message handler used the ODTrig service to aquire OD from the On-request Data handler. The message handler waits on the OD service to complement the already acquired PD and to send a message with the acquired PD/OD. |
| Response_15 | The message handler sent a message with the acquired PD/OD.The submachine in this pseudo state waits on the response and checks its correctness. |
| SM: AwaitReply_16 | This state checks whether the time $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$ elapsed and the response is correct. |
| SM: ErrorHandling_17 | In case of an incorrect response the message handler will re-send the message after a waiting time $t_{\text{CYC}}$. After too many retries the message handler will change to the Inactive_0 state. |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | Send a message with the requested transmission rate of COMx and with M-sequence TYPE_0: Read Direct Parameter page 1, address 0x02 ("MinCycleTime"), compiling into an M-sequence control MC = 0xA2 (see A.1.2). Start timer with $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$. |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | Return value of "MinCycleTime" via DL_Read service confirmation. |
| T3 | 1 | 0 | Reset timer ($T_{\text{M-sequence}}$). |
| T4 | 1 | 0 | Reset timer ($T_{\text{M-sequence}}$). |
| T5 | 2 | 3 | Send message using the established transmission rate, the page communication channel, and the read access option (see A.1.2). Start |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | timer with $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$. |
| T6 | 2 | 3 | Send message using the established transmission rate, the page communication channel, and the write access option (see A.1.2). Start timer with $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$. |
| T7 | 4 | 5 | Reset timer ($T_{\text{M-sequence}}$). |
| T8 | 4 | 5 | Reset timer ($T_{\text{M-sequence}}$). |
| T9 | 5 | 4 | Re-send message after a time $T_{\text{initcyc}}$. Restart timer with $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$. |
| T10 | 3 | 2 | Return DL_Read or DL_Write service confirmation respectively to system management. |
| T11 | 3 | 0 | Message handler returns MH_Info (COMLOST) to DL-mode handler. |
| T12 | 2 | 6 | - |
| T13 | 6 | 7 | The Message handler invokes the ODTrig service for the On-request handler (see Figure 46), which is in state "ISDU_1". In this state it causes the ISDU handler to provide the OD service in correspondence to the DL_ReadParam service (see Figure 49, Transition T13). |
| T14 | 6 | 7 | The Message handler invokes the ODTrig service for the On-request handler (see Figure 46), which is in state "ISDU_1". In this state it causes the ISDU handler to provide the OD service in correspondence to the DL_WriteParam service (see Figure 49, Transition T13). |
| T15 | 6 | 7 | The Message handler invokes the ODTrig service for the On-request handler (see Figure 46), which is in state "ISDU_1". In this state it causes the ISDU handler to provide the OD service in correspondence to the DL_ISDUTransort service (see Figure 49, Transition T2). The message handler may need several cycles until the ISDU handler returns to the "idle" state. |
| T16 | 6 | 7 | The Message handler invokes the ODTrig service for the On-request handler (see Figure 46), which is in state "Event_4". In this state it causes the Event handler to provide the OD service in correspondence to the EventFlag service (see Figure 53, Transition T2). The message handler may need several cycles until the Event handler returns to the "idle" state. |
| T17 | 6 | 7 | The Message handler invokes the ODTrig service for the On-request handler (see Figure 46), which is in state "ISDU_1". In this state it causes the ISDU handler to provide the OD service in correspondence to the DL_Write service (see Figure 49, Transition T13). |
| T18 | 7 | 8 | Send message after a recovery time $T_{\text{initcyc}}$ caused by the OD.req service. Start timer with $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$. |
| T19 | 9 | 10 | Reset timer ($T_{\text{M-sequence}}$). |
| T20 | 9 | 10 | Reset timer ($T_{\text{M-sequence}}$). |
| T21 | 10 | 9 | Re-send message after a time $T_{\text{initcyc}}$. Restart timer with $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$. |
| T22 | 8 | 0 | Message handler changes to state Inactive_0 and returns MH_Info (COMLOST) to DL-mode handler. |
| T23 | 8 | 11 | - |
| T24 | 11 | 7 | Acquire OD through invocation of the ODTrig service to the On-request Data handler, which in turn triggers the current handler in charge via the ISDU or EventTrig call. |
| T25 | 11 | 6 | Return result via service primitive OD.cnf |
| T26 | 6 | 12 | Message handler changes to state Operate_12. |
| T27 | 12 | 13 | Start the $t_{\text{CYC}}$ -timer. Acquire PD through invocation of the PDTrig service to the Process Data handler (see Figure 44). |
| T28 | 13 | 14 | Acquire OD through invocation of the ODTrig service to the On-request Data handler (see Figure 46). |
| T29 | 14 | 15 | PD and OD ready through PD.req service from PD handler and OD.req service via the OD handler. Message handler sends message. Start timer with $T_{\text{M-sequence}}$. |
| T30 | 16 | 17 | Reset timer ($T_{\text{M-sequence}}$). |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T31 | 16 | 17 | Reset timer ($T_{M\text{-}sequence}$). |
| T32 | 17 | 16 | Re-send message after a time $t_{CYC}$. Restart timer with $T_{M\text{-}sequence}$. |
| T33 | 15 | 0 | Message handler changes to state Inactive_0 and returns MH_Info (COMLOST) to DL-mode handler. |
| T34 | 15 | 12 | Device response message is correct. Return PD via service PD.cnf and via call PDTrig to the PD handler (see Table 46). Return OD via service OD.cnf and via call ODTrig to the On-request Data hander, which redirects it to the ISDU (see Table 51), Command (see Table 54), or Event handler (see Table 57) in charge. |
| T35 | 12 | 0 | Message handler changes to state Inactive_0 and returns MH_Info (COMLOST) to the DL-mode handler. |
| T36 | 6 | 0 | Message handler changes to state Inactive_0 and returns MH_Info (COMLOST) to the DL-mode handler. |
| T37 | 6 | 2 | - |
| T38 | 12 | 2 | - |
| T39 | 2 | 12 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| Retry | Variable | Retry counter |
| MaxRetry | Constant | MaxRetry = 2, see Table 97 |
| $t_{M\text{-}sequence}$ | Time | See equation (A.6) |
| $t_{CYC}$ | Time | The DL_SetMode service provides this value with its parameter "M-sequenceTime". See equation (A.7) |
| $t_{initcyc}$ | Time | See A.2.6 |
| MH_Conf_xxx | Call | See Table 42 |

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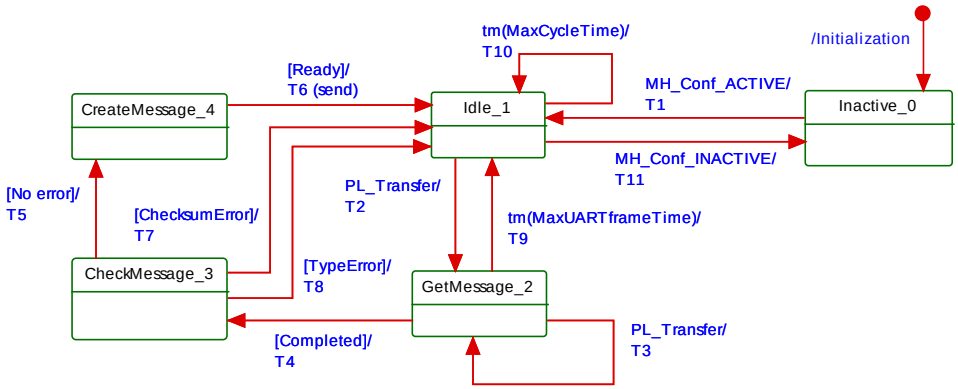
1632 **7.3.3.5 State machine of the Device message handler**

1633 Figure 42 shows the state machine of the Device message handler.

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1635 **Figure 42 – State machine of the Device message handler**

1636 Table 45 shows the state transition tables of the Device message handler.

1637 **Table 45 – State transition tables of the Device message handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting for activation by the Device DL-mode handler through MH_Conf_ACTIVE (see Table 43, Transition T1). |
| Idle_1 | Waiting on first UART frame of the Master message through PL_Transfer service indication. Check whether time "MaxCycleTime" elapsed. |
| GetMessage_2 | Receive a Master message UART frame. Check number of received UART frames (Device knows M-sequence type and thus knows the number of the UART frames). Check whether the time "MaxUARTframeTime" elapsed. |
| CheckMessage_3 | Check M-sequence type and checksum of received message. |
| CreateMessage_4 | Compile message from OD.rsp, PD.rsp, EventFlag, and PDStatus services. |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | Start "MaxUARTframeTime" and "MaxCycleTime" when in OPERATE. |
| T3 | 2 | 2 | Restart timer "MaxUARTframeTime". |
| T4 | 2 | 3 | Reset timer "MaxUARTframeTime". |
| T5 | 3 | 4 | Invoke OD.ind and PD.ind service indications |
| T6 | 4 | 1 | Compile and invoke PL_Transfer.rsp service response (Device sends response message) |
| T7 | 3 | 1 | Indicate error to DL-mode handler via MHInfo (CHECKSUM_MISMATCH) |
| T8 | 3 | 1 | Indicate error to DL-mode handler via MHInfo (ILLEGAL_MESSAGETYPE) |
| T9 | 2 | 1 | Reset both timers "MaxUARTframeTime" and "MaxCycleTime". |
| T10 | 1 | 1 | Indicate error to DL-mode handler via MHInfo (COMLOST). Actuators shall observe this information and take corresponding actions (see 10.2 and 10.7.3). |
| T11 | 1 | 0 | Device message handler changes state to Inactive_0. |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| MaxUARTFrameTime | Time | Time for the transmission of a UART frame (11 $T_{BIT}$) plus maximum of $t_1$ (1 $T_{BIT}$) = 11 $T_{BIT}$. |
| MaxCycleTime | Time | The purpose of the timer "MaxCycleTime" is to check, whether cyclic Process Data exchange took too much time or has been interrupted. MaxCycleTime shall be > MasterCycleTime (see A.3.7). |
| TypeError | Guard | One of the possible errors detected: ILLEGAL_MESSAGETYPE, or COMLOST |
| ChecksumError | Guard | Checksum error of message detected |

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### 1641 7.3.4 Process Data handler

#### 1642 7.3.4.1 General

1643 The transport of output Process Data is performed using the DL_OutputUpdate services and
1644 for input Process Data using the DL_InputTransport services (see Figure 26). A Process Data
1645 cycle is completed when the entire set of Process Data has been transferred between Master
1646 and Device in the requested direction. Such a cycle can last for more than one M-sequence.

1647 All Process Data are transmitted within one M-sequence when using M-sequences of
1648 TYPE_2_x (see Figure 37). In this case the execution time of a Process Data cycle is equal to
1649 the cycle time $t_{CYC}$.

### 7.3.4.2 Interleave mode

All Process Data and On-request Data are transmitted in this case with multiple alternating M-sequences TYPE_1_1 (Process Data) and TYPE_1_2 (On-request Data) as shown in Figure 43. It demonstrates the Master messages writing output Process Data to a Device. The service parameter PDOutAddress indicates the partition of the output PD to be transmitted (see 7.2.2.3). For input Process Data the service parameter PDInAddress correspondingly indicates the partition of the input PD. Within a Process Data cycle all input PD shall be read first followed by all output PD to be written. A Process Data cycle comprises all cycle times required to transmit the complete Process Data.

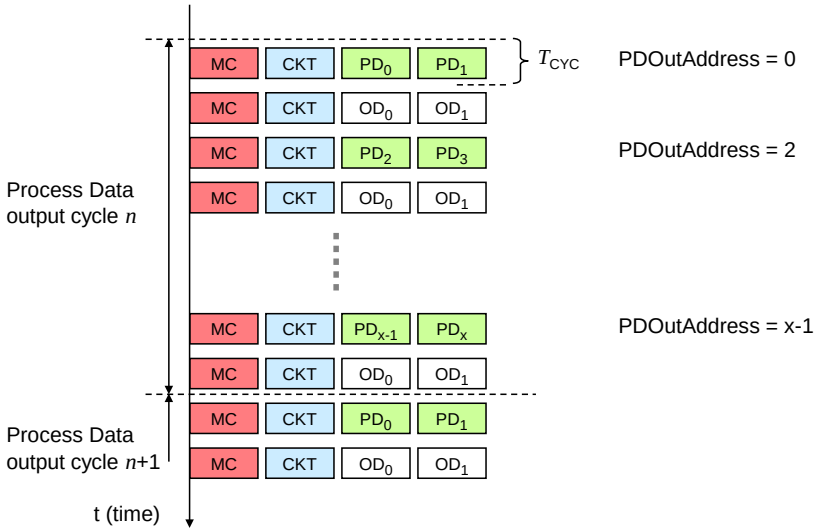


**Figure 43 – Interleave mode for the segmented transmission of Process Data**

Interleave mode is for legacy Devices only.

### 7.3.4.3 State machine of the Master Process Data handler

Figure 44 shows the state machine of the Master Process Data handler.

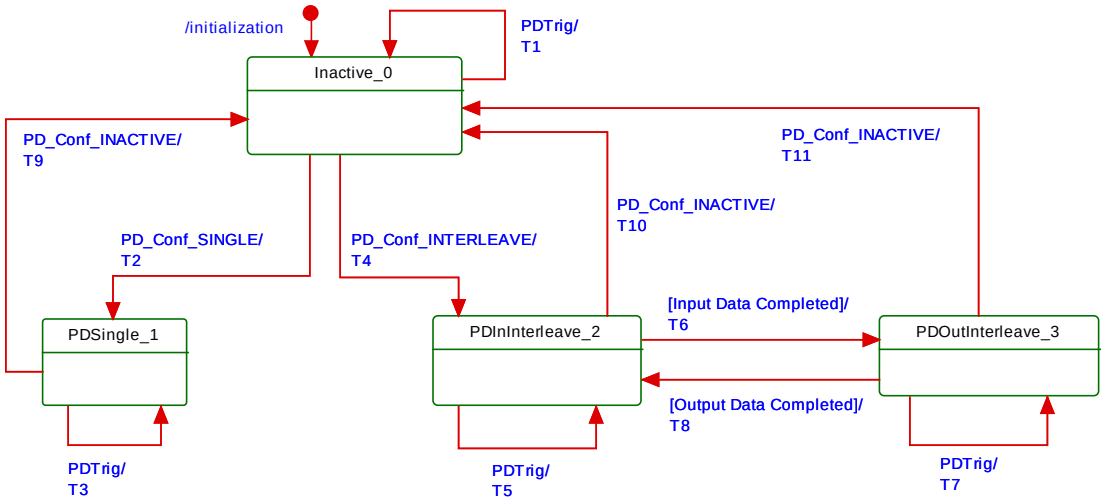


**Figure 44 – State machine of the Master Process Data handler**

Table 46 shows the state transition tables of the Master Process Data handler.

1667 **Table 46 – State transition tables of the Master Process Data handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting for activation |
| PDSingle_1 | Process Data communication within one single M-sequence |
| PDInInterleave_2 | Input Process Data communication in interleave mode |
| PDOutInterleave_3 | Output Process Data communication in interleave mode |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 0 | Invoke PD.req with no Process Data |
| T2 | 0 | 1 | NOTE The DL-mode handler configured the Process Data handler for single PD transmission (see Table 42, T10 or T11). |
| T3 | 1 | 1 | Take data from DL_PDOutputUpdate service and invoke PD.req to propagate output PD to the message handler.<br>Take data from PD.cnf and invoke DL_PDInputTransport.ind and DL_PDCycle.ind to propagate input PD to the AL. |
| T4 | 0 | 2 | NOTE Configured for interleave PD transmission (see Table 42, T10 or T11). |
| T5 | 2 | 2 | Invoke PD.req and use PD.cnf to prepare DL_PDInputTransport.ind. |
| T6 | 2 | 3 | Invoke DL_PDInputTransport.ind and DL_PDCycle.ind to propagate input PD to the AL (see 7.2.1.11). |
| T7 | 3 | 3 | Take data from DL_PDOutputUpdate service and invoke PD.req to propagate output PD to the message handler. |
| T8 | 3 | 2 | Invoke DL_PDCycle.ind to indicate end of Process Data cycle to the AL (see 7.2.1.12). |
| T9 | 1 | 0 | - |
| T10 | 2 | 0 | - |
| T11 | 3 | 0 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| <None> | | |

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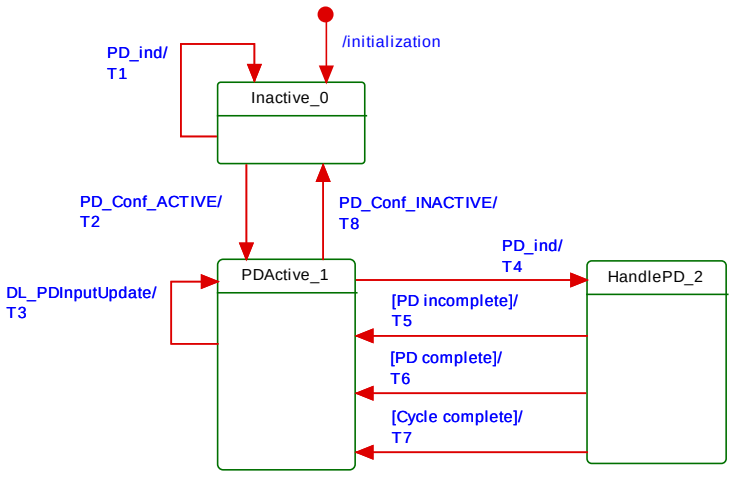
1671 ### 7.3.4.4 State machine of the Device Process Data handler

1672 Figure 45 shows the state machine of the Device Process Data handler.

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1674 **Figure 45 – State machine of the Device Process Data handler**

See sequence diagrams in Figure 65 and Figure 66 for context.

Table 47 shows the state transition tables of the Device Process Data handler

**Table 47 – State transition tables of the Device Process Data handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation |
| PDActive_1 | Handler active and waiting on next message handler demand via PD service or DL_PDInputUpdate service from AL. |
| HandlePD_2 | Check Process Data for completeness in interleave mode |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 0 | Ignore Process Data |
| T2 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T3 | 1 | 1 | Prepare input Process Data for PD.rsp for next message handler demand |
| T4 | 1 | 2 | Message handler demands input PD via a PD.ind service and delivers output PD or segment of output PD. Invoke PD.rsp with input Process Data when in non-interleave mode (see 7.2.2.3). |
| T5 | 2 | 1 | - |
| T6 | 2 | 1 | Invoke DL_PDOutputTransport.ind (see 7.2.1.9) |
| T7 | 2 | 1 | Invoke DL_PDCycle.ind (see 7.2.1.12) |
| T8 | 1 | 0 | - |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| PD_ind | Label | Invocation of service PD.ind occurred from message handler |

### 7.3.5 On-request Data handler

#### 7.3.5.1 General

The Master On-request Data handler is a subordinate state machine active in the "Startup_2", "PreOperate_3", and "Operate_4" state of the DL-mode handler (see Figure 33). It controls three other state machines, the so-called ISDU handler, the command handler, and the Event handler. It always starts with the ISDU handler by default.

Whenever an EventFlag.ind is received, the state machine will change to the Event handler. After the complete readout of the Event information it will return to the ISDU handler state.

Whenever a DL_Control.req or PDInStatus.ind service is received while in the ISDU handler or in the Event handler, the state machine will change to the command handler. Once the command has been served, the state machine will return to the previously active state (ISDU or Event).

#### 7.3.5.2 State machine of the Master On-request Data handler

Figure 46 shows the Master state machine of the On-request Data handler.

The On-request Data handler redirects the ODTrig.ind service primitive for the next message content to the currently active subsidiary handler (ISDU, command, or Event). This is performed through one of the ISDUTrig, CommandTrig, or EventTrig calls.

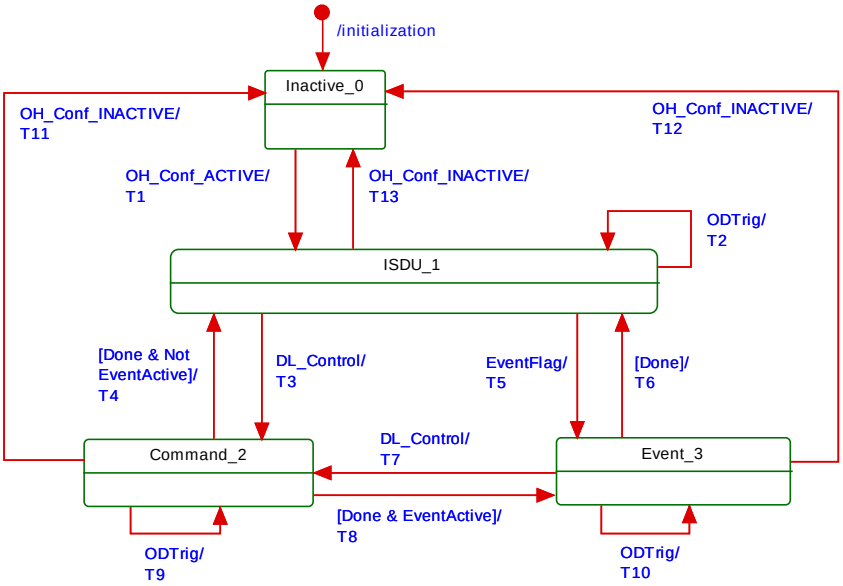


**Figure 46 – State machine of the Master On-request Data handler**

Table 48 shows the state transition tables of the Master On-request Data handler.

**Table 48 – State transition tables of the Master On-request Data handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation |
| ISDU_1 | Default state of the on-request handler (lowest priority) |
| Command_2 | State to control the Device via commands with highest priority |
| Event_3 | State to convey Event information (errors, warnings, notifications) with higher priority |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 1 | On-request Data handler propagates the ODTrig.ind service now named ISDUTrig to the ISDU handler (see Figure 49). In case of DL_Read, DL_Write, DL_ReadParam, or DL_WriteParam services, the ISDU handler will use a separate transition (see Figure 49, T13). |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | - |
| T4 | 2 | 1 | - |
| T5 | 1 | 3 | EventActive = TRUE |
| T6 | 3 | 1 | EventActive = FALSE |
| T7 | 3 | 2 | - |
| T8 | 2 | 3 | - |
| T9 | 2 | 2 | On-request Data handler propagates the ODTrig.ind service now named CommandTrig to the command handler (see Figure 51) |
| T10 | 3 | 3 | On-request Data handler propagates the ODTrig.ind service now named EventTrig to the Event handler (see Figure 53) |
| T11 | 2 | 0 | - |
| T12 | 3 | 0 | - |
| T13 | 1 | 0 | - |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| EventActive | Bool | Flag to indicate return direction after interruption of Event processing by a high priority command request |

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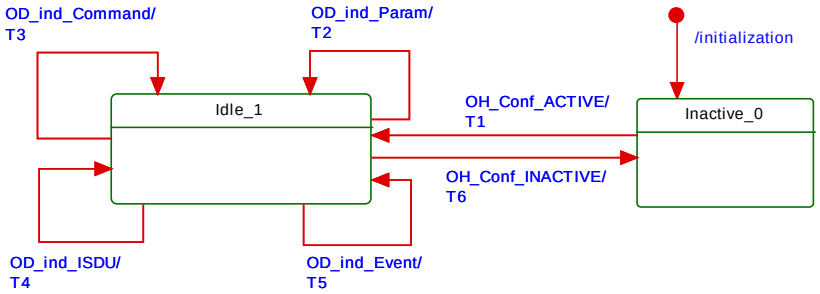
1705 **7.3.5.3 State machine of the Device On-request Data handler**

1706 Figure 47 shows the state machine of the Device On-request Data handler.

1707 The Device On-request Data handler obtains information on the communication channel and
1708 the parameter or FlowCTRL address via the OD.ind service. The communication channels are
1709 totally independent. In case of a valid access, the corresponding ISDU, command or Event
1710 state machine is addressed via the associated communication channel.

1711 The Device shall respond to read requests to not implemented address ranges with the value
1712 "0". It shall ignore write requests to not implemented address ranges.

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1714 **Figure 47 – State machine of the Device On-request Data handler**

1715 In case of an ISDU access in a Device without ISDU support, the Device shall respond with
1716 "No Service" (see Table A.12). An error message is not created.

1717 NOTE OD.ind (R, ISDU, FlowCTRL = IDLE) is the default message if there are no On-request Data pending for
1718 transmission.

1719 Table 49 shows the state transition tables of the Device On-request Data handler.

1720 **Table 49 – State transition tables of the Device On-request Data handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation |
| Idle_1 | Waiting on messages with On-request Data via service OD indication. Decomposition and analysis. |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 1 | Redirect to ISDU handler (Direct Parameter page). |
| T3 | 1 | 1 | Redirect to command handler |
| T4 | 1 | 1 | Redirect to ISDU handler |
| T5 | 1 | 1 | Redirect to Event handler |
| T6 | 1 | 0 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| OD_ind_Param | Service | Alias for Service OD.ind (R/W, PAGE, 16 to 31, Data) in case of DL_ReadParam or DL_WriteParam |
| OD_ind_Command | Service | Alias for Service OD.ind (W, PAGE, 0, MasterCommand) |
| OD_ind_ISDU | Service | Alias for Service OD.ind (R/W, ISDU, FlowCtrl, Data) |
| OD_ind_Event | Service | Alias for Service OD.ind (R/W, DIAGNOSIS, n, Data) |

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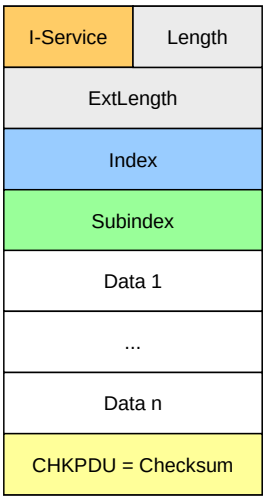
1724 ### 7.3.6 ISDU handler

1725 #### 7.3.6.1 Indexed Service Data Unit (ISDU)

1726 The general structure of an ISDU is demonstrated in Figure 48 and specified in detail in
1727 Clause A.5.

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1729 **Figure 48 – Structure of the ISDU**

1730 The sequence of the elements corresponds to the transmission sequence. The elements of an
1731 ISDU can take various forms depending on the type of I-Service (see A.5.2 and Table A.12).

1732 The ISDU allows accessing data objects (parameters and commands) to be transmitted (see
1733 Figure 5). The data objects shall be addressed by the “Index” element.

1734 All multi-octet data types shall be transmitted as a big-endian sequence, i.e. the most
1735 significant octet (MSO) shall be sent first, followed by less significant octets in descending
1736 order, with the least significant octet (LSO) being sent last, as shown in Figure 2.

1737 #### 7.3.6.2 Transmission of ISDUs

1738 An ISDU is transmitted via the ISDU communication channel (see Figure 7 and A.1.2). A
1739 number of messages are typically required to perform this transmission (segmentation). The
1740 Master transfers an ISDU by sending an I-Service (Read/Write) request to the Device via the
1741 ISDU communication channel. It then receives the Device’s response via the same channel.

1742 In the ISDU communication channel, the "Address" element within the M-sequence control
1743 octet accommodates a counter (= FlowCTRL). FlowCTRL is controlling the segmented data
1744 flow (see A.1.2) by counting the M-sequences necessary to transmit an ISDU.

1745 The Master uses the "Length" element of the ISDU and FlowCTRL to check the
1746 accomplishment of the complete transmission.

Permissible values for FlowCTRL are specified in Table 50.

**Table 50 – FlowCTRL definitions**

| FlowCTRL | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0x00 to 0x0F | COUNT<br>M-sequence counter within an ISDU. Increments beginning with 1 after an ISDU START. Jumps back from 15 to 0 in the Event of an overflow. |
| 0x10 | START<br>Start of an ISDU I-Service, i.e., start of a request or a response.<br>For the start of a request, any previously incomplete services may be rejected.<br>For a start request associated with a response, a Device shall send “No Service” until its application returns response data (see Table A.12). |
| 0x11 | IDLE 1<br>No request for ISDU transmission. |
| 0x12 | IDLE 2: Reserved for future use<br>No request for ISDU transmission. |
| 0x13 to 0x1E | Reserved |
| 0x1F | ABORT<br>Abort entire service.<br>The Master responds by rejecting received response data.<br>The Device responds by rejecting received request data and may generate an abort. |

In state Idle_1, values 0x12 to 0x1F shall not lead to a communication error.

### 7.3.6.3 State machine of the Master ISDU handler

Figure 49 shows the state machine of the Master ISDU handler.

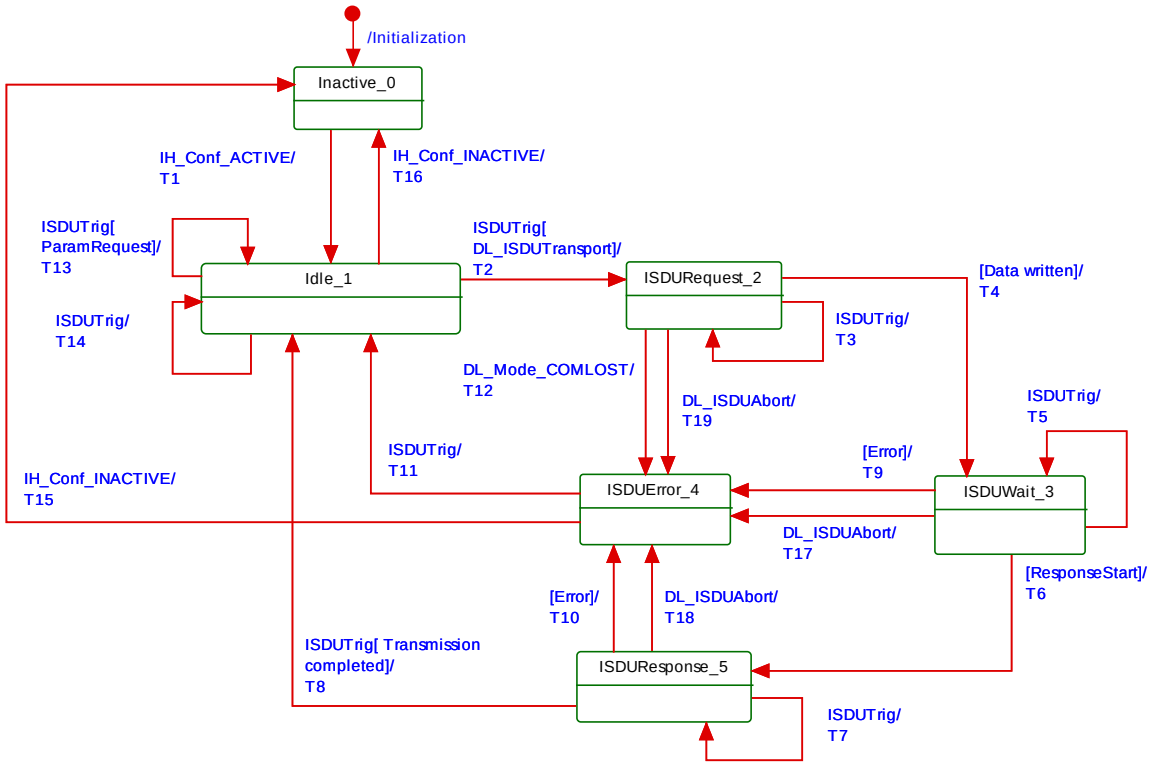


**Figure 49 – State machine of the Master ISDU handler**

Table 51 shows the state transition tables of the Master ISDU handler.

1756 **Table 51 – State transition tables of the Master ISDU handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation |
| Idle_1 | Waiting on transmission of next On-request Data |
| ISDURequest_2 | Transmission of ISDU request data |
| ISDUWait_3 | Waiting on response from Device. Observe ISDUTime |
| ISDUError_4 | Error handling after detected errors: Invoke negative DL_ISDU_Transport response with ISDUTransportErrorInfo |
| ISDUResponse_5 | Get response data from Device |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | Invoke OD.req with ISDU write start condition: OD.req (W, ISDU, flowCtrl = START, data) |
| T3 | 2 | 2 | Invoke OD.req with ISDU data write and FlowCTRL under conditions of Table 50 |
| T4 | 2 | 3 | Start timer (ISDUTime) |
| T5 | 3 | 3 | Invoke OD.req with ISDU read start condition: OD.req (R, ISDU, flowCtrl = START) |
| T6 | 3 | 5 | Stop timer (ISDUTime) |
| T7 | 5 | 5 | Invoke OD.req with ISDU data read and FlowCTRL under conditions of Table 50 |
| T8 | 5 | 1 | Invoke positive DL_ ISDUTransport confirmation |
| T9 | 3 | 4 | - |
| T10 | 5 | 4 | - |
| T11 | 4 | 1 | Invoke OD.req with ISDU abortion: OD.req (R, ISDU, flowCtrl = ABORT). Invoke negative DL_ ISDUTransport confirmation |
| T12 | 2 | 4 | - |
| T13 | 1 | 1 | Invoke OD.req with appropriate data.<br>Invoke positive DL_ReadParam/DL_WriteParam confirmation |
| T14 | 1 | 1 | Invoke OD.req with idle message: OD.req (R, ISDU, flowCtrl = IDLE) |
| T15 | 4 | 1 | In case of lost communication the message handler informs the DL_Mode handler which in turn uses the administrative call IH_Conf_INACTIVE. No actions during this transition required. |
| T16 | 1 | 0 | - |
| T17 | 3 | 4 | - |
| T18 | 5 | 4 | - |
| T19 | 2 | 4 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| ISDUTime | Time | Measurement of Device response time (watchdog, see Table 97) |
| ResponseStart | Service | OD.cnf (data different from ISDU_BUSY) |
| ParamRequest | Service | DL_ReadParam or DL_WriteParam |
| Error | Variable | Any detectable error within the ISDU transmission or DL_ISDUAbort requests, or any violation of the ISDU acknowledgement time (see Table 97) |

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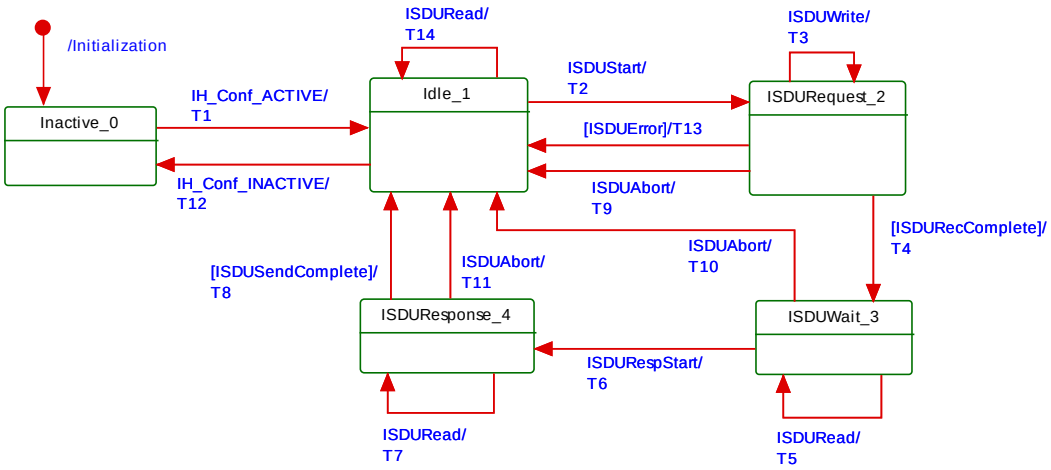
1760 **7.3.6.4 State machine of the Device ISDU handler**

1761 Figure 50 shows the state machine of the Device ISDU handler.

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1763 **Figure 50 – State machine of the Device ISDU handler**

1764 Table 52 shows the state transition tables of the Device ISDU handler.

1765 **Table 52 – State transition tables of the Device ISDU handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation |
| Idle_1 | Waiting on next ISDU transmission |
| ISDURequest_2 | Reception of ISDU request |
| ISDUWait_3 | Waiting on data from application layer to transmit (see DL_ISDUTransport) |
| ISDUResponse_4 | Transmission of ISDU response data |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | Start receiving of ISDU request data |
| T3 | 2 | 2 | Receive ISDU request data |
| T4 | 2 | 3 | Invoke DL_ ISDUTransport.ind to AL (see 7.2.1.6) |
| T5 | 3 | 3 | Invoke OD.rsp with "busy" indication (see Table A.14) |
| T6 | 3 | 4 | - |
| T7 | 4 | 4 | Invoke OD.rsp with ISDU response data |
| T8 | 4 | 1 | - |
| T9 | 2 | 1 | - |
| T10 | 3 | 1 | Invoke DL_ ISDUAbort |
| T11 | 4 | 1 | Invoke DL_ ISDUAbort |
| T12 | 1 | 0 | - |
| T13 | 2 | 1 | - |
| T14 | 1 | 1 | Invoke OD.rsp with "no service" indication (see Table A.12 and Table A.14) |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| ISDUStart | Service | OD.ind(W, ISDU, Start, Data) |
| ISDUWrite | Service | OD.ind(W, ISDU, FlowCtrl, Data) |
| ISDURecComplete | Guard | If OD.ind(R, ISDU, Start, ...) received |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| ISDURespStart | Service | DL_ ISDUTransport.rsp() |
| ISDURead | Service | OD.ind(R, ISDU, Start or FlowCtrl, ...) |
| ISDUSendComplete | Guard | If OD.ind(R, ISDU, IDLE, ...) received |
| ISDUAbort | Service | OD.ind(R/W, ISDU, Abort, ...) |
| ISDUError | Guard | If ISDU structure is incorrect |

### 7.3.7 Command handler

#### 7.3.7.1 General

The command handler passes the control code (PDOUTVALID or PDOUTINVALID) contained in the DL_Control.req service primitive to the cyclically operating message handler via the OD.req service and MasterCommands. The message handler uses the page communication channel.

The permissible control codes for output Process Data are listed in Table 53.

**Table 53 – Control codes**

| Control code | MasterCommand | Description |
|---|---|---|
| PDOUTVALID | ProcessDataOutputOperate | Output Process Data valid |
| PDOUTINVALID | DeviceOperate | Output Process Data invalid or missing |

The command handler receives input Process Data status information via the PDInStatus service and propagates it within a DL_Control.ind service primitive.

In addition, the command handler translates Device mode change requests from system management into corresponding MasterCommands (see Table B.2).

#### 7.3.7.2 State machine of the Master command handler

Figure 51 shows the state machine of the Master command handler.

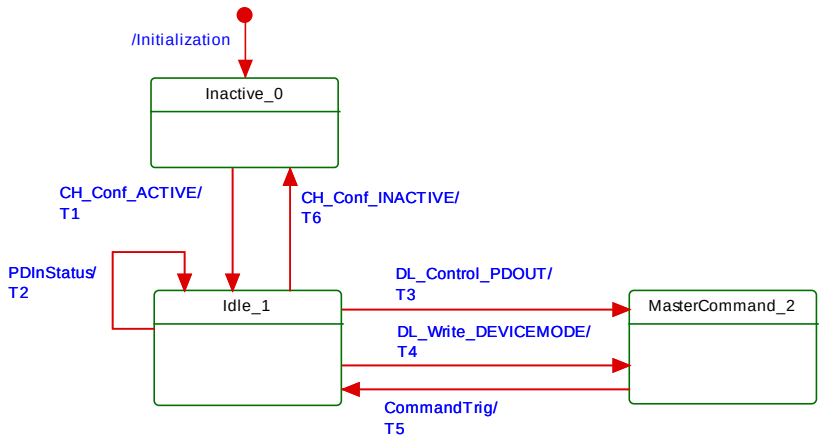


**Figure 51 – State machine of the Master command handler**

Table 54 shows the state transition tables of the Master command handler.

1787 **Table 54 – State transition tables of the Master command handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation by DL-mode handler |
| Idle_1 | Waiting on new command from AL: DL_Control (status of output PD) or from SM: DL_Write (change Device mode, for example to OPERATE), or waiting on PDInStatus.ind service primitive. |
| MasterCommand_2 | Prepare data for OD.req service primitive. Waiting on demand from OD handler (CommandTrig). |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 1 | If service PDInStatus.ind = VALID invoke DL_Control.ind (VALID) to signal valid input Process Data to AL. If service PDInStatus.ind = INVALID invoke DL_Control.ind (INVALID) to signal invalid input Process Data to AL. |
| T3 | 1 | 1 | If service DL_Control.req = PDOUTVALID invoke OD.req (WRITE, PAGE, 0, 1, MasterCommand = 0x98).<br>If service DL_Control.req = PDOUTINVALID invoke OD.req (WRITE, PAGE, 0, 1, MasterCommand = 0x99). See Table B.2. |
| T4 | 1 | 2 | The services DL_Write_DEVICEMODE translate into:<br>INACTIVE: OD.req (WRITE, PAGE, 0, 1, MasterCommand = 0x5A)<br>STARTUP: OD.req (WRITE, PAGE, 0, 1, MasterCommand = 0x97)<br>PREOPERATE: OD.req (WRITE, PAGE, 0, 1, MasterCommand = 0x9A)<br>OPERATE: OD.req (WRITE, PAGE, 0, 1, MasterCommand = 0x99) |
| T5 | 2 | 1 | A call CommandTrig from the OD handler causes the command handler to invoke the OD.req service primitive and subsequently the message handler to send the appropriate MasterCommand to the Device. |
| T6 | 1 | 0 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| DEVICEMODE | Label | Any of the Device modes: INACTIVE, STARTUP, PREOPERATE, or OPERATE |
| PDOUT | Label | Any of the two output control codes: PDOUTVALID or PDOUTINVALID (see Table 53) |

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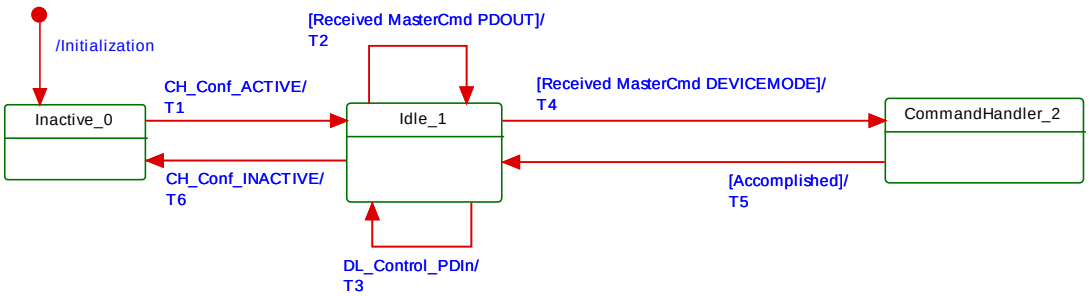
1791 ### 7.3.7.3 State machine of the Device command handler

1792 Figure 52 shows the Device state machine of the command handler. It is mainly driven by
1793 MasterCommands from the Master's command handler to control the Device modes and the
1794 status of output Process Data. It also controls the status of input Process Data via the
1795 PDInStatus service.

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1797 **Figure 52 – State machine of the Device command handler**

1798 Table 55 shows the state transition tables of the Device command handler.

1799 **Table 55 – State transition tables of the Device command handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation |
| Idle_1 | Waiting on next MasterCommand |
| CommandHandler_2 | Decompose MasterCommand and invoke specific actions (see B.1.2):<br>If MasterCommand = 0x5A then change Device state to INACTIVE.<br>If MasterCommand = 0x97 then change Device state to STARTUP.<br>If MasterCommand = 0x9A then change Device state to PREOPERATE.<br>If MasterCommand = 0x99 then change Device state to OPERATE. |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 1 | Invoke DL_Control.ind (PDOUTVALID) if received MasterCommand = 0x98. Invoke DL_Control.ind (PDOUTINVALID) if received MasterCommand = 0x99. |
| T3 | 1 | 1 | If service DL_Control.req (VALID) then invoke PDInStatus.req (VALID). If service DL_Control.req (INVALID) then invoke PDInStatus.req (INVALID). Message handler uses PDInStatus service to set/reset the PD status flag (see A.1.5) |
| T4 | 1 | 2 | - |
| T5 | 2 | 1 | - |
| T6 | 1 | 0 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| <none> | | |

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1803 ### 7.3.8 Event handler

1804 #### 7.3.8.1 Events

1805 There are two types of Events, one without details, and another one with details. Events
1806 without details may have been implemented in legacy Devices, but they shall not be used for
1807 Devices in accordance with this standard. However, all Masters shall support processing of
1808 both Events with details and Events without details.

1809 The general structure and coding of Events is specified in A.6. Event codes without details
1810 are specified in Table A.16. EventCodes with details are specified in Annex D. The structure
1811 of the Event memory for EventCodes with details within a Device is specified in Table 56.

1812 **Table 56 – Event memory**

| Address | Event slot number | Parameter Name | Description |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0x00 | | StatusCode | Summary of status and error information. Also used to control read access for individual messages. |
| 0x01 | 1 | EventQualifier 1 | Type, mode and source of the Event |
| 0x02 | | EventCode 1 | 16-bit EventCode of the Event |
| 0x03 | | | |
| 0x04 | 2 | EventQualifier 2 | Type, mode and source of the Event |
| 0x05 | | EventCode 2 | 16-bit EventCode of the Event |
| 0x06 | | | |
| ... | | | |
| 0x10 | 6 | EventQualifier 6 | Type, mode and source of the Event |

| Address | Event slot number | Parameter Name | Description |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0x11 | | EventCode 6 | 16-bit EventCode of the Event |
| 0x12 | | | |
| 0x13 to 0x1F | | | Reserved for future use |

### 7.3.8.2 Event processing

The Device AL writes an Event to the Event memory and then sets the "Event flag" bit, which is sent to the Master in the next message within the CKS octet (see 7.3.3.2 and A.1.5).

Upon reception of a Device reply message with the "Event flag" bit = 1, the Master shall switch from the ISDU handler to the Event handler. The Event handler starts reading the StatusCode.

If the "Event Details" bit is set (see Figure A.23), the Master shall read the Event details of the Events indicated in the StatusCode from the Event memory. Once it has read an Event detail, it shall invoke the service DL_Event.ind. After reception of the service DL_EventConf, the Master shall write any data to the StatusCode to reset the "Event flag" bit. The Event handling on the Master shall be completed regardless of the contents of the Event data received (EventQualifier, EventCode).

If the "Event Details" bit is not set (see Figure A.22) the Master Event handler shall generate the standardized Events according to Table A.16 beginning with the most significant bit in the EventCode.

Write access to the StatusCode indicates the end of Event processing to the Device. The Device shall ignore the data of this Master Write access. The Device then resets the "Event flag" bit and may now change the content of the fields in the Event memory.

### 7.3.8.3 State machine of the Master Event handler

Figure 53 shows the Master state machine of the Event handler.

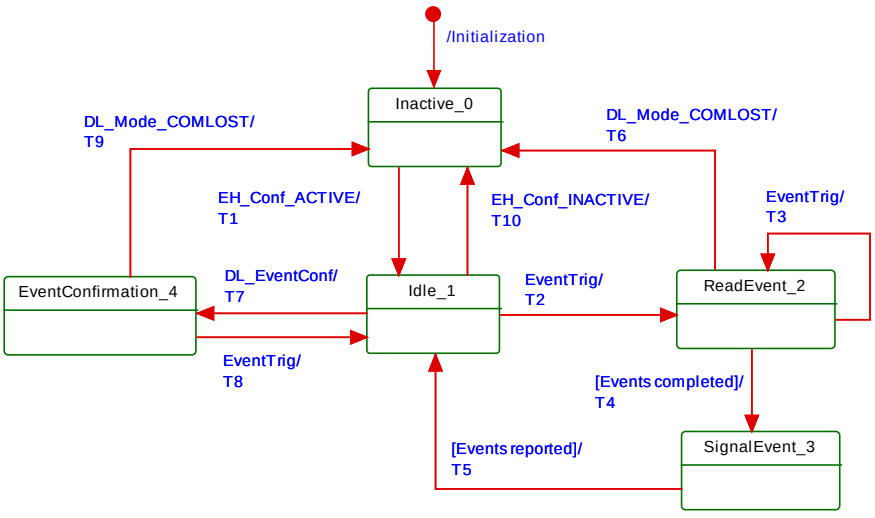


**Figure 53 – State machine of the Master Event handler**

Table 57 shows the state transition tables of the Master Event handler.

1837 **Table 57 – State transition tables of the Master Event handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation |
| Idle_1 | Waiting on next Event indication ("EventTrig" through On-request Data handler) or Event confirmation through service DL_EventConf from Master AL. |
| ReadEvent_2 | Read Event data set from Device message by message through Event memory address. Check StatusCode for number of activated Events (see Table 56). |
| SignalEvent_3 | Analyze Event data and invoke DL_Event indication to Master AL (see 7.2.1.15) for each available Event. |
| EventConfirmation_4 | Waiting on Event confirmation transmission via service OD.req to the Device |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | Read Event StatusCode octet via service OD.req (R, DIAGNOSIS, Event memory address = 0, 1) |
| T3 | 2 | 2 | Read octets from Event memory via service OD.req (R, DIAGNOSIS, incremented Event memory address, 1) |
| T4 | 2 | 3 | - |
| T5 | 3 | 1 | - |
| T6 | 2 | 0 | - |
| T7 | 1 | 4 | - |
| T8 | 4 | 1 | Invoke OD.req (W, DIAGNOSIS, 0, 1, any data) with Write access to "StatusCode" (see Table 56) to confirm Event readout to Device |
| T9 | 4 | 0 | - |
| T10 | 1 | 0 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| <None> | | |

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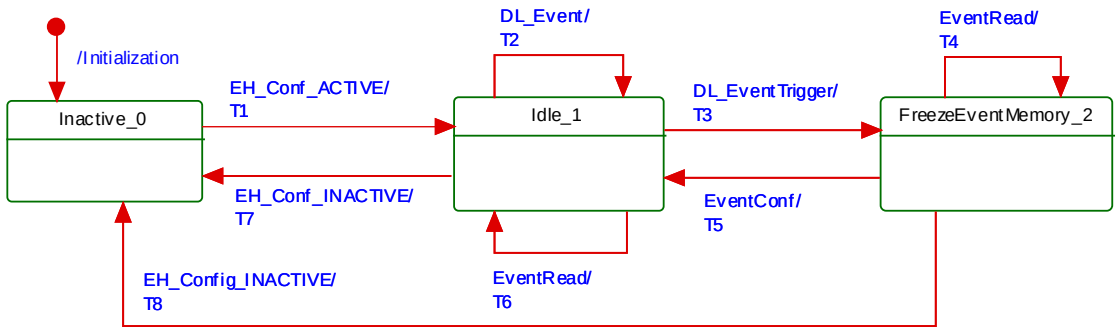
1841 ### 7.3.8.4 State machine of the Device Event handler

1842 Figure 54 shows the state machine of the Device Event handler.

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1844 **Figure 54 – State machine of the Device Event handler**

1845 Table 58 shows the state transition tables of the Device Event handler.

1846 **Table 58 – State transition tables of the Device Event handler**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on activation |
| Idle_1 | Waiting on DL-Event service from AL providing Event data and the DL_EventTrigger service to fire the "Event flag" bit (see A.1.5) |
| FreezeEventMemory_2 | Waiting on readout of the Event memory and on Event memory readout confirmation through write access to the StatusCode |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 1 | Change Event memory entries with new Event data (see Table 56) |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | Invoke service EventFlag.req (Flag = TRUE) to indicate Event activation to the Master via the "Event flag" bit. Mark all Event slots in memory as not changeable. |
| T4 | 2 | 2 | Master requests Event memory data via EventRead (= OD.ind). Send Event data by invoking OD.rsp with Event data of the requested Event memory address. |
| T5 | 2 | 1 | Invoke service EventFlag.req (Flag = FALSE) to indicate Event deactivation to the Master via the "Event flag" bit. Mark all Event slots in memory as invalid according to A.6.3. |
| T6 | 1 | 1 | Send contents of Event memory by invoking OD.rsp with Event data |
| T7 | 1 | 0 | - |
| T8 | 2 | 0 | Discard Event memory data |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| EventRead | Service | OD.ind (R, DIAGNOSIS, Event memory address, length, data) |
| EventConf | Service | OD.ind (W, DIAGNOSIS, address = 0, data = don't care) |

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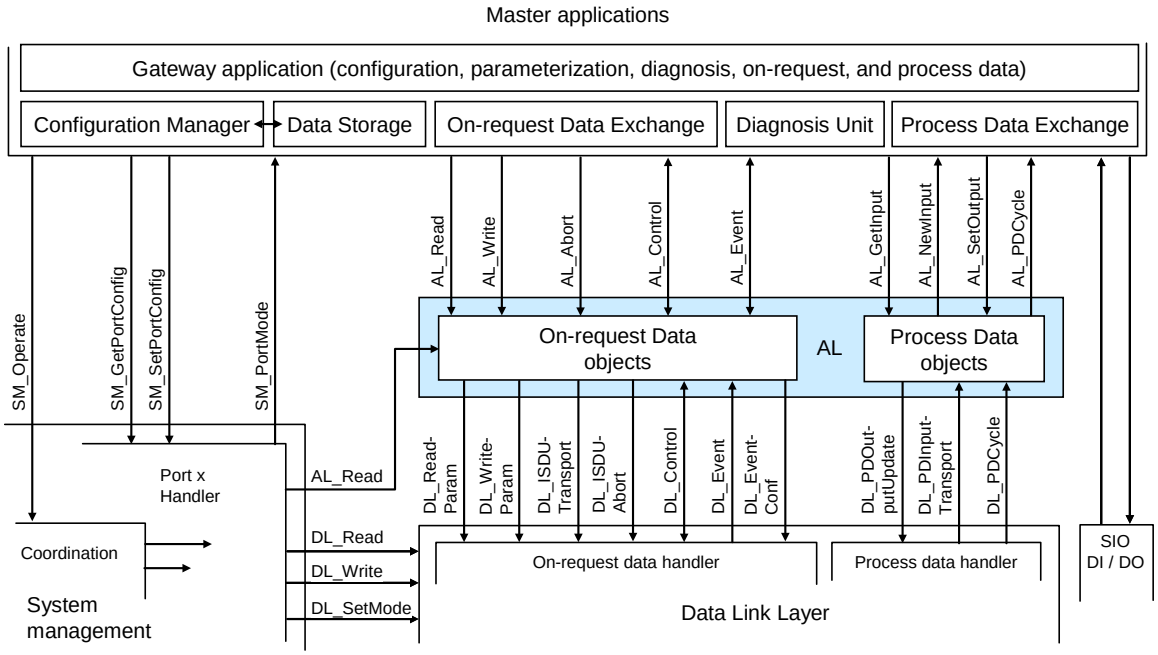
# 1850 8 Application layer (AL)

## 1851 8.1 General

1852 Figure 55 shows an overview of the structure and services of the Master application layer
1853 (AL).

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1855 **Figure 55 – Structure and services of the application layer (Master)**

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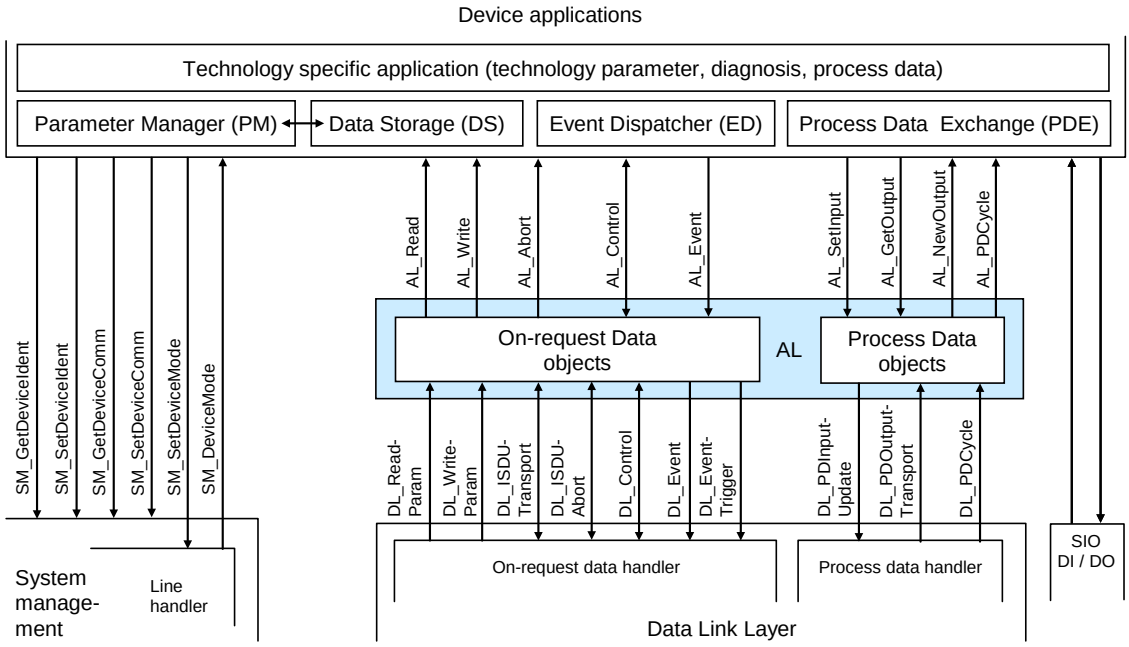
1857 Figure 56 shows an overview of the structure and services of the Device application layer
1858 (AL).

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1860 **Figure 56 – Structure and services of the application layer (Device)**

1861 **8.2 Application layer services**

1862 **8.2.1 AL services within Master and Device**

1863 This clause defines the services of the application layer (AL) to be provided to the Master and
1864 Device applications and system management via its external interfaces. Table 59 lists the

1865 assignments of Master and Device to their roles as initiator or receiver for the individual AL
1866 services. Empty fields indicate no availability of this service on Master or Device.

1867 **Table 59 – AL services within Master and Device**

| Service name | Master | Device |
|---|---|---|
| AL_Read | R | I |
| AL_Write | R | I |
| AL_Abort | R | I |
| AL_GetInput | R | |
| AL_NewInput | I | |
| AL_SetInput | | R |
| AL_PDCycle | I | I |
| AL_GetOutput | | R |
| AL_NewOutput | | I |
| AL_SetOutput | R | |
| AL_Event | I / R | R |
| AL_Control | I / R | I / R |
| Key (see 3.3.4)<br>I Initiator of service<br>R Receiver (Responder) of service | | |

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1869 ### 8.2.2 AL Services

1870 #### 8.2.2.1 AL_Read

1871 The AL_Read service is used to read On-request Data from a Device connected to a specific
1872 port. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 60.

1873 **Table 60 – AL_Read**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind | .rsp | .cnf |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M | | |
| Port | M | | | |
| Index | M | M | | |
| Subindex | M | M | | |
| | | | | |
| Result (+) | | | S | S(=) |
| Port | | | | M |
| Data | | | M | M(=) |
| | | | | |
| Result (-) | | | S | S(=) |
| Port | | | | M |
| ErrorInfo | | | M | M(=) |

1874
1875 **Argument**
1876 The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

1877 **Port**
1878 This parameter contains the port number for the On-request Data to be read.

Parameter type: Unsigned8

**Index**
This parameter indicates the address of On-request Data objects to be read from the Device. Index 0 in conjunction with Subindex 0 addresses the entire set of Direct Parameters from 0 to 15 (see Direct Parameter page 1 in Table B.1) or in conjunction with Subindices 1 to 16 the individual parameters from 0 to 15. Index 1 in conjunction with Subindex 0 addresses the entire set of Direct Parameters from addresses 16 to 31 (see Direct Parameter page 2 in Table B.1) or in conjunction with Subindices 1 to 16 the individual parameters from 16 to 31. It uses the page communication channel (see Figure 6) for both and always returns a positive result. For all the other indices (see B.2) the ISDU communication channel is used.

Permitted values: 0 to 65535 (See B.2.1 for constraints)

**Subindex**
This parameter indicates the element number within a structured On-request Data object. A value of 0 indicates the entire set of elements.

Permitted values: 0 to 255

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number of the requested On-request Data.

**Data**
This parameter contains the read values of the On-request Data.

Parameter type: Octet string

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number for the requested On-request Data.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values: see Annex C

NOTE The AL maps DL ErrorInfos into its own AL ErrorInfos using Annex C.

#### 8.2.2.2 AL_Write

The AL_Write service is used to write On-request Data to a Device connected to a specific port. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 61.

**Table 61 – AL_Write**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind | .rsp | .cnf |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M | | |
| Port | M | | | |
| Index | M | M | | |
| Subindex | M | M | | |
| Data | M | M(=) | | |
| Result (+) | | | S | S(=) |

| Parameter name | .req | .ind | .rsp | .cnf |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Port | | | | M |
| Result (-) | | | S | S(=) |
| Port | | | | M |
| ErrorInfo | | | M | M(=) |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number for the On-request Data to be written.

Parameter type: Unsigned8

**Index**
This parameter indicates the address of On-request Data objects to be written to the Device. Index 0 always returns a negative result. Index 1 in conjunction with Subindex 0 addresses the entire set of Direct Parameters from addresses 16 to 31 (see Direct Parameter page 2 in Table B.1) or in conjunction with subindices 1 to 16 the individual parameters from 16 to 31. It uses the page communication channel (see Figure 6) in case of Index 1 and always returns a positive result. For all the other Indices (see B.2) the ISDU communication channel is used.

Permitted values: 1 to 65535 (see Table 97)

**Subindex**
This parameter indicates the element number within a structured On-request Data object. A value of 0 indicates the entire set of elements.

Permitted values: 0 to 255

**Data**
This parameter contains the values of the On-request Data.

Parameter type: Octet string

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number of the On-request Data.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number of the On-request Data.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values: see Annex C

#### 8.2.2.3 AL_Abort

The AL_Abort service is used to abort a current AL_Read or AL_Write service on a specific port. Invocation of this service abandons the response to an AL_Read or AL_Write service in progress on the Master. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 62.

1954 **Table 62 – AL_Abort**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M |
| Port | M | |

1955
1956 **Argument**
1957 The service-specific parameter is transmitted in the argument.

1958 **Port**
1959 This parameter contains the port number of the service to be abandoned.

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1961 #### 8.2.2.4 AL_GetInput

1962 The AL_GetInput service reads the input data within the Process Data provided by the data
1963 link layer of a Device connected to a specific port. The parameters of the service primitives
1964 are listed in Table 63.

1965 **Table 63 – AL_GetInput**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| Port | M | |
| | | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| Port | | M |
| InputData | | M |
| | | |
| Result (-) | | S |
| Port | | M |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

1966
1967 **Argument**
1968 The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

1969 **Port**
1970 This parameter contains the port number for the Process Data to be read.

1971 **Result (+):**
1972 This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

1973 **Port**
1974 This parameter contains the port number for the Process Data.

1975 **InputData**
1976 This parameter contains the values of the requested process input data of the specified
1977 port.

1978 Parameter type: Octet string

1979 **Result (-):**
1980 This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

1981 **Port**
1982 This parameter contains the port number for the Process Data.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_DATA (DL did not provide Process Data)

#### 8.2.2.5 AL_NewInput

The AL_NewInput local service indicates the receipt of updated input data within the Process Data of a Device connected to a specific port. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 64.

**Table 64 – AL_NewInput**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | M |
| Port | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameter is transmitted in the argument.

**Port**
This parameter specifies the port number of the received Process Data.

#### 8.2.2.6 AL_SetInput

The AL_SetInput local service updates the input data within the Process Data of a Device. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 65.

**Table 65 – AL_SetInput**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| InputData | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**InputData**
This parameter contains the Process Data values of the input data to be transmitted.

Parameter type: Octet string

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
STATE_CONFLICT (Service unavailable within current state)

#### 8.2.2.7 AL_PDCycle

The AL_PDCycle local service indicates the end of a Process Data cycle. The Device application can use this service to transmit new input data to the application layer via AL_SetInput. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 66.

**Table 66 – AL_PDCycle**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | |
| Port | O |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameter is transmitted in the argument.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number of the received new Process Data (Master only).

#### 8.2.2.8 AL_GetOutput

The AL_GetOutput service reads the output data within the Process Data provided by the data link layer of the Device. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 67.

**Table 67 – AL_GetOutput**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| OutputData | | M |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**OutputData**
This parameter contains the Process Data values of the requested output data.

Parameter type: Octet string

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
NO_DATA (DL did not provide Process Data)

#### 8.2.2.9 AL_NewOutput

The AL_NewOutput local service indicates the receipt of updated output data within the Process Data of a Device. This service has no parameters. The service primitives are shown in Table 68.

**Table 68 – AL_NewOutput**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| <None> | |

#### 8.2.2.10 AL_SetOutput

The AL_SetOutput local service updates the output data within the Process Data of a Master. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 69.

**Table 69 – AL_SetOutput**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| Port | M | |
| OutputData | M | |
| | | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| Port | | M |
| | | |
| Result (-) | | S |
| Port | | M |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number of the Process Data to be written.

**OutputData**
This parameter contains the output data to be written at the specified port.

Parameter type: Octet string

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number for the Process Data.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number for the Process Data.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
STATE_CONFLICT (Service unavailable within current state)

#### 8.2.2.11 AL_Event

The AL_Event service indicates up to 6 pending status or error messages. The source of one Event can be local (Master) or remote (Device). The Event can be triggered by a communication layer or by an application. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 70.

**Table 70 – AL_Event**

| Parameter name | | .req | .ind | .rsp | .cnf |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Argument | | M | M | M | M |
| Port | | | M | M | M |
| EventCount | | M | M | | |
| Event(1) | Instance | M | M | | |
| | Mode | M | M | | |
| | Type | M | M | | |
| | Origin | | M | | |
| | EventCode | M | M | | |
| ... | | | | | |
| Event(n) | Instance | M | M | | |
| | Mode | M | M | | |
| | Type | M | M | | |
| | Origin | | M | | |
| | EventCode | M | M | | |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Port**
This parameter contains the port number of the Event data.

**EventCount**
This parameter indicates the number n (1 to 6) of Events in the Event memory.

**Event(x)**
Depending on EventCount this parameter exists n times. Each instance contains the following elements.

**Instance**
This parameter indicates the Event source.

Permitted values: Application (see Table A.17)

**Mode**
This parameter indicates the Event mode.

Permitted values: SINGLESHOT, APPEARS, DISAPPEARS (see Table A.20)

**Type**
This parameter indicates the Event category.

Permitted values: ERROR, WARNING, NOTIFICATION (see Table A.19)

**Origin**
This parameter indicates whether the Event was generated in the local communication section or remotely (in the Device).

Permitted values: LOCAL, REMOTE

**EventCode**
This parameter contains a code identifying a certain Event.

Permitted values: see Annex D

#### 8.2.2.12 AL_Control

The AL_Control service contains the Process Data qualifier status information transmitted to and from the Device application. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 71.

**Table 71 – AL_Control**

| Parameter name | .req | .ind |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | M |
| Port | C | C |
| ControlCode | M | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Port**
This parameter contains the number of the related port.

**ControlCode**
This parameter contains the qualifier status of the Process Data (PD).

Permitted values:

| | |
|---|---|
| VALID | (Input Process Data valid) |
| INVALID | (Input Process Data invalid) |
| PDOUTVALID | (Output Process Data valid, see Table 53) |
| PDOUTINVALID | (Output Process Data invalid, see Table 53) |

## 8.3 Application layer protocol

### 8.3.1 Overview

Figure 7 shows that the application layer offers services for data objects which are transformed into the special communication channels of the data link layer.

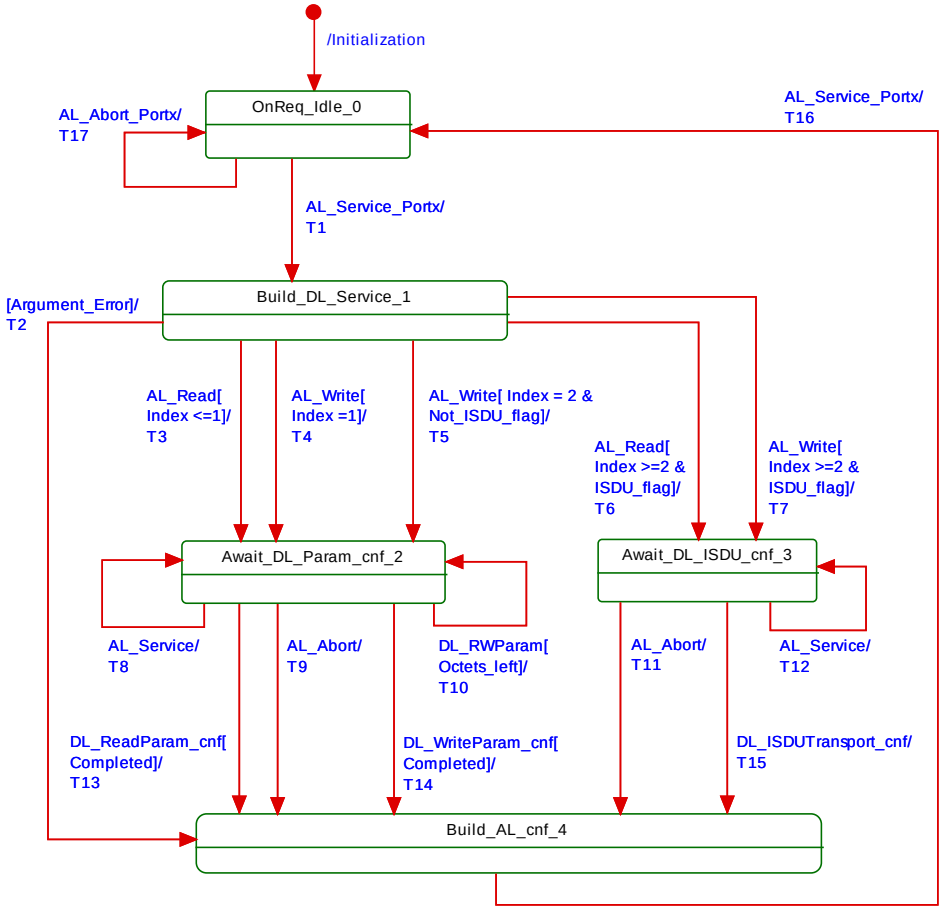
The application layer manages the data transfer with all its assigned ports. That means, AL service calls need to identify the particular port they are related to.

### 8.3.2 On-request Data transfer

#### 8.3.2.1 OD state machine of the Master AL

Figure 57 shows the state machine for the handling of On-request Data (OD) within the application layer.

"AL_Service" represents any AL service in Table 59 related to OD. "Portx" indicates a particular port number.

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2144 **Figure 57 – OD state machine of the Master AL**

2145 Table 72 shows the states and transitions for the OD state machine of the Master AL.

2146 **Table 72 – States and transitions for the OD state machine of the Master AL**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| OnReq_Idle_0 | AL service invocations from the Master applications or from the SM Portx handler (see Figure 55) can be accepted within this state. |
| Build_DL_Service_1 | Within this state AL service calls are checked and corresponding DL services are created within the subsequent states. In case of an error in the arguments of the AL service a negative AL confirmation is created and returned. |
| Await_DL_Param_cnf_2 | Within this state the AL service call is transformed in a sequence of as many DL_ReadParam or DL_WriteParam calls as needed (Direct Parameter page access; see page communication channel in Figure 6). All asynchronously occurred AL service invocations except AL_Abort are rejected (see 3.3.7). |
| Await_DL_ISDU_cnf_3 | Within this state the AL service call is transformed in a DL_ISDUTransport service call (see ISDU communication channel in Figure 6). All asynchronously occurred AL service invocations except AL_Abort are rejected (see 3.3.7). |
| Build_AL_cnf_4 | Within this state an AL service confirmation is created depending on an argument error, the DL service confirmation, or an AL_Abort. |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | Memorize the port number "Portx". |
| T2 | 1 | 4 | Prepare negative AL service confirmation. |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | Prepare DL_ReadParam for Index 0 or 1. |
| T4 | 1 | 2 | Prepare DL_WriteParam for Index 1. |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T5 | 1 | 2 | Prepare DL_WriteParam for Index 2 if the Device does not support ISDU. |
| T6 | 1 | 3 | Prepare DL_ ISDUTransport(read) |
| T7 | 1 | 3 | Prepare DL_ ISDUTransport(write) |
| T8 | 2 | 2 | Return negative AL service confirmation on this asynchronous service call. |
| T9 | 2 | 4 | All current DL service actions are abandoned and a negative AL service confirmation is prepared. |
| T10 | 2 | 2 | Call next DL_ReadParam or DL_WriteParam service if not all OD are transferred. |
| T11 | 3 | 4 | All current DL service actions are abandoned and a negative AL service confirmation is prepared. |
| T12 | 3 | 3 | Return negative AL service confirmation on this asynchronous service call. |
| T13 | 2 | 4 | Prepare positive AL service confirmation. |
| T14 | 2 | 4 | Prepare positive AL service confirmation. |
| T15 | 3 | 4 | Prepare positive AL service confirmation. |
| T16 | 4 | 0 | Return positive AL service confirmation with port number "Portx". |
| T17 | 0 | 0 | Return negative AL service confirmation with port number "Portx". |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| Argument_Error | Bool | Illegal values within the service body, for example "Port number or Index out of range" |
| DL_RWParam | Label | "DL_RWParam": DL_WriteParam_cnf or DL_ReadParam_cnf |
| Completed | Bool | No more OD left for transfer |
| Octets_left | Bool | More OD for transfer |
| Portx | Variable | Service body variable indicating the port number |
| ISDU_Flag | Bool | Device supports ISDU |
| AL_Service | Label | "AL_Service" represents any AL service in Table 59 related to OD |

### 8.3.2.2 OD state machine of the Device AL

Figure 58 shows the state machine for the handling of On-request Data (OD) within the application layer of a Device.

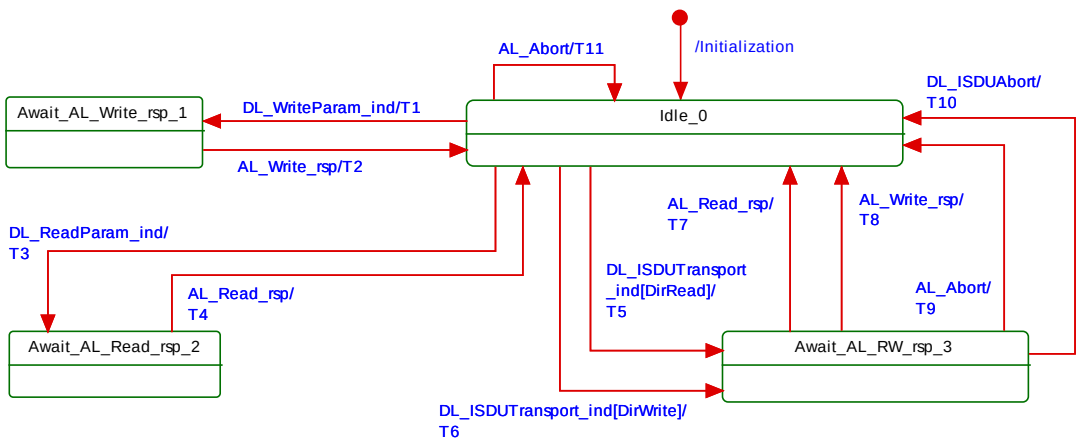


**Figure 58 – OD state machine of the Device AL**

2155 Table 73 shows the states and transitions for the OD state machine of the Device AL.

2156 **Table 73 – States and transitions for the OD state machine of the Device AL**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Idle_0 | The Device AL is waiting on subordinated DL service calls triggered by Master messages. |
| Await_AL_Write_rsp_1 | The Device AL is waiting on a response from the technology specific application (write access to Direct Parameter page). |
| Await_AL_Read_rsp_2 | The Device AL is waiting on a response from the technology specific application (read access to Direct Parameter page). |
| Await_AL_RW_rsp_3 | The Device AL is waiting on a response from the technology specific application (read or write access via ISDU). |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | Invoke AL_Write. |
| T2 | 1 | 0 | Invoke DL_WriteParam (16 to 31). |
| T3 | 0 | 2 | Invoke AL_Read. |
| T4 | 2 | 0 | Invoke DL_ReadParam (0 to 31). |
| T5 | 0 | 3 | Invoke AL_Read. |
| T6 | 0 | 3 | Invoke AL_Write. |
| T7 | 3 | 0 | Invoke DL_ ISDUTransport(read) |
| T8 | 3 | 0 | Invoke DL_ ISDUTransport(write) |
| T9 | 3 | 0 | Current AL_Read or AL_Write abandoned upon this asynchronous AL_Abort service call. Return negative DL_ ISDUTransport (see 3.3.7). |
| T10 | 3 | 0 | Current waiting on AL_Read or AL_Write abandoned. |
| T11 | 0 | 0 | Current DL_ ISDUTransport abandoned. All OD are set to "0". |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| DirRead | Bool | Access direction: DL_ ISDUTransport(read) causes an AL_Read |
| DirWrite | Bool | Access direction: DL_ ISDUTransport(write) causes an AL_Read |

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2160 **8.3.2.3 Sequence diagrams for On-request Data**

2161 Figure 59 through Figure 61 demonstrate complete interactions between Master and Device
2162 for several On-request Data exchange use cases.

2163 Figure 59 demonstrates two examples for the exchange of On-request Data. For Indices > 1
2164 this is performed with the help of ISDUs and corresponding DL services (ISDU communication
2165 channel according to Figure 6). Access to Direct Parameter pages 0 and 1 uses different DL
2166 services (page communication channel according to Figure 6)

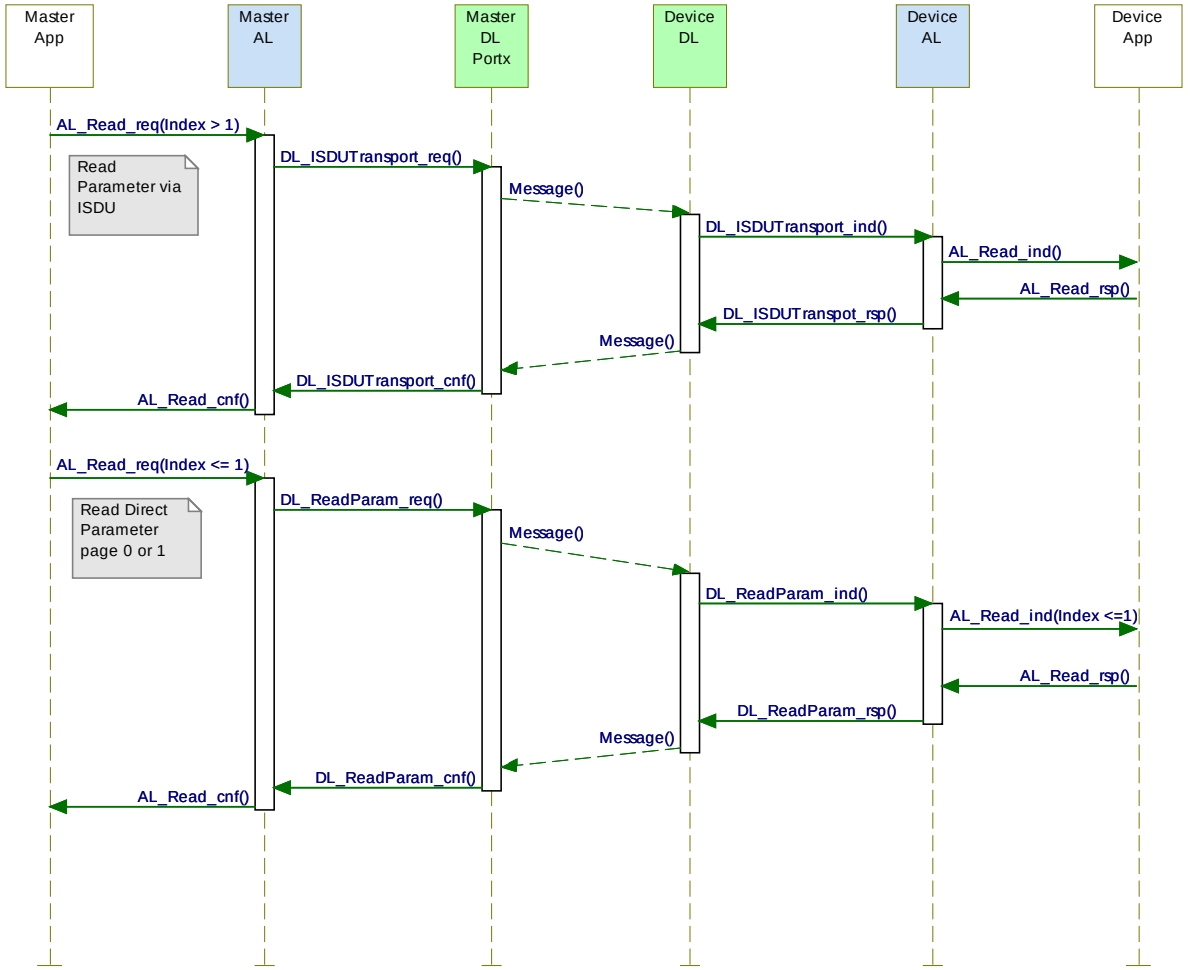


**Figure 59 – Sequence diagram for the transmission of On-request Data**

Figure 60 demonstrates the behaviour of On-request Data exchange in case of an error such as requested Index not available (see Table C.1).

Another possible error occurs when the Master application (gateway) tries to read an Index > 1 from a Device, which does not support ISDU. The Master AL would respond immediately with "NO_ISDU_SUPPORTED" as the features of the Device are acquired during start-up through reading the Direct Parameter page 1 via the parameter "M-sequence Capability" (see Table B.1).

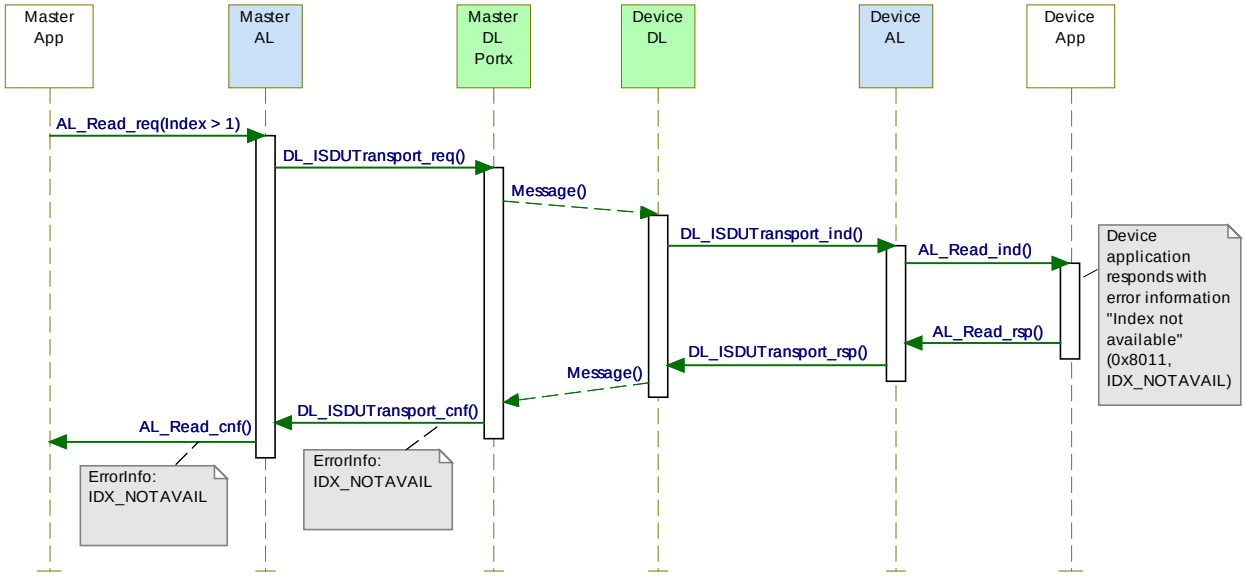


**Figure 60 – Sequence diagram for On-request Data in case of errors**

Figure 61 demonstrates the behaviour of On-request Data exchange in case of an ISDU timeout (5 500 ms). A Device shall respond within less than the "ISDU acknowledgement time" (see 10.7.5).

NOTE See Table 97 for system constants such as "ISDU acknowledgement time".

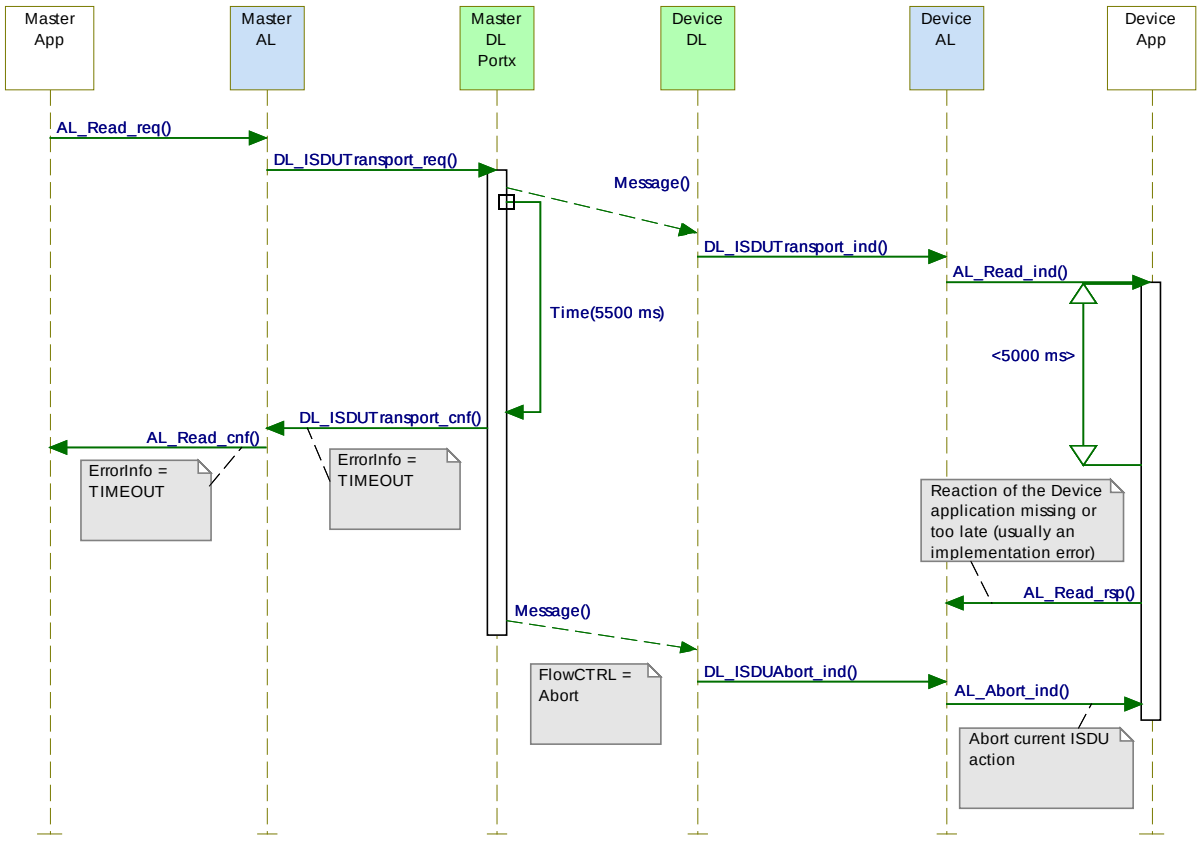


**Figure 61 – Sequence diagram for On-request Data in case of timeout**

### 8.3.3 Event processing

#### 8.3.3.1 Event state machine of the Master AL

Figure 62 shows the Event state machine of the Master application layer.

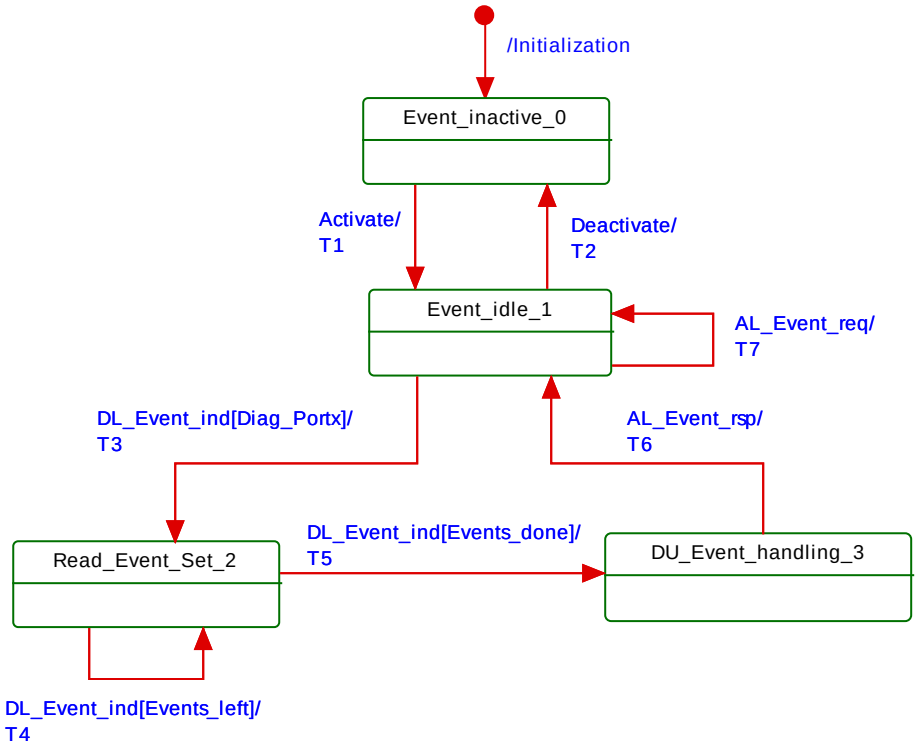


**Figure 62 – Event state machine of the Master AL**

Table 74 specifies the states and transitions of the Event state machine of the Master application layer.

**Table 74 – State and transitions of the Event state machine of the Master AL**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Event_inactive_0 | The AL Event handling of the Master is inactive. |
| Event_idle_1 | The Master AL is ready to accept DL_Events (diagnosis information) from the DL. |
| Read_Event_Set_2 | The Master AL received a DL_Event_ind with diagnosis information. After this first DL_Event.ind, the AL collects the complete set (1 to 6) of DL_Events of the current EventTrigger (see 11.5). |
| DU_Event_handling_3 | The Master AL remains in this state as long as the Diagnosis Unit (see 11.5) did not acknowledge the AL_Event.ind. |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 0 | - |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | - |
| T4 | 2 | 2 | - |
| T5 | 2 | 3 | AL_Event.ind |
| T6 | 3 | 1 | DL_EventConf.req |
| T7 | 1 | 1 | AL_Event.ind |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| Diag_Portx | Bool | Event set contains diagnosis information with details. |
| Events_done | Bool | Event set is processed. |
| Events_left | Bool | Event set not yet completed. |

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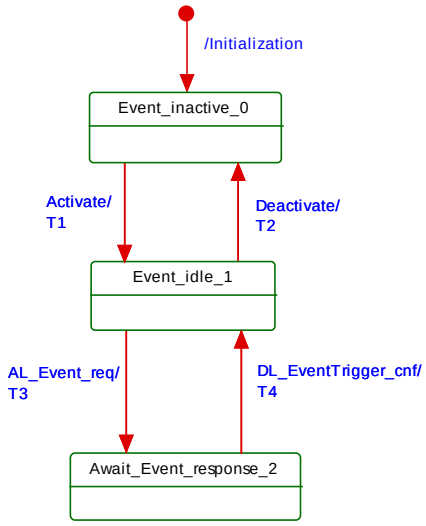
### 2195 8.3.3.2 Event state machine of the Device AL

2196 Figure 63 shows the Event state machine of the Device application layer

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2198 **Figure 63 – Event state machine of the Device AL**

2199 Table 75 specifies the states and transitions of the Event state machine of the Device appli-
2200 cation layer.

2201 **Table 75 – State and transitions of the Event state machine of the Device AL**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Event_inactive_0 | The AL Event handling of the Device is inactive. |
| Event_idle_1 | The Device AL is ready to accept AL_Events (diagnosis information) from the technology specific Device applications for the transfer to the DL. The Device applications can create new Events during this time. |
| Await_event_response_2 | The Device AL propagated an AL_Event with diagnosis information and waits on a DL_EventTrigger confirmation of the DL. The Device AL shall not accept any new AL_Event during this time. |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 0 | - |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | An AL_Event request triggers a DL_Event and the corresponding DL_EventTrigger service. The DL_Event carries the diagnosis information from AL to DL. The DL_EventTrigger sets the Event flag within the cyclic data exchange (see A.1.5) |
| T4 | 2 | 1 | A DL_EventTrigger confirmation triggers an AL_Event confirmation. |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| none | | |

### 8.3.3.3 Single Event scheduling

Figure 64 shows how a single Event from a Device is processed, in accordance with the relevant state machines.

- The Device application creates an Event request (Step 1), which is passed from the AL to the DL and buffered within the Event memory (see Table 56).
- The Device AL activates the EventTrigger service to raise the Event flag, which causes the Master to read the Event from the Event memory.
- The Master then propagates this Event to the gateway application (Step 2), and waits for an Event acknowledgement.
- Once the Event acknowledgement is received (Step 3), it is indicated to the Device by writing to the StatusCode (Step 4).
- The Device confirms the original Event request to its application (Step 5), which may now initiate a new Event request.

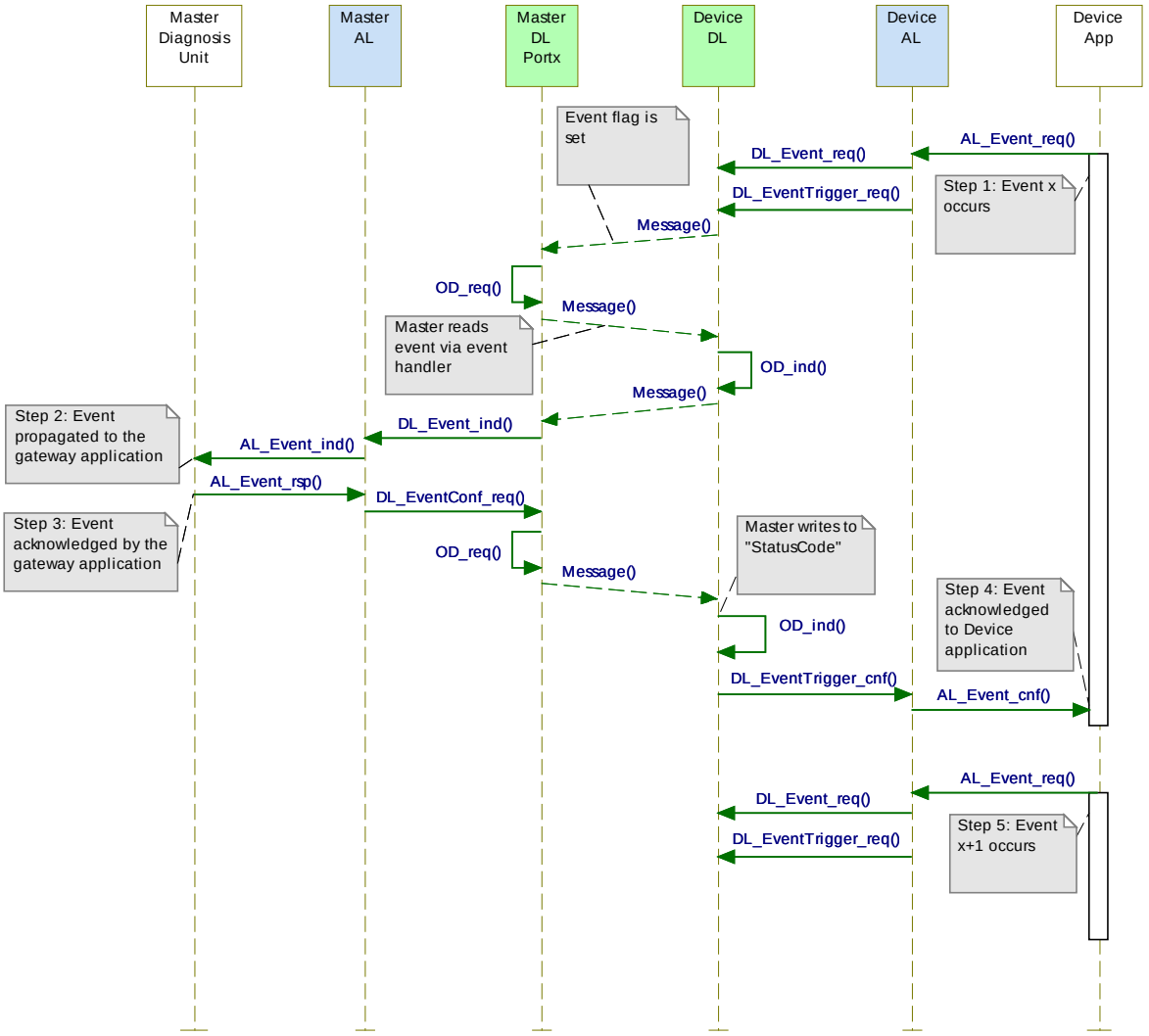


**Figure 64 – Single Event scheduling**

### 8.3.3.4 Multi Event transport (legacy Devices only)

Besides the method specified in 8.3.3.3 in which each single Event is conveyed through the layers and acknowledged by the gateway application, all Masters shall support a so-called "multi Event transport" which allows up to 6 Events to be transferred at a time. The Master AL

transfers the Event set as a single diagnosis indication to the gateway application and returns a single acknowledgement for the entire set to the legacy Device application.

Figure 64 also applies for the multi Event transport, except that this transport uses one DL_Event indication for each Event memory slot, and a single AL_Event indication for the entire Event set.

One AL_Event.req carries up to 6 Events and one AL_Event.ind indicates up to 6 pending Events. AL_Event.rsp and AL_Event.cnf refer to the indicated entire Event set.

### 8.3.4 Process Data cycles

Figure 65 and Figure 66 demonstrate complete interactions between Master and Device for output and input Process Data use cases.

Figure 65 demonstrates how the AL and DL services of Master and Device are involved in the cyclic exchange of output Process Data. The Device application is able to acquire the current values of output PD via the AL_GetOutput service.

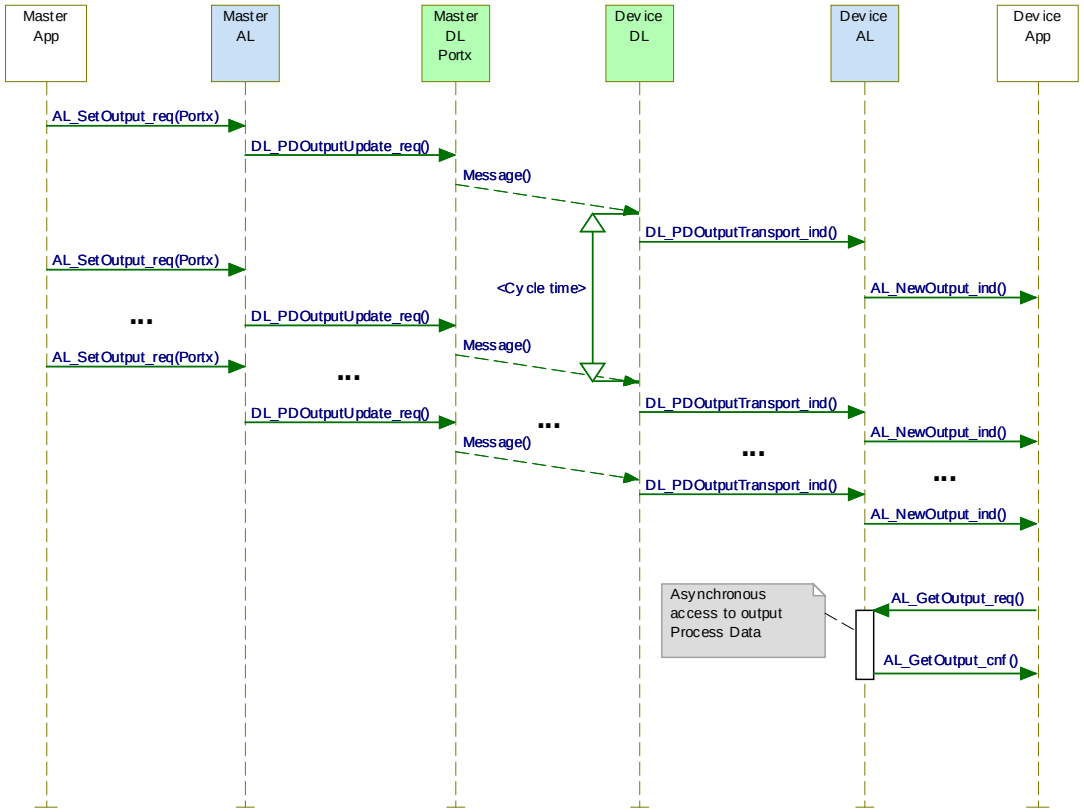


**Figure 65 – Sequence diagram for output Process Data**

Figure 66 demonstrates how the AL and DL services of Master and Device are involved in the cyclic exchange of input Process Data. The Master application is able to acquire the current values of input PD via the AL_GetInput service.

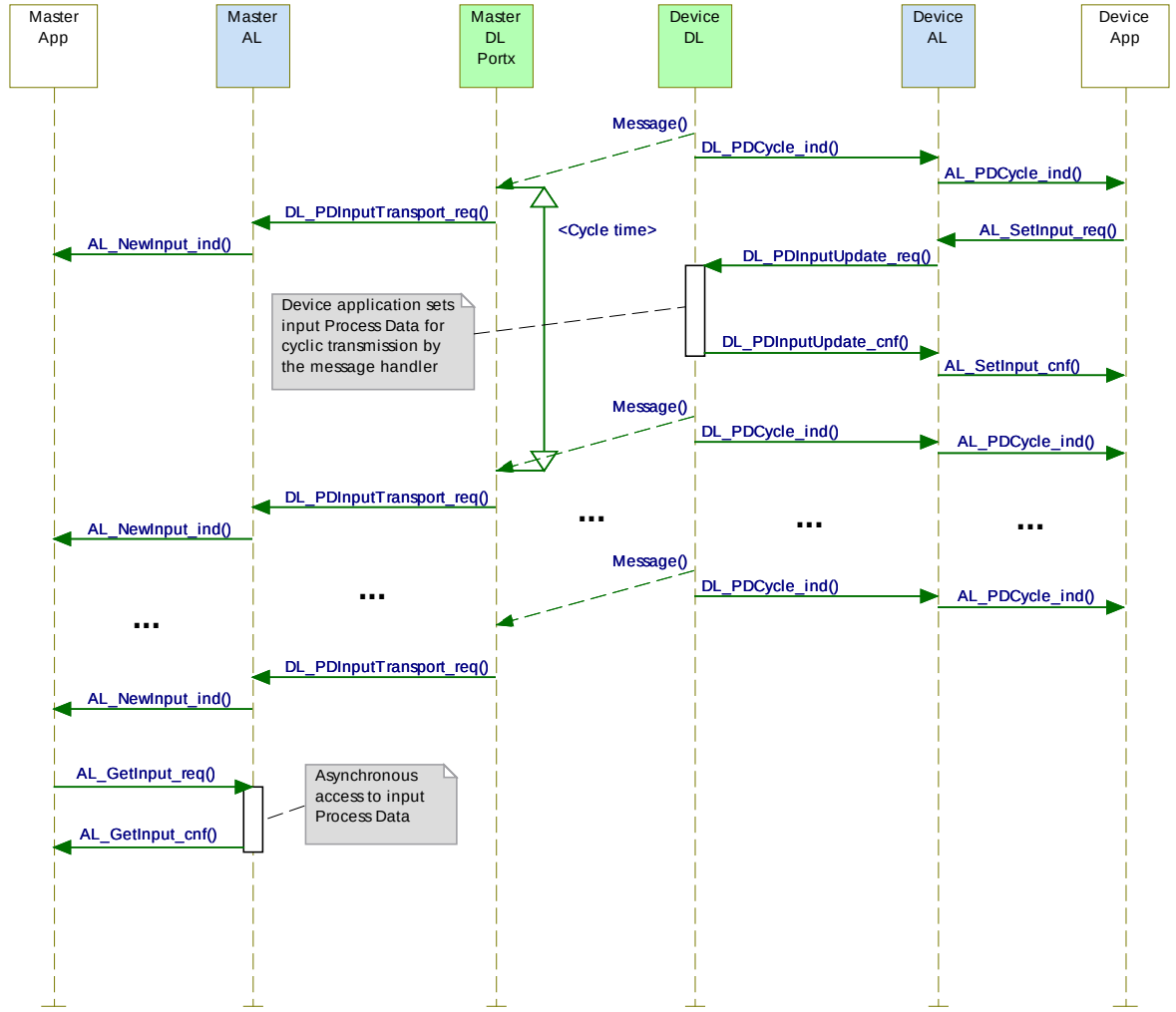


**Figure 66 – Sequence diagram for input Process Data**

# 9 System management (SM)

## 9.1 General

The SDCI system management is responsible for the coordinated startup of the ports within the Master and the corresponding operations within the connected Devices. The difference between the SM of the Master and the Device is more significant than with the other layers. Consequently, the structure of this clause separates the services and protocols of Master and Device.

## 9.2 System management of the Master

### 9.2.1 Overview

The Master system management services are used to set up the Master ports and the system for all possible operational modes.

The Master SM adjusts ports through

- establishing the required communication protocol revision
- checking the Device compatibility (actual Device identifications match expected values)
- adjusting adequate Master M-sequence types and MasterCycleTimes

For this it uses the following services shown in Figure 67:

- SM_SetPortConfig transfers the necessary Device parameters (configuration data) from Configuration Management (CM) to System Mangement (SM). The port is then started implicitly.
- SM_PortMode reports the positive result of the port setup back to CM in case of correct port setup and inspection. It reports the negative result back to CM via corresponding "errors" in case of mismatching revisions and incompatible Devices.
- SM_GetPortConfig reads the actual and effective parameters.
- SM_Operate switches the ports into the "OPERATE" mode.

Figure 67 provides an overview of the structure and services of the Master system management.

The Master system management needs one application layer service (AL_Read) to acquire data (identification parameter) from special Indices for inspection.

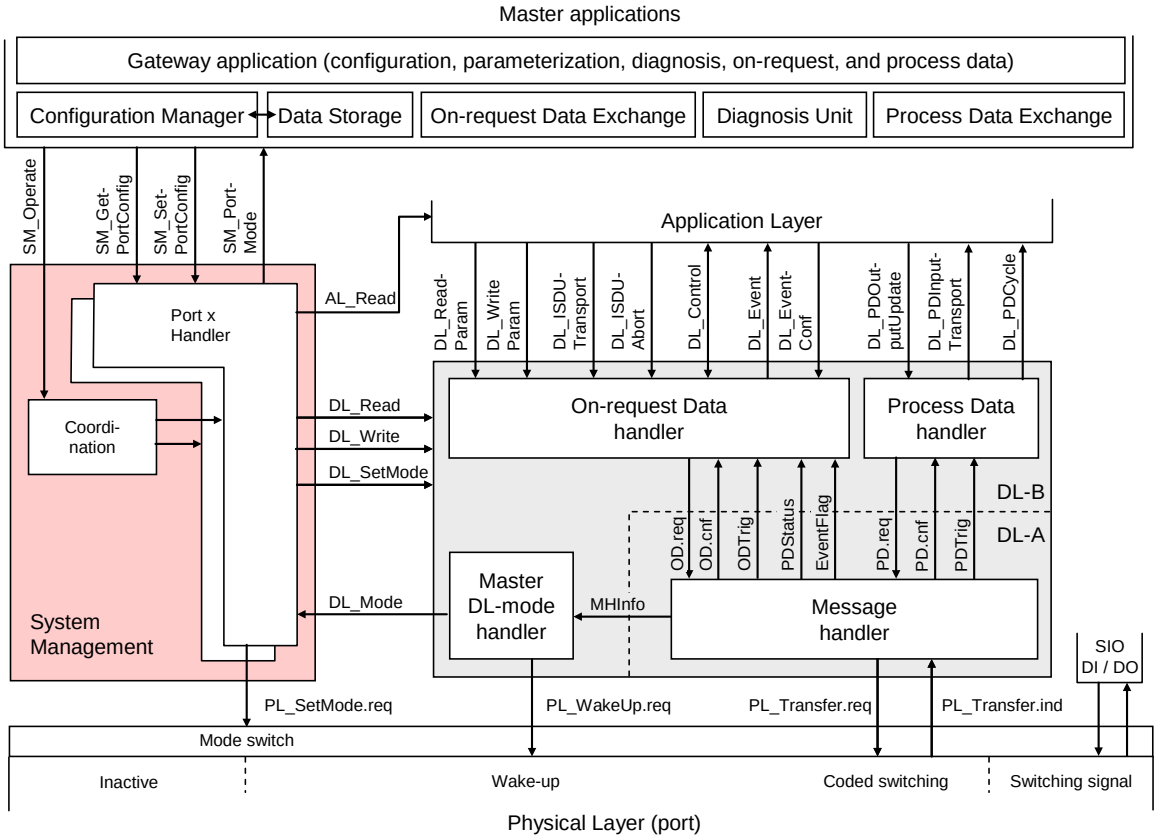


**Figure 67 – Structure and services of the Master system management**

Figure 68 demonstrates the actions between the layers Master application (Master App), Configuration Management (CM), System Management (SM), Data Link (DL) and Application Layer (AL) for the startup use case of a particular port.

This particular use case is characterized by the following statements:

- The Device for the available configuration is connected and inspection is successful
- The Device uses the correct protocol version according to this specification
- The configured InspectionLevel is "type compatible" (SerialNumber is read out of the Device and not checked).

Dotted arrows in Figure 68 represent response services to an initial service.

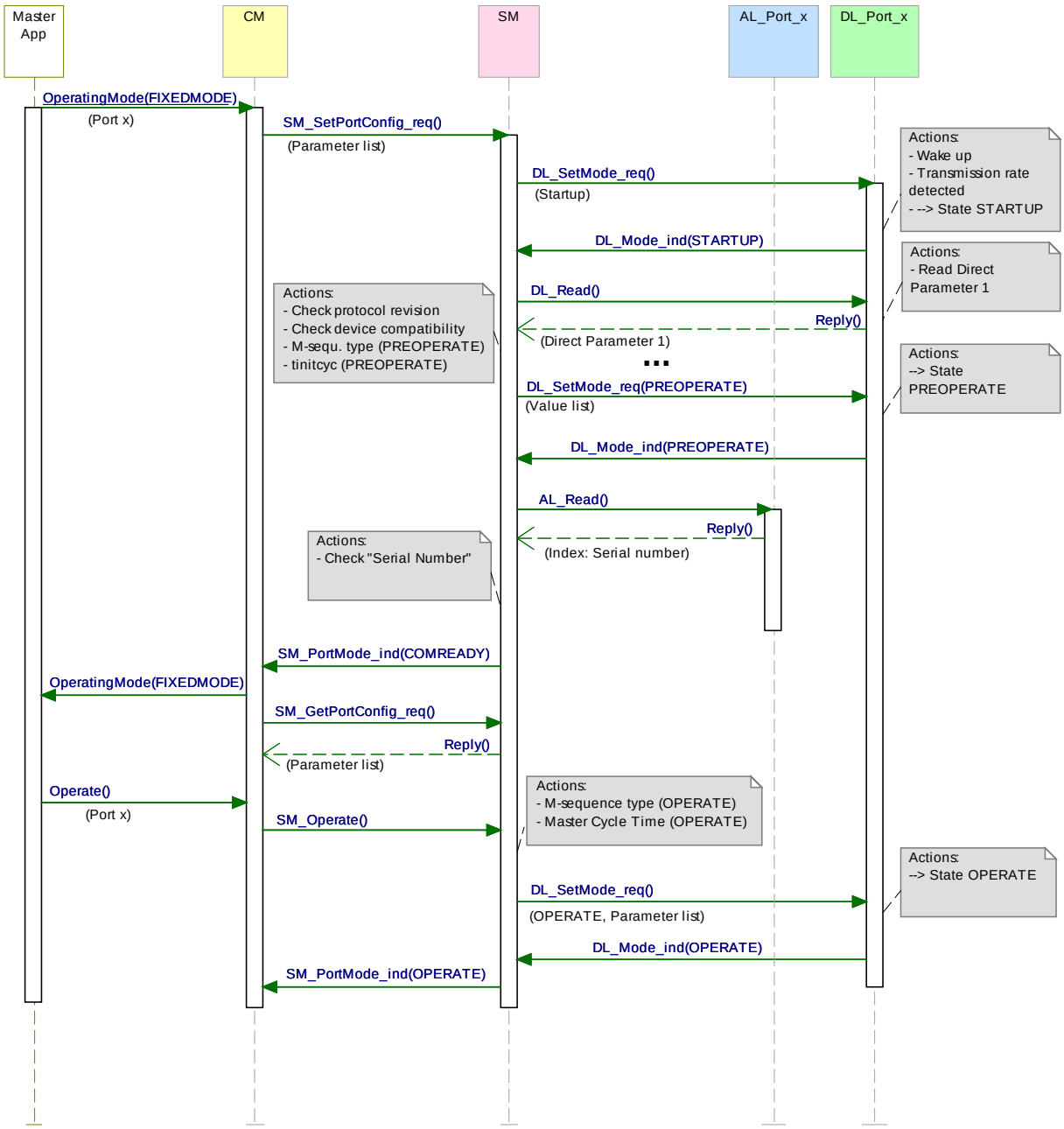


**Figure 68 – Sequence chart of the use case "port x setup"**

### 9.2.2 SM Master services

#### 9.2.2.1 Overview

System management provides the SM Master services to the user via its upper interface. Table 76 lists the assignment of the Master to its role as initiator or receiver for the individual SM services.

**Table 76 – SM services within the Master**

| Service name | Master |
|---|---|
| SM_SetPortConfig | R |
| SM_GetPortConfig | R |
| SM_PortMode | I |
| SM_Operate | R |
| Key (see 3.3.4)<br>I Initiator of service<br>R Receiver (Responder) of service | |

#### 9.2.2.2 SM_SetPortConfig

The SM_SetPortConfig service is used to set up the requested Device configuration. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 77.

**Table 77 – SM_SetPortConfig**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| ParameterList | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| Port Number | | M |
| Result (-) | | S |
| Port Number | | M |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**ParameterList**
This parameter contains the configured port and Device parameters of a Master port.

Parameter type: Record

Record Elements:

**Port Number**
This parameter contains the port number

**ConfiguredCycleTime**
This parameter contains the requested cycle time for the OPERATE mode

Permitted values:
0 (FreeRunning)
Time (see Table B.3)

**TargetMode**
This parameter indicates the requested operational mode of the port

Permitted values: INACTIVE, DI, DO, CFGCOM, AUTOCOM (see Table 79)

**ConfiguredBaudrate:**
This parameter indicates the requested transmission rate

Permitted values :
AUTO (Master accepts transmission rate found during "ESTABLISHCOM")
COM1 (transmission rate of COM1)
COM2 (transmission rate of COM2)
COM3 (transmission rate of COM3)

**ConfiguredRevisionID (CRID):**
Data length: 1 octet for the protocol version (see B.1.5)

**InspectionLevel:**
Permitted values: NO_CHECK, TYPE_COMP, IDENTICAL (see Table 78)

**ConfiguredVendorID (CVID)**
Data length: 2 octets

NOTE VendorIDs are assigned by the IO-Link community

**ConfiguredDeviceID (CDID)**
Data length: 3 octets

**ConfiguredFunctionID (CFID)**
Data length: 2 octets

**ConfiguredSerialNumber (CSN)**
Data length: up to 16 octets

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully

**Port Number**
This parameter contains the port number

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed

**Port Number**
This parameter contains the port number

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information

Permitted values:
PARAMETER_CONFLICT (consistency of parameter set violated)

Table 78 specifies the coding of the different inspection levels (values of the InspectionLevel parameter) (see 9.2.3.2 and 11.8.5).

**Table 78 – Definition of the InspectionLevel (IL)**

| Parameter | InspectionLevel (IL) | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | NO_CHECK | TYPE_COMP | IDENTICAL |
| DeviceID (DID) (compatible) | - | Yes (RDID=CDID) | Yes (RDID=CDID) |
| VendorID (VID) | - | Yes (RVID=CVID) | Yes (RVID=CVID) |
| SerialNumber (SN) | - | - | Yes (RSN = CSN) |

Table 79 specifies the coding of the different Target Modes.

2355 **Table 79 – Definitions of the Target Modes**

| Target Mode | Definition |
|---|---|
| CFGCOM | Device communicating in mode CFGCOM after successful inspection |
| AUTOCOM | Device communicating in mode AUTOCOM without inspection |
| INACTIVE | Communication disabled, no DI, no DO |
| DI | Port in digital input mode (SIO) |
| DO | Port in digital output mode (SIO) |

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2357 CFGCOM is a Target Mode based on a user configuration (for example with the help of an
2358 IODD) and consistency checking of RID, VID, DID.

2359 AUTOCOM is a Target Mode without configuration. That means no checking of CVID and
2360 CDID. The CRID is set to the highest revision the Master is supporting. AUTOCOM should
2361 only be selectable together with Inspection Level "NO_CHECK" (see Table 78).

2362 #### 9.2.2.3 SM_GetPortConfig

2363 The SM_GetPortConfig service is used to acquire the real (actual) Device configuration. The
2364 parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 80.

2365 **Table 80 – SM_GetPortConfig**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| Port Number | M | |
| Result (+) | | S(=) |
| Parameterlist | | M |
| Result (-) | | S(=) |
| Port Number | | M |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

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2367 **Argument**
2368 The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

2369 **Port Number**
2370 This parameter contains the port number

2371 **Result (+):**
2372 This selection parameter indicates that the service request has been executed successfully.

2373 **ParameterList**
2374 This parameter contains the configured port and Device parameter of a Master port.

2375 Parameter type: Record

2376 Record Elements:

2377 **PortNumber**
2378 This parameter contains the port number.

2379 **TargetMode**

This parameter indicates the operational mode

Permitted values: INACTIVE, DI, DO, CFGCOM, AUTOCOM (see Table 79)

**RealBaudrate**
This parameter indicates the actual transmission rate

Permitted values:
COM1 (transmission rate of COM1)
COM2 (transmission rate of COM2)
COM3 (transmission rate of COM3)

**RealCycleTime**
This parameter contains the real (actual) cycle time

**RealRevision (RRID)**
Data length: 1 octet for the protocol version (see B.1.5)

**RealVendorID (RVID)**
Data length: 2 octets

NOTE VendorIDs are assigned by the IO-Link community

**RealDeviceID (RDID)**
Data length: 3 octets

**RealFunctionID (RFID)**
Data length: 2 octets

**RealSerialNumber (RSN)**
Data length: up to 16 octets

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed

**Port Number**
This parameter contains the port number

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information

Permitted values:
PARAMETER_CONFLICT (consistency of parameter set violated)

All parameters shall be set to "0" if there is no information available.

#### 9.2.2.4 SM_PortMode

The SM_PortMode service is used to indicate changes or faults of the local communication mode. These shall be reported to the Master application. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 81.

**Table 81 – SM_PortMode**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | M |
| Port Number | M |
| Mode | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Port Number**
This parameter contains the port number

**Mode**

Permitted values:

| | |
|---|---|
| INACTIVE | (Communication disabled, no DI, no DO) |
| DI | (Port in digital input mode (SIO)) |
| DO | (Port in digital output mode (SIO)) |
| COMREADY | (Communication established and inspection successful) |
| SM_OPERATE | (Port is ready to exchange Process Data) |
| COMLOST | (Communication failed, new wake-up procedure required) |
| REVISION_FAULT | (Incompatible protocol revision) |
| COMP_FAULT | (Incompatible Device or Legacy-Device according to the InspectionLevel) |
| SERNUM_FAULT | (Mismatching SerialNumber according to the InspectionLevel) |

#### 9.2.2.5 SM_Operate

The SM_Operate service prompts system management to calculate the MasterCycleTimes of the ports when they are acknowledged positively with Result (+). This service is effective on all the ports. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 82.

**Table 82 – SM_Operate**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Result (+) | | S |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:

| | |
|---|---|
| TIMING_CONFLICT | (the requested combination of cycle times for the activated ports is not possible) |

### 9.2.3 SM Master protocol

#### 9.2.3.1 Overview

Due to the comprehensive configuration, parameterization, and operational features of SDCI the description of the behavior with the help of state diagrams becomes rather complex. Similar to the DL state machines 9.2.3 uses the possibility of submachines within the main state machines.

Comprehensive compatibility check methods are performed within the submachine states. These methods are indicated by "do *method*" fields within the state graphs, for example in Figure 70.

The corresponding decision logic is demonstrated via activity diagrams (see Figure 71, Figure 72, Figure 73, and Figure 76).

### 9.2.3.2 SM Master state machine

Figure 69 shows the main state machine of the System Mangement Master. Two submachines for the compatibility and serial number check are specified in subsequent sections. In case of communication disruption the system management is informed via the service DL_Mode (COMLOST). Only the SM_SetPortConfig service allows reconfiguration of a port. The service SM_Operate (effective on all ports) causes no effect in any state except in state "wait_4".

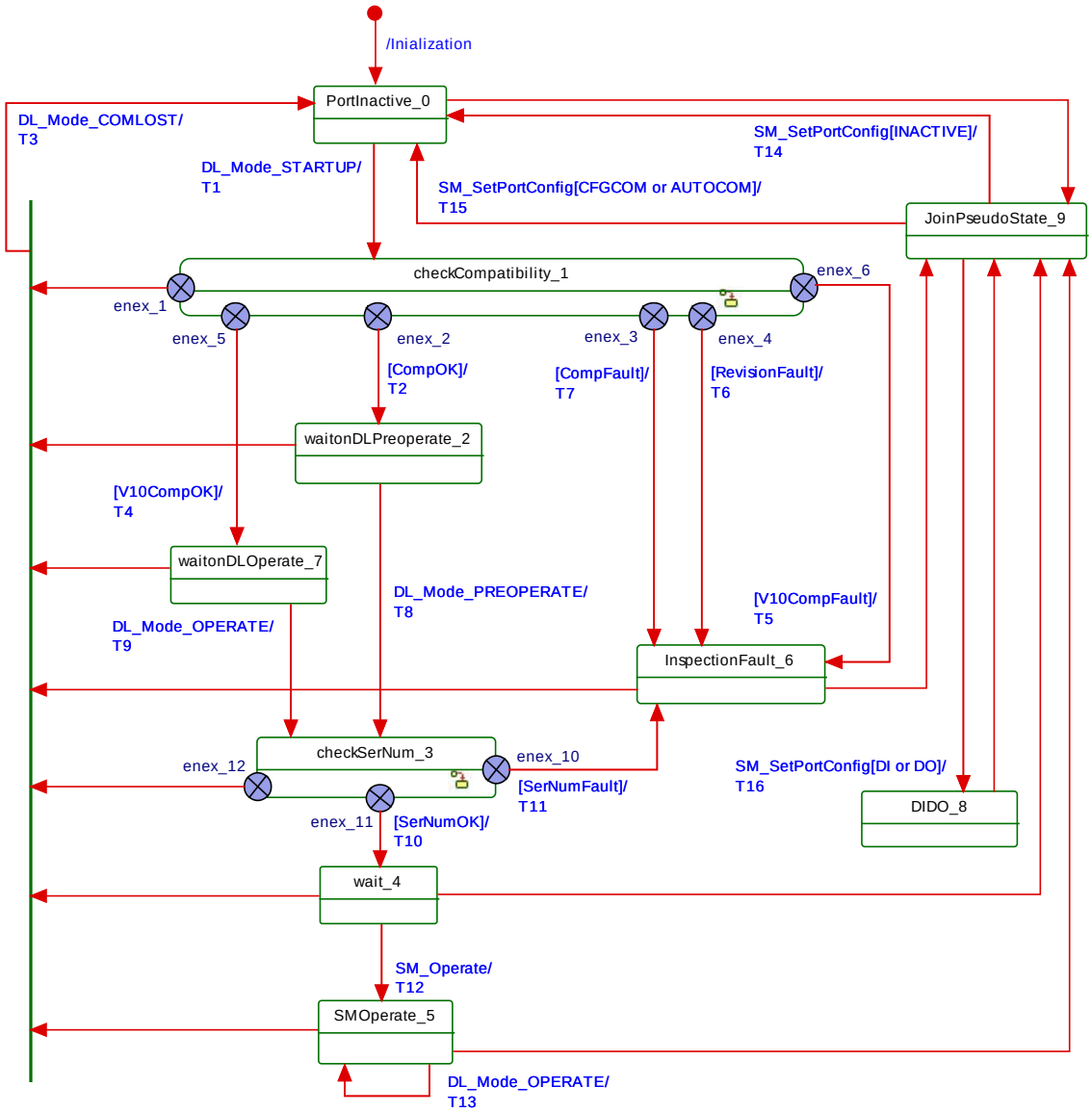


**Figure 69 – Main state machine of the Master system management**

Table 83 shows the state transition tables of the Master system management.

**Table 83 – State transition tables of the Master system management**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| PortInactive_0 | No communication |
| CheckCompatibility_1 | Port is started and revision and Device compatibility is checked. See Figure 70. |
| waitonDLPreoperate_2 | Wait until the PREOPERATE state is established and all the On-Request handlers are started. Port is ready to communicate. |

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| CheckSerNum_3 | SerialNumber is checked depending on the InspectionLevel (IL). See Figure 75. |
| wait_4 | Port is ready to communicate and waits on service SM_Operate from CM. |
| SM Operate_5 | Port is in state OPERATE and performs cyclic Process Data exchange. |
| InspectionFault_6 | Port is ready to communicate. However, cyclic Process Data exchange cannot be performed due to incompatibilities. |
| waitonDLOperate_7 | Wait on the requested state OPERATE in case the Master is connected to a legacy Device. The SerialNumber can be read thereafter. |
| DIDO_8 | Port will be switched into the DI or DO mode (SIO, no communication) |
| JoinPseudoState_9 | This pseudo state is used instead of a UML join bar. It allows execution of individual SM_SetPortConfig services depending on the system status (INACTIVE, CFGCOM, AUTOCOM, DI, or DO) |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | CompRetry = 0 |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | DL_SetMode.req (PREOPERATE, ValueList) |
| T3 | 1,2,3,4,5, 6,7 | 0 | DL_SetMode.req (INACTIVE ) and SM_Mode.ind (COMLOST) due to communiacation fault |
| T4 | 1 | 7 | DL_SetMode.req (OPERATE, ValueList) |
| T5 | 1 | 6 | SM_PortMode.ind (COMP_FAULT), DL_SetMode.req (OPERATE, ValueList) |
| T6 | 1 | 6 | SM_PortMode.ind (REVISION_FAULT), DL_SetMode.req (PREOPERATE, ValueList) |
| T7 | 1 | 6 | SM_PortMode.ind (COMP_FAULT), DL_SetMode.req (PREOPERATE, ValueList) |
| T8 | 2 | 3 | - |
| T9 | 7 | 3 | - |
| T10 | 3 | 4 | SM_PortMode.ind (COMREADY) |
| T11 | 3 | 6 | SM_PortMode.ind (SERNUM_FAULT) |
| T12 | 4 | 5 | DL_SetMode.req (OPERATE, ValueList) |
| T13 | 5 | 5 | - |
| T14 | 0,4,5,6,8 | 0 | SM_PortMode.ind (INACTIVE), DL_SetMode.req (INACTIVE) |
| T15 | 0,4,5,6,8 | 0 | DL_SetMode.req (STARTUP, ValueList), PL_SetMode.req (SDCI) |
| T16 | 0,4,5,6,8 | 8 | PL_SetMode.req (SIO), SM_Mode.ind (DI or DO), DL_SetMode.req (INACTIVE) |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| CompOK | Bool | See Figure 73 |
| CompFault | Bool | See Figure 73; error variable COMP_FAULT |
| RevisionFault | Bool | See Figure 71; error variable REVISION_FAULT |
| SerNumFault | Bool | See Figure 76; error variable SERNUM_FAULT |
| SerNumOK | Bool | See Figure 76 |
| V10CompFault | Bool | See Figure 72; error variable COMP_FAULT |
| V10CompOK | Bool | See Figure 72 |
| INACTIVE | Variable | A target mode in service SM_SetPortConfig |
| CFGCOM, AUTOCOM | Variables | Target Modes in service SM_SetPortConfig |

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### 9.2.3.3 SM Master submachine "Check Compatibility"

Figure 70 shows the SM Master submachine checkCompatibility_1.

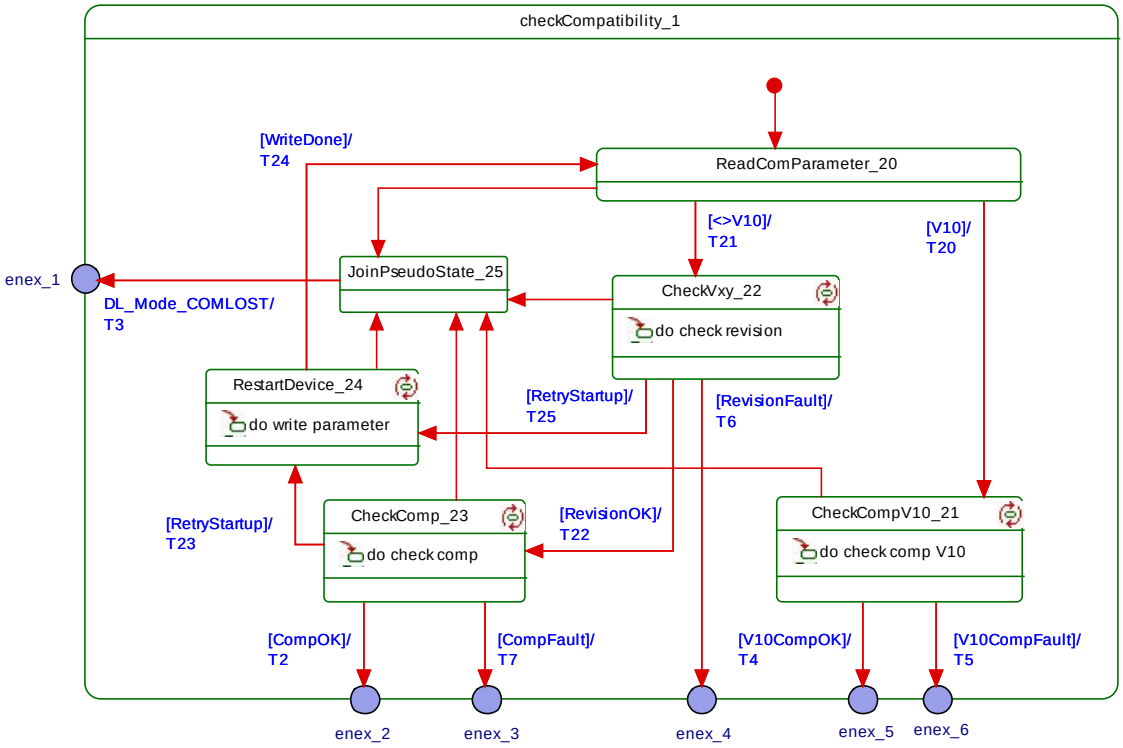



**Figure 70 – SM Master submachine CheckCompatibility_1**

Table 84 shows the state transition tables of the Master submachine checkCompatibility_1.

**Table 84 – State transition tables of the Master submachine CheckCompatibility_1**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| ReadComParameter_20 | Acquires communication parameters from Direct Parameter Page 1 (0x02 to 0x06) via service DL_Read (see Table B.1). |
| CheckCompV10_21 | Acquires identification parameters from Direct Parameter Page 1 (0x07 to 0x0D) via service DL_Read (see Table B.1). The configured InspectionLevel (IL) defines the decision logic of the subsequent compatibility check "CheckCompV10" with parameters RVID, RDID, and RFID according to Figure 72. |
| CheckVxy_22 | A check is performed whether the configured revision (CRID) matches the real (actual) revision (RRID) according to Figure 71. |
| CheckComp_23 | Acquires identification parameters from Direct Parameter Page 1 (0x07 to 0x0D) via service DL_Read (see Table B.1). The configured InspectionLevel (IL) defines the decision logic of the subsequent compatibility check "CheckComp" according to Figure 73. |
| RestartDevice_24 | Writes the compatibility parameters configured protocol revision (CRID) and configured DeviceID (CDID) into the Device depending on the Target Mode of communication CFGCOM or AUTOCOM (see Table 79) according to Figure 74. |
| JoinPseudoState_25 | This pseudo state is used instead of a UML join bar. No guards involved. |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T20 | 20 | 21 | - |
| T21 | 20 | 22 | DL_Write (0x00, MCmd_MASTERIDENT), see Table B.2 |
| T22 | 22 | 23 | - |
| T23 | 23 | 24 | - |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T24 | 24 | 20 | - |
| T25 | 22 | 24 | CompRetry = CompRetry +1 |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| CompOK | Bool | See Figure 73 |
| CompFault | Bool | See Figure 73; error variable COMP_FAULT |
| RevisionFault | Bool | See Figure 71; error variable REVISION_FAULT |
| RevisionOK | Bool | See Figure 71 |
| SerNumFault | Bool | See Figure 76; error variable SERNUM_FAULT |
| SerNumOK | Bool | See Figure 76 |
| V10 | Bool | Real protocol revision of connected Device is a legacy version (V1.0, see B.1.5) |
| <>V10 | Bool | Real protocol revision of connected Device is in accordance with this standard |
| V10CompFault | Bool | See Figure 72; error variable COMP_FAULT |
| V10CompOK | Bool | See Figure 72 |
| RetryStartup | Bool | See Figure 71 and Figure 73 |
| CompRetry | Variable | Internal counter |
| WriteDone | Bool | Finalization of the restart service sequence |
| MCmd_XXXXXXX | Call | See Table 43 |

Some states contain complex logic to deal with the compatibility and validity checks. Figure 71 to Figure 74 are demonstrating the context.

Figure 71 shows the decision logic for the protocol revision check in state "CheckVxy". In case of configured Devices the following rule applies: if the configured revision (CRID) and the real revision (RRID) do not match, the CRID will be transmitted to the Device. If the Device does not accept, the Master returns an indication via the SM_Mode service with REV_FAULT.

In case of not configured Devices the operational mode AUTOCOM shall be used. See 9.2.2.2 and 9.2.2.3 for the parameter name abbreviations.

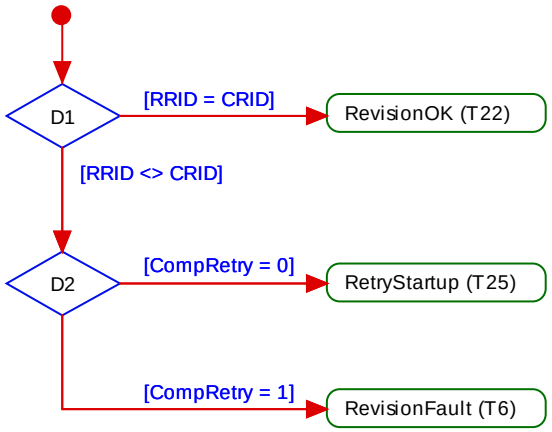
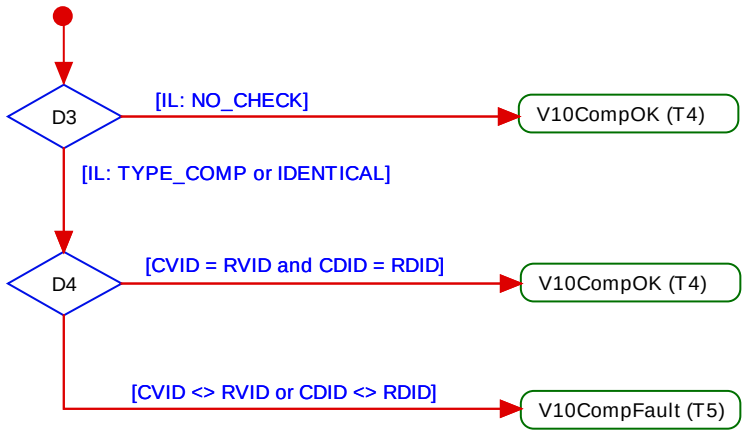



**Figure 71 – Activity for state "CheckVxy"**

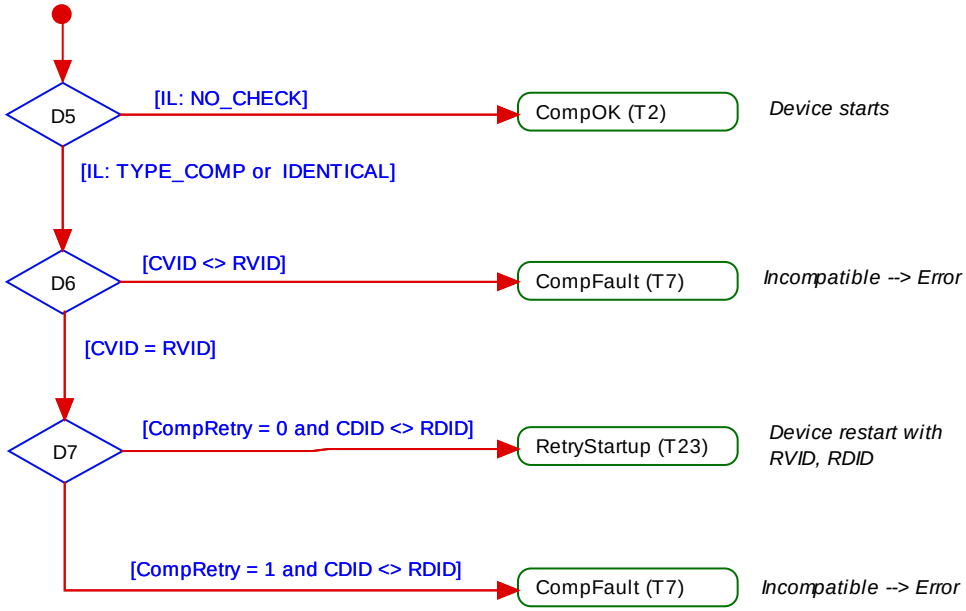
Figure 72 shows the decision logic for the legacy compatibility check in state "CheckCompV10".




**Key:**
IL = Inspection level

**Figure 72 – Activity for state "CheckCompV10"**

Figure 73 shows the decision logic for the compatibility check in state "CheckComp".




**Key:**
IL = Inspection level

**Figure 73 – Activity for state "CheckComp"**

Figure 74 shows the activity (write parameter) in state "RestartDevice".

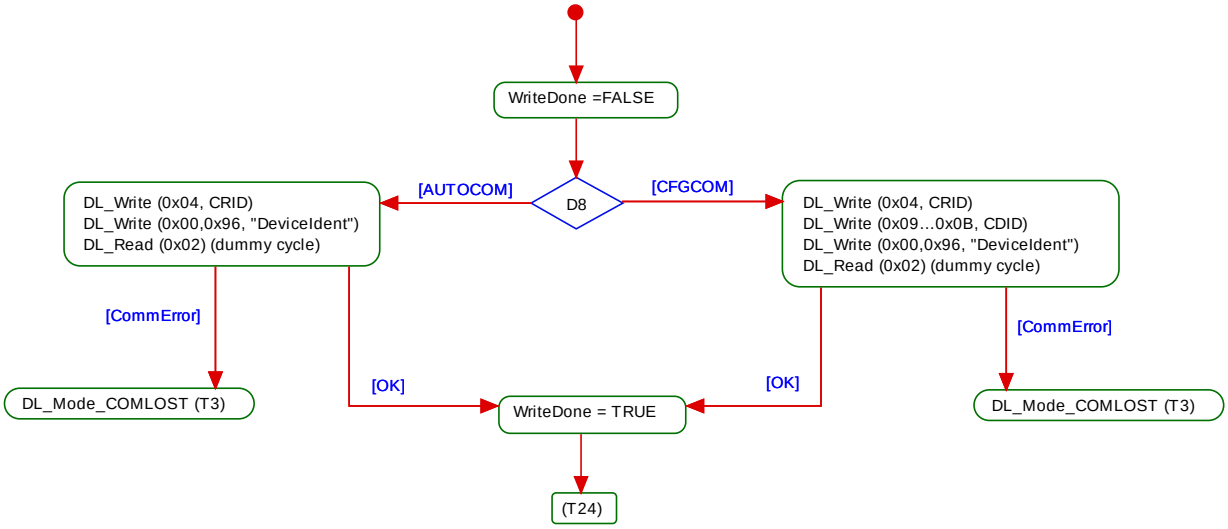



**Figure 74 – Activity (write parameter) in state "RestartDevice"**

#### 9.2.3.4 SM Master submachine "Check serial number"

Figure 75 shows the SM Master submachine "checkSerNum_3". This check is mandatory.

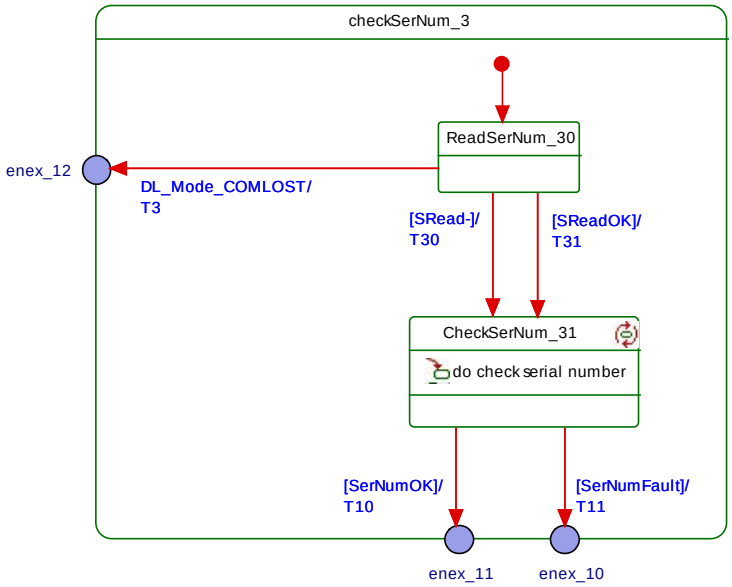



**Figure 75 – SM Master submachine CheckSerNum_3**

Table 85 shows the state transition tables of the Master submachine CheckSerNum_3

**Table 85 – State transition tables of the Master submachine CheckSerNum_3**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| ReadSerNum_30 | Acquires the SerialNumber from the Device via AL_Read.req (Index: 0x0015). A positive response (AL_Read(+)) leads to SReadOK = true. A negative response (AL_Read(-)) leads to SRead- = true. |
| CheckSerNum_31 | The configured (CSN) and the real (RSN) SerialNumber are checked depending on the InspectionLevel (IL) according to Figure 76. |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T30 | 40 | 41 | |
| T31 | 40 | 41 | |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| SRead- | Bool | Negative response of service AL_Read (Index 0x0015) |
| SReadOK | Bool | SerialNumber read correctly |
| SERNumOK | Bool | See Figure 76 |
| SERNumFault | Bool | See Figure 76 |

Figure 76 shows the decision logic (activity) for the state CheckSerNum_3.

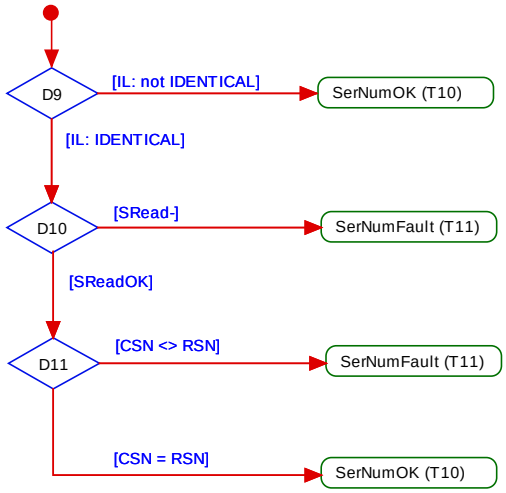



**Figure 76 – Activity (check SerialNumber) for state CheckSerNum_3**

### 9.2.3.5 Rules for the usage of M-sequence types

The System management is responsible for setting up the correct M-sequence types. This occurs after the check compatibility actions (transition to PREOPERATE) and before the transition to OPERATE.

Different M-sequence types shall be used within the different operational states (see A.2.6). For example, when switching to the OPERATE state the M-sequence type relevant for cyclic operation shall be used. The M-sequence type to be used in operational state OPERATE is determined by the size of the input and output Process Data. The available M-sequence types in the three modes STARTUP, PREOPERATE, and OPERATE and the corresponding coding of the parameter M-sequence Capability are specified in A.2.6. The input and output data formats shall be acquired from the connected Device in order to adjust the M-sequence type. It is mandatory for a Master to implement all the specified M-sequence types in A.2.6.

## 9.3 System management of the Device

### 9.3.1 Overview

Figure 77 provides an overview of the structure and services of the Device system management.

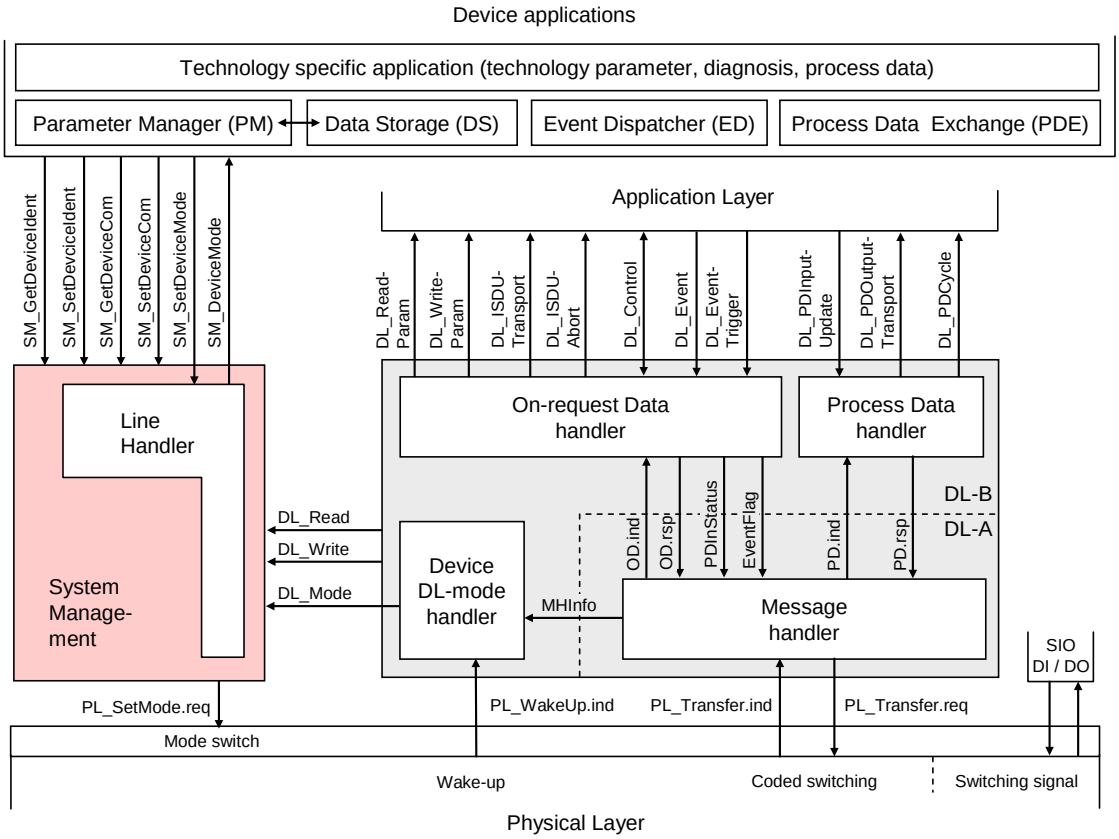



**Figure 77 – Structure and services of the system management (Device)**

The System Management (SM) of the Device provides the central controlling instance via the Line Handler through all the phases of initialization, default state (SIO), communication startup, communication, and fall-back to SIO mode.

The Device SM interacts with the PL to establish the necessary line driver and receiver adjustments (see Figure 15), with the DL to get the necessary information from the Master (wake-up, transmission rates, a.o.) and with the Device applications to ensure the Device identity and compatibility (identification parameters).

The transitions between the line handler states (see Figure 79) are initiated by the Master port activities (wake-up and communication) and triggered through the Device Data Link Layer via the DL_Mode indications and DL_Write requests (commands).

The SM provides the Device identification parameters through the Device applications interface.

The sequence chart in Figure 78 demonstrates a typical Device sequence from initialization to default SIO mode and via wake-up request from the Master to final communication. The sequence chart is complemented by the use case of a communication error such as $T_{\text{DSIO}}$ expired, or communication fault, or a request from Master such as Fallback (caused by Event).

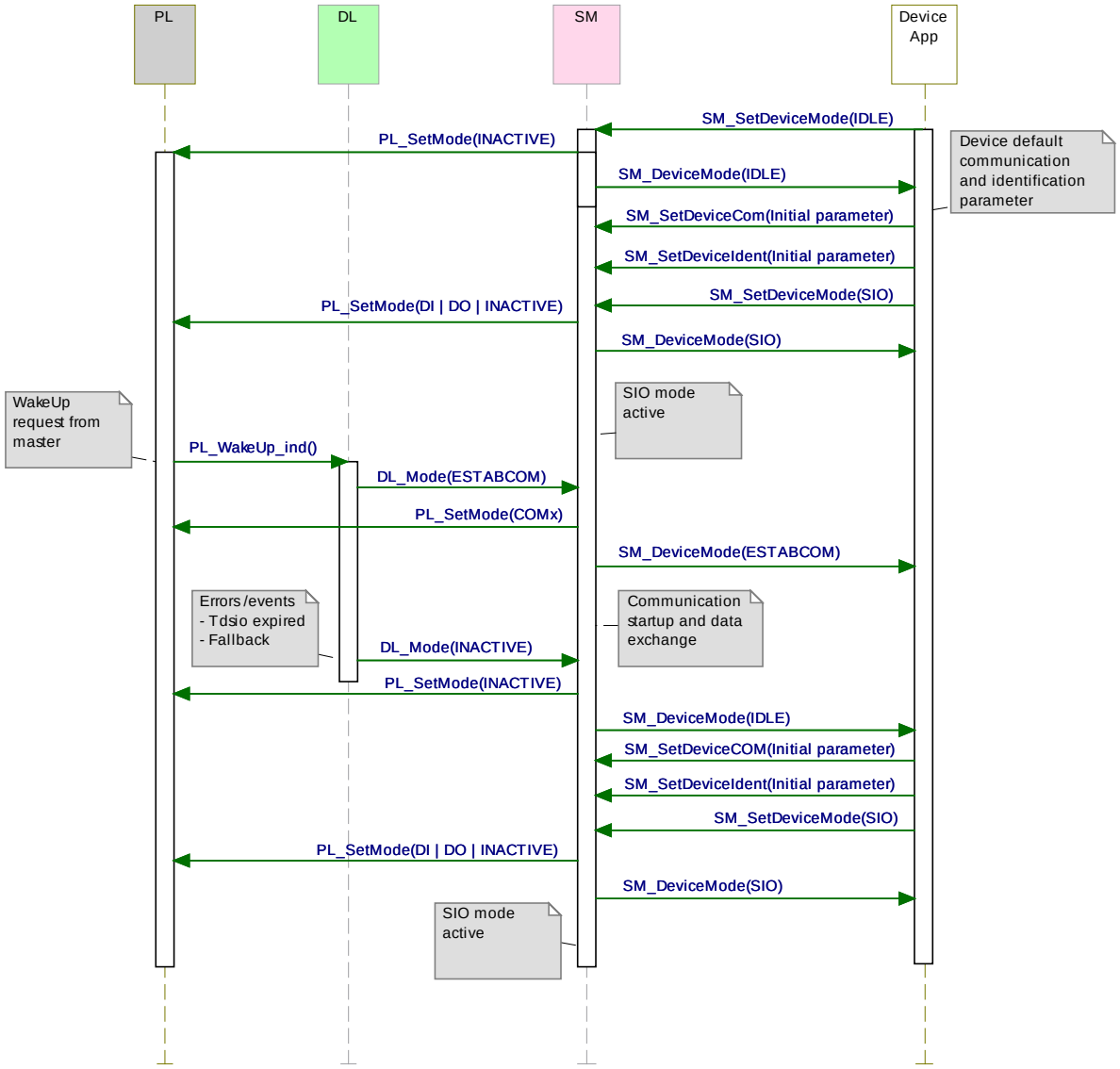



**Figure 78 – Sequence chart of the use case "INACTIVE – SIO – SDCI – SIO"**

The SM services shown in Figure 78 are specified in 9.3.2.

### 9.3.2 SM Device services

#### 9.3.2.1 Overview

Subclause 9.3.2 describes the services the Device system management provides to its applications as shown in Figure 77.

Table 86 lists the assignment of the Device to its role as initiator or receiver for the individual system management service.

**Table 86 – SM services within the Device**

| Service name | Device |
|---|---|
| SM_SetDeviceCom | R |
| SM_GetDeviceCom | R |
| SM_SetDeviceIdent | R |

| Service name | Device |
|---|---|
| SM_GetDeviceIdent | R |
| SM_SetDeviceMode | R |
| SM_DeviceMode | I |
| Key (see 3.3.4)<br>I Initiator of service<br>R Receiver (Responder) of service | |

#### 9.3.2.2 SM_SetDeviceCom

The SM_SetDeviceCom service is used to configure the communication properties supported by the Device in the system management. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 87.

**Table 87 – SM_SetDeviceCom**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| ParameterList | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**ParameterList**
This parameter contains the configured communication parameters for a Device.

Parameter type: Record

Record Elements:

**SupportedSIOMode**
This parameter indicates the SIO mode supported by the Device.

Permitted values:
INACTIVE (C/Q line in high impedance),
DI (C/Q line in digital input mode),
DO (C/Q line in digital output mode),

**SupportedTransmissionrate**
This parameter indicates the transmission rates supported by the Device.

Permitted values:
COM1 (transmission rate of COM1)
COM2 (transmission rate of COM2)
COM3 (transmission rate of COM3)

**MinCycleTime**
This parameter contains the minimum cycle time supported by the Device (see B.1.3).

**M-sequence Capability**
This parameter indicates the capabilities supported by the Device (see B.1.4):
- ISDU support
- OPERATE M-sequence types
- PREOPERATE M-sequence types

**RevisionID (RID)**
This parameter contains the protocol revision (see B.1.5) supported by the Device.

**ProcessDataIn**
This parameter contains the length of PD to be sent to the Master (see B.1.6).

**ProcessDataOut**
This parameter contains the length of PD to be sent by the Master (see B.1.7).

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
PARAMETER_CONFLICT (consistency of parameter set violated)

#### 9.3.2.3 SM_GetDeviceCom

The SM_GetDeviceCom service is used to read the current communication properties from the system management. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 88.

**Table 88 – SM_GetDeviceCom**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| ParameterList | | M |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**ParameterList**
This parameter contains the configured communication parameter for a Device.

Parameter type: Record

Record Elements:

**CurrentMode**
This parameter indicates the current SIO or Communication Mode by the Device.

Permitted values:
INACTIVE (C/Q line in high impedance)
DI (C/Q line in digital input mode)
DO (C/Q line in digital output mode)
COM1 (transmission rate of COM1)

COM2 (transmission rate of COM2)
COM3 (transmission rate of COM3)

**MasterCycleTime**
This parameter contains the MasterCycleTime to be set by the Master system management (see B.1.3). This parameter is only valid in the state SM_Operate.

**M-sequence Capability**
This parameter indicates the current M-sequence capabilities configured in the system management of the Device (see B.1.4).
- ISDU support
- OPERATE M-sequence types
- PREOPERATE M-sequence types

**RevisionID (RID)**
This parameter contains the current protocol revision (see B.1.5) within the system management of the Device.

**ProcessDataIn**
This parameter contains the current length of PD to be sent to the Master (see B.1.6).

**ProcessDataOut**
This parameter contains the current length of PD to be sent by the Master (see B.1.7).

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 9.3.2.4 SM_SetDeviceIdent

The SM_SetDeviceIdent service is used to configure the Device identification data in the system management. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 89.

**Table 89 – SM_SetDeviceIdent**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| ParameterList | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**ParameterList**
This parameter contains the configured identification parameter for a Device.

Parameter type: Record

Record Elements:

**VendorID (VID)**
This parameter contains the VendorID assigned to a Device (see B.1.8)

Data length: 2 octets

**DeviceID (DID)**
This parameter contains one of the assigned DeviceIDs (see B.1.9)

Data length: 3 octets

**FunctionID (FID)**
This parameter contains one of the assigned FunctionIDs (see B.1.10).

Data length: 2 octets

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)
PARAMETER_CONFLICT (consistency of parameter set violated)

#### 9.3.2.5 SM_GetDeviceIdent

The SM_GetDeviceIdent service is used to read the Device identification parameter from the system management. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 90.

**Table 90 – SM_GetDeviceIdent**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| ParameterList | | M |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**ParameterList**
This parameter contains the configured communication parameters of the Device.

Parameter type: Record

Record Elements:

**VendorID (VID)**
This parameter contains the actual VendorID of the Device (see B.1.8)

Data length: 2 octets

**DeviceID (DID)**
This parameter contains the actual DeviceID of the Device (see B.1.9)

Data length: 3 octets

**FunctionID (FID)**
This parameter contains the actual FunctionID of the Device (see B.1.10).

Data length: 2 octets

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 9.3.2.6 SM_SetDeviceMode

The SM_SetDeviceMode service is used to set the Device into a defined operational state during initialization. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 91.

**Table 91 – SM_SetDeviceMode**

| Parameter name | .req | .cnf |
|---|---|---|
| Argument | M | |
| Mode | M | |
| Result (+) | | S |
| Result (-) | | S |
| ErrorInfo | | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Mode**
Permitted values:
IDLE (Device changes to waiting for configuration)
SIO (Device changes to the mode defined in service "SM_SetDeviceCom")

**Result (+):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service has been executed successfully.

**Result (-):**
This selection parameter indicates that the service failed.

**ErrorInfo**
This parameter contains error information.

Permitted values:
STATE_CONFLICT (service unavailable within current state)

#### 9.3.2.7 SM_DeviceMode

The SM_DeviceMode service is used to indicate changes of communication states to the Device application. The parameters of the service primitives are listed in Table 92.

**Table 92 – SM_DeviceMode**

| Parameter name | .ind |
|---|---|
| Argument | M |
| Mode | M |

**Argument**
The service-specific parameters are transmitted in the argument.

**Mode**
Permitted values:

| | |
|---|---|
| IDLE | (Device changed to waiting for configuration) |
| SIO | (Device changed to the mode defined in service "SM_SetDeviceCom") |
| ESTABCOM | (Device changed to the SM mode "SM_ComEstablish") |
| COM1 | (Device changed to the COM1 mode) |
| COM2 | (Device changed to the COM2 mode) |
| COM3 | (Device changed to the COM3 mode) |
| STARTUP | (Device changed to the STARTUP mode) |
| IDENT_STARTUP | (Device changed to the SM mode "SM_IdentStartup") |
| IDENT_CHANGE | (Device changed to the SM mode "SM_IdentCheck") |
| PREOPERATE | (Device changed to the PREOPERATE mode) |
| OPERATE | (Device changed to the OPERATE mode) |

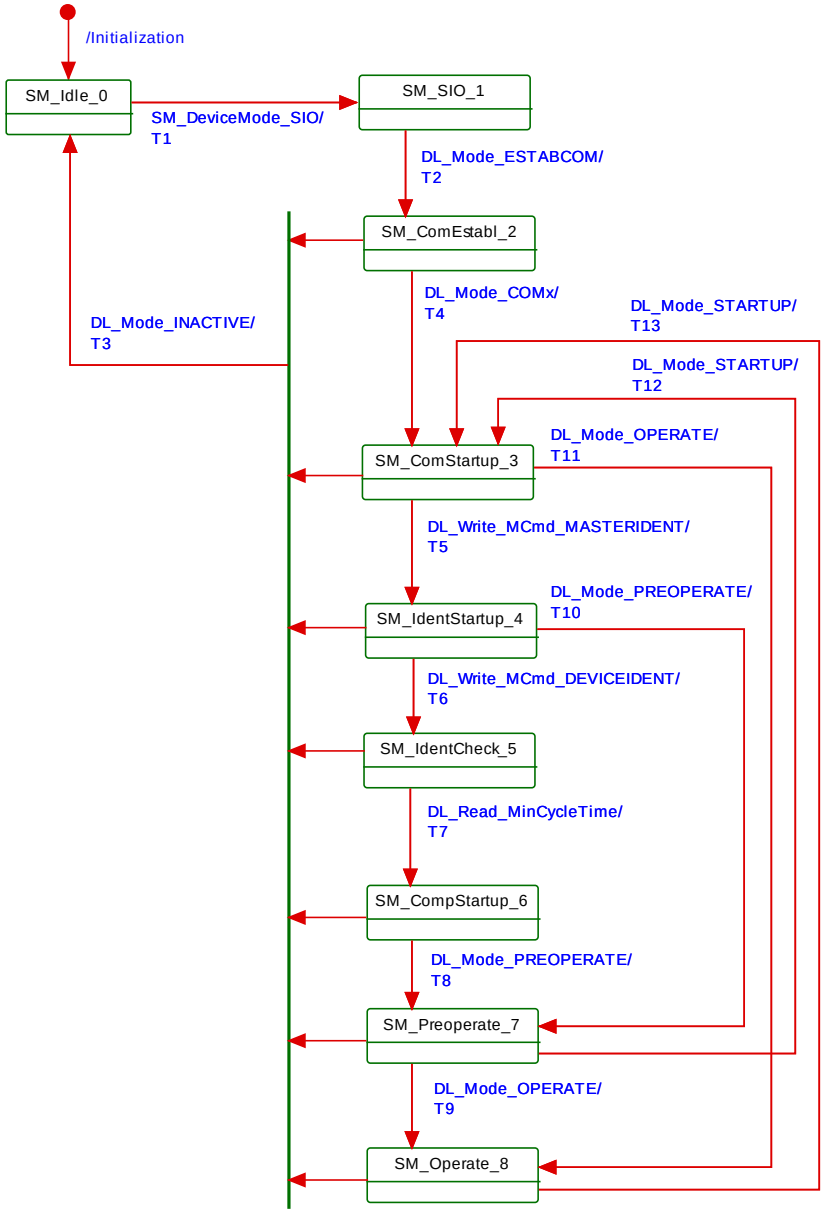
### 9.3.3 SM Device protocol

#### 9.3.3.1 Overview

The behaviour of the Device is mainly driven by Master messages.

#### 9.3.3.2 SM Device state machine

Figure 79 shows the SM line handler state machine of the Device. It is triggered by the DL_Mode handler and the Device application. It evaluates the different communication phases during startup and controls the line state of the Device.

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2774 **Figure 79 – State machine of the Device system management**

2775 Table 93 specifies the individual states and the actions within the transitions.

2776 **Table 93 – State transition tables of the Device system management**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| SM_Idle_0 | In SM_Idle the SM is waiting for configuration by the Device application and to be set to SIO mode. The state is left on receiving a SM_SetDeviceMode(SIO) request from the Device application<br><br>The following sequence of services shall be executed between Device application and SM.<br>Invoke SM_SetDeviceCom(initial parameter list)<br>Invoke SM_SetDeviceIdent(VID, initial DID, FID) |
| SM_SIO_1 | In SM_SIO the SM Line Handler is remaining in the default SIO mode. The Physical Layer is set to the SIO mode characteristics defined by the Device application via the SetDeviceMode service. The state is left on receiving a DL_Mode(ESTABCOM) indication. |
| SM_ComEstablish_2 | In SM_ComEstablish the SM is waiting for the communication to be established in the Data Link Layer. The state is left on receiving a DL_Mode(INACTIVE) or a |

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| | DL_Mode(COMx) indication, where COMx may be any of COM1, COM2 or COM3. |
| SM_ComStartup_3 | In SM_ComStartup the communication parameter (Direct Parameter page 1, addresses 0x02 to 0x06) are read by the Master SM via DL_Read requests. The state is left upon reception of a DL_Mode(INACTIVE), a DL_Mode(OPERATE) indication (legacy Master only), or a DL_Write(MCmd_MASTERIDENT) request (Master in accordance with this standard). |
| SM_IdentStartup_4 | In SM_IdentStartup the identification data (VID, DID, FID) are read and verified by the Master. In case of incompatibilities the Master SM writes the supported SDCI Revision (RID) and configured DeviceID (DID) to the Device. The state is left upon reception of a DL_Mode(INACTIVE), a DL_Mode(PREOPERATE) indication (compatibility check passed), or a DL_Write(MCmd_DEVICEIDENT) request (new compatibility requested). |
| SM_IdentCheck_5 | In SM_IdentCheck the SM waits for new initialization of communication and identification parameters. The state is left on receiving a DL_Mode(INACTIVE) indication or a DL_Read(Direct Parameter page 1, addresses 0x02 = "MinCycleTime") request.<br><br>Within this state the Device application shall check the RID and DID parameters from the SM and set these data to the supported values. Therefore the following sequence of services shall be executed between Device application and SM.<br>Invoke SM_GetDeviceCom(configured RID, parameter list)<br>Invoke SM_GetDeviceIdent(configured DID, parameter list)<br>Invoke Device application checks and provides compatibility function and parameters<br>Invoke SM_SetDeviceCom(new supported RID, new parameter list)<br>Invoke SM_SetDeviceIdent(new supported DID, parameter list) |
| SM_CompStartup_6 | In SM_CompatStartup the communication and identification data are reread and verified by the Master SM. The state is left on receiving a DL_Mode(INACTIVE) or a DL_Mode(PREOPERATE) indication. |
| SM_Preoperate_7 | During SM_Preoperate the the SerialNumber can be read and verified by the Master SM, as well as Data Storage and Device parameterization may be executed. The state is left on receiving a DL_Mode(INACTIVE), a DL_Mode(STARTUP) or a DL_Mode(OPERATE) indication. |
| SM_Operate_8 | During SM_Operate the cyclic Process Data exchange and acyclic On-request Data transfer are active. The state is left on receiving a DL_Mode(INACTIVE) or a DL_Mode(STARTUP) indication. |

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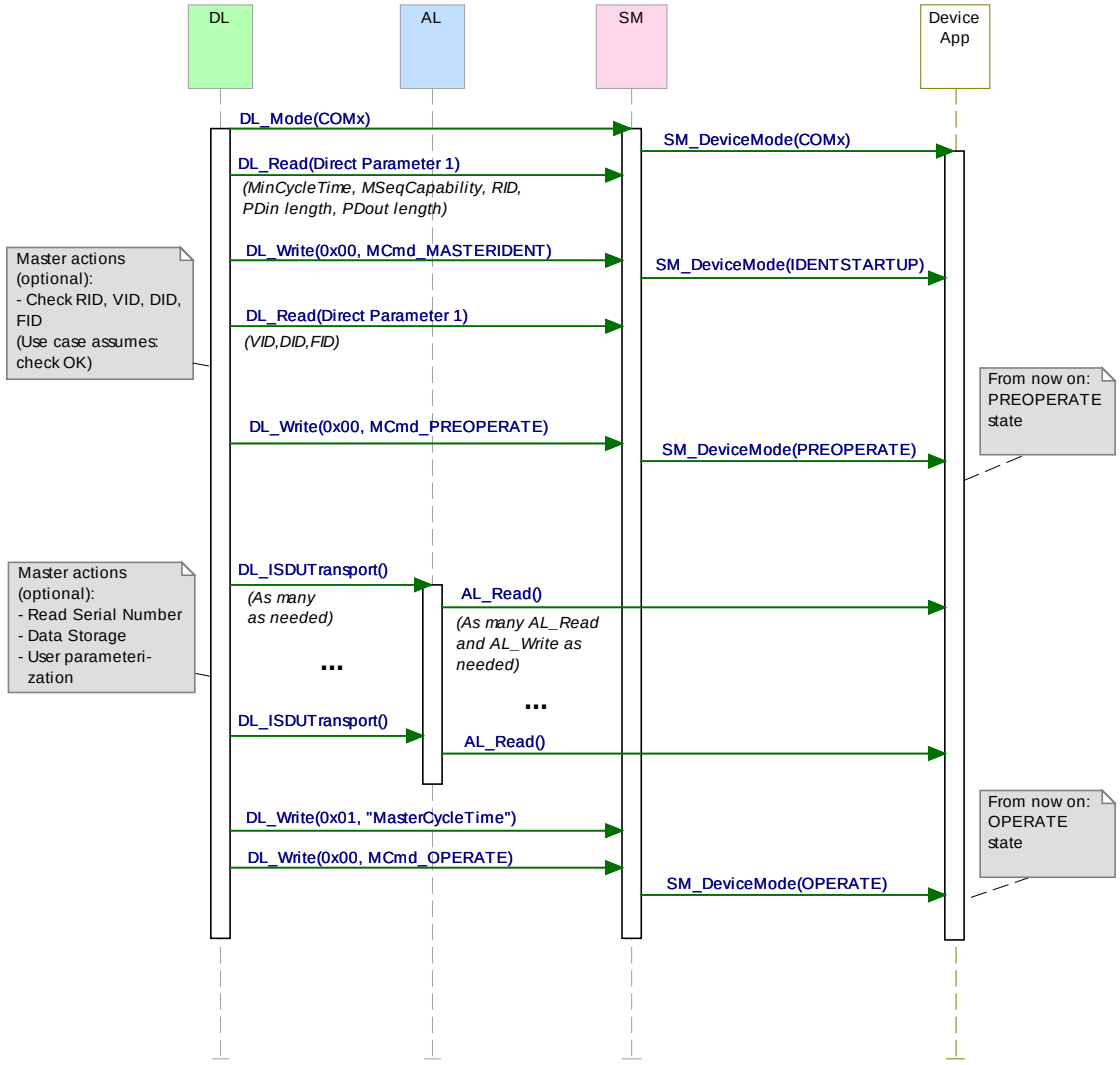
| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | The Device is switched to the configured SIO mode by receiving the trigger SM_SetDeviceMode.req(SIO).<br>Invoke PL_SetMode(DI\|DO\|INACTIVE)<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(SIO) |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | The Device is switched to the communication mode by receiving the trigger DL_Mode.ind(ESTABCOM).<br>Invoke PL_SetMode(COMx)<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(ESTABCOM) |
| T3 | 2,3,4,5,6, 7,8 | 0 | The Device is switched to SM_Idle mode by receiving the trigger DL_Mode.ind(INACTIVE) .<br>Invoke PL_SetMode(INACTIVE)<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(IDLE) |
| T4 | 2 | 3 | The Device application receives an indication on the baudrate with which the communication has been established in the DL triggered by DL_Mode.ind(COMx).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(COMx) |
| T5 | 3 | 4 | The Device identification phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Write.ind(MCmd_MASTERIDENT).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(IDENTSTARTUP) |
| T6 | 4 | 5 | The Device identity check phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Write.ind(MCmd_DEVICEIDENT).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(IDENTCHANGE) |
| T7 | 5 | 6 | The Device compatibility startup phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Read.ind( Direct Parameter page 1, address 0x02 = "MinCycleTime"). |
| T8 | 6 | 7 | The Device's preoperate phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Mode.ind(PREOPERATE).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(PREOPERATE) |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T9 | 7 | 8 | The Device's operate phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Mode.ind(OPERATE).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(OPERATE) |
| T10 | 4 | 7 | The Device's preoperate phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Mode.ind(PREOPERATE).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(PREOPERATE) |
| T11 | 3 | 8 | The Device's operate phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Mode.ind(OPERATE).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(OPERATE) |
| T12 | 7 | 3 | The Device's communication startup phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Mode.ind(STARTUP).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(STARTUP) |
| T13 | 8 | 3 | The Device's communication startup phase is entered by receiving the trigger DL_Mode.ind(STARTUP).<br>Invoke SM_DeviceMode(STARTUP) |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| COMx | Variable | Any of COM1, COM2, or COM3 transmission rates |
| DL_Write_MCmd_xxx | Service | DL Service writes MasterCommands (xxx = values out of Table B.2) |

Figure 80 shows a typical sequence chart for the SM communication startup of a Device matching the Master port configuration settings (regular startup).

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2783 **Figure 80 – Sequence chart of a regular Device startup**

2784 Figure 81 shows a typical sequence chart for the SM communication startup of a Device not
2785 matching the Master port configuration settings (compatibility mode). In this mode, the Master
2786 tries to overwrite the Device's identification parameters to achieve a compatible and a
2787 workable mode.

2788 The sequence chart in Figure 81 shows only the actions until the PREOPERATE state. The
2789 remaining actions until the OPERATE state can be taken from Figure 80.

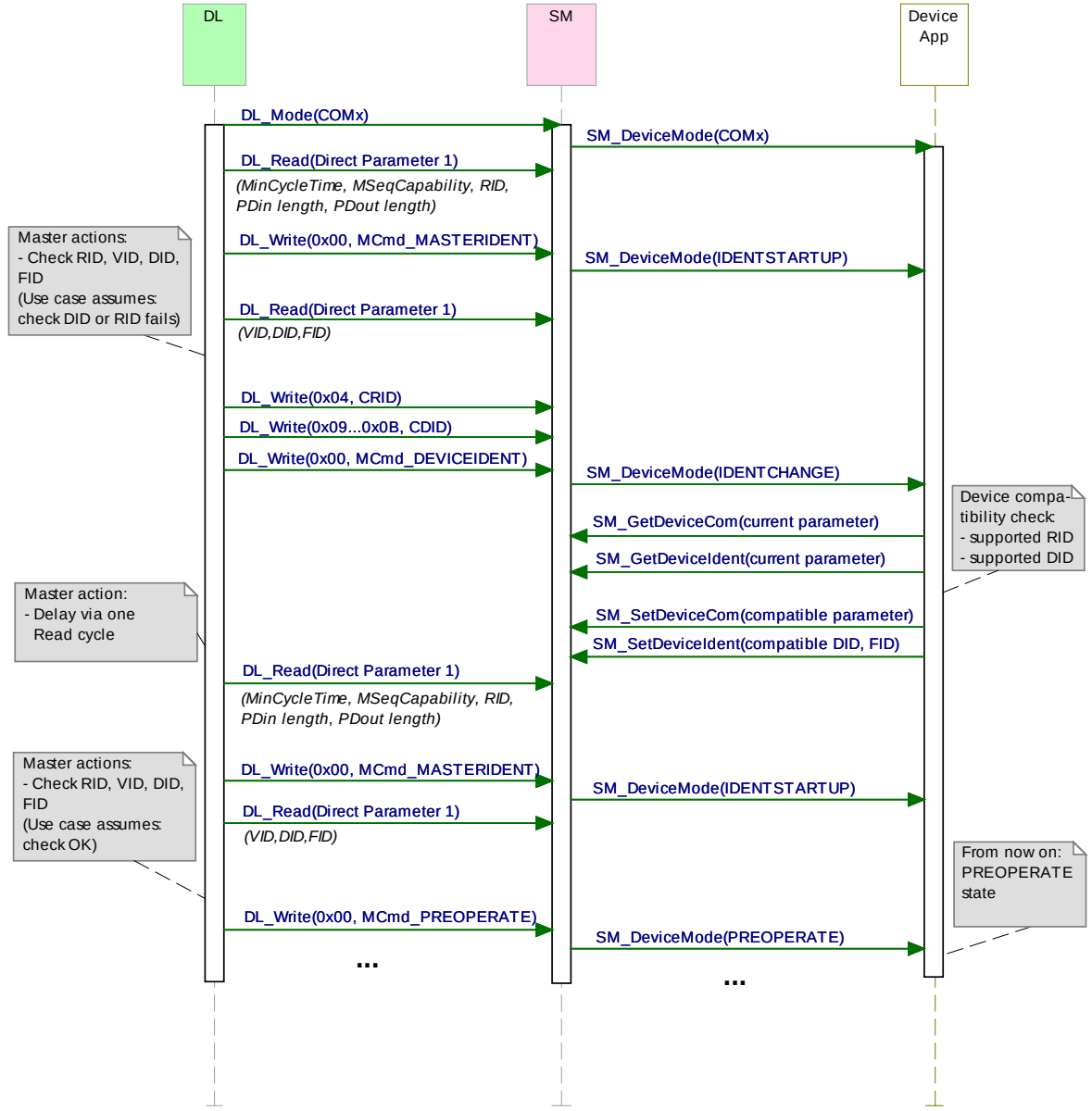


**Figure 81 – Sequence chart of a Device startup in compatibility mode**

Figure 82 shows a typical sequence chart for the SM communication startup of a Device not matching the Master port configuration settings. The system management of the Master tries to reconfigure the Device with alternative Device identification parameters (compatibility mode). In this use case, the alternative parameters are assumed to be incompatible.

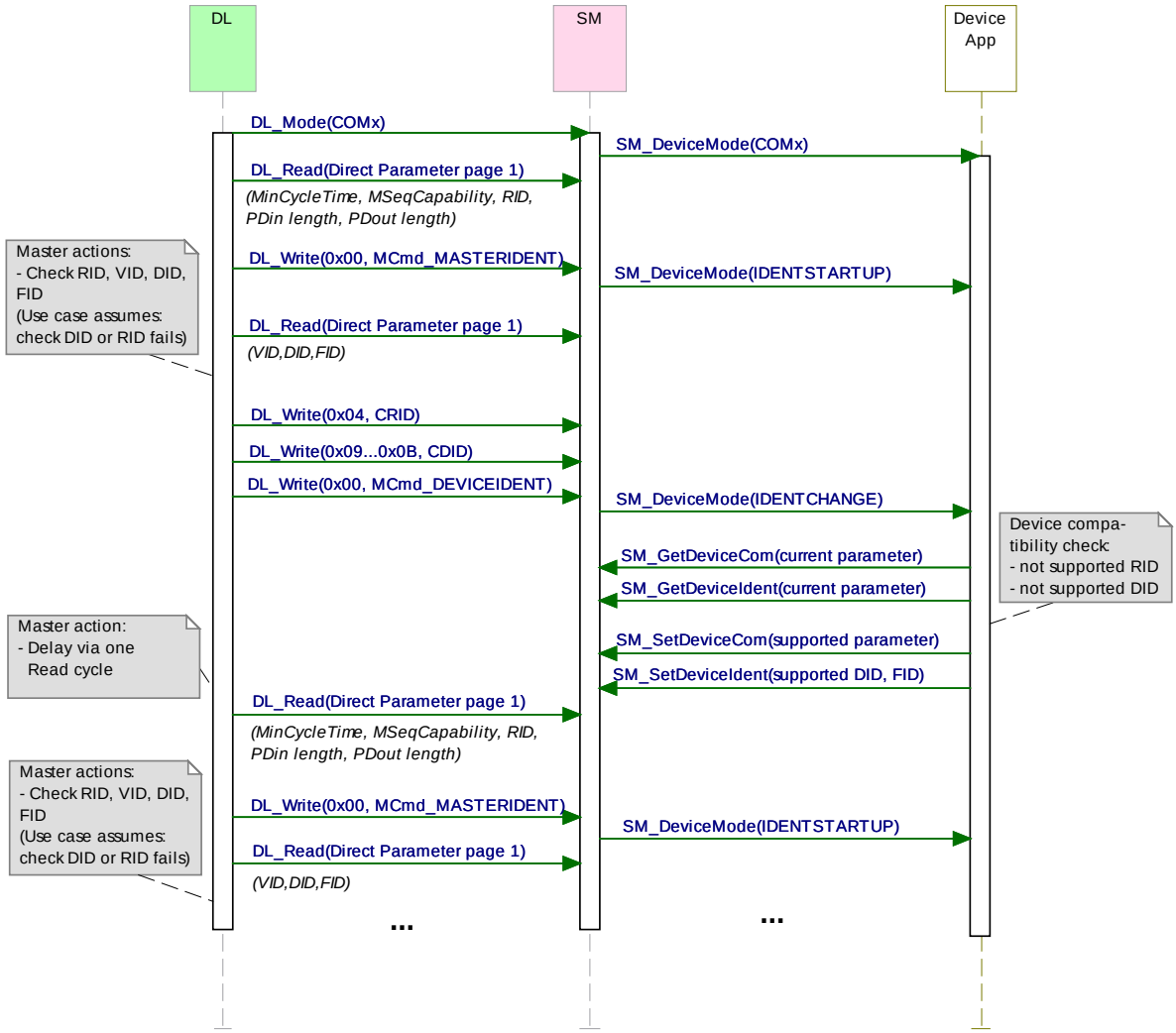


**Figure 82 – Sequence chart of a Device startup when compatibility fails**

# 10 Device

## 10.1 Overview

Figure 83 provides an overview of the complete structure and services of a Device.

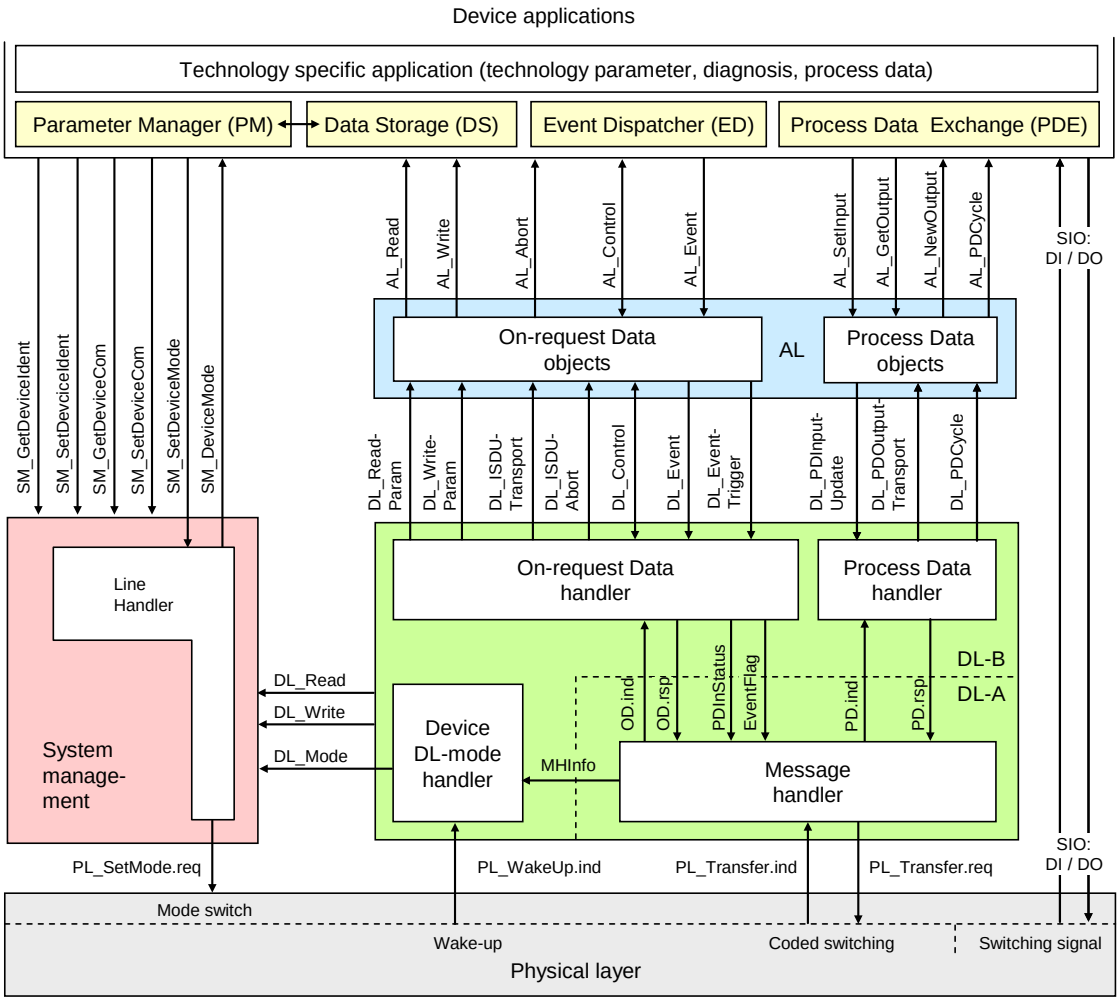


**Figure 83 – Structure and services of a Device**

The Device applications comprise first the technology specific application consisting of the transducer with its technology parameters, its diagnosis information, and its Process Data. The common Device applications comprise:

- Parameter Manager (PM), dealing with compatibility and correctness checking of complete sets of technology (vendor) specific and common system parameters (see 10.3);
- Data Storage (DS) mechanism, which optionally uploads or downloads parameters to the Master (see 10.4);
- Event Dispatcher (ED), supervising states and conveying diagnosis information such as notifications, warnings, errors, and Device requests as peripheral initiatives (see 10.5);
- Process Data Exchange (PDE) unit, conditioning the data structures for transmission in case of a sensor or preparing the received data structures for signal generation. It also controls the operational states to ensure the validity of Process Data (see 10.2).

These Device applications provide standard methods/functions and parameters common to all Devices, and Device specific functions and parameters, all specified within Clause 10.

## 10.2 Process Data Exchange (PDE)

The Process Data Exchange unit cyclically transmits and receives Process Data without interference from the On-request Data (parameters, commands, and Events).

An actuator (output Process Data) shall observe the cyclic transmission and enter a default appropriate state, for example keep last value, stop, or de-energize, whenever the data transmission is interrupted (see 7.3.3.5 and 10.7.3). The actuator shall wait on the MasterCommand "ProcessDataOutputOperate" (see Table B.2, output Process Data "valid") prior to regular operation after restart in case of an interruption.

Within cyclic data exchange, an actuator (output Process Data) receives a Master-Command "DeviceOperate", whenever the output Process Data are invalid and a Master-Command "ProcessDataOutputOperate", whenever they become valid again (see Table B.2).

There is no need for a sensor Device (input Process Data) to monitor the cyclic data exchange. However, if the Device is not able to guarantee valid Process Data, the PD status "Process Data invalid" (see A.1.5) shall be signaled to the Master application.

## 10.3 Parameter Manager (PM)

### 10.3.1 General

A Device can be parameterized via two basic methods using the Direct Parameters or the Index memory space accessible with the help of ISDUs (see Figure 5).

Mandatory for all Devices are the so-called Direct Parameters in page 1. This page 1 contains common communication and identification parameters (see B.1).

Direct Parameter page 2 optionally offers space for a maximum of 16 octets of technology (vendor) specific parameters for Devices requiring not more than this limited number and with small system footprint (ISDU communication not implemented, easier fieldbus handling possible but with less comfort). Access to the Direct Parameter page 2 is performed via AL_Read and AL_Write (see 10.7.5).

The transmission of parameters to and from the spacious Index memory can be performed in two ways: single parameter by single parameter or as a block of parameters. Single parameter transmission as specified in 10.3.4 is secured via several checks and confirmation of the transmitted parameter. A negative acknowledgement contains an appropriate error description and the parameter is not activated. Block parameter transmission as specified in 10.3.5 defers parameter consistency checking and activation until after the complete transmission. The Device performs the checks upon reception of a special command and returns a confirmation or a negative acknowledgement with an appropriate error description. In this case the transmitted parameters shall be rejected and a roll back to the previous parameter set shall be performed to ensure proper functionality of the Device.

### 10.3.2 Parameter manager state machine

The Device can be parameterized using ISDU mechanisms whenever the PM is active. The main functions of the PM are the transmission of parameters to the Master ("Upload"), to the Device ("Download"), and the consistency and validity checking within the Device ("ValidityCheck") as demonstrated in Figure 84.

The PM is driven by command messages of the Master (see Table B.9). For example the guard [UploadStart] corresponds to the reception of the SystemCommand "ParamUploadStart" and [UploadEnd] to the reception of the SystemCommand "ParamUploadEnd".

NOTE 1 Following a communication interruption, the Master system management uses the service SM_DeviceMode with the variable "INACTIVE" to stop the upload process and to return to the "IDLE" state.

Any new "ParamUploadStart" or "ParamDownloadStart" while another sequence is pending, for example due to an unexpected shut-down of a vendor parameterization tool, will abort the pending sequence. The corresponding parameter changes will be discarded.

NOTE 2 A PLC user program and a parameterization tool can conflict (multiple access), for example if during commissioning, the user did not disable accesses from the PLC program while changing parameters via the tool.

The parameter manager mechanism in a Device is always active and the DS_ParUpload.req in transition T4 is used to trigger the Data Storage (DS) mechanism in 10.4.2.

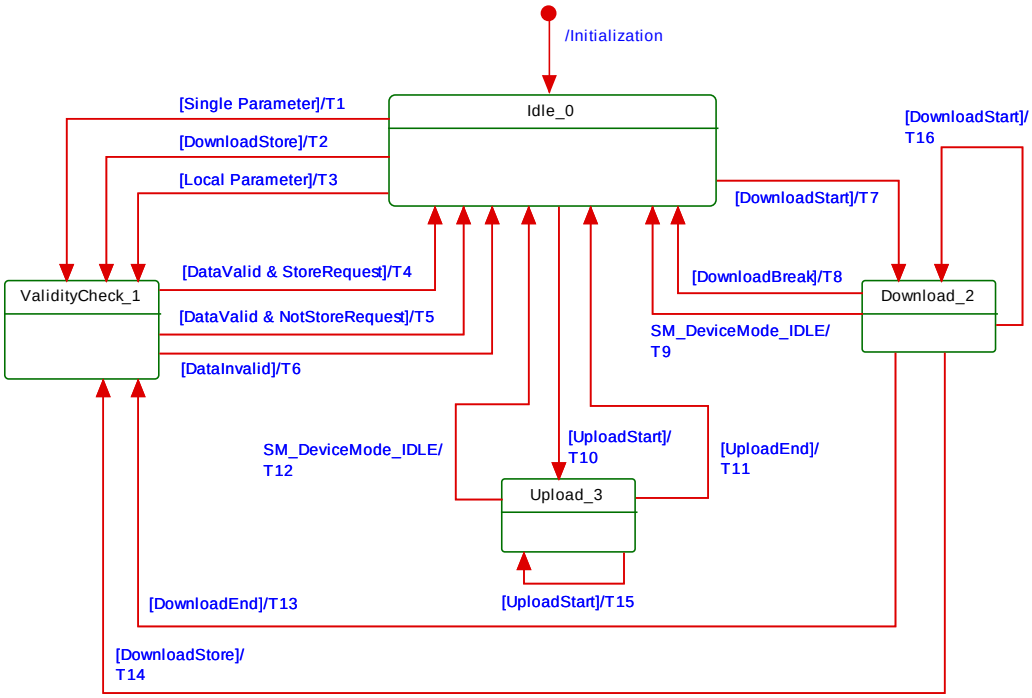


**Figure 84 – The Parameter Manager (PM) state machine**

Table 94 shows the state transition tables of the Device Parameter Manager (PM) state machine.

**Table 94 – State transition tables of the PM state machine**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Idle_0 | Waiting on parameter transmission |
| ValidityCheck_1 | Check of consistency and validity of current parameter set. |
| Download_2 | Parameter download active; local parameterization locked (e.g. teach-in) |
| Upload_3 | Parameter upload active; parameterization globally locked; all write accesses for parameter changes via tools shall be rejected (ISDU ErrorCode "Service temporarily not available – Device control") |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 0 | 1 | Set "StoreRequest" (= TRUE) |
| T3 | 0 | 1 | Set "StoreRequest" (= TRUE) |
| T4 | 1 | 0 | Mark parameter set as valid; invoke DS_ParUpload.req to DS; enable |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | positive acknowledge of transmission; reset "StoreRequest" (= FALSE) |
| T5 | 1 | 0 | Mark parameter set as valid; enable positive acknowledge of transmission |
| T6 | 1 | 0 | Mark parameter set as invalid; enable negative acknowledge of transmission; reset "StoreRequest" (= FALSE); discard parameter buffer |
| T7 | 0 | 2 | Lock local parameter access |
| T8 | 2 | 0 | Unlock local parameter access; discard parameter buffer |
| T9 | 2 | 0 | Unlock local parameter access; discard parameter buffer |
| T10 | 0 | 3 | Lock local parameter access |
| T11 | 3 | 0 | Unlock local parameter access |
| T12 | 3 | 0 | Unlock local parameter access |
| T13 | 2 | 1 | Unlock local parameter access |
| T14 | 2 | 1 | Unlock local parameter access; set "StoreRequest" (= TRUE) |
| T15 | 3 | 3 | Lock local parameter access |
| T16 | 2 | 2 | Discard parameter buffer, so that a possible second start will not be blocked. |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| DownloadStore | Bool | SystemCommand "ParamDownloadStore" received, see Table B.9 |
| DataValid | Bool | Positive result of conformity and validity checking |
| DataInvalid | Bool | Negative result of conformity and validity checking |
| DownloadStart | Bool | SystemCommand "ParamDownloadStart" received, see Table B.9 |
| DownloadBreak | Bool | SystemCommand "ParamBreak" or "ParamUploadStart" received |
| DownloadEnd | Bool | SystemCommand "ParamDownloadEnd" received, see Table B.9 |
| StoreRequest | Bool | Flag for a requested Data Storage sequence, i.e. SystemCommand "ParamDownloadStore" received (= TRUE) |
| NotStoreRequest | Bool | Inverted value of StoreRequest |
| UploadStart | Bool | SystemCommand "ParamUploadStart" received, see Table B.9 |
| UploadEnd | Bool | SystemCommand "ParamUploadEnd" received, see Table B.9 |
| Single Parameter | Bool | In case of "single parameter" as specified in 10.3.4 |
| Local Parameter | Bool | In case of "local parameter" as specified in 10.3.3 |

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2880 The Parameter Manager (PM) supports handling of "single parameter" (Index and Subindex)
2881 transfers as well as "block parameter" transmission (entire parameter set).

2882 ### 10.3.3 Dynamic parameter

2883 Parameters accessible through SDCI read or write services may also be changed via on-
2884 board control elements (for example teach-in button) or the human machine interface of a
2885 Device. These changes shall undergo the same validity checks as a single parameter access.
2886 Thus, in case of a positive result "DataValid" in Figure 84, the "StoreRequest" flag shall be
2887 applied in order to achieve Data Storage consistency. In case of a negative result
2888 "InvalidData", the previous values of the corresponding parameters shall be restored ("roll
2889 back"). In addition, a Device specific indication on the human machine interface is
2890 recommended as a positive or negative feedback to the user.

2891 It is recommended to avoid concurrent access to a parameter via local control elements and
2892 SDCI write services at the same point in time.

### 10.3.4 Single parameter

Sample sequence charts for valid and invalid single parameter changes are specified in Figure 85.

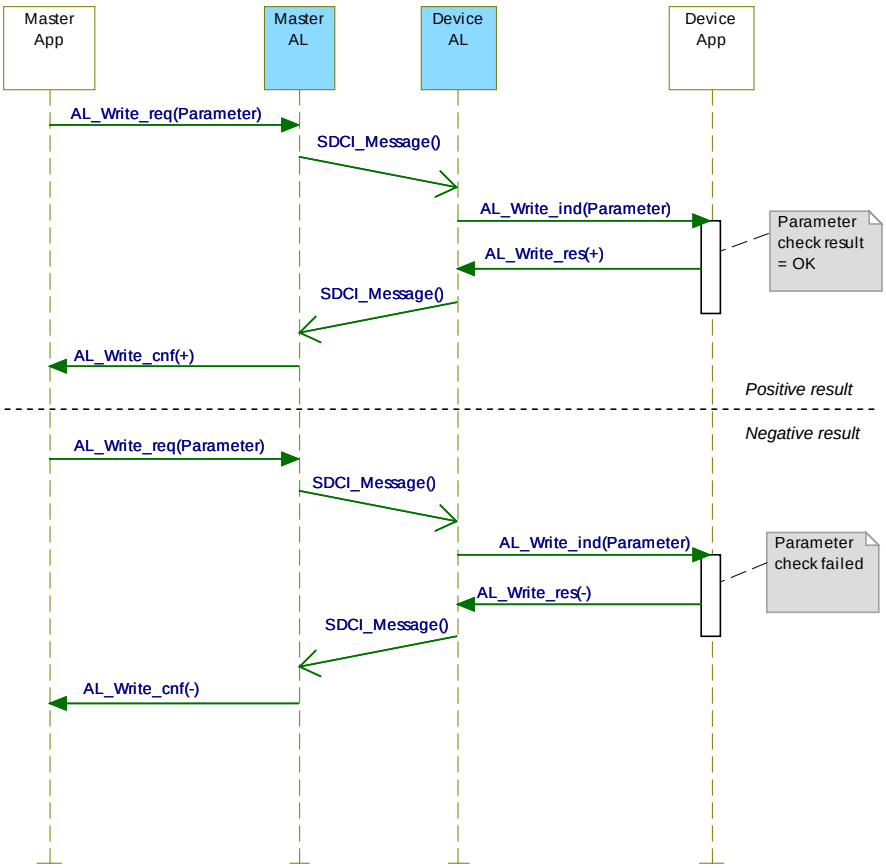



**Figure 85 – Positive and negative parameter checking result**

If single parameterization is performed via ISDU objects, the Device shall check the access, structure, consistency and validity (see Table 95) of the transmitted data within the context of the entire parameter set and return the result in the confirmation. The negative confirmation carries one of the error indications of Table C.2 in Annex C.

**Table 95 – Definitions of parameter checks**

| Parameter check | Definition | Error indication |
|---|---|---|
| Access | Check for valid access rights for this Index / Subindex, independent from data content (Index / Subindex permanent or temporarily unavailable; write access on read only Index) | See C.2.3 to C.2.8 |
| Consistency | Check for valid data content of the entire parameter set, testing for interference or correlations between parameters | See C.2.16 and C.2.17 |
| Structure | Check for valid data structure like data size, only complete data structures can be written, for example 2 octets to an UInteger16 data type | See C.2.12 and C.2.13 |
| Validity | Check for valid data content of single parameters, testing for data limits | See C.2.9 to C.2.11, C.2.14, C.2.15 |

### 10.3.5 Block parameter

User applications such as function blocks within PLCs and parameterization tool software can use start and end commands to indicate the begin and end of a block parameter transmission. For the duration of the block parameter transmission the Device application shall inhibit all the parameter changes originating from other sources, for example local parameterization, teach-in, etc.

A sample sequence chart for valid block parameter changes with an optional Data Storage request is demonstrated in Figure 86.

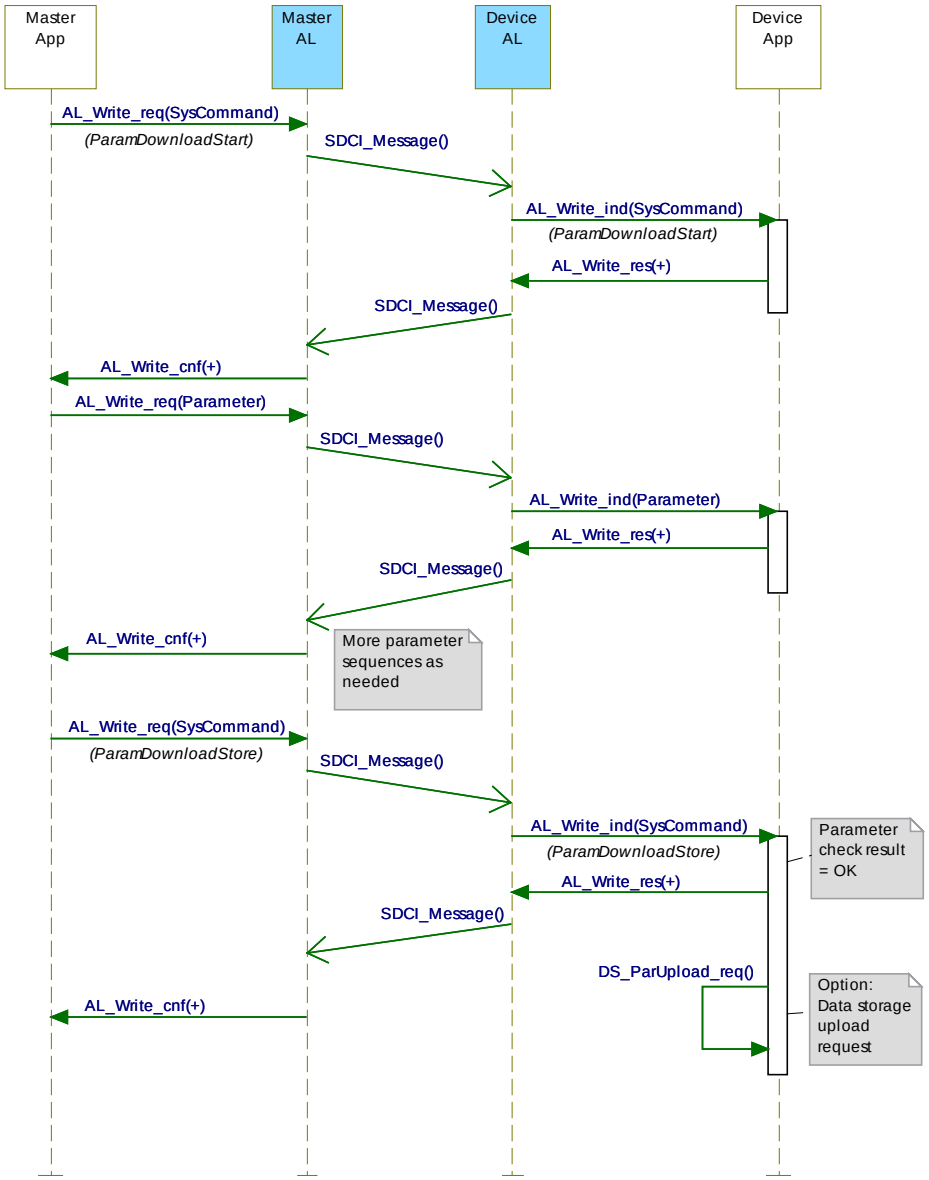



**Figure 86 – Positive block parameter download with Data Storage request**

A sample sequence chart for invalid block parameter changes is demonstrated in Figure 87.

The "ParamDownloadStart" command (see Table B.9) indicates the beginning of the block parameter transmission in download direction (from user application to the Device). The SystemCommand "ParamDownloadEnd" or "ParamDownloadStore" terminates this sequence. Both functions are similar. However, in addition the SystemCommand "ParamDownloadStore"

causes the Data Storage (DS) mechanism to upload the parameter set through the DS_UPLOAD_REQ Event (see 10.4.2).

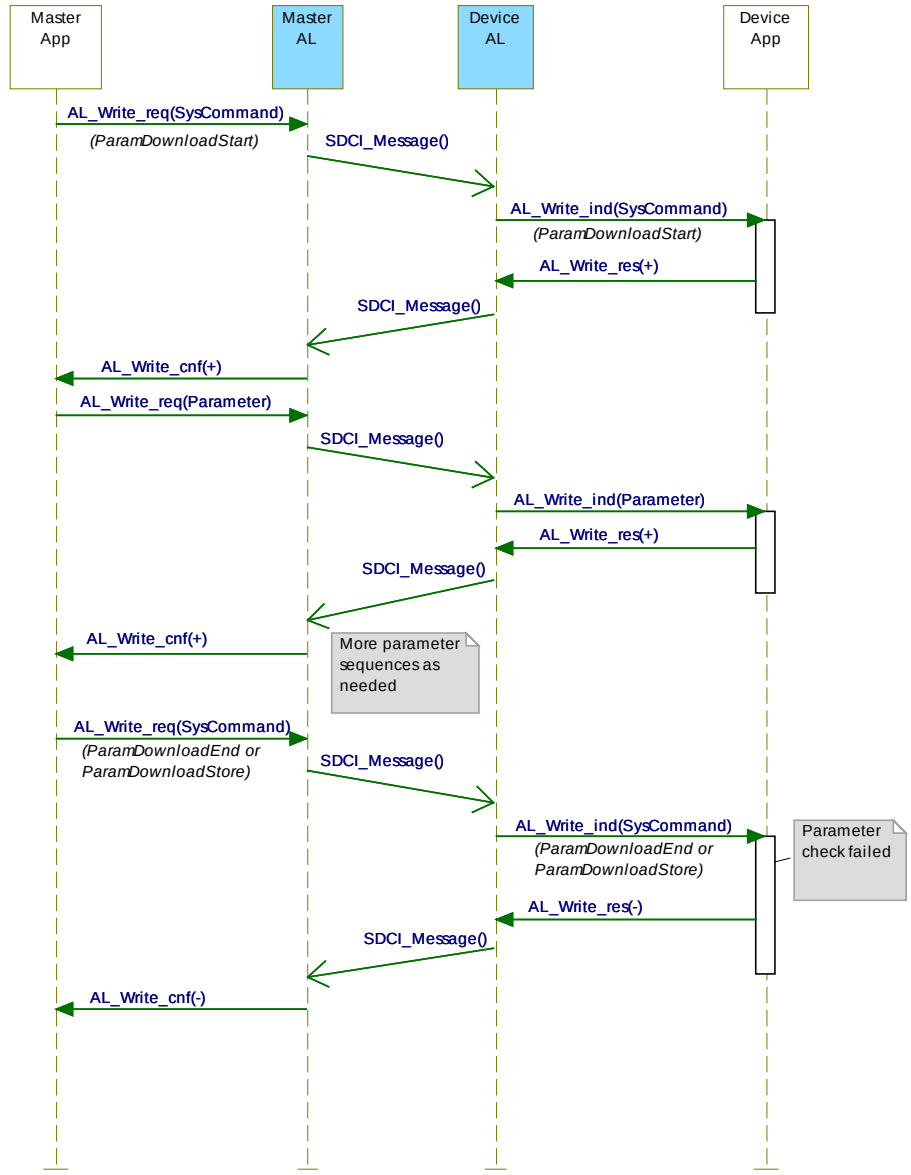



**Figure 87 – Negative block parameter download**

During block parameter download the consistency checking for single transferred parameters shall be disabled and the parameters are not activated. With the "ParamDownloadEnd" command, the Device checks the entire parameter set and indicates the result to the originator of the block parameter transmission within the ISDU acknowledgement in return to the command.

During the block parameter download the access and structure checks are always performed (see Table 95). Optionally, validity checks may also be performed. The parameter manager shall not exit from the block transfer mode in case of invalid accesses or structure violations.

In case of an invalid parameter set the changed parameters shall be discarded and a rollback to the previous parameter set shall be performed. The corresponding negative confirmation shall contain one of the error indications from Table C.2. With a negative confirmation of the SystemCommand "ParamDownloadStore", the Data Storage upload request is omitted.

The "ParamUploadStart" command (see Table B.9) indicates the beginning of the block parameter transmission in upload direction (from the Device to the user application). The SystemCommand "ParamUploadEnd" terminates this sequence and indicates the end of transmission.

A block parameter transmission is aborted if the parameter manager receives a SystemCommand "ParamBreak". In this case the block transmission quits without any changes in parameter settings.

### 10.3.6 Concurrent parameterization access

There is no mechanism to secure parameter consistency within the Device in case of concurrent accesses from different user applications above Master level. This shall be ensured or blocked on user level.

### 10.3.7 Command handling

Application commands such as teach-in or restore factory settings are conveyed in form of parameters. An application command is confirmed with a positive service response – AL_Write.res(+). A negative service response – AL_Write.res(-) – shall indicate the failed execution of the application command. In both cases the ISDU timeout limit shall be considered (see Table 97).

## 10.4 Data Storage (DS)

### 10.4.1 General

The Data Storage (DS) mechanism enables the consistent and up-to-date buffering of the Device parameters on upper levels like PLC programs or fieldbus parameter server. Data Storage between Masters and Devices is specified within this standard, whereas the adjacent upper data storage mechanisms depend on the individual fieldbus or system. The Device holds a standardized set of objects providing information about parameters for Data Storage such as memory size requirements, control and state information of the Data Storage mechanism (see Table B.10). Revisions of Data Storage parameter sets are identified via a Parameter Checksum.

The implementation of the DS mechanism specified in this standard is highly recommended for Devices. If this mechanism is not supported it is the responsibility of the Device vendor to describe how parameterization of a Device after replacement can be ensured in a system conform manner without tools.

### 10.4.2 Data Storage state machine

Any changed set of valid parameters leads to a new Data Storage upload. The upload is initiated by the Device by raising a "DS_UPLOAD_REQ" Event (see Table D.2). The Device shall store the internal state "Data Storage Upload" in non-volatile memory (see Table B.10, State Property), until it receives a Data Storage command "DS_UploadEnd" or "DS_DownloadEnd".

The Device shall generate an Event "DS_UPLOAD_REQ" (see Table D.2) only if the parameter set is valid and

- parameters assigned for Data Storage have been changed locally on the Device (for example teach-in, human machine interface, etc.), or
- the Device receives a SystemCommand "ParamDownloadStore"

With this Event information the Data Storage mechanism of the Master is triggered and initiates a Data Storage upload sequence.

The state machine in Figure 88 specifies the Device Data Storage mechanism.

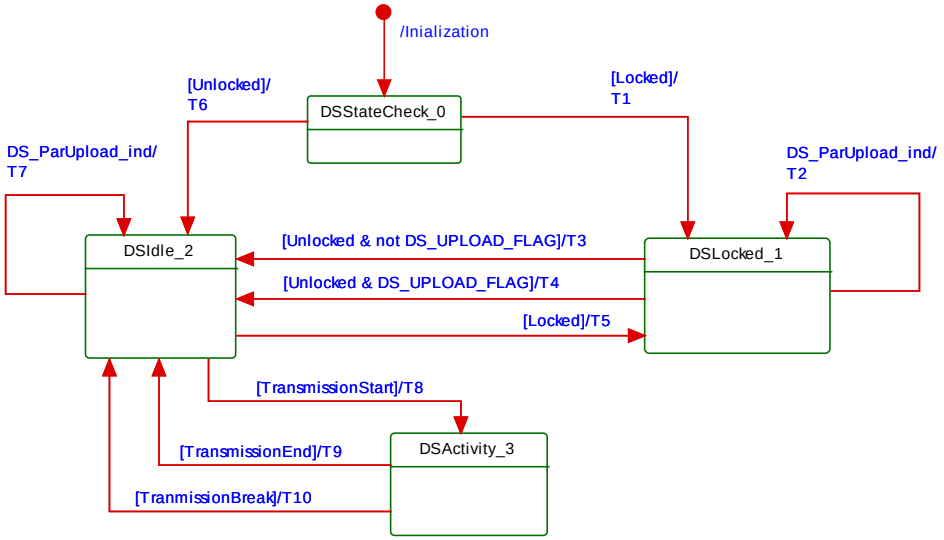



**Figure 88 – The Data Storage (DS) state machine**

Table 96 shows the state transition tables of the Device Data Storage (DS) state machine. See Table B.10 for details on Data Storage Index assignments.

**Table 96 – State transition table of the Data Storage state machine**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| DSStateCheck_0 | Check activation state after initialization. |
| DSLocked_1 | Waiting on Data Storage state machine to become unlocked. |
| DSIdle_2 | Waiting on Data Storage activities. |
| DSActivity_3 | Provide parameter set; local parameterization locked. |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | Set State_Property = "Data Storage access locked" |
| T2 | 1 | 1 | Set DS_UPLOAD_FLAG = TRUE |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | Set State_Property = "Inactive" |
| T4 | 1 | 2 | Invoke AL_EVENT.req (EventCode: DS_UPLOAD_REQ),<br>Set State_Property = "Inactive" |
| T5 | 2 | 1 | Set State_Property = "Data Storage access locked" |
| T6 | 0 | 2 | Set State_Property = "Inactive" |
| T7 | 2 | 2 | Set DS_UPLOAD_FLAG = TRUE,<br>invoke AL_EVENT.req (EventCode: DS_UPLOAD_REQ) |
| T8 | 2 | 3 | Lock local parameter access,<br>set State_Property = "Upload" or "Download" |
| T9 | 3 | 2 | Set DS_UPLOAD_FLAG = FALSE,<br>unlock local parameter access,<br>Set State_Property = "Inactive" |
| T10 | 3 | 2 | Unlock local parameter access,<br>Set State_Property = "Inactive" |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| Unlocked | Bool | Data Storage unlocked, see B.2.4 |
| Locked | Bool | Data Storage locked, see B.2.4 |
| DS_ParUpload.ind | Service | Device internal service between PM and DS (see Figure 84) |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| TransmissionStart | Bool | DS_Command "DS_UploadStart" or "DS_DownloadStart" has been invoked |
| TransmissionEnd | Bool | DS_Command "DS_UploadEnd" or "DS_DownloadEnd" has been invoked |
| TransmissionBreak | Bool | SM_MODE_INACTIVE or DS_Command "DS_Break" received |

The truncated sequence chart in Figure 89 demonstrates the important communication sequences after the parameterization.

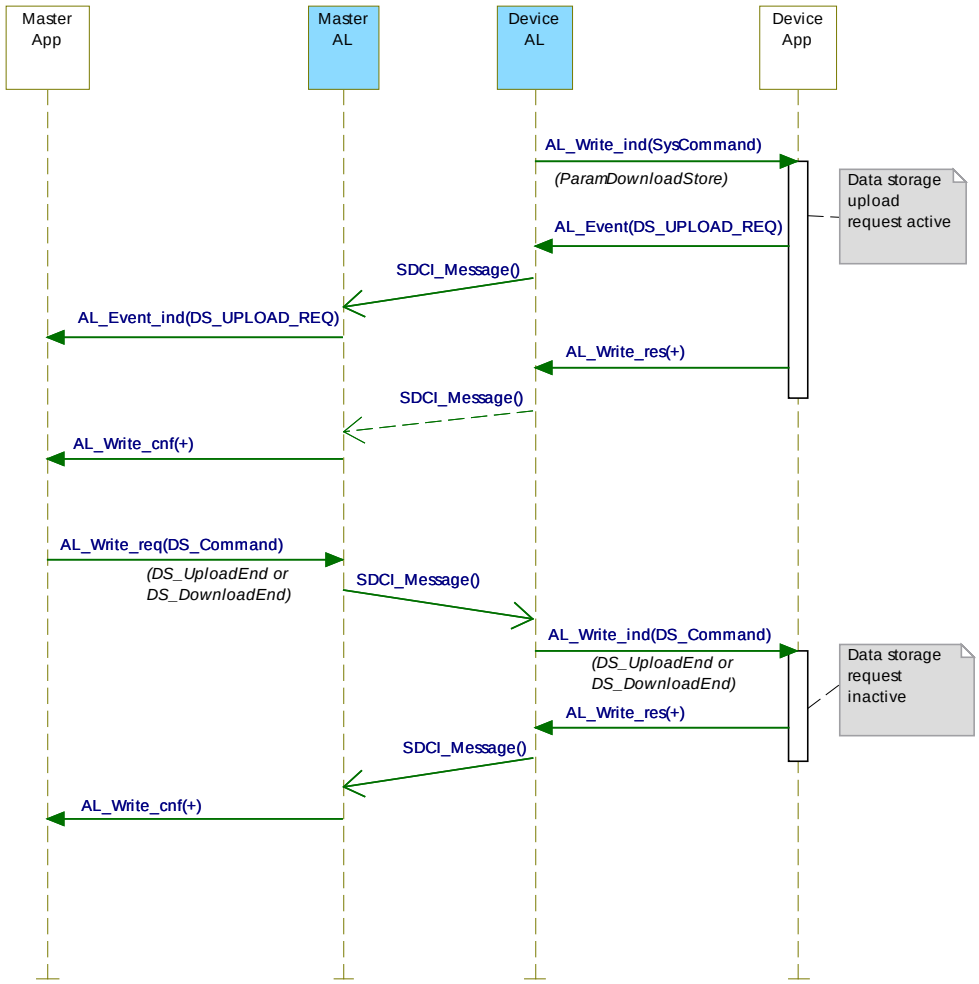



**Figure 89 – Data Storage request message sequence**

### 10.4.3 DS configuration

The Data Storage mechanism inside the Device may be disabled via the Master, for example by a tool or a PLC program. See B.2.4 for further details. This is recommended during commissioning or system tests to avoid intensive communication.

### 10.4.4 DS memory space

To handle the requested data amount for Data Storage under any circumstances, the requested amount of indices to be saved and the required total memory space are given in the Data Storage Size parameter, see Table B.10. The required total memory space (including the structural information shall not exceed 2 048 octets (see Annex F). The Data Storage mechanism of the Master shall be able to support this amount of memory per port.

### 10.4.5 DS Index_List

The Device is the "owner" of the DS Index_List (see Table B.10). Its purpose is to provide all the necessary information for a Device replacement. The DS Index_List shall be fixed for any specific DeviceID. Otherwise the data integrity between Master and Device cannot be guaranteed. The Index List shall contain the termination marker (see Table B.10), if the Device does not support Data Storage (see 10.4.1). The required storage size shall be 0 in this case.

### 10.4.6 DS parameter availability

All indices listed in the Index List shall be readable and writeable between the SystemCommands "DS_UploadStart" or "DS_DownloadStart" and "DS_UploadEnd" or "DS_DownloadEnd" (see Table B.10). If one of the Indices is rejected by the Device, the Data Storage Master will abort the up- or download with a SystemCommand "DS_Break". In this case no retries of the Data Storage sequence will be performed.

### 10.4.7 DS without ISDU

The support of ISDU transmission in a Device is a precondition for the Data Storage of parameters. Parameters in Direct Parameter page 2 cannot be saved and restored by the Data Storage mechanism.

### 10.4.8 DS parameter change indication

The Parameter_Checksum specified in Table B.10 is used as an indicator for changes in a parameter set. This standard does not require a specific mechanism for detecting parameter changes. A set of recommended methods is provided in the informative Annex J.

## 10.5 Event Dispatcher (ED)

Any of the Device applications can generate predefined system status information when SDCI operations fail or technology specific information (diagnosis) as a result from technology specific diagnostic methods occur. The Event Dispatcher turns this information into an Event according to the definitions in A.6. The Event consists of an EventQualifier indicating the properties of an incident and an EventCode ID representing a description of this incident together with possible remedial measures. Table D.1 comprises a list of predefined IDs and descriptions for application oriented incidents. Ranges of IDs are reserved for profile specific and vendor specific incidents. Table D.2 comprises a list of predefined IDs for SDCI specific incidents.

Events are classified in "Errors", "Warnings", and "Notifications". See 10.9.2 for these classifications and see 11.5 for how the Master is controlling and processing these Events.

All Events provided at one point in time are acknowledged with one single command. Therefore the Event acknowledgement may be delayed by the slowest acknowledgement from upper system levels.

## 10.6 Device features

### 10.6.1 General

The following Device features are defined to a certain degree in order to achieve a common behavior. They are accessible via standardized or Device specific methods or parameters. The availability of these features is defined in the IODD of a Device.

### 10.6.2 Device backward compatibility

This feature enables a Device to play the role of a previous Device revision. In the start-up phase the Master system management overwrites the Device's inherent DeviceID (DID) with

the requested former DeviceID. The Device's technology application shall switch to the former functional sets or subsets assigned to this DeviceID. Device backward compatibility support is optional for a Device.

As a Device can provide backward compatibility to previous DeviceIDs (DID), these compatible Devices shall support all parameters and communication capabilities of the previous Device ID. Thus, the Device is permitted to change any communication or identification parameter in this case.

### 10.6.3 Protocol revision compatibility

This feature enables a Device to adjust its protocol layers to a previous SDCI protocol version such as for example to the legacy protocol version of a legacy Master or in the future from version V(x) to version V(x-n). In the start-up phase the Master system management can overwrite the Device's inherent protocol RevisionID (RID) in case of discrepancy with the RevisionID supported by the Master. A legacy Master does not write the MasterCommand "MasterIdent" (see Table B.2) and thus the Device can adjust to the legacy protocol (V1.0). Revision compatibility support is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.4 Factory settings

This feature enables a Device to restore parameters to the original delivery status. The Data Storage flag and other dynamic parameters such as "Error Count" (see B.2.17), "Device Status" (see B.2.18), and "Detailed Device Status" (see B.2.19) shall be reset when this feature is applied. This does not include vendor specific parameters such as for example counters of operating hours.

NOTE In this case an existing stored parameter set within the Master will be automatically downloaded into the Device after its start-up.

It is the vendor's responsibility to guarantee the correct function under any circumstances. The reset is triggered by the reception of the SystemCommand "Restore factory settings" (see Table B.9). Reset to factory settings is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.5 Application reset

This feature enables a Device to reset the technology specific application. It is especially useful whenever a technology specific application has to be set to a predefined operational state without communication interruption and a shut-down cycle. The reset is triggered by the reception of a SystemCommand "Application reset" (see Table B.9). Reset of the technology specific application is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.6 Device reset

This feature enables a Device to perform a "warm start". It is especially useful whenever a Device has to be reset to an initial state such as power-on. In this case communication will be interrupted. The warm start is triggered by the reception of a SystemCommand "Device reset" (see Table B.9). Warm start is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.7 Visual SDCI indication

This feature indicates the operational state of the Device's SDCI interface. The indication of the SDCI mode is specified in 10.9.3. Indication of the SIO mode is vendor specific and not covered by this definition. The function is triggered by the indication of the system management (within all states except SM_Idle and SM_SIO in Figure 79). SDCI indication is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.8 Parameter access locking

This feature enables a Device to globally lock or unlock write access to all writeable Device parameters accessible via the SDCI interface (see B.2.4). The locking is triggered by the reception of a system parameter "Device Access Locks" (see Table B.8). The support for these functions is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.9 Data Storage locking

Setting this lock will cause the "State_Property" in Table B.10 to switch to "Data Storage locked" and the Device not to send a DS_UPLOAD_REQ Event. The support for this function is mandatory for a Device if the Data Storage mechanism is implemented.

### 10.6.10 Device parameter locking

Setting this lock will disable overwriting Device parameters via on-board control or adjustment elements such as teach-in buttons (see B.2.4). The support of this function is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.11 Device user interface locking

Setting this lock will disable the operation of on-board human machine interface displays and adjustment elements such as teach-in buttons on a Device (see B.2.4). The support for this function is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.12 Offset time

The offset time $t_{offset}$ is a parameter to be configured by the user (see B.2.22). It determines the beginning of the Device's technology data processing in respect to the start of the M-sequence cycle, that means the beginning of the Master (port) message. The offset enables

- Data processing of a Device to be synchronized with the Master (port) cycle within certain limits;
- Data processing of multiple Devices on different Master ports to be synchronized with one another;
- Data processing of multiple Devices on different Master ports to run with a defined offset.

Figure 90 demonstrates the timing of messages in respect to the data processing in Devices.

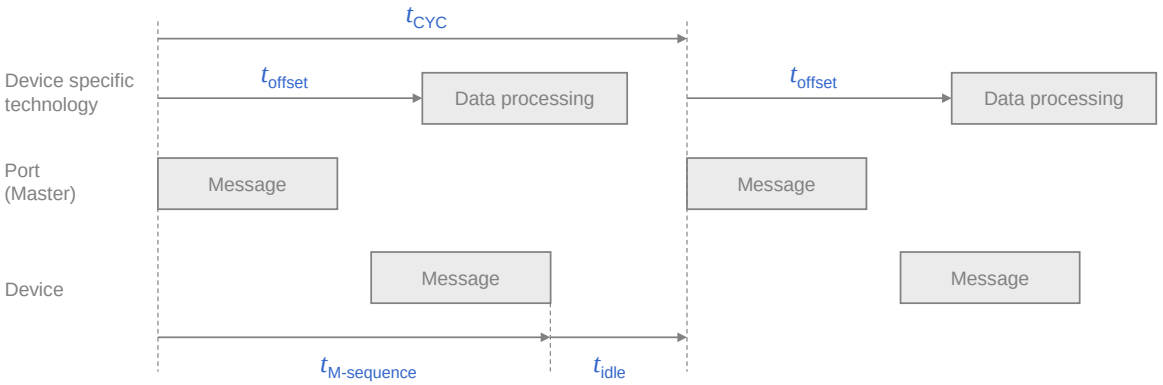



**Figure 90 – Cycle timing**

The offset time defines a trigger relative to the start of an M-sequence cycle. The support for this function is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.13 Data Storage concept

The Data Storage mechanism in a Device allows to automatically save parameters in the Data Storage server of the Master and to restore them upon Event notification. Data consistency is checked in either direction within the Master and Device. Data Storage mainly focuses on configuration parameters of a Device set up during commissioning (see 10.4 and 11.3). The support of this function is optional for a Device.

### 10.6.14 Block Parameter

The Block Parameter transmission feature in a Device allows transfer of parameter sets from a PLC program without checking the consistency single data object by single data object. The validity and consistency check is performed at the end of the Block Parameter transmission for the entire parameter set. This function mainly focuses on exchange of parameters of a Device to be set up at runtime (see 10.3). The support of this function is optional for a Device.

## 10.7 Device design rules and constraints

### 10.7.1 General

In addition to the protocol definitions in form of state, sequence, activity, and timing diagrams some more rules and constraints are required to define the behavior of the Devices. An overview of the major protocol variables scattered all over the standard is concentrated in Table 97 with associated references.

### 10.7.2 Process Data

The process communication channel transmits the cyclic Process Data without any interference of the On-request Data communication channels. Process Data exchange starts automatically whenever the Device is switched into the OPERATE state via message from the Master.

The format of the transmitted data is Device specific and varies from no data octets up to 32 octets in each communication direction.

Recommendations:

- Data structures should be suitable for use by PLC applications.
- It is highly recommended to comply with the rules in E.3.3 and in [6].

See A.1.5 for details on the indication of valid or invalid Process Data via a PDValid flag within cyclic data exchange.

### 10.7.3 Communication loss

It is the responsibility of the Device designer to define the appropriate behaviour of the Device in case communication with the Master is lost (transition T10 in Figure 42 handles detection of the communication loss, while 10.2 defines resulting Device actions).

NOTE This is especially important for actuators such as valves or motor management.

### 10.7.4 Direct Parameter

The Direct Parameter page communication provides no handshake mechanism to ensure proper reception or validity of the transmitted parameters. The Direct Parameter page can only be accessed single octet by single octet (Subindex) or as a whole (16 octets). Therefore, the consistency of parameters larger than 1 octet cannot be guaranteed in case of single octet access.

The parameters from the Direct Parameter page cannot be saved and restored via the Data Storage mechanism.

### 10.7.5 ISDU communication channel

The ISDU communication channel provides a powerful means for the transmission of parameters and commands (see Clause B.2).

The following rules shall be considered when using this channel (see Figure 6).

- Index 0 is not accessible via the ISDU communication channel. The access is redirected by the Master to the Direct Parameter page 1 using the page communication channel.
- Index 1 is not accessible via the ISDU communication channel. The access is redirected by the Master to the Direct Parameter page 2 using the page communication channel.
- Index 3 cannot be accessed by a PLC application program. The access is limited to the Master application only (Data Storage).
- After reception of an ISDU request from the Master the Device shall respond within 5 000 ms (see Table 97). Any violation causes the Master to abandon the current task.

### 10.7.6 DeviceID rules related to Device variants

Devices with a certain DeviceID and VendorID shall not deviate in communication and functional behavior. This applies for sensors and actuators. Those Devices may vary for example in

- cable lengths,
- housing materials,
- mounting mechanisms,
- other features, and environmental conditions.

### 10.7.7 Protocol constants

Table 97 gives an overview of the major protocol constants for Devices.

**Table 97 – Overview of the protocol constants for Devices**

| System variable | References | Values | Definition |
|---|---|---|---|
| ISDU acknowledgement time, for example after a SystemCommand | B.2.2 | 5 000 ms | Time from reception of an ISDU for example SystemCommand and the beginning of the response message of the Device (see Figure 61) |
| Maximum number of entries in Index List | B.2.3 | 70 | Each entry comprises an Index and a Subindex. 70 entries results in a total of 210 octets. |
| Preset values for unused or reserved parameters, for example FunctionID | Annex B | 0 (if numbers) 0x00 (if characters) | Engineering shall set all unused parameters to the preset values. |
| Wake-up procedure | 7.3.2.2 | See Table 40 and Table 41 | Minimum and maximum timings and number of retries |
| MaxRetry | 7.3.3.3 | 2, see Table 44 | Maximum number of retries after communication errors |
| MinCycleTime | A.3.7 and B.1.3 | See Table A.11 and Table B.3 | Device defines its minimum cycle time to aquire input or process output data. |
| Usable Index range | B.2 | See Table B.8 | This version of the standard reserves some areas within the total range of 65535 Indices. |
| Errors and warnings | 10.9.2 | 50 ms | An Event with MODE "Event appears" |

| System variable | References | Values | Definition |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | shall stay at least for the duration of this time. |
| EventCount | 8.2.2.11 | 1 | Constraint for AL_Event.req |

## 10.8 IO Device description (IODD)

An IODD (I/O Device Description) is a file that provides all the necessary properties to establish communication and the necessary parameters and their boundaries to establish the desired function of a sensor or actuator.

An IODD (I/O Device Description) is a file that formally describes a Device.

An IODD file shall be provided for each Device, and shall include all information necessary to support this standard.

The IODD can be used by engineering tools for PLCs and/or Masters for the purpose of identification, configuration, definition of data structures for Process Data exchange, parameterization, and diagnosis decoding of a particular Device.

NOTE Details of the IODD language to describe a Device can be found in [6].

## 10.9 Device diagnosis

### 10.9.1 Concepts

This standard provides only most common EventCodes in D.2. It is the purpose of these common diagnosis informations to enable an operator or maintenance person to take fast remedial measures without deep knowledge of the Device's technology. Thus, the text associated with a particular EventCode shall always contain a corrective instruction together with the diagnosis information.

Fieldbus-Master-Gateways tend to only map few EventCodes to the upper system level. Usually, vendor specific EventCodes defined via the IODD can only be decoded into readable instructions via a Port and Device Configuration Tool (PDCT) or specific vendor tool using the IODD.

Condensed information of the Device's "state of health" can be retrieved from the parameter "Device Status" (see B.2.18). Table 98 provides an overview of the various possibilities for Devices and shows examples of consumers for this information.

If implemented, it is also possible to read the number of faults since power-on or reset via the parameter "Error Count" (see B.2.17) and more information in case of profile Devices via the parameter "Detailed Device Status" (see B.2.19).

NOTE Profile specific values for the "Detailed Device Status" are given in [7].

If required, it is highly recommended to provide additional "deep" technology specific diagnosis information in the form of Device specific parameters (see Table B.8) that can be retrieved via port and Device configuration tools for Masters or via vendor specific tools. Usually, only experts or service personnel of the vendor are able to draw conclusions from this information.

**Table 98 – Classification of Device diagnosis incidents**

| Diagnosis incident | Appear/ disappear | Single shot | Parameter | Destination | Consumer |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Error (fast remedy; | yes | - | - | PLC or HMI (fieldbus | Maintenance and |

| Diagnosis incident | Appear/ disappear | Single shot | Parameter | Destination | Consumer |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| standard EventCodes) | | | | mapping) | repair personnel |
| Error (IODD: vendor specific EventCodes; see Table D.1) | yes | - | - | PDCT or vendor tool | Vendor service personnel |
| Error (via Device specific parameters) | - | - | See Table B.8 | PDCT or vendor tool | Vendor service personnel |
| Warning (fast remedy; standard EventCodes) | yes | - | - | PLC or HMI | Maintenance and repair personnel |
| Warning (IODD: vendor specific EventCodes; see Table D.1 ) | yes | - | | PDCT or vendor tool | Vendor service personnel |
| Warning (via Device specific parameters) | - | - | See Table B.8 | | |
| Notification (Standard EventCodes) | - | yes | | PDCT | Commissioning personnel |
| Detailed Device status | - | - | | PDCT or vendor tool | Commissioning personnel and vendor service personnel |
| Number of faults via parameter "Error Count" | - | - | See B.2.17 | | |
| Device "health" via parameter "Device Status" | - | - | See B.2.18, Table B.13 | HMI, Tools such as "Asset Management" | Operator |

### 10.9.2 Events

MODE values shall be assigned as follows (see A.6.4 ):

- Events of TYPE "Error" shall use the MODEs "Event appears / disappears"
- Events of TYPE "Warning" shall use the MODEs "Event appears / disappears"
- Events of TYPE "Notification" shall use the MODE "Event single shot"

The following requirements apply:

- All Events already placed in the Event queue are discarded by the Event Dispatcher when communication is interrupted or cancelled.

  NOTE After communication resumes, the technology specific application is responsible for proper reporting of the current Event causes.

- It is the responsibility of the Event Dispatcher to control the "Event appears" and "Event disappears" flow. Once the Event Dispatcher has sent an Event with MODE "Event appears" for a given EventCode, it shall not send it again for the same EventCode before it has sent an Event with MODE "Event disappears" for this same EventCode.
- Each Event shall use static mode, type, and instance attributes.
- Each vendor specific EventCode shall be uniquely assigned to one of the TYPEs (Error, Warning, or Notification).

In order to prevent the diagnosis communication channel (see Figure 6) from being flooded, the following requirements apply:

- The same diagnosis information shall not be reported at less than 60 s intervals, that is the Event Dispatcher shall not invoke the AL_Event service with the same EventCode more often than 60 s.
- The Event Dispatcher shall not issue an "Event disappears" less than 50 ms after the corresponding "Event appears".

- Subsequent incidents of errors or warnings with the same root cause shall be disregarded, that means one root cause shall lead to a single error or warning.
- The Event Dispatcher shall not invoke the AL_Event service with an EventCount greater than one.
- Errors are prioritized over Warnings.

Figure 91 shows how two successive errors are processed, and the corresponding flow of "Event appears" / "Event disappears" Events for each error.

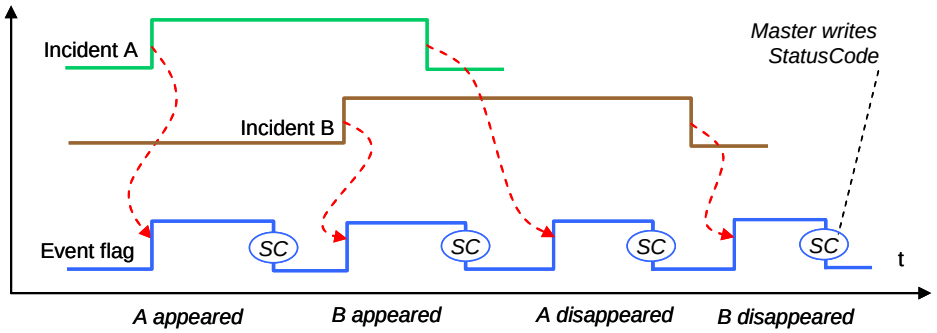



**Figure 91 – Event flow in case of successive errors**

### 10.9.3 Visual indicators

The indication of SDCI communication on the Device is optional. The SDCI indication shall use a green indicator. The indication follows the timing and specification shown in Figure 92.

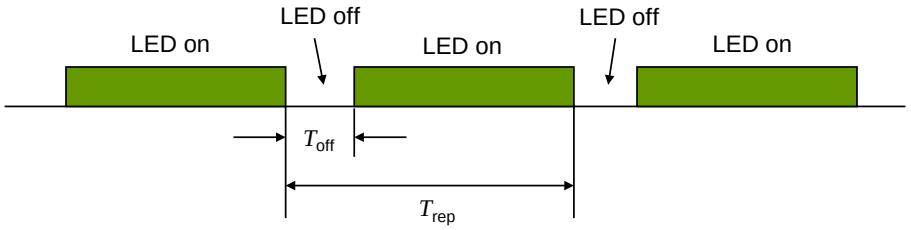



**Figure 92 – Device LED indicator timing**

Table 99 defines the timing for the LED indicator of Devices.

**Table 99 – Timing for LED indicators**

| Timing | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| $T_{rep}$ | 750 | 1 000 | 1 250 | ms |
| $T_{off}$ | 75 | 100 | 150 | ms |
| $T_{off}/T_{rep}$ | 7,5 | 10 | 12,5 | % |

NOTE Timings above are defined such that the general perception would be "power is on".

A short periodical interruption indicates that the Device is in COMx communication state. In order to avoid flickering, the indication cycle shall start with a "LED off" state and shall always be completed (see Table 99).

### 10.10 Device connectivity

See 5.5 for the different possibilities of connecting Devices to Master ports and the corresponding cable types as well as the color coding.

NOTE For compatibility reasons, this standard does not prevent SDCI devices from providing additional wires for connection to functions outside the scope of this standard (for example to transfer analog output signals).

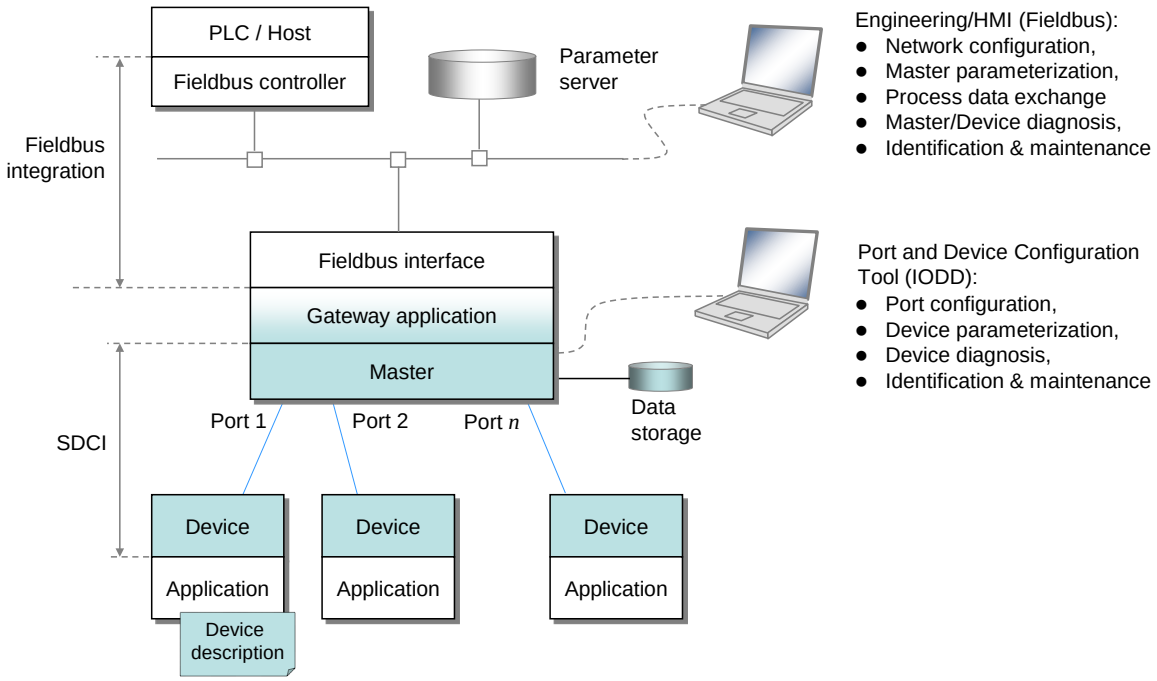
# 11 Master

## 11.1 Overview

### 11.1.1 Generic model for the system integration of a Master

In 4.2 the domain of the SDCI technology within the automation hierarchy is already illustrated.

Figure 93 shows the recommended relationship between the SDCI technology and a fieldbus technology. Even though this may be the major use case in practice, this does not automatically imply that the SDCI technology depends on the integration into fieldbus systems. It can also be directly integrated into PLC systems, industrial PC, or other control systems without fieldbus communication in between.




NOTE Blue shaded areas indicate features specified in this standard

**Figure 93 – Generic relationship of SDCI technology and fieldbus technology**

### 11.1.2 Structure and services of a Master

Figure 94 provides an overview of the complete structure and the services of a Master.

The Master applications comprise first a fieldbus specific gateway or direct connection to a PLC (host) for the purpose of start-up configuration and parameterization as well as Process Data exchange, user-program-controlled parameter change at runtime, and diagnosis propagation. For the purpose of configuration, parameterization, and diagnosis during commissioning a so-called "Port and Device Configuration Tool" (Software) is connected

3293 either directly to the Master or via fieldbus communication. These two instruments are using
3294 the following common Master applications

3295 • Configuration Manager (CM), which transforms the user configuration assignments into
3296 port set-ups;

3297 • On-request Data Exchange (ODE), which provides for example acyclic parameter access;

3298 • Data Storage (DS) mechanism, which can be used to save and restore the Device
3299 parameters;

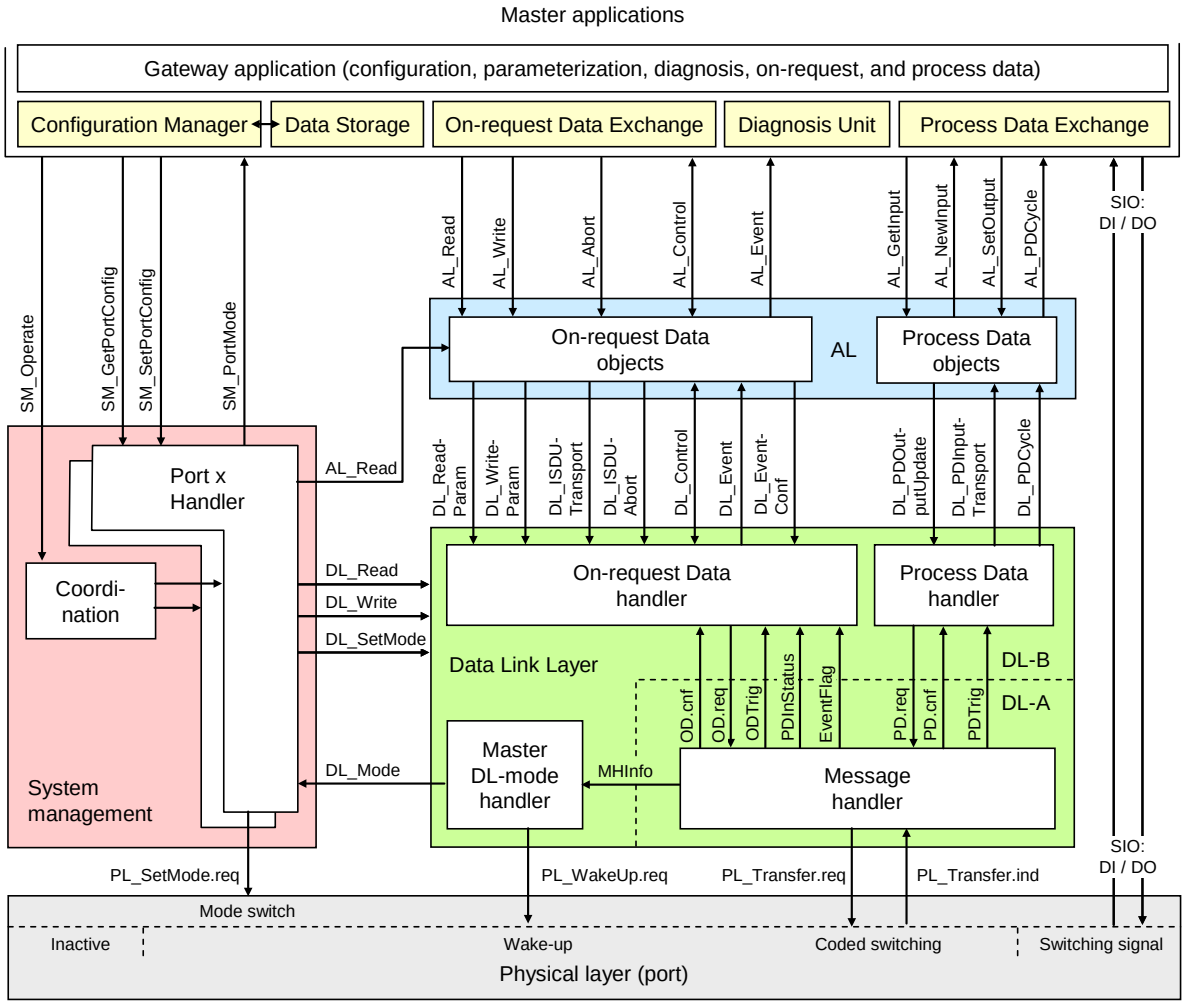
3300 • Diagnosis Unit (DU), which routes Events from the AL to the Data Storage unit or the
3301 gateway application;

3302 • Process Data Exchange (PDE), building the bridge to upper level automation instruments.

3303 These Master applications provide standard methods/functions common to all Masters.

3304 The Configuration Manager (CM) and the Data Storage mechanism (DS) need special
3305 coordination in respect to On-request Data, see Figure 95 and Figure 105.

3306 The gateway application maps these functions into the features of a particular fieldbus/PLC or
3307 directly into a host system. It is not within the scope of this standard to define any of these
3308 gateway applications.

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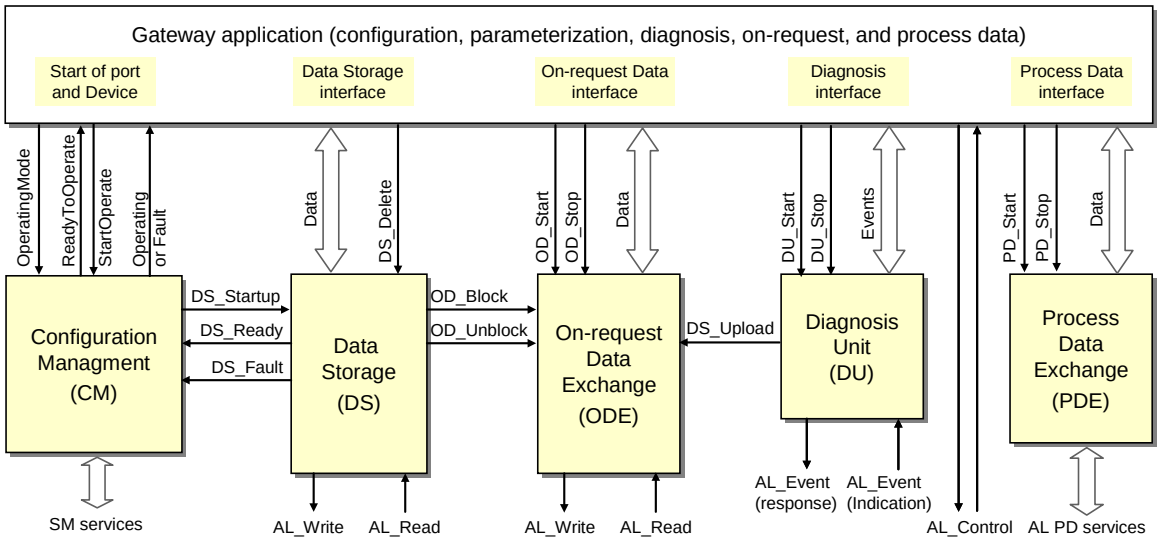
3310 **Figure 94 – Structure and services of a Master**

3311 Figure 95 shows the relationship of the common Master applications.

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3313 **Figure 95 – Relationship of the common Master applications**

3314 The internal variables between the common Master applications are specified in Table 100.
3315 The main responsibility is assigned to the Configuration Manager (CM) as shown in Figure 95
3316 and explained in 11.2.

3317 **Table 100 – Internal variables and Events to control the common Master applications**

| Internal Variable | Definition |
|---|---|
| OperatingMode | This variable activates the port and provides the configuration parameters. |
| ReadyToOperate | This variable indicates correct configuration of the port. |
| StartOperate | This variable allows for explicite change of all ports to the OPERATE mode. |
| Operating | This variable indicates all ports are in cyclic Process Data exchange mode |
| Fault | This variable indicates abandoned COMx communication at any port (see Figure 98 and Table 101). |
| DS_Startup | This variable triggers the Data Storage (DS) state machine causing an Upload or Download of Device parameters if required (see 11.3). |
| DS_Ready | This variable indicates the Data Storage has been accomplished successfully; operating mode is CFGCOM or AUTOCOM (see 9.2.2.2) |
| DS_Fault | This variable indicates the Data Storage has been aborted due to a fault. |
| DS_Delete | Any verified change of Device configuration leads to a deletion of the stored data set in the Data Storage. |
| DS_Upload | This variable triggers the Data Storage state machine in the Master due to the special Event "DS_UPLOAD_REQ" from the Device. |
| OD_Start | This variable enables On-request Data access via AL_Read and AL_Write. |
| OD_Stop | This variable indicates that On-request Data access via AL_Read and AL_Write is acknowledged with a negative response to the gateway application. |
| OD_Block | Data Storage upload and download actions disable the On-request Data access through AL_Read or AL_Write. Access by the gateway application is denied. |
| OD_Unblock | This variable enables On-request Data access via AL_Read or AL_Write. |
| DU_Start | This variable enables the Diagnosis Unit to propagate remote (Device) or local (Master) Events to the gateway application. |
| DU_Stop | This variable indicates that the Device Events are not propagated to the gateway application and not acknowledged. Available Events are blocked until the DU is enabled again. |
| PD_Start | This variable enables the Process Data exchange with the gateway application. |
| PD_Stop | This variable disables the Process Data exchange with the gateway application. |

## 11.2 Configuration Manager (CM)

### 11.2.1 General

Figure 95 and Figure 96 demonstrate the coordinating role of the configuration manager amongst all the common Master applications. After setting up a port to the assigned modes (see 11.2.2.1 through 11.2.2.3) CM starts the Data Storage mechanism (DS) and returns the variable "Operating" or "Fault" to the gateway application.

In case of the variable "Operating" of a particular port, the gateway application activates the state machines of the associated Diagnosis Unit (DU), the On-request Data Exchange (ODE), and the Process Data Exchange (PDE).

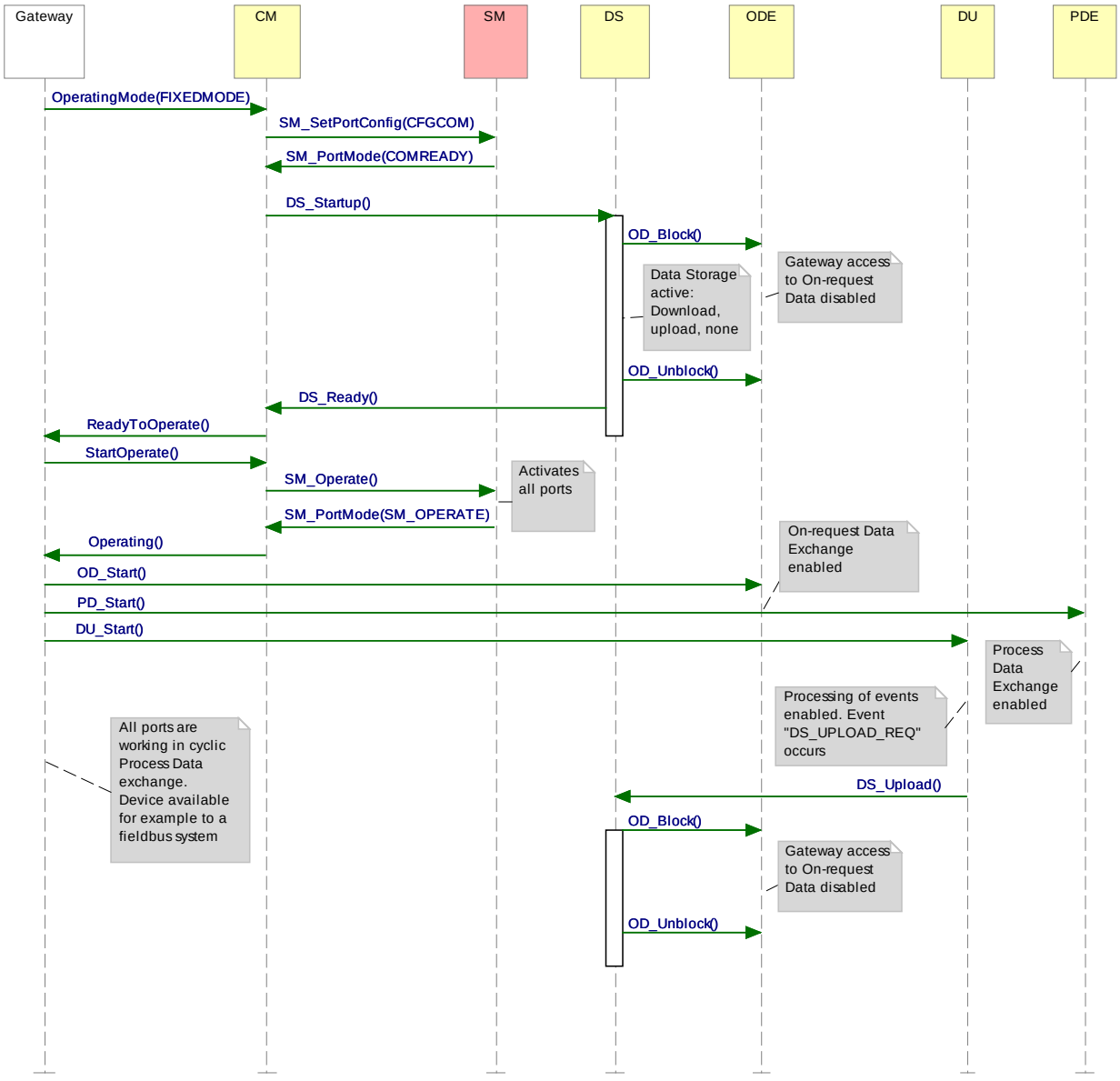



**Figure 96 – Sequence diagram of configuration manager actions**

After all SDCI ports are ready ("ReadyToOperate", see Figure 96), the gateway application shall activate all ports ("StartOperate") to ensure that synchronization of port cycles can take place. Finally, the Devices are exchanging Process Data ("Operating"). In case of faults the gateway application receives "Communication abandoned" ("INACTIVE" or "COMLOST").

In case of SM_PortMode (COMP_FAULT, REVISION_FAULT, or SERNUM_FAULT) according to 9.2.3, only the ODE machine shall be activated to allow for parameterization.

At each new start of a port the gateway application will first de-activate (e.g. OD_Stop) the associated machines DU, ODE, and PDE.

Several parameters are available for the configuration manager to achieve a specific behaviour.

### 11.2.2 Configuration parameter

#### 11.2.2.1 OperatingMode

One of the following operating modes can be selected. All modes are mandatory.

**INACTIVE**
The SDCI port is deactivated, the corresponding Process Data length for input and output is zero. The Master shall not have any activities on this port.

**DO**
The SDCI port is configurated as a digital output (see Table 2 for constraints). The output Process Data length is 1 bit. The Master shall not try to wake up any Device at this port.

**DI**
The SDCI port is configurated as a digital input. The input Process Data length is 1 bit. The Master shall not try to wake up any Device at this port.

**FIXEDMODE**
An SDCI port is configured for continuous communication. The defined identification is checked. Whether a difference in Device identification will lead to the rejection of the Device or not depends on the port configuration (InspectionLevel, see Table 78).

**SCANMODE**
The SDCI port is configured for continuous communication. The identification is read back from the Device and can be provided as the new defined identification. Otherwise see OperatingMode "FIXEDMODE".

#### 11.2.2.2 PortCycle

One of the following port cycle modes can be selected. None of the modes is mandatory.

**FreeRunning**
The port cycle timing is not restricted.

**FixedValue**
The port cycle timing is fixed to a specific value. If the Device is not able to achieve this timing, for example if the timing is lower than the MinCycleTime of the Device, an error shall be generated. The fixed value can be written in the CycleTime parameter as specified in 11.2.2.3.

**MessageSync**

The port cycle timing is restricted to the synchronous start of all messages on all SDCI ports of this Master. In this case the cycle time is given by the highest MinCycleTime of the connected Devices. All Master ports set to this mode are working with this behaviour as shown in Figure 97. Values for displacement and jitter shall be noted in the user manual.

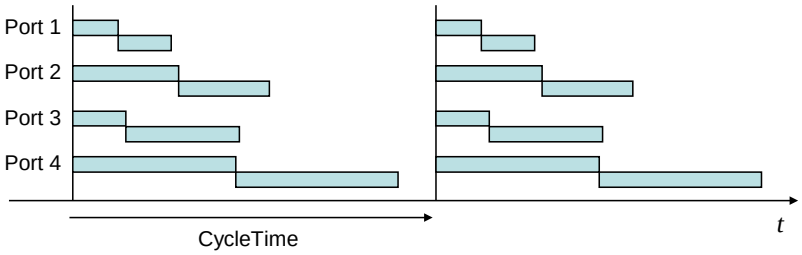



**Figure 97 – Ports in MessageSync mode**

#### 11.2.2.3 CycleTime

This parameter contains the requested or actual cycle time for the specific ports. It shall be passed as a value with a resolution of 100 µs.

#### 11.2.2.4 PDConfig

This set of parameters contains the rules for the Process Data mapping between the Device Process Data stream and the gateway Process Data stream (see example in Figure 107 for the definitions).

**LenIn**
This parameter contains the requested length of the Device input ProcessDataIn Bits

**PosIn**
This parameter contains the offset within the gateway input Process Data stream in Bit.

**SrcOffsetIn**
This parameter contains the offset within the Device input Process Data stream in Bit.

**LenOut**
This parameter contains the requested length of the Device output ProcessDataOut Bits.

**PosOut**
This parameter contains the offset within the gateway output Process Data stream in Bit.

**SrcOffsetOut**
This parameter contains the offset within the Device output Process Data stream in Bit.

#### 11.2.2.5 DeviceIdentification

This set of parameters contains the actual configured Device identification.

**VendorID**
This parameter contains the requested or read vendor specific ID as specified in B.1.8.

**DeviceID**
This parameter contains the requested or read Device specific ID as specified in B.1.9.

**SerialNumber**
This parameter contains the requested or read SerialNumber as specified in B.2.13.

**InspectionLevel**
This parameter contains the requested InspectionLevel as specified in Table 78.

#### 11.2.2.6 DataStorageConfig

This set of parameter items contains the settings of the Data Storage (DS) mechanism.

**ActivationState**
This parameter contains the requested state of the DS mechanism for this port. The following modes are supported:

**DS_Enabled**
The DS mechanism is active and provides the full functionality as specified in 11.3.2.

**DS_Disabled**
The DS mechanism is inactive and the complete parameter set of this port remains stored.

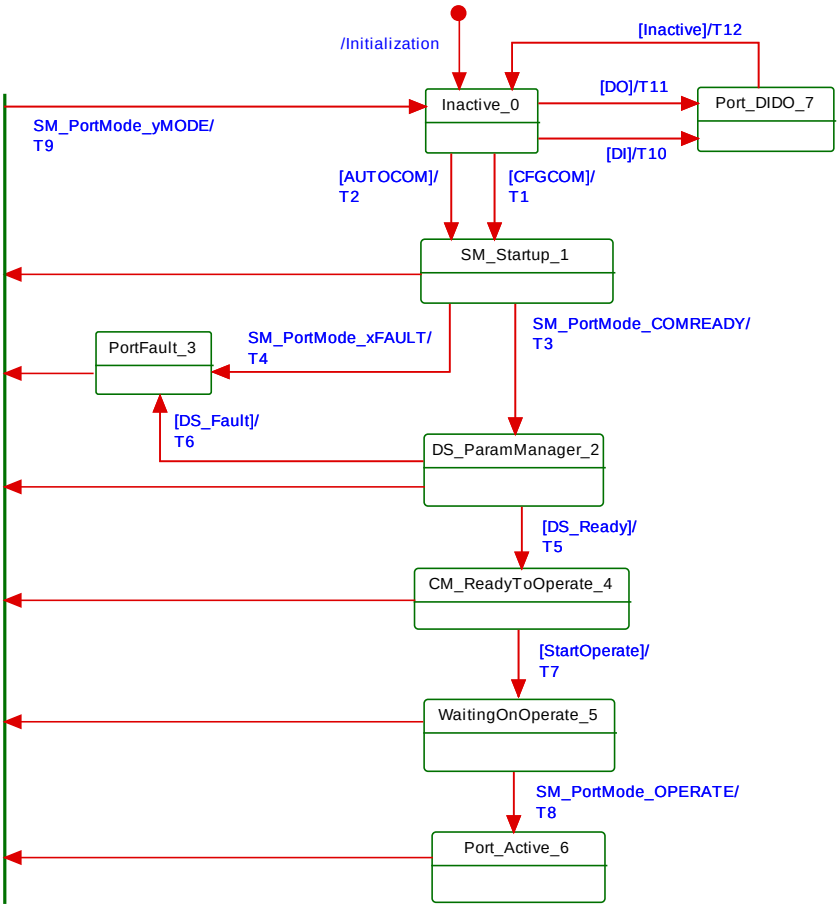
**DS_Cleared**
The DS mechanism is disabled and the stored parameter set of this port is cleared.

**DownloadEnable**
The DS mechanism is permitted to write data to the connected Device.

**UploadEnable**
The DS mechanism is permitted to read data from the connected Device.

### 11.2.3 State machine of the Configuration Manager

Figure 98 shows the state machine of the Master configuration manager.




**Key:**
xFAULT: REV_FAULT or COMP_FAULT or SERNUM_FAULT
yMODE: INACTIVE or COMLOST

**Figure 98 – State machine of the Configuration Manager**

3426 The different states show the steps of necessary commands to establish or maintain
3427 communication or the DI or DO state.

3428 Any change of the port configuration can be activated by changing the OperatingMode
3429 variable (see 11.2.2.1).

3430 Table 101 shows the state transition table of the configuration manager state machine.

3431 **Table 101 – State transition tables of the Configuration Manager**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting on any of the OperatingMode variables from the gateway application: DO, DI, AUTOCOM, or CFGCOM. |
| SM_Startup_1 | Waiting on an established communication or loss of communication or any of the faults REVISION_FAULT, COMP_FAULT, or SERNUM_FAULT (see Table 83). |
| DS_ParamManager_2 | Waiting on accomplished Data Storage startup. Parameter are downloaded into the Device or uploaded from the Device. |
| PortFault_3 | Device in state PREOPERATE (communicating). However, one of the three faults REVISION_FAULT, COMP_FAULT, SERNUM_FAULT, or DS_Fault occurred. |
| CM_ReadytoOperate_4 | Port is waiting until the gateway application indicates "StartOperate". |
| WaitingOnOperate_5 | Waiting on SM to switch to OPERATE. |
| PortActive_6 | Port is in OPERATE mode. The gateway application is exchanging Process Data and ready to send or receive On-request Data. |
| PortDIDO_7 | Port is in DI or DO mode. The gateway application is exchanging Process Data (DI or DO). |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | SM_SetPortConfig_CFGCOM |
| T2 | 0 | 1 | SM_SetPortConfig_AUTOCOM |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | DS_Startup: The DS state machine is triggered. |
| T4 | 1 | 3 | "Fault" indication to gateway application (REVISION_FAULT, COMP_FAULT, or SERNUM_FAULT), see Figure 95. |
| T5 | 2 | 4 | Indication to gateway application: ReadyToOperate |
| T6 | 2 | 3 | Data Storage failed. Rollback to previous parameter set. |
| T7 | 4 | 5 | SM_Operate. |
| T8 | 5 | 6 | Indication to gateway application: "Operating" (see Figure 96). |
| T9 | 1,2,3,4,5, 6 | 0 | SM_SetPortConfig_INACTIVE. "Fault" indication to gateway application: COMLOST or INACTIVE |
| T10 | 0 | 7 | SM_SetPortConfig_DI. Indication to gateway application: DI |
| T11 | 0 | 7 | SM_SetPortConfig_DO. Indication to gateway application: DO |
| T12 | 7 | 0 | SM_SetPortConfig_INACTIVE. |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| DS_Ready | Bool | Data Storage sequence (upload, download) accomplished. Port operating mode is FIXEDMODE or SCANMODE. See Table 100. |
| DS_Fault | Bool | See Table 100. |
| StartOperate | Bool | Gateway application causes the port to switch to OPERATE. |
| FIXEDMODE | Bool | One of the OperatingModes (see 11.2.2.1) |
| SCANMODE | Bool | One of the OperatingModes (see 11.2.2.1) |
| DI | Bool | One of the OperatingModes (see 11.2.2.1) |
| DO | Bool | One of the OperatingModes (see 11.2.2.1) |

## 11.3 Data Storage (DS)

### 11.3.1 Overview

Data Storage between Master and Device is specified within this standard, whereas the adjacent upper Data Storage mechanisms depend on the individual fieldbus or system. The Device holds a standardized set of objects providing parameters for Data Storage, memory size requirements, control and state information of the Data Storage mechanism. Changes of Data Storage parameter sets are detectable via the "Parameter Checksum" (see 10.4.8).

### 11.3.2 DS data object

The structure of a Data Storage data object is specified in Table F.1.

The Master shall always hold the header information (Parameter Checksum, VendorID, and DeviceID) for the purpose of checking and control. The object information (objects 1…*n*) will be stored within the non-volatile memory part of the Master (see Annex F). Prior to a download of the Data Storage data object (parameter block), the Master will check the consistency of the header information with the particular Device.

The maximum permitted size of the Data Storage data object is 2 x $2^{10}$ octets. It is mandatory for Masters to provide at least this memory space per port if the Data Storage mechanism is implemented.

### 11.3.3 DS state machine

The Data Storage mechanism is called right after establishing the COMx communication, before entering the OPERATE mode. During this time any other communication with the Device shall be rejected by the gateway.

Figure 99 shows the state machine of the Data Storage mechanism.

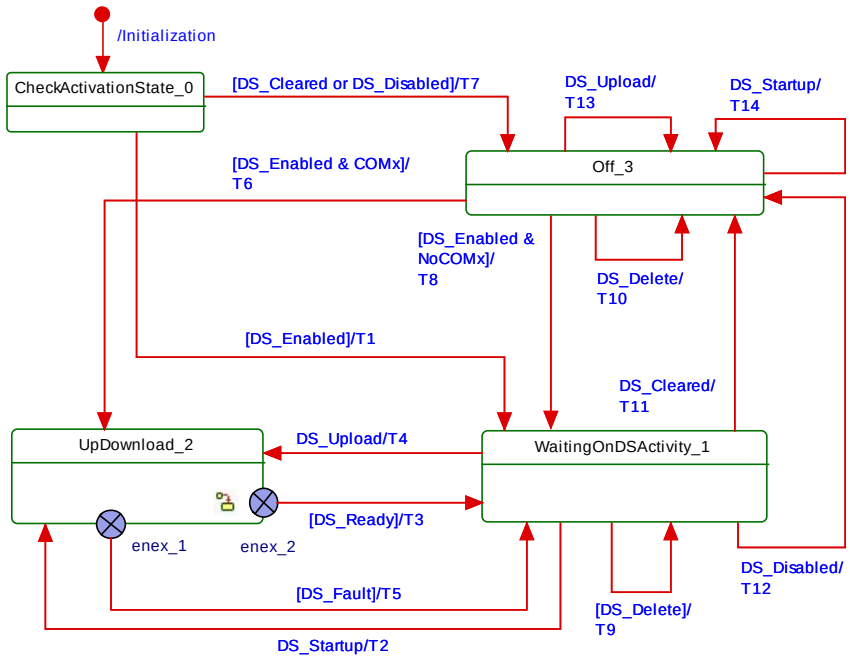
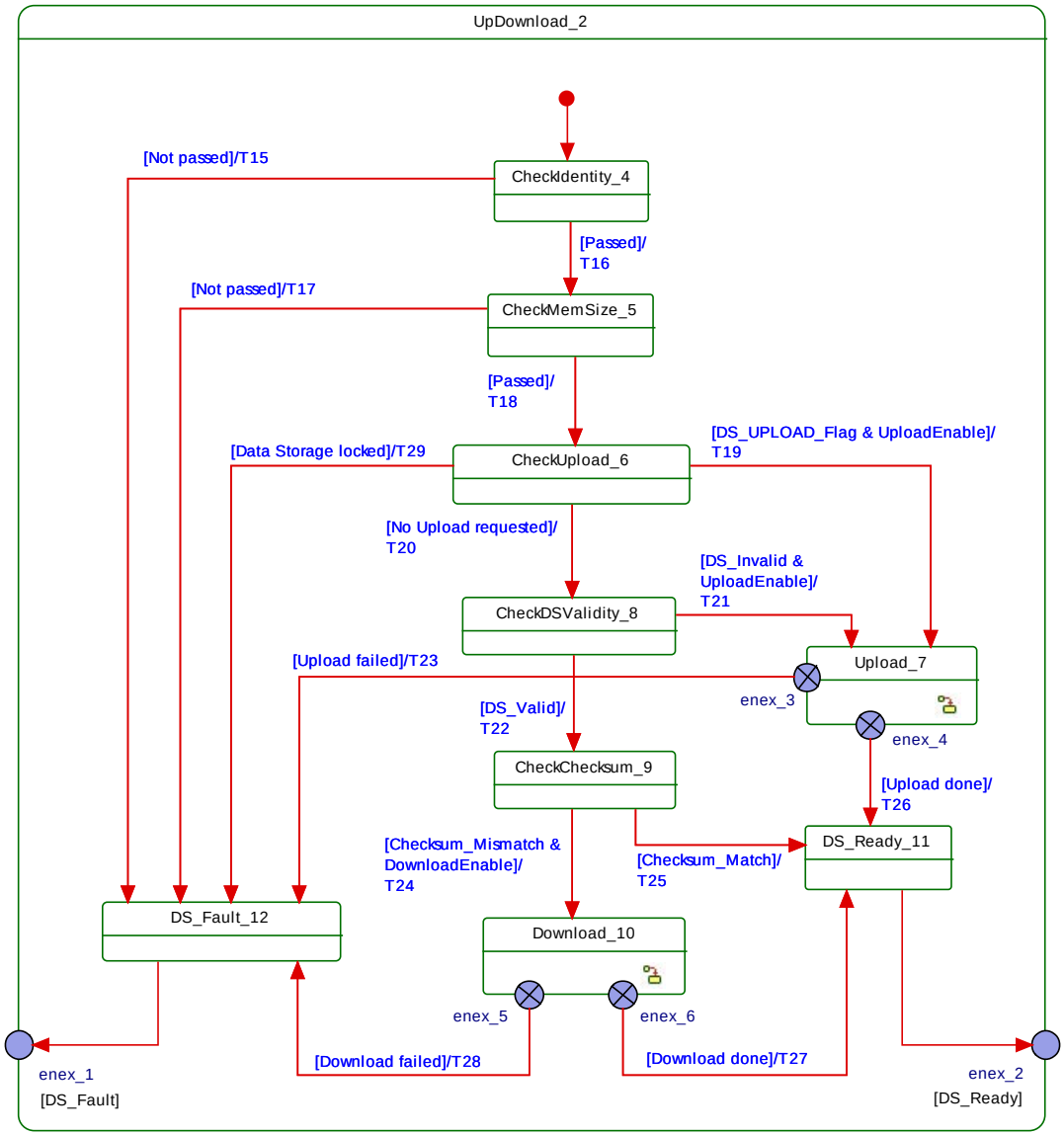



**Figure 99 – Main state machine of the Data Storage mechanism**

Figure 100 shows the submachine of the state "UpDownload_2".

3459 This submachine can be invoked by the Data Storage mechanism or during runtime triggered
3460 by a "DS_UPLOAD_REQ" Event.

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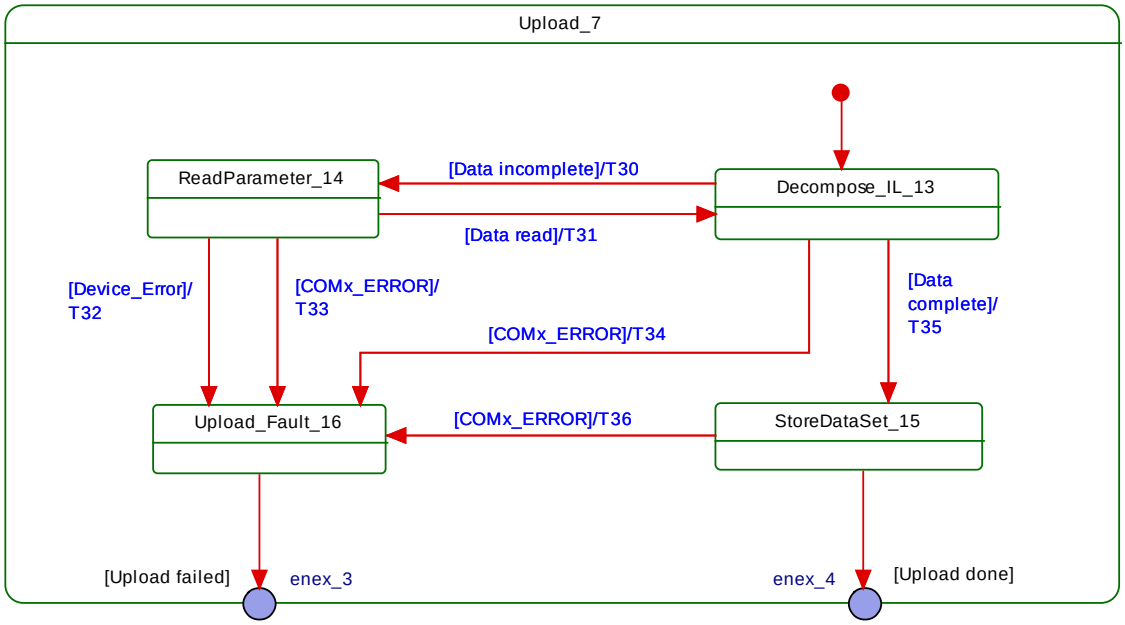
3462 **Figure 100 – Submachine "UpDownload_2" of the Data Storage mechanism**

3463 Figure 101 shows the submachine of the state "Upload_7".

3464 This state machine can be invoked by the Data Storage mechanism or during runtime
3465 triggered by a DS_UPLOAD_REQ Event.

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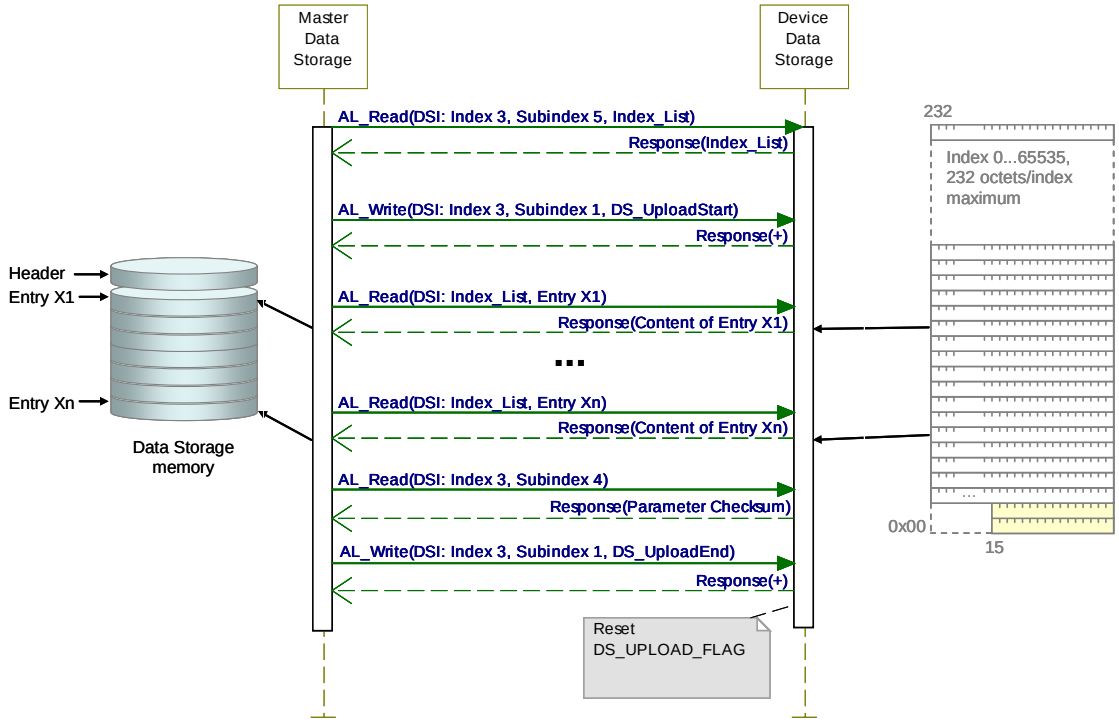
3467 **Figure 101 – Data Storage submachine "Upload_7"**

3468 Figure 102 demonstrates the Data Storage upload sequence using the Data Storage Index
3469 (DSI) specified in B.2.3 and Table B.10. The structure of Index_List is specified in Table B.11.
3470 The DS_UPLOAD_FLAG shall be reset at the end of each sequence (see Table B.10).

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3472 **Figure 102 – Data Storage upload sequence diagram**

3473 Figure 103 shows the submachine of the state "Download_10".

3474 This state machine can be invoked by the Data Storage mechanism.

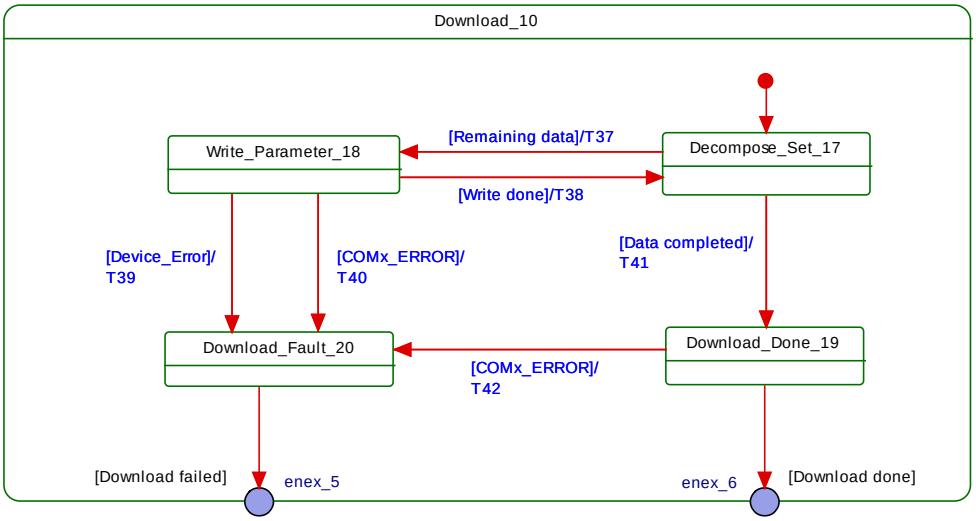


**Figure 103 – Data Storage submachine "Download_10"**

Figure 104 demonstrates the Data Storage download sequence using the Data Storage Index (DSI) specified in B.2.3 and Table B.10. The structure of Index_List is specified in Table B.11. The DS_UPLOAD_FLAG shall be reset at the end of each sequence (see Table B.10).

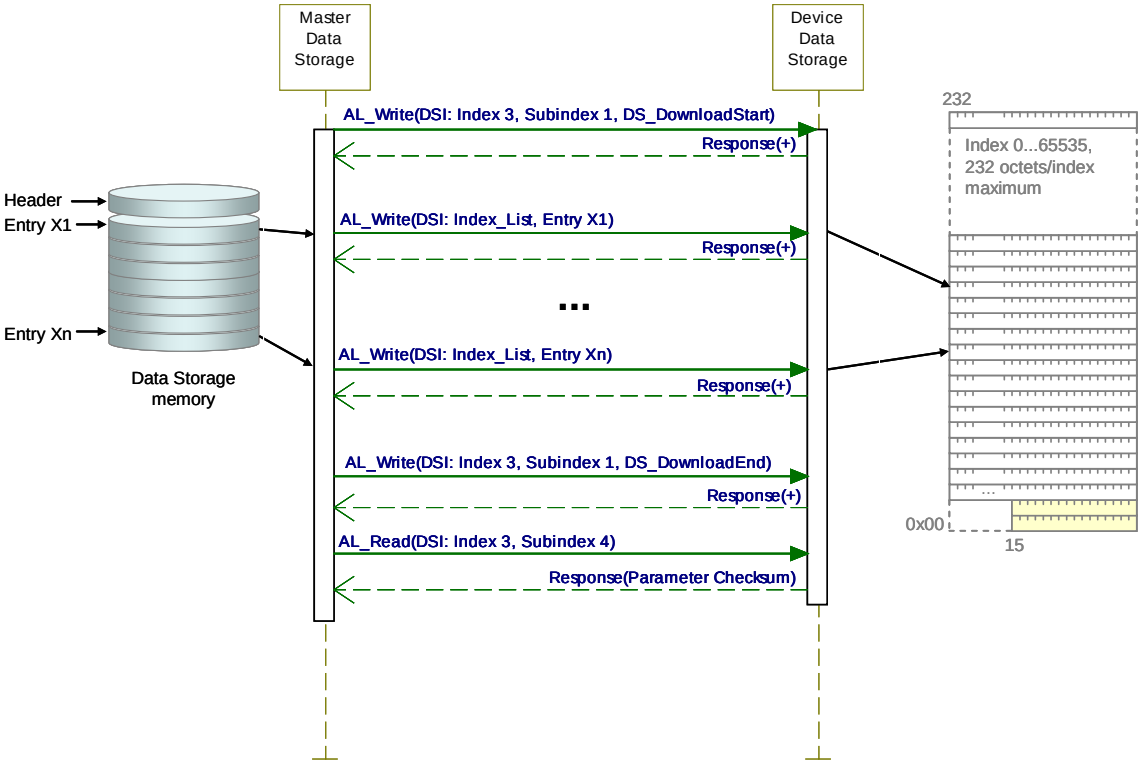


**Figure 104 – Data Storage download sequence diagram**

Table 102 shows the states and transitions of the Data Storage state machines.

3484 **Table 102 – States and transitions of the Data Storage state machines**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| CheckActivationState_0 | Check current state of the DS configuration: Independently from communication status, DS_Startup from configuration management or an Event DS_UPLOAD_REQ is expected. |
| WaitingOnDSActivity_1 | Waiting for upload request, Device startup, all changes of activation state independent of the Device communication state. |
| UpDownload_2 | Submachine for up/download actions and checks |
| Off_3 | Data Storage handling switched off or deactivated |
| SM: CheckIdentity_4 | Check Device identification (DeviceID, VendorID) against parameter set within the Data Storage (see Table F.2). Empty content does not lead to a fault. |
| SM: CheckMemSize_5 | Check data set size (Index 3, Subindex 3) against available Master storage size |
| SM: CheckUpload_6 | Check for DS_UPLOAD_FLAG within the Data Storage Index (see Table B.10) |
| SM: Upload_7 | Submachine for the upload actions |
| SM: CheckDSValidity_8 | Check whether stored data within the Master is valid or invalid. A Master could be replaced between upload and download activities. It is the responsibility of a Master designer to implement a validity mechanism according to the chosen use cases |
| SM: CheckChecksum_9 | Check for differences between the data set content and the Device parameter via the "Parameter Checksum" within the Data Storage Index (see Table B.10) |
| SM: Download_10 | Submachine for the download actions |
| SM: DS_Ready_11 | Prepare DS_Ready indication to the Configuration Management (CM) |
| SM: DS_Fault_12 | Prepare DS_Fault indication from "Identification_Fault", "SizeCheck_Fault", "Upload_Fault", and "Download_Fault" to the Configuration Management (CM) |
| SM: Decompose_IL_13 | Read Index List within the Data Storage Index (see Table B.10). Read content entry by entry of the Index List from the Device (see Table B.11). |
| SM: ReadParameter_14 | Wait until read content of one entry of the Index List from the Device is accomplished. |
| SM: StoreDataSet_15 | Task of the gateway application: store entire data set according to Table F.1 and Table F.2 |
| SM: Upload_Fault_16 | Prepare Upload_Fault indication from "Device_Error" and "COM_ERROR" as input for the higher level indication DS_Fault. |
| SM: Decompose_Set_17 | Write parameter by parameter of the data set into the Device according to Table F.1. |
| SM: Write_Parameter_18 | Wait until write of one parameter of the data set into the Device is accomplished. |
| SM: Download_Done_19 | Download completed. Read back "Parameter Checksum" from the Data Storage Index according to Table B.10. Save this value in the stored data set according to Table F.2. |
| SM: Download_Fault_20 | Prepare Download_Fault indication from "Device_Error" and "COM_ERROR" as input for the higher level indication DS_Fault. |

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| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 2 | - |
| T3 | 2 | 1 | OD_Unblock; Indicate DS_Ready to CM |
| T4 | 1 | 2 | Confirm Event "DS_UPLOAD_REQ" |
| T5 | 2 | 1 | DS_Break (AL_Write, Index 3, Subindex 1); clear intermediate data (garbage collection); rollback to previous parameter state; DS_Fault (see Figure 95); OD_Unblock. |
| T6 | 3 | 2 | - |
| T7 | 0 | 3 | - |
| T8 | 3 | 1 | - |
| T9 | 1 | 1 | Clear saved parameter set (see Table F.1 and Table F.2) |
| T10 | 3 | 3 | Clear saved parameter set (see Table F.1 and Table F.2) |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T11 | 1 | 3 | Clear saved parameter set (see Table F.1 and Table F.2) |
| T12 | 1 | 3 | - |
| T13 | 3 | 3 | Confirm Event "DS_UPLOAD_REQ"; no further action |
| T14 | 3 | 3 | DS_Ready to CM |
| T15 | 4 | 12 | Indicate DS_Fault(Identification_Fault) to the gateway application |
| T16 | 4 | 5 | Read "Data Storage Size" according to Table B.10, OD_Block |
| T17 | 5 | 12 | Indicate DS_Fault(SizeCheck_Fault) to the gateway application |
| T18 | 5 | 6 | Read "DS_UPLOAD_FLAG" according to Table B.10 |
| T19 | 6 | 7 | Data Storage Index 3, Subindex 1: "DS_UploadStart" (see Table B.10) |
| T20 | 6 | 8 | - |
| T21 | 8 | 7 | Data Storage Index 3, Subindex 1: "DS_UploadStart" (see Table B.10) |
| T22 | 8 | 9 | - |
| T23 | 7 | 12 | Data Storage Index 3, Subindex 1: "DS_Break" (see Table B.10). Indicate "DS_Fault(Upload)" to the gateway application |
| T24 | 9 | 10 | Data Storage Index 3, Subindex 1: "DS_DownloadStart" (see Table B.10) |
| T25 | 9 | 11 | - |
| T26 | 7 | 11 | Data Storage Index 3, Subindex 1: "DS_UploadEnd"; read Parameter Checksum (see Table B.10) |
| T27 | 10 | 11 | - |
| T28 | 10 | 12 | Data Storage Index 3, Subindex 1: "DS_Break" (see Table B.10). Indicate "DS_Fault(Download)" to the gateway application. |
| T29 | 6 | 12 | Indicate DS_Fault(Data Storage locked) to the gateway application |
| T30 | 13 | 14 | AL_Read (Index List) |
| T31 | 14 | 13 | - |
| T32 | 14 | 16 | - |
| T33 | 14 | 16 | - |
| T34 | 13 | 16 | - |
| T35 | 13 | 15 | Read "Parameter Checksum" (see Table B.10). |
| T36 | 15 | 16 | - |
| T37 | 17 | 18 | Write parameter via AL_Write |
| T38 | 18 | 17 | - |
| T39 | 18 | 20 | - |
| T40 | 18 | 20 | - |
| T41 | 17 | 19 | Data Storage Index 3, Subindex 1: "DS_DownloadEnd" (see Table B.10) Read "Parameter Checksum" (see Table B.10). |
| T42 | 19 | 20 | - |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| DS_Cleared | Bool | Data Storage handling switched off, see 11.2.2.6 |
| DS_Disabled | Bool | Data Storage handling deactivated, see 11.2.2.6 |
| DS_Enabled | Bool | Data Storage handling activated, see 11.2.2.6 |
| COMx_ERROR | Bool | Error in COMx communication detected |
| Device_Error | Bool | Access to Index denied, AL_Read or AL_Write.cnf(-) with ErrorCode 0x80 |
| DS_Startup | Variable | Trigger from CM state machine, see Figure 95 |
| NoCOMx | Bool | No COMx communication |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| COMx | Bool | COMx communication working properly |
| DS_UPLOAD_REQ | Event | See Table D.2 |
| UploadEnable | Bool | Data Storage handling configuration, see 11.2.2.6 |
| DownloadEnable | Bool | Data Storage handling configuration, see 11.2.2.6 |
| DS_Valid | Bool | Valid parameter set available within the Master. See state description "SM: CheckDSValidity_8" |
| DS_Invalid | Bool | No valid parameter set available within the Master. See state description "SM: CheckDSValidity_8" |
| Checksum_Mismatch | Bool | Acquired "Parameter Checksum" from Device does not match the checksum within Data Storage (binary comparison) |
| Checksum_Match | Bool | Acquired "Parameter Checksum" from Devive matches the checksum within Data Storage (binary comparison) |

### 11.3.4 Parameter selection for Data Storage

The Device designer defines the parameters that are part of the Data Storage mechanism.

The IODD marks all parameters not included in Data Storage with the attribute "excludedFromDataStorage". However, the Data Storage mechanism shall not consider the information from the IODD but rather the Parameter List read out from the Device.

## 11.4 On-Request Data exchange (ODE)

Figure 105 shows the state machine of the Master's On-request Data Exchange. This behaviour is mandatory for a Master.

During an active data transmission of the Data Storage mechanism, all On-request Data requests are blocked.

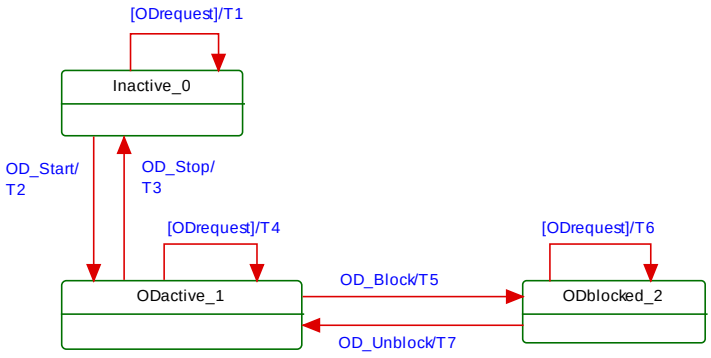



**Figure 105 – State machine of the On-request Data Exchange**

Table 103 shows the state transition table of the On-request Data Exchange state machine.

**Table 103 – State transition table of the ODE state machine**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Inactive_0 | Waiting for activation |
| ODactive_1 | On-request Data communication active using AL_Read or AL_Write |
| ODblocked_2 | On-request Data communication blocked |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 0 | Access blocked (inactive): indicates "Service not available" to the gateway application |
| T2 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T3 | 1 | 0 | - |
| T4 | 1 | 1 | AL_Read or AL_Write |
| T5 | 1 | 2 | - |
| T6 | 2 | 2 | Access blocked temporarily: indicates "Service not available" to the gateway application |
| T7 | 2 | 1 | - |

| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| ODrequest | Variable | On-request Data read or write requested via AL_Read or AL_Write |

## 11.5 Diagnosis Unit (DU)

The Diagnosis Unit (DU) routes Events from the AL to the Data Storage unit or the gateway application. These Events primarily contain diagnosis information.

Main goal for diagnosis information is to alert an operator in an efficient manner. That means:

- no diagnosis information flooding
- report of the root cause of an incident within a Device or within the Master and no subsequent correlated faults
- diagnosis information shall provide information on how to maintain or repair the affected component for fast recovery of the automation system.

Within SDCI, diagnosis information of Devices is conveyed to the Master via Events consisting of EventQualifiers and EventCodes (see A.6). The associated human readable text is available for standardized EventCodes within this standard (see Annex D) and for vendor specific EventCodes within the associated IODD file of a Device. The standardized EventCodes can be mapped to semantically identical or closest fieldbus channel diagnosis definitions within the gateway application. Vendor specific IODD codings can be mapped to specific channel diagnosis definitions (individual code and associated human readable information) within the fieldbus device description file.

Fieldbus engineering tools and process monitoring systems (human machine interfaces) can use the fieldbus device description to decode the received fieldbus diagnosis code into human readable diagnosis text.

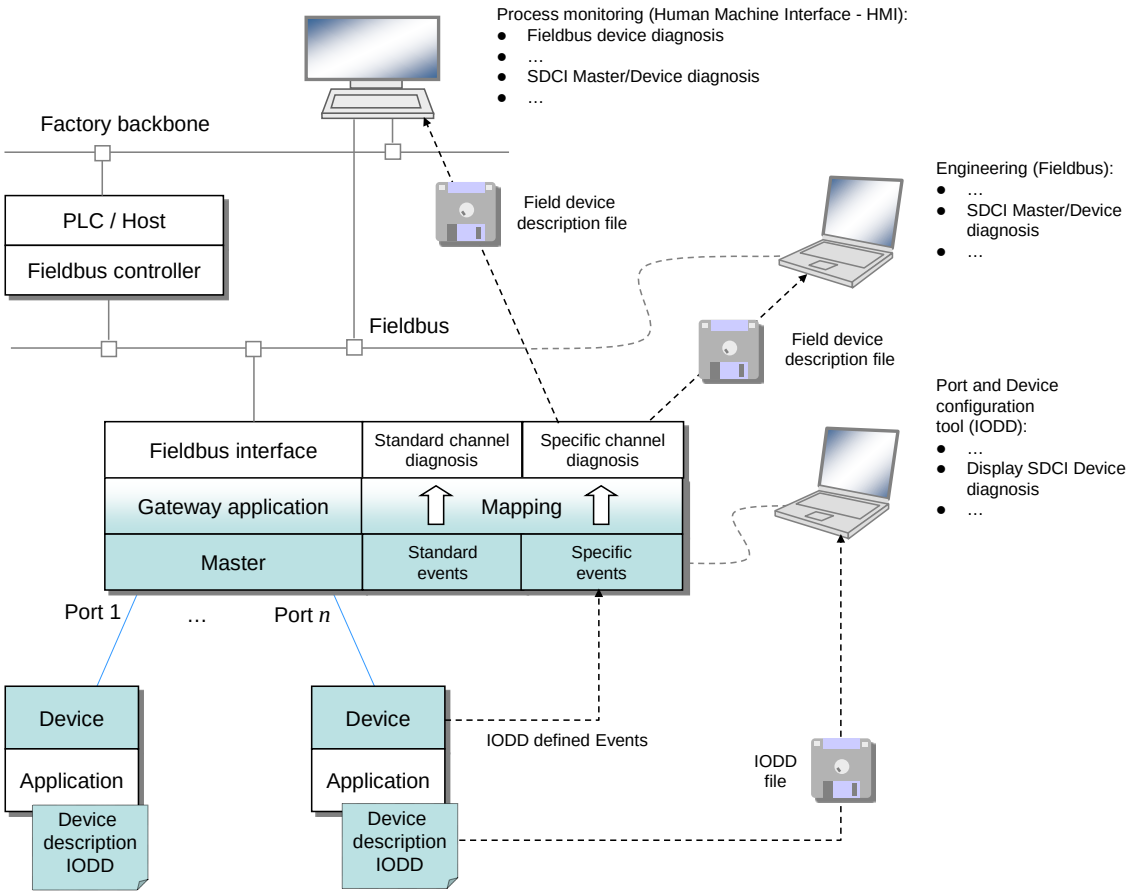
Diagnosis information flooding is avoided by flow control, which allows for only one Event per Device to be propagated to the Master/gateway application at a time.

The gateway application is able to start or stop the Diagnosis Unit (see Figure 95). When stopped, the DU is defering any received AL_Event.ind call until the DU is started again.

The special DS_UPLOAD_REQ Event (see 10.4 and Table D.2) of a Device shall be redirected to the common Master application Data Storage. Those Events are acknowledged by the DU itself and not propagated to the gateway.

Figure 106 shows an example of the diagnosis information flow through a complete SDCI/fieldbus system.

NOTE The flow can end at the Master/PDCT or be more integrated depending on the fieldbus capabilities.




NOTE Blue shaded areas indicate features specified in this standard

**Figure 106 – System overview of SDCI diagnosis information propagation via Events**

## 11.6 PD Exchange (PDE)

### 11.6.1 General

The Process Data Exchange provides the transmission of Process Data between the gateway application and the connected Device.

After an established communication and Data Storage, the port is ready for any On-request Data (ODE) transfers. The Process Data communication is enabled whenever the specific port or all ports are switched to the OPERATE mode.

### 11.6.2 Process Data mapping

According to 11.2.2.4 the input and output Process Data are mapped to a specific part of the gateway Process Data stream.

Figure 107 shows a sample mapping of the Process Data from 3 Master ports to the Gateway Process Data stream.

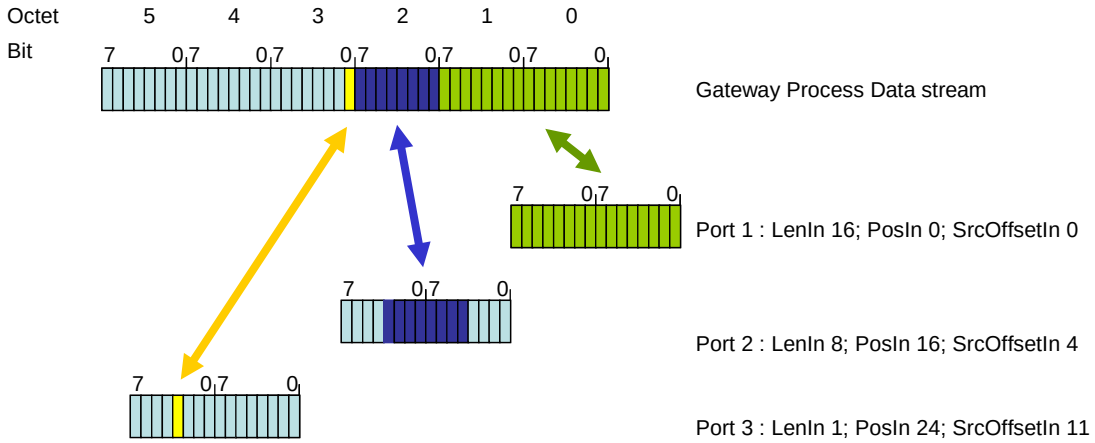



**Figure 107 – Process Data mapping from ports to the gateway data stream**

### 11.6.3 Process Data invalid/valid qualifier status

A sample transmission of an output PD qualifier status "invalid" from Master AL to Device AL is shown in the upper section of Figure 108.

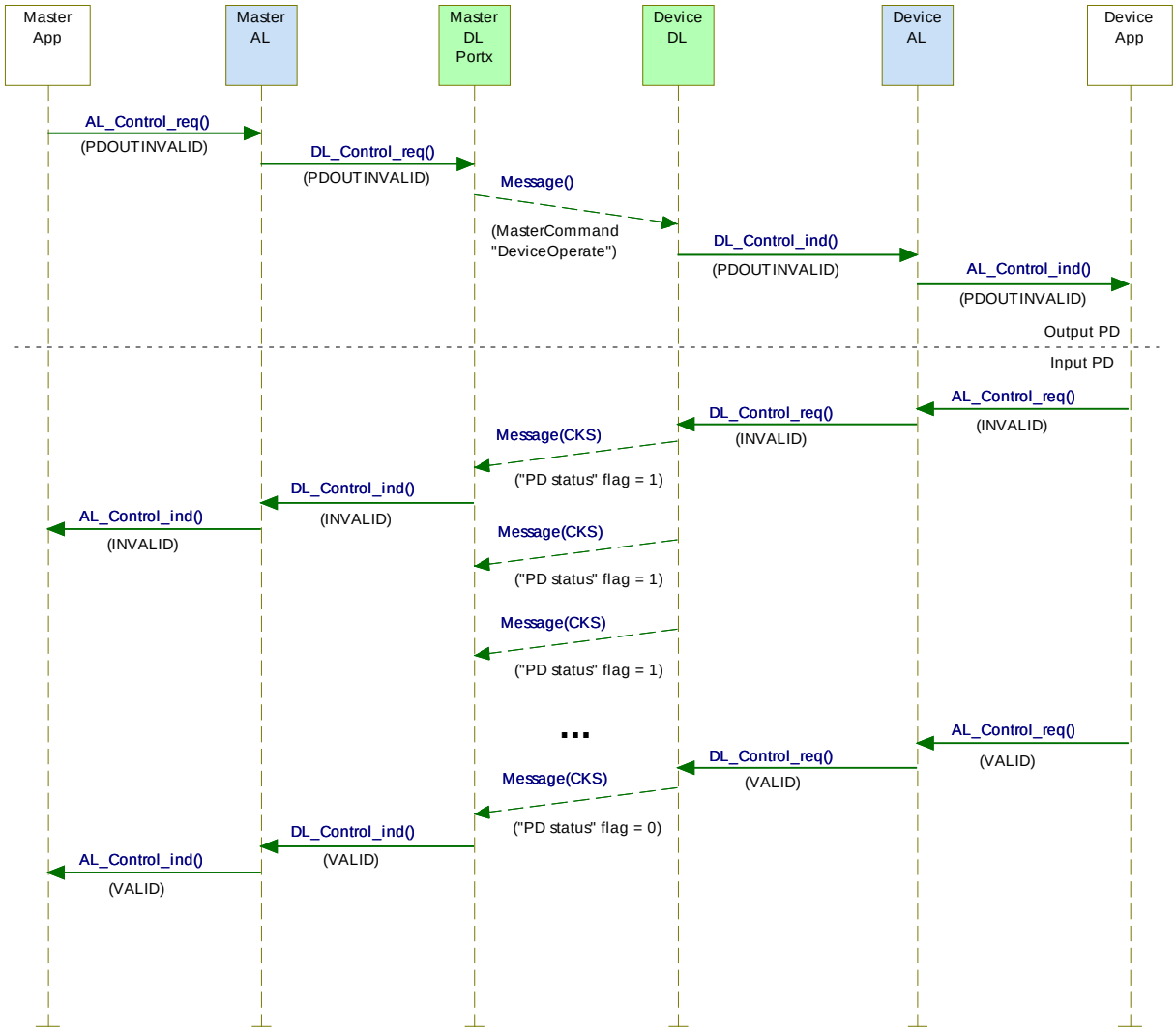



**Figure 108 – Propagation of PD qualifier status between Master and Device**

The Master informs the Device about the output Process Data qualifier status "valid/invalid" by sending MasterCommands (see Table B.2) to the Direct Parameter page 1 (see 7.3.7.1).

For input Process Data the Device sends the Process Data qualifier status in every single message as the "PD status" flag in the Checksum / Status (CKS) octet (see A.1.5) of the Device message. A sample transmission of the input PD qualifier status "valid" from Device AL to Master AL is shown in the lower section of Figure 108.

Any perturbation while in interleave transmission mode leads to an input or output Process Data qualifier status "invalid" indication respectively

## 11.7 Port and Device configuration tool (PDCT)

### 11.7.1 General

Figure 93 and Figure 106 demonstrate the necessity of a tool to configure ports, parameterize the Device, display diagnosis information, and provide identification and maintenance information. Depending on the degree of integration into a fieldbus system, the PDCT functions can be reduced, for example if the port configuration can be achieved via the field device description file of the particular fieldbus.

The PDCT functionality can be integrated partially (navigation, parameter transfer, etc.) or completely into the engineering tool of the particular fieldbus.

### 11.7.2 Basic layout examples

Figure 109 shows one example of a PDCT display layout.

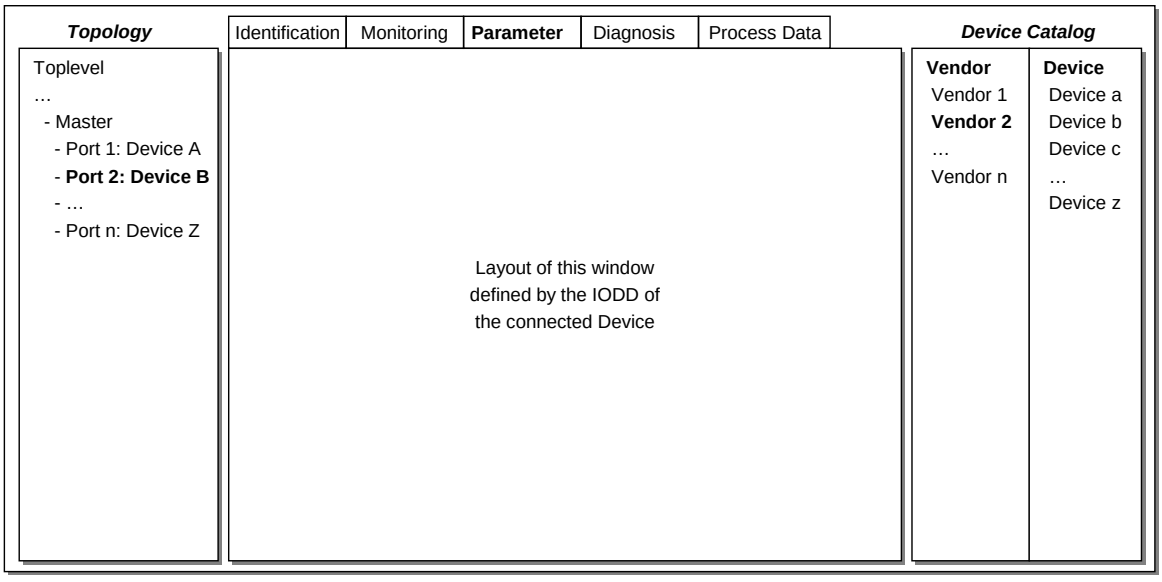



**Figure 109 – Example 1 of a PDCT display layout**

The PDCT display should always provide a navigation window for a project or a network topology, a window for the particular view on a chosen Device that is defined by its IODD, and a window for the available Devices based on the installed IODD files.

Figure 110 shows another example of a PDCT display layout.

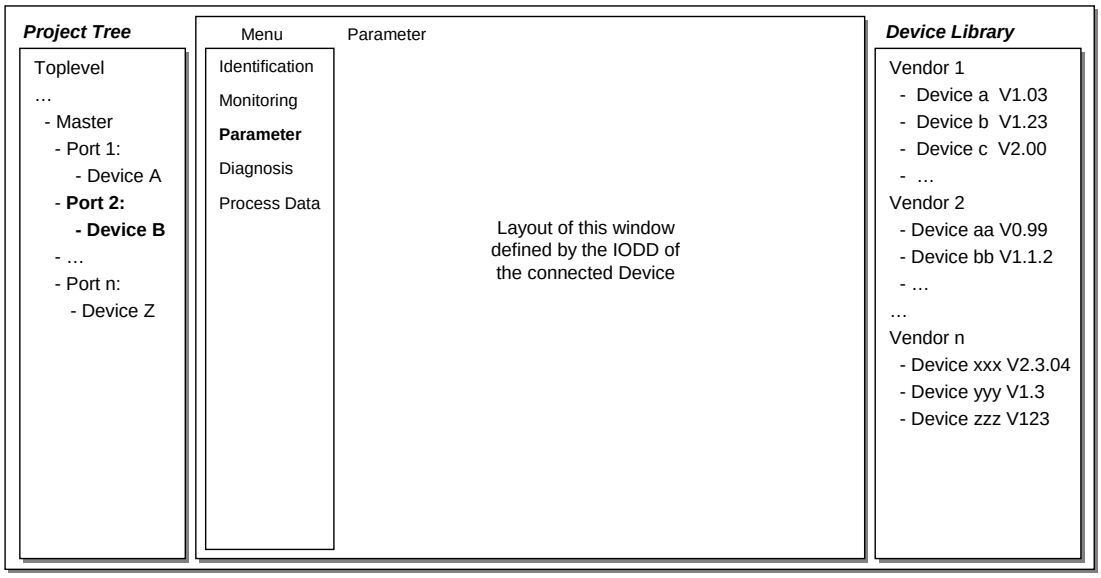



**Figure 110 – Example 2 of a PDCT display layout**

NOTE Further information can be retrieved from IEC/TR 62453-61.

## 11.8 Gateway application

### 11.8.1 General

The Gateway application depends on the individual host system (fieldbus, PLC, etc.) the Master applications are embedded in. It is the responsibility of the individual system to specify the mapping of the Master services and variables.

### 11.8.2 Changing Device configuration including Data Storage

After each change of Device configuration/parameterization (CVID and/or CDID, see 9.2.2.2), the associated previously stored data set within the Master shall be cleared or marked invalid via the variable DS_Delete.

### 11.8.3 Parameter server and recipe control

The Master may combine the entire parameter sets of the connected Devices together with all other relevant data for its own operation, and make this data available for higher level applications. For example, this data may be saved within a parameter server which may be accessed by a PLC program to change recipe parameters, thus supporting flexible manufacturing.

NOTE The structure of the data exchanged between the Master and the parameter server is outside the scope of this standard.

### 11.8.4 Anonymous parameters

An alternative to using a Port and Device Configuration Tool is necessary for some gateway interfaces. For these interfaces, it is recommended that the gateway interface allows the host to send it a block of 10 unnamed octets of Device configuration data for each Device attached to the Master. The gateway interface will then use the AL_Write service to deliver the octets for each Device to Direct Parameter page 2 of the associated Device.

NOTE Integration specifications are out of the scope of this standard.

This approach is shown in Figure 111.

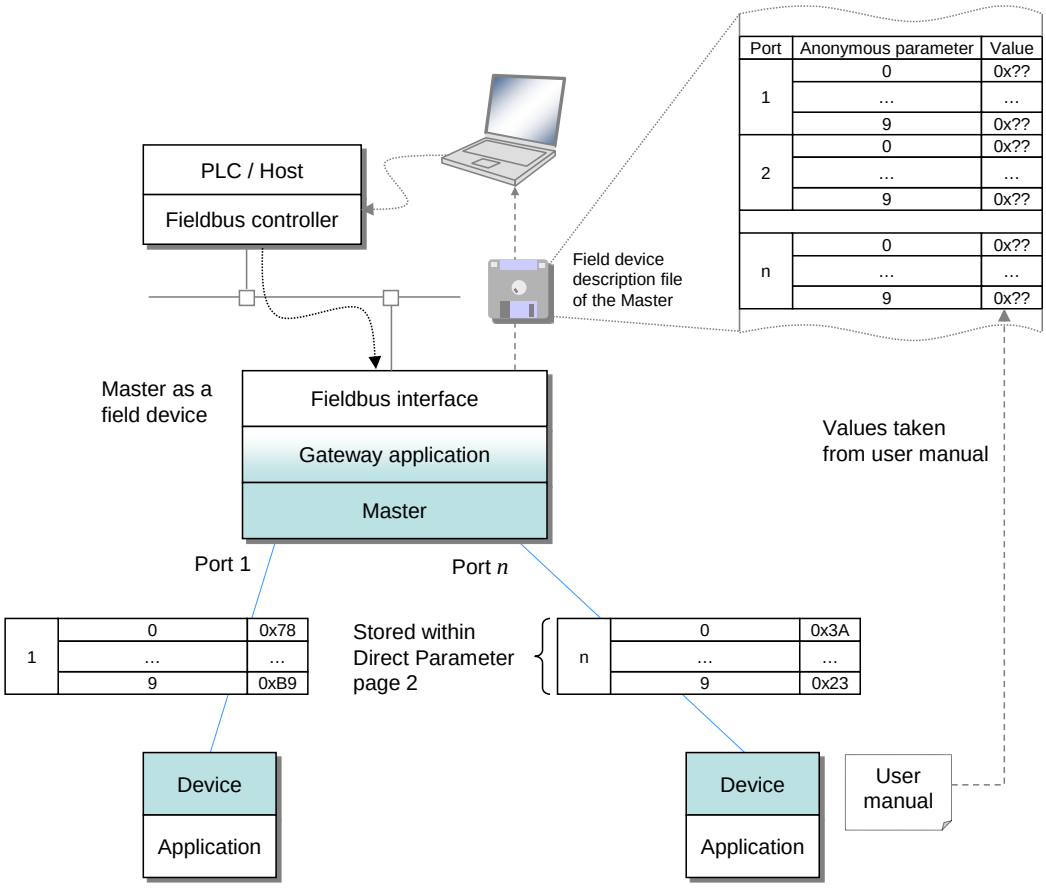



**Figure 111 – Alternative Device configuration**

### 11.8.5 Virtual port mode DIwithSDCI

This optional operational mode provides a possibility to use a Device with SIO capability in the DIwithSDCI mode and allow the higher level system (for example PLC) to exchange On-request Data acyclically. Preferably, this will take place when parameters are to be changed, at production stop, or diagnosis intervals.

This operational mode simplifies the control program due to the omission of configuration before and after an acyclic access.

In principle the gateway application realizes this operational mode virtually. It is solely in a position to decide within the individual states what the next steps can be.

The CM does not know this operational mode. The gateway application reads the configuration data hold by the CM and uses services from SM and AL to realize this operational mode.

The following rules shall be observed when implementing DIwithSDCI.

- The DI signal of the Device is not valid during the acyclic access of the gateway application.
- It is likely that an invalid DI signal is detected very late. Thus, only after the next acyclic access an Event "PDInvalid" can be raised and wire break or Device replacement can be detected.
- The access will consume more time due to establishing communication and fallback procedures including Data Storage.

- The InspectionLevel shall at least comprise TYPE_COMP in order to detect an illegal Device.

The state diagram in Figure 112 shows the individual states for the virtual operational mode DIwithSDCI.

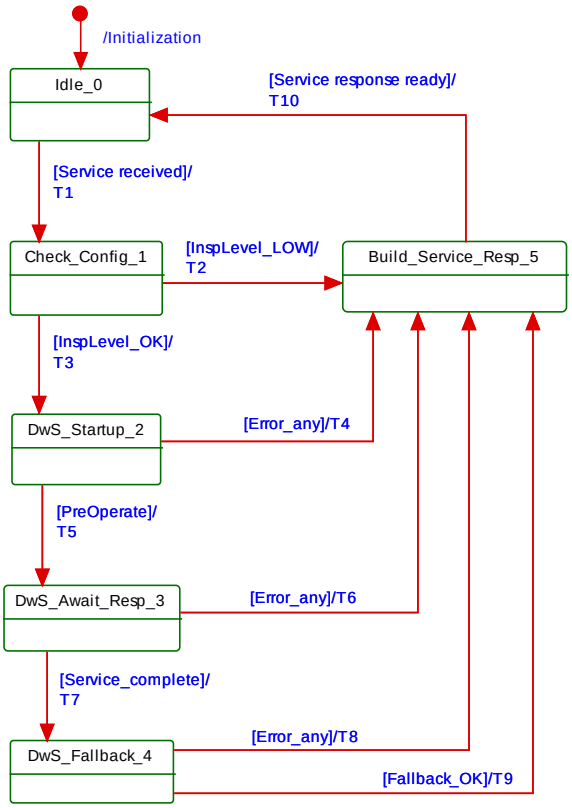



**Figure 112 – Virtual port mode "DIwithSDCI"**

Table 104 shows the states and transitions of the virtual port mode "DIwithSDCI".

**Table 104 – State transitions of the state machine "DIwithSDCI"**

| STATE NAME | STATE DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|
| Idle_0 | For the higher level control program the port is configured for the operational mode DIwithSDCI and waits on service requests. |
| Check_Config_1 | Within this state the InspectionLevel of the port is checked for a sufficient level. |
| DwS_StartUp_2 | Within this state a complete startup until the PREOPERATE state is performed. This can include Data Storage and Event handling. |
| DwS_Await_Resp_3 | Wait on responses (AL-Read.rsp or AL-Write.rsp). |
| DwS_FallBack_4 | After accomplishing the services, the Device is switched back to the SIO mode via the MasterCommand "Fallback" and the port will be configured as a DI. |
| Build_Service_Resp_5 | The service response (positive or negative) will be created to finalize the service to the higher level control program. |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| T2 | 1 | 5 | - |
| T3 | 1 | 2 | Invoke SM_SetPortConfig (to COMx) |
| T4 | 2 | 5 | Invoke SM_SetPortConfig (to DI) |

| TRANSITION | SOURCE STATE | TARGET STATE | ACTION |
|---|---|---|---|
| T5 | 2 | 3 | Invoke Service (AL_Read.req oder AL_Write.req) |
| T6 | 3 | 5 | Invoke SM_SetPortConfig (to DI) |
| T7 | 3 | 4 | - |
| T8 | 4 | 5 | Invoke SM_SetPortConfig (to DI) |
| T9 | 4 | 5 | Invoke SM_SetPortConfig (to DI) |
| T10 | 5 | 0 | Invoke corresponding AL service response |

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| INTERNAL ITEMS | TYPE | DEFINITION |
|---|---|---|
| InspLevel_LOW | Bool | The necessary InspectionLevel is not configured in order to detect the correct Device. |
| InspLevel_OK | Bool | The necessary InspectionLevel is configured to detect the correct Device. |
| PreOperate | Bool | State PREOPERATE is established |
| Service_complete | Bool | The gateway application received AL_Read.rsp or AL_Write.rsp |
| Fallback_OK | Bool | Fallback has been accomplished successfully |
| Error_any | Bool | Any error will quit this state |

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# Annex A
(normative)

# Codings, timing constraints, and errors

## A.1 General structure and encoding of M-sequences

### A.1.1 Overview

The general concept of M-sequences is outlined in 7.3.3.2. Subclauses A.1.2 to A.1.6 provide a detailed description of the individual elements of M-sequences.

### A.1.2 M-sequence control (MC)

The Master indicates the manner the user data (see A.1.4) shall be transmitted in an M-sequence control octet. This indication includes the transmission direction (read or write), the communication channel, and the address (offset) of the data on the communication channel. The structure of the M-sequence control octet is shown in Figure A.1.

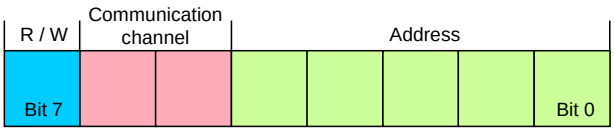



**Figure A.1 – M-sequence control**

**Bit 0 to 4: Address**

These bits indicate the address, i.e. the octet offset of the user data on the specified communication channel (see also Table A.1). In case of an ISDU channel, these bits are used for flow control of the ISDU data. The address, which means in this case the position of the user data within the ISDU, is only available indirectly (see 7.3.6.2).

**Bit 5 to 6: Communication channel**

These bits indicate the communication channel for the access to the user data. The defined values for the communication channel parameter are listed in Table A.1.

**Table A.1 – Values of communication channel**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | Process |
| 1 | Page |
| 2 | Diagnosis |
| 3 | ISDU |

**Bit 7: R/W**

This bit indicates the transmission direction of the user data on the selected communication channel, i.e. read access (transmission of user data from Device to Master) or write access (transmission of user data from Master to Device). The defined values for the R/W parameter are listed in Table A.2.

**Table A.2 – Values of R/W**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | Write access |
| 1 | Read access |

A Device is not required to support each and every of the 256 values of the M-sequence control octet. For read access to not implemented addresses or communication channels the value "0" shall be returned. A write access to not implemented addresses or communication channels shall be ignored.

### A.1.3 Checksum / M-sequence type (CKT)

The M-sequence type is transmitted together with the checksum in the check/type octet. The structure of this octet is demonstrated in Figure A.2.

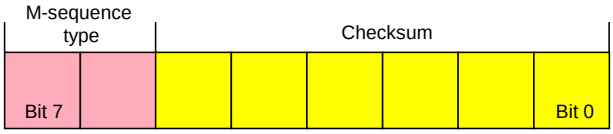



**Figure A.2 – Checksum/M-sequence type octet**

**Bit 0 to 5: Checksum**

These bits contain a 6 bit message checksum to ensure data integrity, see also A.1.6 and Clause H.1.

**Bit 6 to 7: M-sequence type**

These bits indicate the M-sequence type. Herewith, the Master specifies how the messages within the M-sequence are structured. Defined values for the M-sequence type parameter are listed in Table A.3.

**Table A.3 – Values of M-sequence types**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | Type 0 |
| 1 | Type 1 |
| 2 | Type 2 (see NOTE) |
| 3 | reserved |
| NOTE Subtypes depend on PD configuration and PD direction. | |

### A.1.4 User data (PD or OD)

User data is a general term for both Process Data and On-request Data. The length of user data can vary from 0 to 64 octets depending on M-sequence type and transmission direction (read/write). An overview of the available data types is shown in Table A.4. These data types can be arranged as records (different types) or arrays (same types).

**Table A.4 – Data types for user data**

| Data type | Reference |
|---|---|
| BooleanT | See E.2 |
| UIntegerT | See E.2.3 |
| IntegerT | See E.2.4 |
| StringT | See E.2.6 |
| OctetStringT | See E.2.7 |
| Float32T | See E.2.5 |
| TimeT | See E.2.8 |
| TimeSpanT | See E.2.9 |

The detailed coding of the data types can be found in Annex E.

### A.1.5 Checksum / status (CKS)

The checksum/status octet is part of the reply message from the Device to the Master. Its structure is shown in Figure A.3. It comprises a 6 bit checksum, a flag to indicate valid or invalid Process Data, and an Event flag.

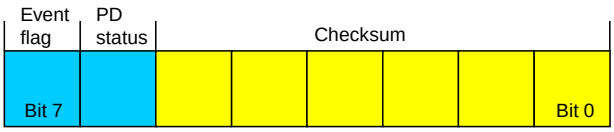



**Figure A.3 – Checksum/status octet**

**Bit 0 to 5: Checksum**

These bits contain a 6 bit checksum to ensure data integrity of the reply message. See also A.1.6 and Clause H.1.

**Bit 6: PD status**

This bit indicates whether the Device can provide valid Process Data or not. Defined values for the parameter are listed in Table A.5.

This PD status flag shall be used for Devices with input Process Data. Devices with output Process Data shall always indicate "Process Data valid".

If the PD status flag is set to “Process Data invalid” within a message, all the input Process Data of the complete Process Data cycle are invalid.

**Table A.5 – Values of PD status**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | Process Data valid |
| 1 | Process Data invalid |

**Bit 7: Event flag**

This bit indicates a Device initiative for the data category "Event" to be retrieved by the Master via the diagnosis communication channel (see Table A.1). The Device can report diagnosis information such as errors, warnings or notifications via Event response messages. Permissible values for the parameter are listed in Table A.6.

**Table A.6 – Values of the Event flag**

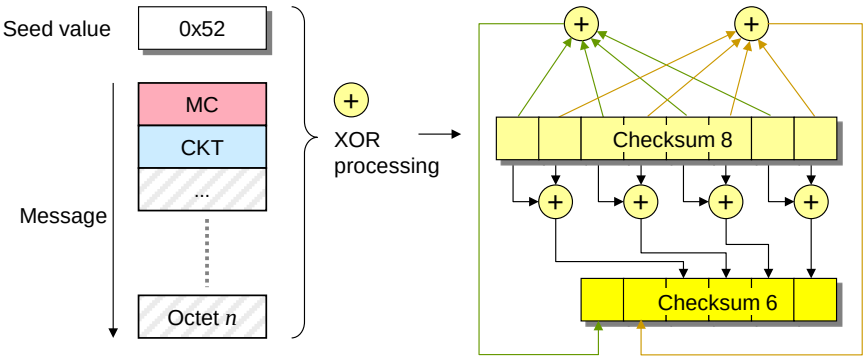
| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | No Event |
| 1 | Event |

### A.1.6 Calculation of the checksum

The message checksum provides data integrity protection for data transmission from Master to Device and from Device to Master. Each UART data octet is protected by the UART parity bit (see Figure 18). Besides this individual data octet protection, all of the UART data octets in a message are XOR (exclusive or) processed octet by octet. The check/type octet is included with checksum bits set to "0". The resulting checksum octet is compressed from 8 to 6 bit in accordance with the conversion procedure in Figure A.4 and its associated formulas (see

3730 equations in (A.1)). The 6 bit compressed "Checksum6" is entered into the checksum/ M-
3731 sequence type octet (see Figure A.2). The same procedure takes place to secure the
3732 message from the Device to the Master. In this case the compressed checksum is entered
3733 into the checksum/status octet (see Figure A.3).

3734 A seed value of 0x52 is used for the checksum calculation across the message. It is XORed
3735 with the first octet of the message (MC).

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3737 **Figure A.4 – Principle of the checksum calculation and compression**

3738 The set of equations in (A.1) define the compression procedure from 8 to 6 bit in detail.

$$
\begin{aligned}
D5_6 &= D7_8 \text{ xor } D5_8 \text{ xor } D3_8 \text{ xor } D1_8 \\
D4_6 &= D6_8 \text{ xor } D4_8 \text{ xor } D2_8 \text{ xor } D0_8 \\
D3_6 &= D7_8 \text{ xor } D6_8 \\
D2_6 &= D5_8 \text{ xor } D4_8 \\
D1_6 &= D3_8 \text{ xor } D2_8 \\
D0_6 &= D1_8 \text{ xor } D0_8
\end{aligned}
\qquad \text{(A.1)}
$$

3739 ## A.2 M-sequence types

3740 ### A.2.1 Overview

3741 Process Data and On-request Data use separate cyclic and acyclic communication channels
3742 (see Figure 7) to ensure scheduled and deterministic delivery of Process Data while delivery
3743 of On-request Data does not have consequences on the Process Data transmission
3744 performance.

3745 Within SDCI, M-sequences provide the access to the communication channels via the M-
3746 sequence Control octet. The number of different M-sequence types meets the various
3747 requirements of sensors and actuators regarding their Process Data width. See Figure 37 for
3748 an overview of the available M-sequence types that are specified in A.2.2 to A.2.5. See A.2.6
3749 for rules on how to use the M-sequence types.

3750 ### A.2.2 M-sequence TYPE_0

3751 M-sequence TYPE_0 is mandatory for all Devices.

3752 M-sequence TYPE_0 only transmits On-request Data. One octet of user data is read or
3753 written per cycle. This M-sequence is shown in Figure A.5.

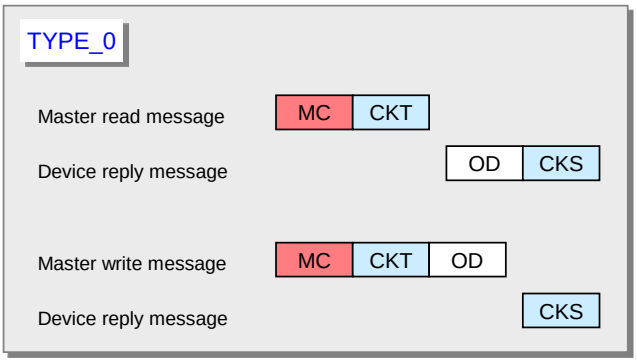



**Figure A.5 – M-sequence TYPE_0**

### A.2.3 M-sequence TYPE_1_x

M-sequence TYPE_1_x is optional for all Devices.

M-sequence TYPE_1_1 is shown in Figure A.6.

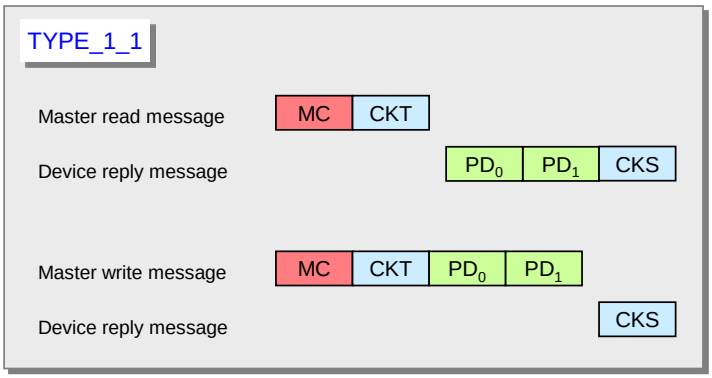



**Figure A.6 – M-sequence TYPE_1_1**

Two octets of Process Data are read or written per cycle. Address (bit offset) belongs to the process communication channel (see A.2.1).

In case of interleave mode (see 7.3.4.2) and odd-numbered PD length the remaining octets within the messages are padded with 0x00.

M-sequence TYPE_1_2 is shown in Figure A.7. Two octets of On-request Data are read or written per cycle.

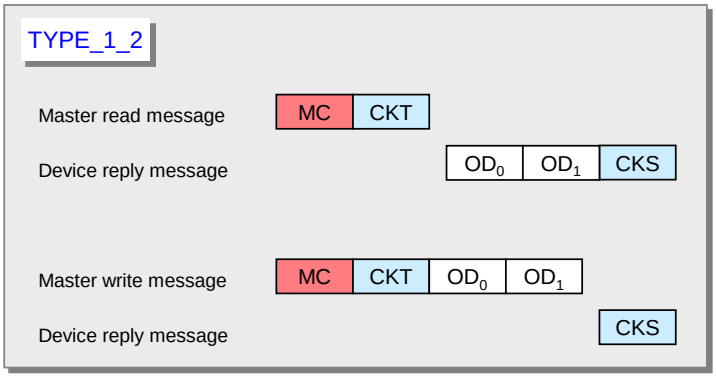



**Figure A.7 – M-sequence TYPE_1_2**

For write access to On-request Data via the page and diagnosis communication channels, only the first octet of On-request Data is evaluated. The Device shall ignore the remaining octets. The Master shall send all other ODs with "0x00".

M-sequence TYPE_1_V providing variable (extendable) message length is shown in Figure A.8. A number of m octets of On-request Data are read or written per cycle.

For write access to On-request Data via the page and diagnosis communication channels, only the first octet ($OD_0$) of On-request Data is evaluated. The Device shall ignore the remaining octets. The Master shall send all other ODs with "0x00".

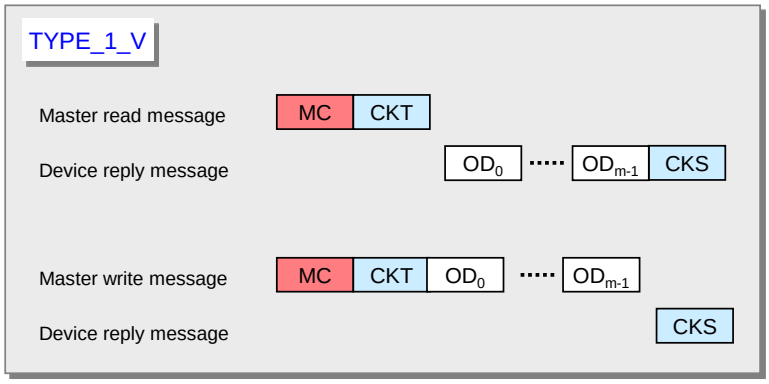



**Figure A.8 – M-sequence TYPE_1_V**

### A.2.4 M-sequence TYPE_2_x

M-sequence TYPE_2_x is optional for all Devices. M-sequences TYPE_2_1 through TYPE_2_6 are defined. M-sequence TYPE_2_V provides variable (extendable) message length. M-sequence TYPE_2_x transmits Process Data and On-request Data in one message. The number of process and On-request Data read or written in each cycle depends on the type. The Address parameter (see Figure A.1) belongs in this case to the on-request communication channel. The Process Data address is specified implicitly starting at "0". The format of Process Data is characterizing the M-sequence TYPE_2_x.

M-sequence TYPE_2_1 transmits one octet of read Process Data and one octet of read or write On-request Data per cycle. This M-sequence type is shown in Figure A.9.

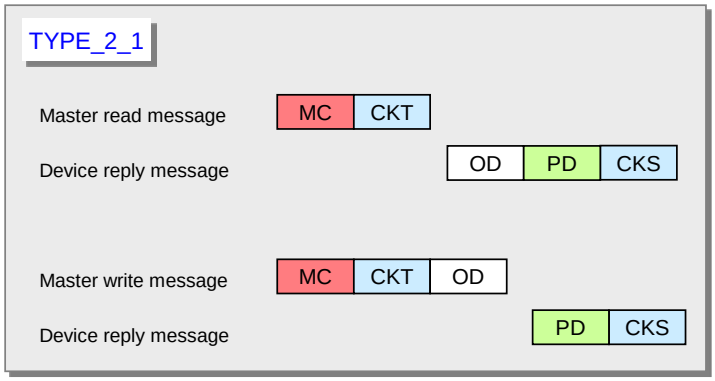



**Figure A.9 – M-sequence TYPE_2_1**

M-sequence TYPE_2_2 transmits 2 octets of read Process Data and one octet of On-request Data per cycle. This M-sequence type is shown in Figure A.10.

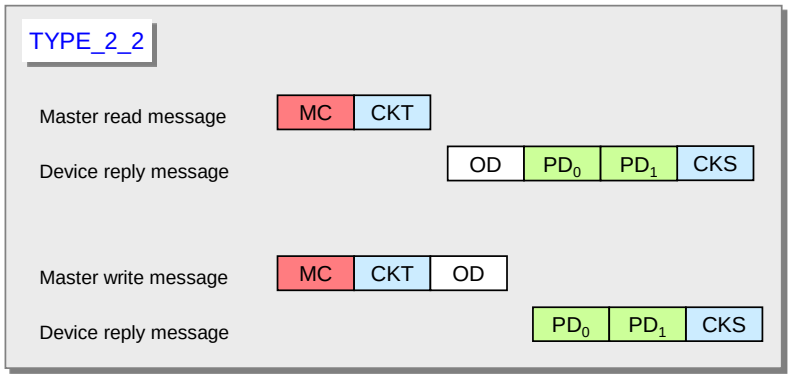



**Figure A.10 – M-sequence TYPE_2_2**

M-sequence TYPE_2_3 transmits one octet of write Process Data and one octet of read or write on-reqest data per cycle. This M-sequence type is shown in Figure A.11.

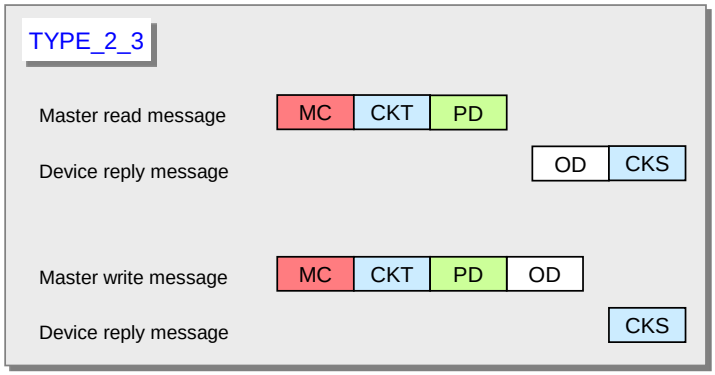



**Figure A.11 – M-sequence TYPE_2_3**

M-sequence TYPE_2_4 transmits 2 octets of write Process Data and one octet of read or write On-request Data per cycle. This M-sequence type is shown in Figure A.12

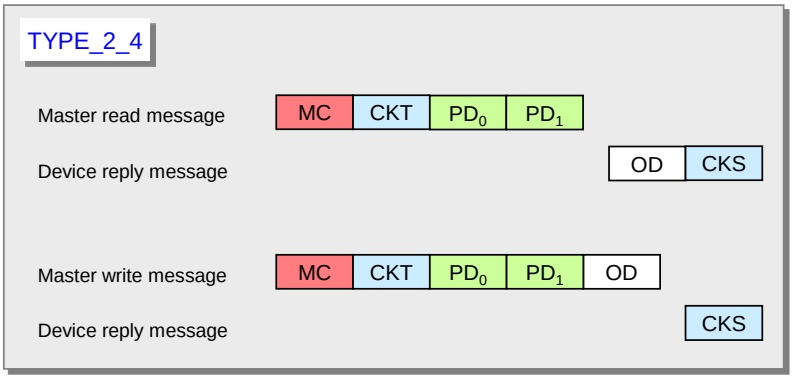



**Figure A.12 – M-sequence TYPE_2_4**

M-sequence TYPE_2_5 transmits one octet of write and read Process Data and one octet of read or write On-request Data per cycle. This M-sequence type is shown in Figure A.13.

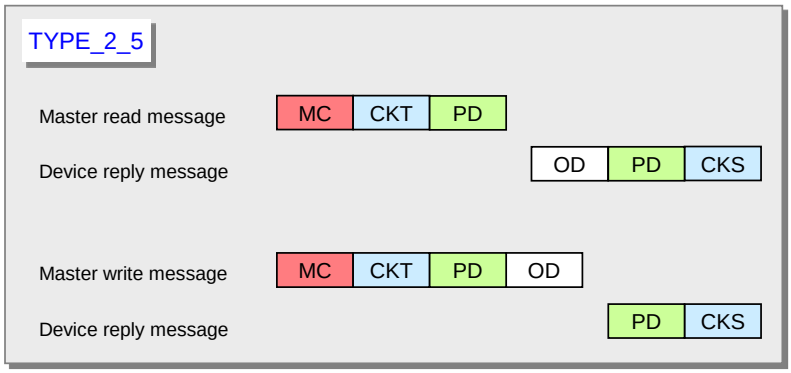



**Figure A.13 – M-sequence TYPE_2_5**

M-sequence TYPE_2_6 transmits 2 octets of write and read Process Data and one octet of read or write On-request Data per cycle. This M-sequence type is shown in Figure A.14.

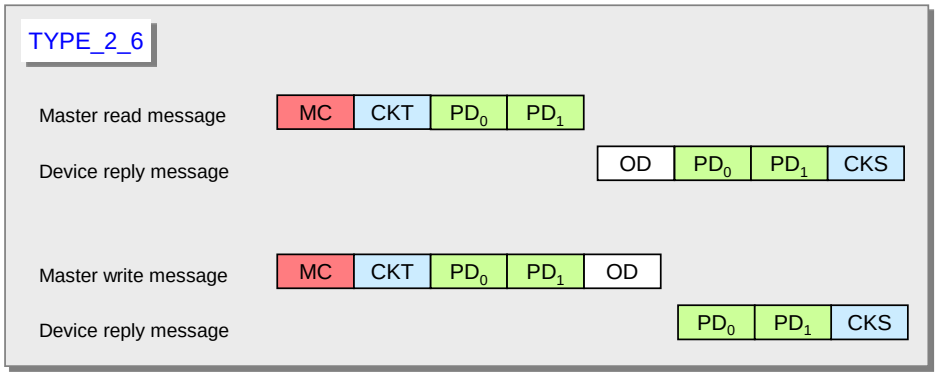



**Figure A.14 – M-sequence TYPE_2_6**

M-sequence TYPE_2_V transmits the entire write (read) ProcessDataIn n (k) octets per cycle. The range of n (k) is 0 to 32. Either PDin or PDout are not existing when n = 0 or k = 0. TYPE_2_V also transmits m octets of (segmented) read or write On-request Data per cycle using the address in Figure A.1. Permitted values for m are 1, 2, 8, and 32. This variable M-sequence type is shown in Figure A.15.

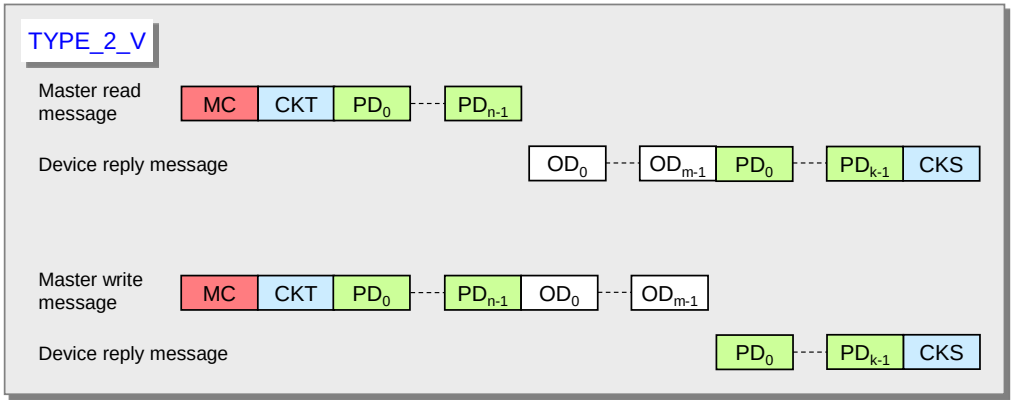



**Figure A.15 – M-sequence TYPE_2_V**

For write access to On-request Data via the page and diagnosis communication channels, only the first octet ($OD_0$) of On-request Data is evaluated. The Device shall ignore the remaining octets. The Master shall send all other ODs with "0".

### A.2.5 M-sequence type 3

M-sequence type 3 is reserved and shall not be used.

### A.2.6 M-sequence type usage for STARTUP, PREOPERATE and OPERATE modes

Table A.7 lists the M-sequence types for the STARTUP mode together with the minimum recovery time ($T_{\text{initcyc}}$) that shall be observed for Master implementations (see A.3.9). The M-sequence code refers to the coding in B.1.4.

**Table A.7 – M-sequence types for the STARTUP mode**

| STARTUP M-sequence code | On-request Data | M-sequence type | Minimum recovery time |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Octets | | $T_{\text{BIT}}$ |
| n/a | 1 | TYPE_0 | 100 |

Table A.8 lists the M-sequence types for the PREOPERATE mode together with the minimum recovery time ($T_{\text{initcyc}}$) that shall be observed for Master implementations.

**Table A.8 – M-sequence types for the PREOPERATE mode**

| PREOPERATE M-sequence code | On-request Data | M-sequence type | Minimum recovery time |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Octets | | $T_{\text{BIT}}$ |
| 0 | 1 | TYPE_0 | 100 |
| 1 | 2 | TYPE_1_2 | 100 |
| 2 | 8 | TYPE_1_V | 210 |
| 3 | 32 | TYPE_1_V | 550 |
| NOTE The minimum recovery time in PREOPERATE mode is a requirement for the Master. | | | |

Table A.9 lists the M-sequence types for the OPERATE mode for legacy Devices. The minimum cycle time for Master in OPERATE mode is specified by the parameter "MinCycleTime" of the Device (see B.1.3).

**Table A.9 – M-sequence types for the OPERATE mode (legacy protocol)**

| OPERATE M-sequence code | On-request Data | Process Data (PD) | | M-sequence type |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Octets | PDin | PDout | Legacy protocol (see [8]) |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | TYPE_0 |
| 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | TYPE_1_2 |
| don't care | 2 | 3…32 octets | 0…32 octets | TYPE_1_1/1_2 (interleaved) |
| don't care | 2 | 0…32 octets | 3…32 octets | TYPE_1_1/1_2 (interleaved) |
| don't care | 1 | 1…8 bit | 0 | TYPE_2_1 |
| don't care | 1 | 9…16 bit | 0 | TYPE_2_2 |
| don't care | 1 | 0 | 1…8 bit | TYPE_2_3 |
| don't care | 1 | 0 | 9…16 bit | TYPE_2_4 |
| don't care | 1 | 1…8 bit | 1…8 bit | TYPE_2_5 |

Table A.10 lists the M-sequence types for the OPERATE mode for Devices according to this specification. The minimum cycle time for Master in OPERATE mode is specified by the parameter MinCycleTime of the Device (see B.1.3).

**Table A.10 – M-sequence types for the OPERATE mode**

| OPERATE M-sequence code | On-request Data | Process Data (PD) | | M-sequence type |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Octets | PDin | PDout | |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | TYPE_0 |
| 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | TYPE_1_2 |
| 6 | 8 | 0 | 0 | TYPE_1_V |
| 7 | 32 | 0 | 0 | TYPE_1_V |
| 0 | 2 | 3…32 octets | 0…32 octets | TYPE_1_1/1_2 interleaved |
| 0 | 2 | 0…32 octets | 3…32 octets | TYPE_1_1/1_2 interleaved |
| 0 | 1 | 1…8 bit | 0 | TYPE_2_1 |
| 0 | 1 | 9…16 bit | 0 | TYPE_2_2 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 1…8 bit | TYPE_2_3 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 9…16 bit | TYPE_2_4 |
| 0 | 1 | 1…8 bit | 1…8 bit | TYPE_2_5 |
| 0 | 1 | 9…16 bit | 1…16 bit | TYPE_2_6 |
| 0 | 1 | 1…16 bit | 9…16 bit | TYPE_2_6 |
| 4 | 1 | 0…32 octets | 3…32 octets | TYPE_2_V |
| 4 | 1 | 3…32 octets | 0…32 octets | TYPE_2_V |
| 5 | 2 | >0 bit, octets | ≥0 bit, octets | TYPE_2_V |
| 5 | 2 | ≥0 bit, octets | >0 bit, octets | TYPE_2_V |
| 6 | 8 | >0 bit, octets | ≥0 bit, octets | TYPE_2_V |
| 6 | 8 | ≥0 bit, octets | >0 bit, octets | TYPE_2_V |
| 7 | 32 | >0 bit, octets | ≥0 bit, octets | TYPE_2_V |
| 7 | 32 | ≥0 bit, octets | >0 bit, octets | TYPE_2_V |

## A.3 Timing constraints

### A.3.1 General

The interactions of a Master and its Device are characterized by several time constraints that apply to the UART frame, Master and Device message transmission times, supplemented by response, cycle, delay, and recovery times.

### A.3.2 Bit time

The bit time $T_{BIT}$ is the time it takes to transmit a single bit. It is the inverse value of the transmission rate (see equation (A.2)).

$$T_{BIT} = 1/(\text{transmission rate}) \quad \text{(A.2)}$$

Values for $T_{BIT}$ are specified in Table 8.

### A.3.3 UART frame transmission delay of Master (ports)

The UART frame transmission delay $t_1$ of a port is the duration between the end of the stop bit of a UART frame and the beginning of the start bit of the next UART frame. The port shall transmit the UART frames within a maximum delay of one bit time (see equation (A.3)).

$$0 \le t_1 \le 1\ T_{BIT} \quad \text{(A.3)}$$

### A.3.4 UART frame transmission delay of Devices

The Device's UART frame transmission delay $t_2$ is the duration between the end of the stop bit of a UART frame and the beginning of the start bit of the next UART frame. The Device shall transmit the UART frames within a maximum delay of 3 bit times (see equation (A.4)).

$$0 \le t_2 \le 3\ T_{BIT} \quad \text{(A.4)}$$

### A.3.5 Response time of Devices

The Device's response time $t_A$ is the duration between the end of the stop bit of a port's last UART frame being received and the beginning of the start bit of the first UART frame being sent. The Device shall observe a delay of at least one bit time but no more than 10 bit times (see equation (A.5)).

$$1\ T_{BIT} \le t_A \le 10\ T_{BIT} \quad \text{(A.5)}$$

### A.3.6 M-sequence time

Communication between a port and and its associated Device takes place in a fixed schedule, called the M-sequence time (see equation (A.6)).

$$t_{\text{M-sequence}} = (m+n) * 11 * T_{BIT} + t_A + (m\text{-}1) * t_1 + (n\text{-}1) * t_2 \quad \text{(A.6)}$$

In this formula, $m$ is the number of UART frames sent by the port to the Device and $n$ is the number of UART frames sent by the Device to the port. The formula can only be used for estimates as the times $t_1$ and $t_2$ may not be constant.

Figure A.16 demonstrates the timings of an M-sequence consisting of a Master (port) message and a Device message.

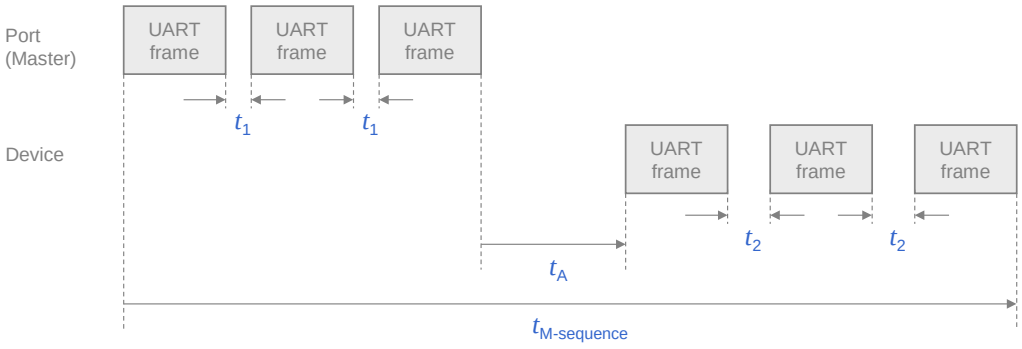



**Figure A.16 – M-sequence timing**

### A.3.7 Cycle time

The cycle time $t_{CYC}$ (see equation (A.7)) depends on the Device's parameter "MinCycleTime" and the design and implementation of a Master and the number of ports.

$$t_{CYC} = t_{M\text{-}sequence} + t_{idle} \quad (A.7)$$

The adjustable Device parameter “MasterCycleTime” can be used for the design of a Device specific technology such as an actuator to derive the timing conditions for a default appropriate action such as de-activate or de-energize the actuator (see 7.3.3.5 "MaxCycleTime", 10.2, and 10.7.3).

Table A.11 lists recommended minimum cycle time values for the specified transmission mode of a port. The values are calculated based on M-sequence Type_2_1.

**Table A.11 – Recommended MinCycleTimes**

| Transmission mode | $t_{CYC}$ |
|---|---|
| COM1 | 18,0 ms |
| COM2 | 2,3 ms |
| COM3 | 0,4 ms |

### A.3.8 Idle time

The idle time $t_{idle}$ results from the configured cycle time $t_{CYC}$ and the M-sequence time $t_{M\text{-}sequence}$. With reference to a port, it comprises the time between the end of the message of a Device and the beginning of the next message from the Master (port).

The idle time shall be long enough for the Device to become ready to receive the next message.

### A.3.9 Recovery time

The Master shall wait for a recovery time $t_{initcyc}$ between any two subsequent acyclic Device accesses while in the STARTUP or PREOPERATE phase (see A.2.6).

## A.4 Errors and remedies

### A.4.1 UART errors

#### A.4.1.1 Parity errors

The UART parity bit (see Figure 18) and the checksum (see A.1.6) are two independent mechanisms to secure the data transfer. This means that for example two bit errors in different octets of a message, which are resulting in the correct checksum, can also be detected. Both mechanisms lead to the same error processing.

Remedy: The Master shall repeat the Master message 2 times (see 7.2.2.1). Devices shall reject all data with detected errors and create no reaction.

#### A.4.1.2 UART framing errors

The conditions for the correct detection of a UART frame are specified in 5.3.3.2. Error processing shall take place whenever perturbed signal shapes or incorrect timings lead to an invalid UART stop bit.

Remedy: See A.4.1.1.

### A.4.2 Wake-up errors

The wake-up current pulse is specified in 5.3.3.3 and the wake-up procedures in 7.3.2.1. Several faults may occur during the attempts to establish communication.

Remedy: Retries are possible. See 7.3.2.1 for details.

### A.4.3 Transmission errors

#### A.4.3.1 Checksum errors

The checksum mechanism is specified in A.1.6. Any checksum error leads to an error processing.

Remedy: See A.4.1.1.

#### A.4.3.2 Timeout errors

The diverse timing constraints with M-sequences are specified in A.3. Master (ports) and Devices are checking several critical timings such as lack of synchronism within messages.

Remedy: See A.4.1.1.

#### A.4.3.3 Collisions

A collision occurs whenever the Master and Device are sending simultaneously due to an error. This error is interpreted as a faulty M-sequence.

Remedy: See A.4.1.1.

### A.4.4 Protocol errors

A protocol error occurs for example whenever the sequence of the segmented transmission of an ISDU is wrong (see flow control case in A.1.2).

Remedy: Abort of service with ErrorType information (see Annex C).

## A.5 General structure and encoding of ISDUs

### A.5.1 Overview

The purpose and general structure of an ISDU is specified in 7.3.6.1. Subclauses A.5.2 to A.5.7 provide a detailed description of the individual elements of an ISDU and some examples.

### A.5.2 I-Service

Figure A.17 shows the structure of the I-Service octet.


**Figure A.17 – I-Service octet**

**Bits 0 to 3: Length**
The encoding of the nibble Length of the ISDU is specified in Table A.14 .

**Bits 4 to 7: I-Service**

The encoding of the nibble I-Service of the ISDU is specified in Table A.12.

All other elements of the structure specified in 7.3.6.1 are transmitted as independent octets.

**Table A.12 – Definition of the nibble "I-Service"**

| I-Service (binary) | Definition | | Index format |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Master | Device | |
| 0000 | No Service | No Service | n/a |
| 0001 | Write Request | Reserved | 8-bit Index |
| 0010 | Write Request | Reserved | 8-bit Index and Subindex |
| 0011 | Write Request | Reserved | 16-bit Index and Subindex |
| 0100 | Reserved | Write Response (-) | none |
| 0101 | Reserved | Write Response (+) | none |
| 0110 | Reserved | Reserved | |
| 0111 | Reserved | Reserved | |
| 1000 | Reserved | Reserved | |
| 1001 | Read Request | Reserved | 8-bit Index |
| 1010 | Read Request | Reserved | 8-bit Index and Subindex |
| 1011 | Read Request | Reserved | 16-bit Index and Subindex |
| 1100 | Reserved | Read Response (-) | none |
| 1101 | Reserved | Read Response (+) | none |
| 1110 | Reserved | Reserved | |
| 1111 | Reserved | Reserved | |

Table A.13 specifies the syntax of the ISDUs. ErrorType can be found in Annex C.

**Table A.13 – ISDU syntax**

| ISDU name | ISDU structure |
|---|---|
| Write Request | {I-Service(0x1), LEN, Index, [Data*], CHKPDU} ^<br>{I-Service(0x2), LEN, Index, Subindex, [Data*], CHKPDU} ^<br>{I-Service(0x3), LEN, Index, Index, Subindex, [Data*], CHKPDU} |
| Write Response (+) | I-Service(0x5), Length(0x2), CHKPDU |
| Write Response (-) | I-Service(0x4), Length(0x4), ErrorType, CHKPDU |
| Read Request | {I-Service(0x9), Length(0x3), Index, CHKPDU} ^<br>{I-Service(0xA), Length(0x4), Index, Subindex, CHKPDU} ^<br>{I-Service(0xB), Length(0x5), Index, Index, Subindex, CHKPDU} |
| Read Response (+) | I-Service(0xD), LEN, [Data*], CHKPDU |
| Read Response (-) | I-Service(0xC), Length(0x4), ErrorType, CHKPDU |
| **Key**<br>LEN = {Length(0x1), ExtLength} ^ {Length} | |

### A.5.3 Extended length (ExtLength)

The number of octets transmitted in this I-Service, including all protocol information (6 octets), is specified in the “Length” element of an ISDU. If the total length is more than 15 octets, the

length is specified using extended length information ("ExtLength"). Permissible values for “Length” and "ExtLength" are listed in Table A.14.

**Table A.14 – Definition of nibble Length and octet ExtLength**

| I-Service | Length | ExtLength | Definition |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | n/a | No service, ISDU length is 1. Protocol use. |
| 0 | 1 | n/a | Device busy, ISDU length is 1. Protocol use. |
| 0 | 2 to 15 | n/a | Reserved and shall not be used |
| 1 to 15 | 0 | n/a | Reserved and shall not be used |
| 1 to 15 | 1 | 0 to 16 | Reserved and shall not be used |
| 1 to 15 | 1 | 17 to 238 | Length of ISDU in "ExtLength" |
| 1 to 15 | 1 | 239 to 255 | Reserved and shall not be used |
| 1 to 15 | 2 to 15 | n/a | Length of ISDU |

### A.5.4 Index and Subindex

The parameter address of the data object to be transmitted using the ISDU is specified in the “Index” element. “Index” has a range of values from 0 to 65535 (see B.2.1 for constraints). Index values 0 and 1 shall be rejected by the Device.

There is no requirement for the Device to support all Index and Subindex values. The Device shall send a negative response to Index or Subindex values not supported.

The data element address of a structured parameter of the data object to be transmitted using the ISDU is specified in the “Subindex” element. “Subindex” has a range of values from 0 to 255, whereby a value of "0" is used to reference the entire data object (see Figure 5).

Table A.15 lists the Index formats used in the ISDU depending on the parameters transmitted.

**Table A.15 – Use of Index formats**

| Index | Subindex | Index format of ISDU |
|---|---|---|
| 0 to 255 | 0 | 8 bit Index |
| 0 to 255 | 1 to 255 | 8 bit Index and 8 bit Subindex |
| 256 to 65535 | 0 to 255 | 16 bit Index and 8 bit Subindex (see NOTE) |
| NOTE See B.2.1 for constraints on the Index range | | |

### A.5.5 Data

The “Data” element can contain the data objects specified in Annex B or Device specific data objects respectively. The data length corresponds to the entries in the “Length” element minus the ISDU protocol elements.

### A.5.6 Check ISDU (CHKPDU)

The “CHKPDU” element provides data integrity protection. The sender calculates the value of "CHKPDU" by XOR processing all of the octets of an ISDU, including "CHKPDU" with a preliminary value "0", which is then replaced by the result of the calculation (see Figure A.18).

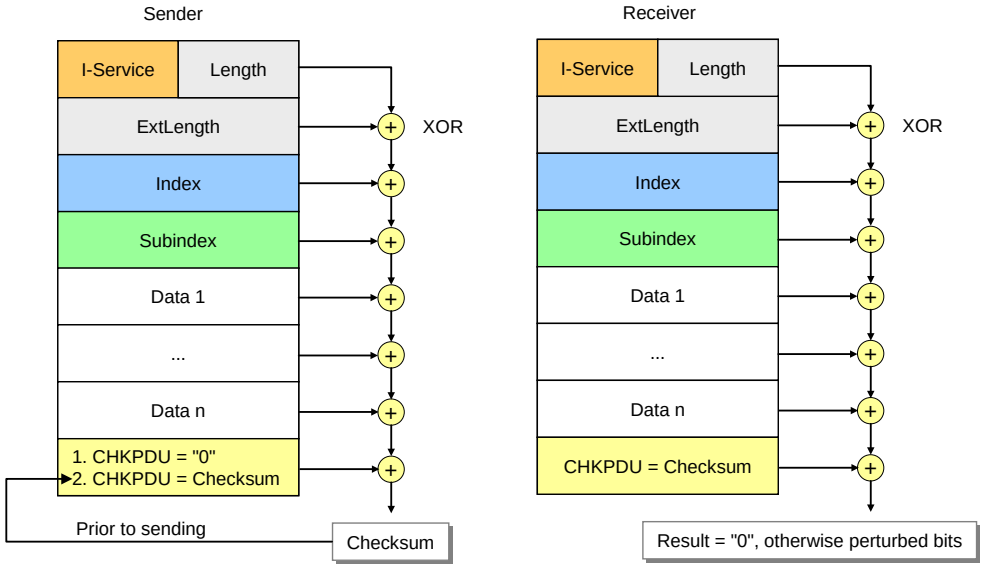
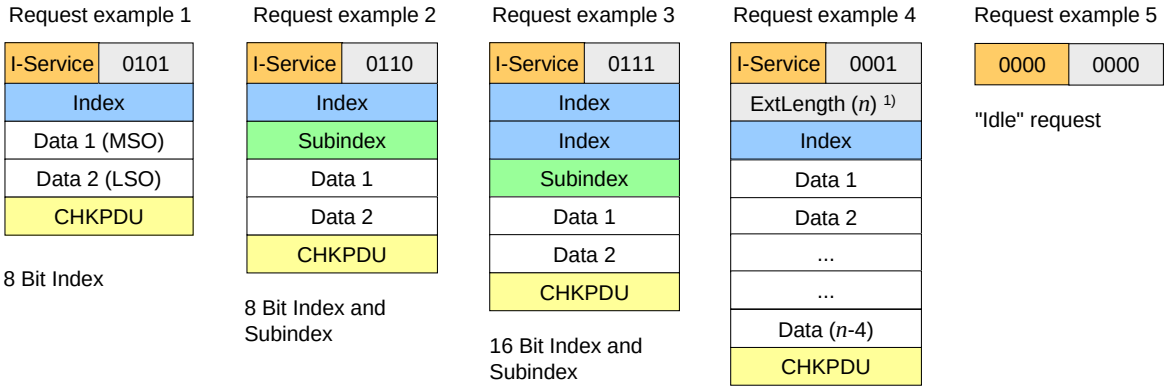



**Figure A.18 – Check of ISDU integrity via CHKPDU**

The receiver checks whether XOR processing of all of the octets of the ISDU will lead to the result "0" (see Figure A.18). If the result is different from "0", error processing shall take place. See also A.1.6.

### A.5.7 ISDU examples

Figure A.19 demonstrates typical examples of request formats for ISDUs, which are explained in the following paragraphs.




1) Overall ISDU ExtLength = *n* (1 to 238); Length = 1 ("0001")

**Figure A.19 – Examples of request formats for ISDUs**

The ISDU request in example 1 comprises one Index element allowing addressing from 0 to 254 (see Table A.15). In this example the Subindex is "0" and the whole content of Index is Data 1 with the most significant octet (MSO) and Data 2 with the least significant octet (LSO). The total length is 5 ("0101").

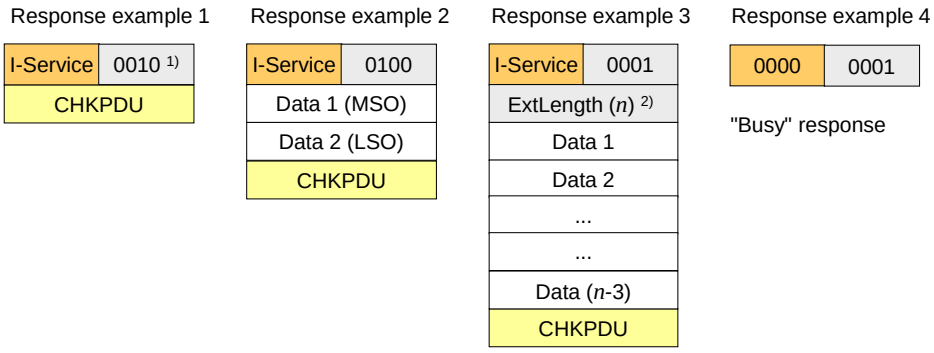
The ISDU request in example 2 comprises one Index element allowing addressing from 0 to 254 and the Subindex element allowing addressing an element of a data structure. The total length is 6 ("0110").

The ISDU request in example 3 comprises two Index elements allowing to address from 256 to 65535 (see Table A.15) and the Subindex element allowing to address an element of a data structure. The total length is 7 ("0111").

The ISDU request in example 4 comprises one Index element and the ExtLength element indicating the number of ISDU elements (*n*), permitting numbers from 17 to 238. In this case the Length element has the value "1".

The ISDU request "Idle" in example 5 is used to indicate that no service is pending.

Figure A.20 demonstrates typical examples of response ISDUs, which are explained in the following paragraphs.




1) Minimum length = 2 ("0010")
2) Overall ISDU ExtLength = *n* (17 to 238); Length = 1 ("0001")

**Figure A.20 – Examples of response ISDUs**

The ISDU response in example 1 shows the minimum value 2 for the Length element ("0010").

The ISDU response in example 2 shows two Data elements and a total number of 4 elements in the Length element ("0100"). Data 1 carries the most significant octet (MSO) and Data 2 the least significant octet (LSO).

The ISDU response in example 3 shows the ExtLength element indicating the number of ISDU elements (n), permitting numbers from 17 to 238. In this case the Length element has the value "1".

The ISDU response "Busy" in example 4 is used when a Device is currently not able to respond to the read request of the Master due to the necessary preparation time for the response.

Figure A.21 shows a typical example of both a read and a write request ISDU, which are explained in the following paragraphs.

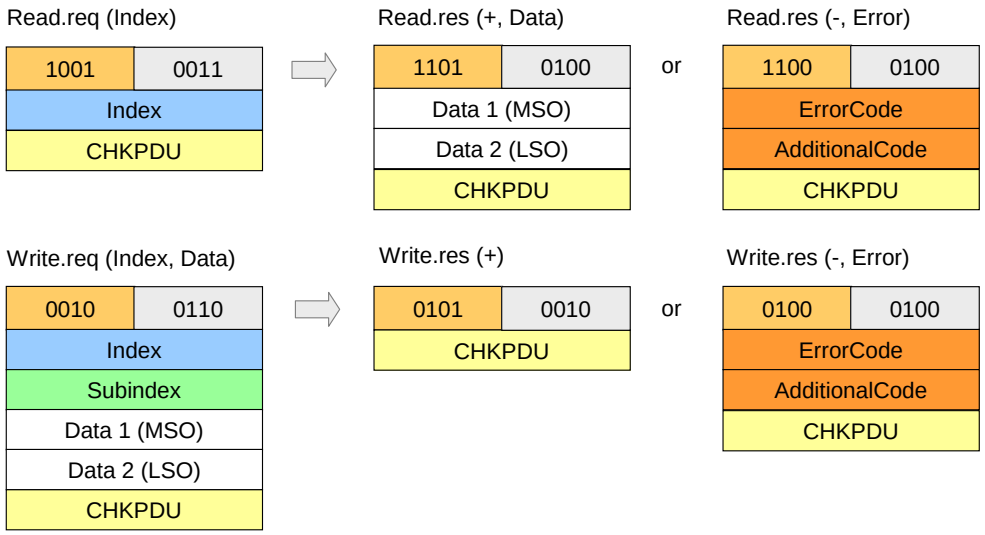



**Figure A.21 – Examples of read and write request ISDUs**

The code of the read request I-Service is "1001". According to Table A.13 this comprises an Index element. A successful read response (+) of the Device with code "1101" is shown next to the request with two Data elements. Total length is 4 ("0100"). An unsuccessful read response (-) of the Device with code "1100" is shown next in line. It carries the ErrorType with the two Data elements ErrorCode and AdditionalCode (see Annex C).

The code of the write request I-Service is "0010". According to Table A.13 this comprises an Index and a Subindex element. A successful write response (+) of the Device with code "0101" is shown next to the request with no Data elements. Total length is 2 ("0010"). An unsuccessful read response (-) of the Device with code "0100" is shown next in line. It carries the ErrorType with the two Data elements ErrorCode and AdditionalCode (see Annex C).

## A.6 General structure and encoding of Events

### A.6.1 General

In 7.3.8.1 and Table 56 the purpose and general structure of the Event memory is specified. This memory accommodates a StatusCode, several EventQualifiers and their associated EventCodes. The coding of these memory elements is specified in the subsequent sections.

### A.6.2 StatusCode type 1 (no details)

Figure A.22 shows the structure of this StatusCode.

NOTE 1 StatusCode type 1 is only used in Events generated by legacy devices (see 7.3.8.1).

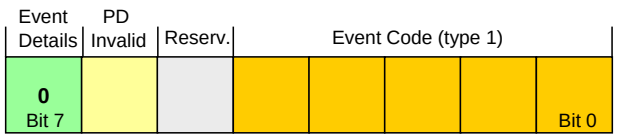



**Figure A.22 – Structure of StatusCode type 1**

**Bits 0 to 4: EventCode (type 1)**
The coding of this data structure is listed in Table A.16. The EventCodes are mapped into EventCodes (type 2) as listed in Annex D. See 7.3.8.2 for additional information.

**Table A.16 – Mapping of EventCodes (type 1)**

| EventCode (type 1) | EventCode (type2) | Instance | Type | Mode |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ****1 | 0xFF80 | Application | Notification | Event single shot |
| ***1* | 0xFF80 | Application | Warning | Event single shot |
| **1** | 0x6320 | Application | Error | Event single shot |
| *1*** | 0xFF80 | Application | Error | Event single shot |
| 1**** | 0xFF10 | Application | Error | Event single shot |
| **Key**<br>*  Don't care<br>type 2  See Table D.1 and Table D.2 | | | | |

**Bit 5: Reserved**
This bit is reserved and shall be set to zero in StatusCode type 1.

**Bit 6: Reserved**
NOTE 2 This bit is used in legacy protocol (see [8]) for PDinvalid indication.

**Bit 7: Event Details**
This bit indicates that no detailed Event information is available. It shall always be set to zero in StatusCode type 1.

### A.6.3 StatusCode type 2 (with details)

Figure A.23 shows the structure of the StatusCode type 2.

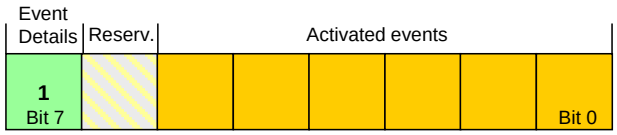



**Figure A.23 – Structure of StatusCode type 2**

**Bits 0 to 5: Activated Events**
Each bit is linked to an Event in the memory (see 7.3.8.1) as demonstrated in Figure A.24. Bit 0 is linked to Event 1, bit 1 to Event 2, etc. A bit with value "1" indicates that the corresponding EventQualifier and the EventCode have been entered in valid formats in the memory. A bit with value "0" indicates an invalid entry.

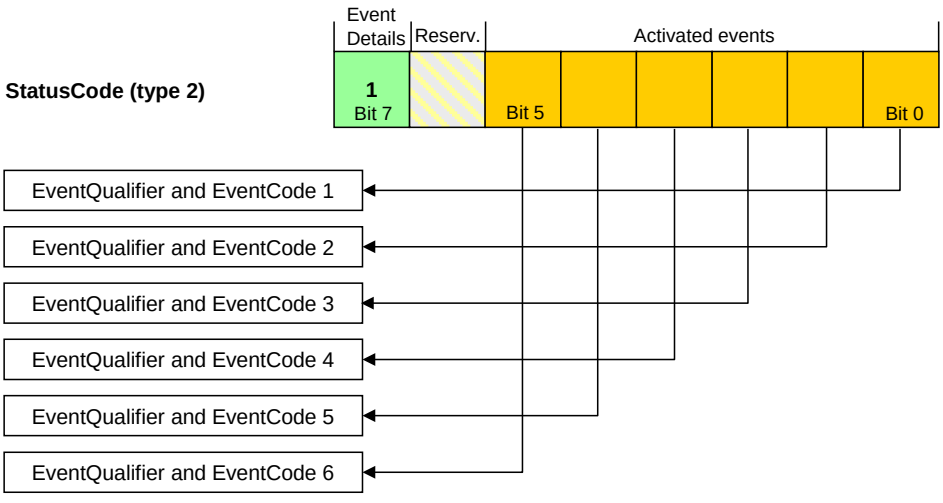



**Figure A.24 – Indication of activated Events**

**Bit 6: Reserved**
This bit is reserved and shall be set to zero.

NOTE This bit is used in the legacy protocol version according to [8] for PDinvalid indication

**Bit 7: Event Details**
This bit indicates that detailed Event information is available. It shall always be set in StatusCode type 2.

### A.6.4 EventQualifier

The structure of the EventQualifier is shown in Figure A.25.

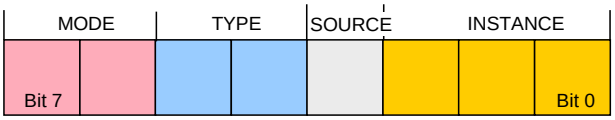



**Figure A.25 – Structure of the EventQualifier**

**Bits 0 to 2: INSTANCE**
These bits indicate the particular source (instance) of an Event thus refining its evaluation on the receiver side. Permissible values for INSTANCE are listed in Table A.17.

**Table A.17 – Values of INSTANCE**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | Unknown |
| 1 to 3 | Reserved |
| 4 | Application |
| 5 to 7 | Reserved |

**Bit 3: SOURCE**
This bit indicates the source of the Event. Permissible values for SOURCE are listed in Table A.18.

**Table A.18 – Values of SOURCE**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | Device (remote) |
| 1 | Master (local) |

**Bits 4 to 5: TYPE**
These bits indicate the Event category. Permissible values for TYPE are listed in Table A.19.

**Table A.19 – Values of TYPE**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | Reserved |
| 1 | Notification |
| 2 | Warning |
| 3 | Error |

**Bits 6 to 7: MODE**

These bits indicate the Event mode. Permissible values for MODE are listed in Table A.20.

**Table A.20 – Values of MODE**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | reserved |
| 1 | Event single shot |
| 2 | Event disappears |
| 3 | Event appears |

### A.6.5 EventCode

The EventCode entry contains the identifier of an actual Event. Permissible values for EventCode are listed in Annex D.

# Annex B
(normative)

# Parameter and commands

## B.1 Direct Parameter page 1 and 2

### B.1.1 Overview

In principle, the designer of a Device has a large amount of space for parameters and commands as shown in Figure 5. However, small sensors with a limited number of parameters and limited resources are striving for a simple subset. SDCI offers the so-called Direct Parameter pages 1 and 2 with a simplified access method (page communication channel according to Table A.1) to meet this requirement.

The range of Direct Parameters is structured as shown in Figure B.1. It is split into page 1 and page 2.

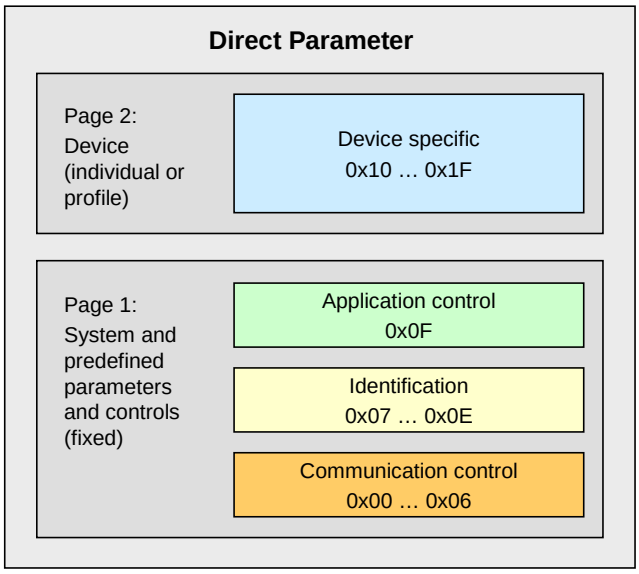



**Figure B.1 – Classification and mapping of Direct Parameters**

Page 1 ranges from 0x00 to 0x0F. It comprises the following categories of parameters:

- Communication control
- Identification parameter
- Application control

The Master application layer (AL) provides read only access to Direct Parameter page 1 as data objects (see 8.2.1) via Index 0. Single octets can be read via Index 0 and the corresponding Subindex. Subindex 1 indicates address 0x00 and Subindex 16 address 0x0F.

Page 2 ranges from 0x10 to 0x1F. This page comprises parameters optionally used by the individual Device technology. The Master application layer (AL) provides read/write access to Direct Parameter page 2 in form of data objects (see 8.2.1) via Index 1. Single octets can be written or read via Index 1 and the corresponding Subindex. Subindex 1 indicates address 0x10 and Subindex 16 address 0x1F.

A Device shall always return the value "0" upon a read access to Direct Parameter addresses, which are not implemented (for example in case of reserved parameter addresses or not

supported optional parameters). The Device shall ignore a write access to not implemented parameters.

The structure of the Direct Parameter pages 1 and 2 is specified in Table B.1.

**Table B.1 – Direct Parameter page 1 and 2**

| Address | Parameter name | Access | Implementation /reference | Description |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Direct Parameter page 1 | | | | |
| 0x00 | Master-Command | W | Mandatory/ see B.1.2 | Master command to switch to operating states (see NOTE 1) |
| 0x01 | MasterCycle-Time | R/W | Mandatory/ see B.1.3 | Actual cycle duration used by the Master to address the Device. Can be used as a parameter to monitor Process Data transfer. |
| 0x02 | MinCycleTime | R | Mandatory/ see B.1.3 | Minimum cycle duration supported by a Device. This is a performance feature of the Device and depends on its technology and implementation. |
| 0x03 | M-sequence Capability | R | Mandatory/ see B.1.4 | Information about implemented options related to M-sequences and physical configuration |
| 0x04 | RevisionID | R/W | Mandatory/ see B.1.5 | ID of the used protocol version for implementation (shall be set to 0x11) |
| 0x05 | ProcessDataIn | R | Mandatory/ see B.1.6 | Number and structure of input data (Process Data from Device to Master) |
| 0x06 | ProcessData-Out | R | Mandatory/ see B.1.7 | Number and structure of output data (Process Data from Master to Device) |
| 0x07 | VendorID 1 (MSB) | R | Mandatory/ see B.1.8 | Unique vendor identification (see NOTE 2) |
| 0x08 | VendorID 2 (LSB) | | | |
| 0x09 | DeviceID 1 (Octet 2, MSB) | R/W | Mandatory/ see B.1.9 | Unique Device identification allocated by a vendor |
| 0x0A | DeviceID 2 (Octet 1) | | | |
| 0x0B | DeviceID 3 (Octet 0, LSB) | | | |
| 0x0C | FunctionID 1 (MSB) | R | see B.1.10 | Reserved (Engineering shall set both octets to "0x00") |
| 0x0D | FunctionID 2 (LSB) | | | |
| 0x0E | | R | reserved | |
| 0x0F | System-Command | W | Optional/ see B.1.11 | Command interface for end user applications only and Devices without ISDU support (see NOTE) |
| Direct Parameter page 2 | | | | |
| 0x10... 0x1F | Vendor specific | Optional | Optional/ see B.1.12 | Device specific parameters |
| NOTE 1 A read operation returns unspecified values<br>NOTE 2 VendorIDs are assigned by the IO-Link community | | | | |

### B.1.2 MasterCommand

The Master application is able to check the status of a Device or to control its behaviour with the help of MasterCommands (see 7.3.7).

Permissible values for these parameters are specified in Table B.2.

**Table B.2 – Types of MasterCommands**

| Value | MasterCommand | Description |
|---|---|---|
| 0x00 to 0x59 | Reserved | |
| 0x5A | Fallback | Transition from communication to SIO mode. The Device shall execute this transition after 3 Master-CycleTimes and before 500 ms elapsed after the MasterCommand. |
| 0x5B to 0x94 | Reserved | |
| 0x95 | MasterIdent | Indicates a Master revision higher than 1.0 |
| 0x96 | DeviceIdent | Start check of Direct Parameter page for changed entries |
| 0x97 | DeviceStartup | Switches the Device from OPERATE or PREOPERATE to STARTUP |
| 0x98 | ProcessDataOutputOperate | Process output data valid |
| 0x99 | DeviceOperate | Process output data invalid or not available. Switches the Device from STARTUP or PREOPERATE to OPERATE |
| 0x9A | DevicePreoperate | Switches the Device from STARTUP to state PREOPERATE |
| 0x9B to 0xFF | Reserved | |

### B.1.3 MasterCycleTime and MinCycleTime

The MasterCycleTime is a Master parameter and sets up the actual cycle time of a particular port.

The MinCycleTime is a Device parameter to inform the Master about the shortest cycle time supported by this Device.

See A.3.7 for the application of the MasterCycleTime and the MinCycleTime. The structure of these two parameters is shown in Figure B.2.

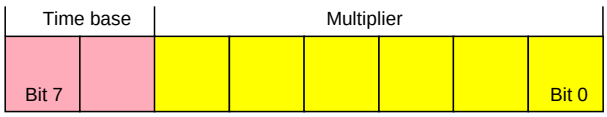



**Figure B.2 – MinCycleTime**

**Bits 0 to 5: Multiplier**

These bits contain a 6-bit multiplier for the calculation of MasterCycleTime or MinCycleTime. Permissible values for the multiplier are 0 to 63.

**Bits 6 to 7: Time Base**

These bits specify the time base for the calculation of MasterCycleTime or MinCycleTime.

When all bits are zero, (binary code 0x00), the Device has no MinCycleTime. In this case the Master shall use the calculated worst case M-sequence timing, that is with the M-sequence type used by the Device, and the maximum times for $t_A$ and $t_2$ (see A.3.4 to A.3.6).

The permissible combinations for time base and multiplier are listed in Table B.3 along with the resulting values for MasterCycleTime or MinCycleTime.

4155 **Table B.3 – Possible values of MasterCycleTime and MinCycleTime**

| Time base encoding | Time Base value | Calculation | Cycle Time |
|---|---|---|---|
| 00 | 0,1 ms | Multiplier × Time Base | 0,4 ms to 6,3 ms |
| 01 | 0,4 ms | 6,4 ms + Multiplier × Time Base | 6,4 ms to 31,6 ms |
| 10 | 1,6 ms | 32,0 ms + Multiplier × Time Base | 32,0 ms to 132,8 ms |
| 11 | Reserved | Reserved | Reserved |
| NOTE The value 0,4 results from the minimum possible transmission time according to A.3.7. | | | |

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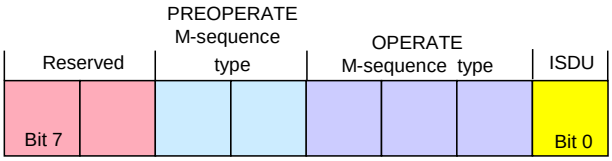
4157 ### B.1.4 M-sequence Capability

4158 The structure of the M-sequence Capability parameter is shown in Figure B.3.

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4160 **Figure B.3 – M-sequence Capability**

4161 **Bit 0: ISDU**

4162 This bit indicates whether or not the ISDU communication channel is supported. Permissible
4163 values for ISDU are listed in Table B.4.

4164 **Table B.4 – Values of ISDU**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | ISDU not supported |
| 1 | ISDU supported |

4165

4166 **Bits 1 to 3: Coding of the OPERATE M-sequence type**

4167 This parameter indicates the available M-sequence type during the OPERATE state.
4168 Permissible codes for the OPERATE M-sequence type are listed in Table A.9 for legacy
4169 Devices and in Table A.10 for Devices according to this standard.

4170 **Bits 4 to 5: Coding of the PREOPERATE M-sequence type**

4171 This parameter indicates the available M-sequence type during the PREOPERATE state.
4172 Permissible codes for the PREOPERATE M-sequence type are listed in Table A.8.

4173 **Bits 6 to 7: Reserved**

4174 These bits are reserved and shall be set to zero in this version of the specification.

4175 ### B.1.5 RevisionID (RID)

4176 The RevisionID parameter is the two-digit version number of the SDCI protocol currently used
4177 within the Device. Its structure is shown in Figure B.4. The initial value of RevisionID at
4178 powerup is the inherent value for protocol RevisionID. It can be overwritten (see 10.6.3) until
4179 the next powerup.

This revision of the standard specifies protocol version 1.1.

NOTE The legacy protocol version 1.0 is specified in [8].


**Figure B.4 – RevisionID**

**Bits 0 to 3: MinorRev**

These bits contain the minor digit of the version number, for example 0 for the protocol version 1.0. Permissible values for MinorRev are 0x0 to 0xF.

**Bits 4 to 7: MajorRev**

These bits contain the major digit of the version number, for example 1 for the protocol version 1.0. Permissible values for MajorRev are 0x0 to 0xF.

### B.1.6 ProcessDataIn

The structure of the ProcessDataIn parameter is shown in Figure B.5.

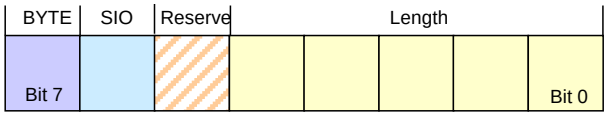


**Figure B.5 – ProcessDataIn**

**Bits 0 to 4: Length**

These bits contain the length of the input data (Process Data from Device to Master) in the length unit designated in the BYTE parameter bit. Permissible codes for Length are specified in Table B.6.

**Bit 5: Reserve**

This bit is reserved and shall be set to zero in this version of the specification.

**Bit 6: SIO**

This bit indicates whether the Device provides a switching signal in SIO mode. Permissible values for SIO are listed in Table B.5.

**Table B.5 – Values of SIO**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | SIO mode not supported |
| 1 | SIO mode supported |

**Bit 7: BYTE**

This bit indicates the length unit for Length. Permissible values for BYTE and the resulting definition of the Process Data length in conjunction with Length are listed in Table B.6.

**Table B.6 – Permitted combinations of BYTE and Length**

| BYTE | Length | Definition |
|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | no Process Data |

| BYTE | Length | Definition |
|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 1 bit Process Data, structured in bits |
| 0 | *n* (2-15) | *n* bit Process Data, structured in bits |
| 0 | 16 | 16 bit Process Data, structured in bits |
| 0 | 17 to 31 | Reserved |
| 1 | 0, 1 | Reserved |
| 1 | 2 | 3 octets Process Data, structured in octets |
| 1 | *n* (3-30) | *n*+1 octets Process Data, structured in octets |
| 1 | 31 | 32 octets Process Data, structured in octets |

### B.1.7 ProcessDataOut

The structure of the ProcessDataOut parameter is the same as with ProcessDataIn, except with bit 6 ("SIO") reserved.

### B.1.8 VendorID (VID)

These octets contain a worldwide unique value per vendor.

NOTE VendorIDs are assigned by the IO-Link community.

### B.1.9 DeviceID (DID)

These octets contain the currently used DeviceID. A value of "0" is not permitted. The initial value of DeviceID at powerup is the inherent value of DeviceID. It can be overwritten (see 10.6.2) until the next powerup.

NOTE The communication parameters MinCycleTime, M-sequence Capability, Process Data In and Process Data Out can be changed to achieve compatibility to the requested DeviceID.

### B.1.10 FunctionID (FID)

This parameter will be defined in a later version.

### B.1.11 SystemCommand

Only Devices without ISDU support shall use the parameter SystemCommand in the Direct Parameter page 1. The implementation of SystemCommand is optional. See Table B.9 for a detailed description of the SystemCommand functions.

NOTE The SystemCommand on the Direct Parameter page 1 does not provide a positive or negative response upon execution of a selected function

### B.1.12 Device specific Direct Parameter page 2

The Device specific Direct Parameters are a set of parameters available to the Device specific technology. The implementation of Device specific Direct Parameters is optional.

NOTE The complete parameter list of the Direct Parameter page 2 is read or write accessible via index 1 (see B.1.1).

## B.2 Predefined Device parameters

### B.2.1 Overview

The many different technologies and designs of sensors and actuators require individual and easy access to complex parameters and commands beyond the capabilities of the Direct

Parameter page 2. From a Master's point of view, these complex parameters and commands are called application data objects. So-called ISDU "containers" are the transfer means to exchange application data objects or short data objects. The index of the ISDU is used to address the data objects. Figure B.6 shows the general mapping of data objects for the ISDU transmission.

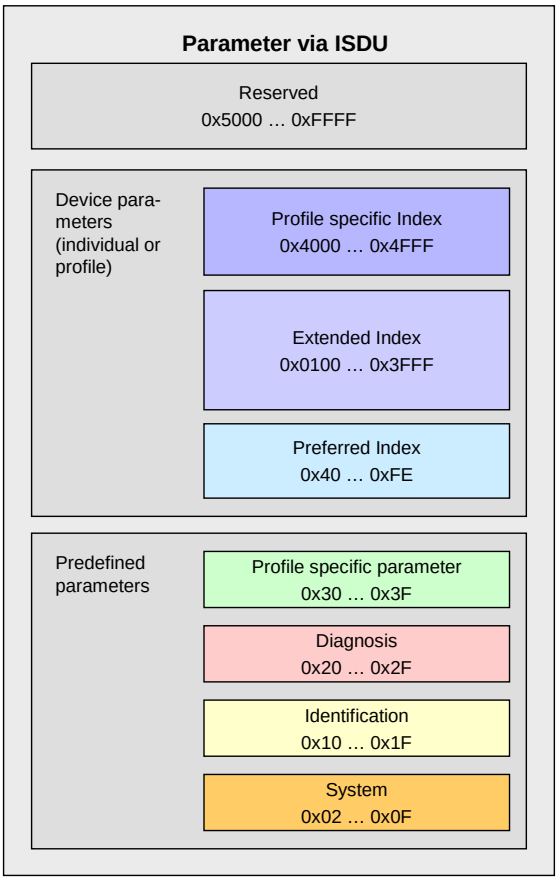


**Figure B.6 – Index space for ISDU data objects**

Subclause B.2 contains definitions and requirements for the implementation of technology specific Device applications. Implementation rules for parameters and commands are specified in Table B.7.

**Table B.7 – Implementation rules for parameters and commands**

| Rule number | Rule specification |
|---|---|
| 1 | All parameters of an Index shall be readable and/or writeable as an entire data object via Subindex 0 |
| 2 | The technology specific device application shall resolve inconsistencies of dependent parameter sets during parameterization |
| 3 | The duration of an ISDU service request is limited (see Table 97). A master application can abort ISDU services after this timeout |
| 4 | Application commands (for example teach-in, reset to factory settings, etc.) are treated like parameters. The initiated execution of an application command is confirmed with a positive service response – Write.res(+). A negative service response – Write.res(-) – shall indicate that the execution of the application command failed. In both cases the timeout limit shall be considered (see Table 97) |

Table B.8 specifies the assignment of data objects (parameters and commands) to the Index range of ISDUs. All indices above 2 are ISDU related.

4253 **Table B.8 – Index assignment of data objects (Device parameter)**

| Index (dec) | Object name | Access | Length | Data type | M/O/C | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0x0000 (0) | Direct Parameter Page 1 | R | | RecordT | M | Redirected to the page communication channel, see 10.7.5 |
| 0x0001 (1) | Direct Parameter Page 2 | R/W | | RecordT | M | Redirected to the page communication channel, see 10.7.5 |
| 0x0002 (2) | System-Command | W | 1 octet | UIntegerT | M/O | Command Code Definition (See B.2.2) |
| 0x0003 (3) | Data Storage Index | R/W | variable | RecordT | M | Set of data objects for storage (See B.2.3) |
| 0x0004-0x000B (4-11) | Reserved | | | | | Reserved for exceptional operations |
| 0x000C (12) | Device Access Locks | R/W | 2 octets | RecordT | C | Standardized Device locking functions (See B.2.4) |
| 0x000D (13) | Profile Charac-teristic | R | variable | ArrayT of UIntegerT16 | O | Profile characteristic (see B.2.5) |
| 0x000E (14) | PDInput Descriptor | R | variable | ArrayT of OctetStringT3 | O | Reserved for Device profile (see B.2.6) |
| 0x000F (15) | PDOutput Descriptor | R | variable | ArrayT of OctetStringT3 | O | Reserved for Device profile (see B.2.7) |
| 0x0010 (16) | Vendor Name | R | max. 64 octets | StringT | M | Informative (See B.2.8) |
| 0x0011 (17) | Vendor Text | R | max. 64 octets | StringT | O | Additional vendor information (See B.2.9) |
| 0x0012 (18) | Product Name | R | max. 64 octets | StringT | M | Detailed product or type name (See B.2.10) |
| 0x0013 (19) | Product ID | R | max. 64 octets | StringT | O | Product or type identification (See B.2.11 for details) |
| 0x0014 (20) | Product Text | R | max. 64 octets | StringT | O | Description of Device function or characteristic (See B.2.12) |
| 0x0015 (21) | Serial-Number | R | max. 16 octets | StringT | O | Vendor specific serial number (See B.2.13) |
| 0x0016 (22) | Hardware Revision | R | max. 64 octets | StringT | O | Vendor specific format (See B.2.14) |
| 0x0017 (23) | Firmware Revision | R | max. 64 octets | StringT | O | Vendor specific format (See B.2.15) |
| 0x0018 (24) | Application Specific Tag | R/W | Min. 16, max. 32 octets | StringT | O | Tag location or tag function defined by user (See B.2.16) |
| 0x0019-0x001F (25-31) | Reserved | | | | | |
| 0x0020 (32) | Error Count | R | 2 octets | UIntegerT | O | Errors since power-on or reset (See B.2.17) |
| 0x0021-0x0023 (33-35) | Reserved | | | | | |
| 0x0024 (36) | Device Status | R | 1 octet | UIntegerT | O | Contains current status of the Device (See B.2.18) |
| 0x0025 (37) | Detailed Device Status | R | variable | ArrayT of OctetStringT3 | O | See B.2.19 |

| Index (dec) | Object name | Access | Length | Data type | M/O/C | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0x0026-0x0027 (38-39) | Reserved | | | | | |
| 0x0028 (40) | Process-DataInput | R | PD length | Device specific | O | Read last valid Process Data from PDin channel (See B.2.19) |
| 0x0029 (41) | Process-DataOutput | R | PD length | Device specific | O | Read last valid Process Data from PDout channel (See B.2.21) |
| 0x002-0x002F (42-47) | Reserved | | | | | |
| 0x0030 (48) | Offset Time | R/W | 1 octet | RecordT | O | Synchronization of Device application timing to M-sequence timing (See B.2.22) |
| 0x0031-0x003F (49-63) | Reserved for profiles | | | | | |
| 0x0040-0x00FE (64-254) | Preferred Index | | | | | Device specific (8 bit) |
| 0x00FF (255) | Reserved | | | | | |
| 0x0100-0x3FFF (256-16383) | Extended Index | | | | | Device specific (16 bit) |
| 0x4000-0x4FFF (16384-20479) | Profile specific Index | | | | | Reserved for Device profile |
| 0x5000-0xFFFF (20480-65535) | Reserved | | | | | |
| Key M = mandatory; O = optional; C = conditional | | | | | | |

### B.2.2 SystemCommand

Devices with ISDU support shall use the ISDU Index 0x0002 to receive the SystemCommand. The commands shall be acknowledged. A positive acknowledge indicates the complete and correct finalization of the requested command. A negative acknowledge indicates the command cannot be realized or ended up with an error. A SystemCommand shall be executed within less than 5 s to fulfil the ISDU timing requirements (see Table 97).

Implementation of the SystemCommand feature is mandatory for Masters and optional for Devices. The coding of SystemCommand is specified in Table B.9.

**Table B.9 – Coding of SystemCommand (ISDU)**

| Command (hex) | Command (dec) | Command name | M/O | Definition |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0x00 | 0 | Reserved | | |
| 0x01 | 1 | ParamUploadStart | O | Start parameter upload |
| 0x02 | 2 | ParamUploadEnd | O | Stop parameter upload |
| 0x03 | 3 | ParamDownloadStart | O | Start parameter download |
| 0x04 | 4 | ParamDownloadEnd | O | Stop parameter download |
| 0x05 | 5 | ParamDownloadStore | O | Finalize parameterization and start Data Storage |

| Command (hex) | Command (dec) | Command name | M/O | Definition |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0x06 | 6 | ParamBreak | O | Cancel all Param commands |
| 0x07 to 0x3F | 7 to 63 | Reserved | | |
| 0x40 to 0x7F | 64 to 127 | Reserved for profiles | | |
| 0x80 | 128 | Device reset | O | |
| 0x81 | 129 | Application reset | O | |
| 0x82 | 130 | Restore factory settings | O | |
| 0x83 to 0x9F | 131 to 159 | Reserved | | |
| 0xA0 to 0xFF | 160 to 255 | Vendor specific | | |
| NOTE See 10.3<br>**Key** M = mandatory; O = optional | | | | |

The SystemCommand 0x05 (ParamDownloadStore) shall be implemented according to 10.4.2, whenever the Device provides parameters to be stored via the Data Storage mechanism, i.e. parameter "Index_List" in Index 0x0003 is not empty (see Table B.10).

The implementation of the SystemCommands 0x01 to 0x06 required for block parameterization according to 10.3.5 is optional. However, all of these commands or none of them shall be implemented (for SystemCommand 0x05 the rule for Data Storage dominates).

See B.1.11 for SystemCommand options on the Direct Parameter page 1.

### B.2.3 Data Storage Index

Table B.10 specifies the Data Storage Index assignments.

**Table B.10 – Data Storage Index assignments**

| Index | Subindex | Access | Parameter Name | Coding | Data type |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0x0003 | 01 | R/W | DS_Command | 0x00: Reserved<br>0x01: DS_UploadStart<br>0x02: DS_UploadEnd<br>0x03: DS_DownloadStart<br>0x04: DS_DownloadEnd<br>0x05: DS_Break<br>0x06 to 0xFF: Reserved | UIntegerT8 (8 bit) |
| | 02 | R | State_Property | Bit 0: Reserved<br>Bit 1 and 2: State of Data Storage<br>0b00: Inactive<br>0b01: Upload<br>0b10: Download<br>0b11: Data Storage locked<br>Bit 3 to 6: Reserved<br>Bit 7: DS_UPLOAD_FLAG<br>"1": DS_UPLOAD_REQ pending<br>"0": no DS_UPLOAD_REQ | UIntegerT8 (8 bit) |
| | 03 | R | Data_Storage_ Size | Number of octets for storing all the necessary information for the Device replacement (see 10.4.5). Maximum size is 2 048 octets. | UIntegerT32 (32 bit) |
| | 04 | R | Parameter_ Checksum | Parameter set revision indication: CRC signature or Revision Counter (see 10.4.8) | UIntegerT32 (32 bit) |
| | 05 | R | Index_List | List of parameter indices to be saved (see Table B.11) | OctetStringT (variable) |

The parameter Data Storage Index 0x0003 contains all the information to be used for the Data Storage handling. This parameter is reserved for private exchanges between the Master and the Device; the Master shall block any access request from a gateway application to this Index (see Figure 4). The parameters within this Index 0x0003 are specified as follows.

**DS_Command**

This octet carries the Data Storage commands for the Device.

**State_Property**

This octet indicates the current status of the Data Storage mechanism. Bit 7 shall be stored in non-volatile memory. The Master checks this bit at start-up and performs a parameter upload if requested.

**Data_Storage_Size**

These four octets provide the requested memory size as number of octets for storing all the information required for the replacement of a Device including the structural information (Index, Subindex). Data type is UIntegerT32 (32 bit). The maximum size is 2 048 octets. See Table F.1 for the elements to be taken into account in the size calculation.

**Parameter_Checksum**

This checksum is used to detect changes in the parameter set without reading all parameters. The value of the checksum is calculated according to the procedure in 10.4.8. The Device shall change the checksum whenever a parameter out of the parameter set has been altered. Different parameter sets shall hold different checksums. It is recommended that the Device stores this parameter locally in non-volatile memory.

**Index_List**

Table B.11 specifies the structure of the Index_List. Each Index_List can carry up to 70 entries (see Table 97).

**Table B.11 – Structure of Index_List**

| Entry | Address | Definition | Data type |
|---|---|---|---|
| X1 | Index | Index of first parameter to be saved | Unsigned16 |
| | Subindex | Subindex of first parameter to be saved | Unsigned8 |
| X2 | Index | Index of next parameter to be saved | Unsigned16 |
| | Subindex | Subindex of next parameter to be saved | Unsigned8 |
| ….. | …… | …… | ……. |
| Xn | Index | Index of last parameter to be saved | Unsigned16 |
| | Subindex | Subindex of last parameter to be saved | Unsigned8 |
| Xn+1 | Index | Termination_Marker<br>0x0000: End of Index_List<br>>0x0000: Next Index containing an Index_List | Unsigned16 |

Large sets of parameters can be handled via concatenated Index_Lists. The last two octets of the Index_List shall carry the Termination Marker. A value "0" indicates the end of the Index List. In case of concatenation the Termination Marker is set to the next Index containing an Index List. The structure of the following Index List is the same as specified in Table B.11. Thus, the concatenation of lists ends if a Termination Marker with the value "0" is found.

### B.2.4 Device Access Locks

The parameter Device Access Locks allows control of the Device behaviour. Standardized Device functions can independently be configured via defined flags in this parameter. The Device Access Locks configuration can be changed by overwriting the parameter. The actual

configuration setting is available per read access to this parameter. The data type is RecordT of BooleanT. Access is only permitted via Subindex 0. This parameter is optional. If implemented it shall be non-volatile.

The following Device access lock categories are specified.

- Parameter write access (optional)
- Data Storage (mandatory if the Device supports Data Storage)
- Local parameterization (optional)
- Local user interface operation (optional)

Table B.12 lists the Device locking possibilities.

**Table B.12 – Device locking possibilities**

| Bit | Category | Definition |
|---|---|---|
| 0 | Parameter (write) access (optional) | 0: unlocked (default)<br>1: locked |
| 1 | Data Storage (mandatory if the Device supports Data Storage) | 0: unlocked (default)<br>1: locked (see NOTE) |
| 2 | Local parameterization (optional) | 0: unlocked (default)<br>1: locked |
| 3 | Local user interface (optional) | 0: unlocked (default)<br>1: locked |
| 4 – 15 | Reserved | |
| NOTE The Master reads the parameter State_Property/State of Data Storage (see Table B.10) prior to any actions | | |

**Parameter (write) access:**

If this bit is set, write access to all Device parameters over the SDCI communication interface is inhibited for all read/write parameters of the Device except the parameter Device Access Locks. Read access is not affected. The Device shall respond with the negative service response – access denied – to a write access, if the parameter access is locked.

The parameter (write) access lock mechanism shall not block downloads of the Data Storage mechanism (between DS_DownloadStart and DS_DownloadEnd or DS_Break).

**Data Storage:**

If this bit is set in the Device, the Data Storage mechanism is disabled (see 10.4.2 and 11.3.3). In this case, the Device shall respond to a write access (within its Data Storage Index) with a negative service response – access denied – (see B.2.3). Read access to its Data Storage Index is not affected.

This setting is also indicated in the State Property within Data Storage Index.

**Local parameterization:**

If this bit is set, the parameterization via local control elements on the Device is inhibited.

**Local user interface:**

If this bit is set, operation of the human machine interface on the Device is disabled.

### B.2.5 Profile Characteristic

This parameter contains the list of ProfileIdentifiers (PID's) corresponding to the Device Profile implemented in the Device.

NOTE Details are provided in [7].

### B.2.6 PD Input Descriptor

This parameter contains the description of the data structure of the process input data for a profile Device.

NOTE Details are provided in [7].

### B.2.7 PD Output Descriptor

This parameter contains the description of the data structure of the process output data for a profile Device.

NOTE Details are provided in [7].

### B.2.8 Vendor Name

The parameter Vendor Name contains only one of the vendor names listed for the assigned VendorID. The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is StringT with a maximum fixedLength of 64. This parameter is mandatory.

NOTE The list of vendor names associated with a given VendorID is maintained by the IO-Link community.

### B.2.9 Vendor Text

The parameter Vendor Text contains additional information about the vendor. The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is StringT with a maximum fixedLength of 64. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.10 Product Name

The parameter Product Name contains the complete product name. The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is StringT with a maximum fixedLength of 64. This parameter is mandatory.

NOTE The corresponding entry in the IODD Device variant list is expected to match this parameter.

### B.2.11 Product ID

The parameter Product ID shall contain the vendor specific product or type identification of the Device. The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is StringT with a maximum fixedLength of 64. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.12 Product Text

The parameter Product Text shall contain additional product information for the Device, such as product category (for example Photoelectric Background Suppression, Ultrasonic Distance Sensor, Pressure Sensor, etc.). The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is StringT with a maximum fixedLength of 64. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.13 SerialNumber

The parameter SerialNumber shall contain a unique vendor specific code for each individual Device. The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is StringT with a maximum fixedLength of 16. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.14 Hardware Revision

The parameter Hardware Revision shall contain a vendor specific coding for the hardware revision of the Device. The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is StringT with a maximum fixedLength of 64. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.15 Firmware Revision

The parameter Firmware Revision shall contain a vendor specific coding for the firmware revision of the Device. The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is StringT with a maximum fixedLength of 64. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.16 Application Specific Tag

The parameter Application Specific Tag shall be provided as read/write data object for the user application. It can serve as a "tag function" (role of the Device) or a "tag location" (location of the Device). The data type is StringT with a minimum fixedLength of 16 and a maximum fixedLength of 32. As default it is recommended to fill this parameter with "***". This parameter is optional.

NOTE In process automation usually this length is 32 octets.

### B.2.17 Error Count

The parameter Error Count provides information on errors occurred in the Device application since power-on or reset. Usage of this parameter is vendor or Device specific. The data type is UIntegerT with a bitLength of 16. The parameter is a read-only data object. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.18 Device Status

#### B.2.18.1 Overview

The parameter Device Status shall provide information about the Device condition (diagnosis) by the Device's technology. The data type is UIntegerT with a bitLength of 8. The parameter is a read-only data object. This parameter is optional.

The following Device conditions in Table B.13 are specified. They shall be generated by the Device applications. The parameter Device Status can be read by any PLC program or tools such as Asset Management (see Clause 11).

Table B.13 lists the different Device Status information. The criteria for these indications are specified in subclauses B.2.18.2 through B.2.18.5.

**Table B.13 – Device status parameter**

| Value | Definition |
|---|---|
| 0 | Device is operating properly |
| 1 | Maintenance-Required (see B.2.18.2) |
| 2 | Out-of-Specification (see B.2.18.3) |
| 3 | Functional-Check (see B.2.18.4) |
| 4 | Failure (see B.2.18.5) |
| 5 – 255 | Reserved |

#### B.2.18.2 Maintenance-required

Although the Process Data are valid, internal diagnostics indicate that the Device is close to loose its ability of correct functioning.

EXAMPLES Optical lenses getting dusty, build-up of deposits, lubricant level low.

#### B.2.18.3 Out-of-Specification

Although the Process Data are valid, internal diagnostics indicate that the Device is operating outside its specified measuring range or environmental conditions.

EXAMPLES Power supply, auxiliary energy, temperature, pneumatic pressure, magnetic interference, vibrations, acceleration, interfering light, bubble formation in liquids.

#### B.2.18.4 Functional-Check

Process Data are temporarily invalid due to intended manipulations on the Device.

EXAMPLES Calibrations, teach-in, position adjustments, simulation.

#### B.2.18.5 Failure

Process Data invalid due to malfunction in the Device or its peripherals. The Device is unable to perform its intended function.

### B.2.19 Detailed Device Status

The parameter Detailed Device Status shall provide information about currently pending Events in the Device. Events of TYPE "Error" or "Warning" and MODE "Event appears" (see A.6.4) shall be entered into the list of Detailed Device Status with EventQualifier and EventCode. Upon occurrence of an Event with MODE "Event disappears", the corresponding entry in Detailed Device Status shall be set to EventQualifier "0x00" and EventCode "0x0000". This way this parameter always provides the current diagnosis status of the Device. The parameter is a read-only data object. The data type is ArrayT with a maximum number of 64 array elements (Event entries). The number of array elements of this parameter is Device specific. Upon power-off or reset of the Device the contents of all array elements is set to initial settings – EventQualifier "0x00", EventCode "0x0000". This parameter is optional.

Table B.14 specifies the structure of the parameter Detailed Device Status.

**Table B.14 – Detailed Device Status (Index 0x0025)**

| Sub-index | Object name | Data Type | Comment |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Error_Warning_1 | 3 octets | All octets 0x00: no Error/ Warning<br>Octet 1: EventQualifier<br>Octet 2,3: EventCode |
| 2 | Error_Warning_2 | 3 octets | |
| 3 | Error_Warning_3 | 3 octets | |
| 4 | Error_Warning_4 | 3 octets | |
| … | | | |
| *n* | Error_Warning_n | 3 octets | |

The designer may choose the implementation of a static list, i.e. one fix array position for each Event with a specific EventCode, or a dynamic list, i.e. each Event entry is stored into the next free array position. Subindex access is not permitted for a dynamic list.

### B.2.20 ProcessDataInput

The parameter ProcessDataInput shall provide the last valid process input data from the Device application. The data type and structure is identical to the Process Data In transferred in the process communication channel. The parameter is a read-only data object. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.21 ProcessDataOutput

The parameter ProcessDataOutput shall provide the last valid process output data written to the Device application. The data type and structure is identical to the Process Data Out transferred in the process communication channel. The parameter is a read-only data object. This parameter is optional.

### B.2.22 Offset Time

The parameter Offset Time allows a Device application to synchronize on M-sequence cycles of the data link layer via adjustable offset times. The data type is RecordT. Access is only possible via Subindex 0. The parameter is a read/write data object. This parameter is optional.

The structure of the parameter Offset Time is shown in Figure B.7:

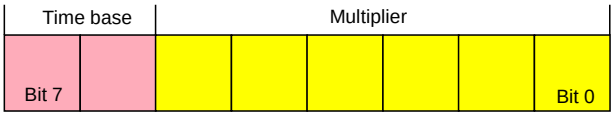


**Figure B.7 – Structure of the Offset Time**

**Bits 0 to 5: Multiplier**

These bits contain a 6-bit factor for the calculation of the Offset Time. Permissible values for the multiplier are 0 to 63.

**Bits 6 to 7: Time Base**

These bits contain the time base for the calculation of the Offset Time.

The permissible combinations for Time Base and Multiplier are listed in Table B.15 along with the resulting values for Offset Time. Setting both Multiplier and Time Base to zero deactivates synchronization with the help of an Offset Time. The value of Offset Time shall not exceed the MasterCycleTime (see B.1.3)

**Table B.15 – Time base coding and values of Offset Time**

| Time base encoding | Time Base value | Calculation | Offset Time |
|---|---|---|---|
| 00 | 0,01 ms | Multiplier × Time Base | 0,01 ms to 0,63 ms |
| 01 | 0,04 ms | 0,64 ms + Multiplier × Time Base | 0,64 ms to 3,16 ms |
| 10 | 0,64 ms | 3,20 ms + Multiplier × Time Base | 3,20 ms to 43,52 ms |
| 11 | 2,56 ms | 44,16 ms + Multiplier × Time Base | 44,16 ms to 126,08 ms |

### B.2.23 Profile Parameter (reserved)

Indices 0x0031 to 0x003F are reserved for Device profiles.

NOTE Details are provided in [7].

### B.2.24 Preferred Index

Preferred Indices (0x0040 to 0x00FE) can be used for vendor specific Device functions. This range of indices is considered preferred due to lower protocol overhead within the ISDU and

thus higher data throughput for small data objects as compared to the Extended Index (see B.2.25).

### B.2.25 Extended Index

Extended Indices (0x0100 to 0x3FFF) can be used for vendor specific Device functions.

### B.2.26 Profile specific Index (reserved)

Indices 0x4000 to 0x4FFF are reserved for Device profiles.

NOTE Details are provided in [7].

# Annex C
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# ErrorTypes (ISDU errors)

## C.1 General

An ErrorType is used within negative service confirmations of ISDUs (see A.5.2 and Table A.13). It indicates the cause of a negative confirmation of a Read or Write service. The origin of the error may be located in the Master (local) or in the Device (remote).

The ErrorType consists of two octets, the main error cause and more specific information:

- ErrorCode (high order octet)
- AdditionalCode (low order octet)

The ErrorType represents information about the incident, the origin and the instance. The permissible ErrorTypes and the criteria for their deployment are listed in C.2 and C.3. All other ErrorType values are reserved and shall not be used.

## C.2 Application related ErrorTypes

### C.2.1 Overview

The permissible ErrorTypes resulting from the Device application are listed in Table C.1.

**Table C.1 – ErrorTypes**

| Incident | Error Code | Additional Code | Name | Definition |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Device application error – no details | 0x80 | 0x00 | APP_DEV | See C.2.2 |
| Index not available | 0x80 | 0x11 | IDX_NOTAVAIL | See C.2.3 |
| Subindex not available | 0x80 | 0x12 | SUBIDX_NOTAVAIL | See C.2.4 |
| Service temporarily not available | 0x80 | 0x20 | SERV_NOTAVAIL | See C.2.5 |
| Service temporarily not available – local control | 0x80 | 0x21 | SERV_NOTAVAIL_LOCCTRL | See C.2.6 |
| Service temporarily not available – Device control | 0x80 | 0x22 | SERV_NOTAVAIL_DEVCTRL | See C.2.7 |
| Access denied | 0x80 | 0x23 | IDX_NOT_WRITEABLE | See C.2.8 |
| Parameter value out of range | 0x80 | 0x30 | PAR_VALOUTOFRNG | See C.2.9 |
| Parameter value above limit | 0x80 | 0x31 | PAR_VALGTLIM | See C.2.10 |
| Parameter value below limit | 0x80 | 0x32 | PAR_VALLTLIM | See C.2.11 |
| Parameter length overrun | 0x80 | 0x33 | VAL_LENOVRRUN | See C.2.12 |

| Incident | Error Code | Additional Code | Name | Definition |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Parameter length underrun | 0x80 | 0x34 | VAL_LENUNDRUN | See C.2.13 |
| Function not available | 0x80 | 0x35 | FUNC_NOTAVAIL | See C.2.14 |
| Function temporarily unavailable | 0x80 | 0x36 | FUNC_UNAVAILTEMP | See C.2.15 |
| Invalid parameter set | 0x80 | 0x40 | PAR_SETINVALID | See C.2.16 |
| Inconsistent parameter set | 0x80 | 0x41 | PAR_SETINCONSIST | See C.2.17 |
| Application not ready | 0x80 | 0x82 | APP_DEVNOTRDY | See C.2.18 |
| Vendor specific | 0x81 | 0x00 | UNSPECIFIC | See C.2.19 |
| Vendor specific | 0x81 | 0x01 to 0xFF | VENDOR_SPECIFIC | See C.2.19 |

### C.2.2 Device application error – no details

This ErrorType shall be used if the requested service has been refused by the Device application and no detailed information of the incident is available.

### C.2.3 Index not available

This ErrorType shall be used whenever a read or write access occurs to a not existing Index.

### C.2.4 Subindex not available

This ErrorType shall be used whenever a read or write access occurs to a not existing Subindex.

### C.2.5 Service temporarily not available

This ErrorType shall be used if a parameter is not accessible for a read or write service due to the current state of the Device application.

### C.2.6 Service temporarily not available – local control

This ErrorType shall be used if a parameter is not accessible for a read or write service due to an ongoing local operation at the Device (for example operation or parameterization via an on-board Device control panel).

### C.2.7 Service temporarily not available – device control

This ErrorType shall be used if a read or write service is not accessible due to a remote triggered state of the device application (for example parameterization during a remote triggered teach-in operation or calibration).

### C.2.8 Access denied

This ErrorType shall be used if a write service tries to access a read-only parameter.

### C.2.9 Parameter value out of range

This ErrorType shall be used for a write service to a parameter outside its permitted range of values.

4526 **C.2.10 Parameter value above limit**

4527 This ErrorType shall be used for a write service to a parameter above its specified value
4528 range.

4529 **C.2.11 Parameter value below limit**

4530 This ErrorType shall be used for a write service to a parameter below its specified value
4531 range.

4532 **C.2.12 Parameter length overrun**

4533 This ErrorType shall be used when the content of a write service to a parameter is greater
4534 than the parameter specified length. This ErrorType shall also be used, if a data object is too
4535 large to be processed by the Device application (for example ISDU buffer restriction).

4536 **C.2.13 Parameter length underrun**

4537 This ErrorType shall be used when the content of a write service to a parameter is less than
4538 the parameter specified length (for example write access of an Unsigned16 value to an
4539 Unsigned32 parameter).

4540 **C.2.14 Function not available**

4541 This ErrorType shall be used for a write service with a command value not supported by the
4542 Device application (for example a SystemCommand with a value not implemented).

4543 **C.2.15 Function temporarily unavailable**

4544 This ErrorType shall be used for a write service with a command value calling a Device
4545 function not available due to the current state of the Device application (for example a
4546 SystemCommand).

4547 **C.2.16 Invalid parameter set**

4548 This ErrorType shall be used if values sent via single parameter transfer are not consistent
4549 with other actual parameter settings (for example overlapping set points for a binary data
4550 setting; see 10.3.4).

4551 **C.2.17 Inconsistent parameter set**

4552 This ErrorType shall be used at the termination of a block parameter transfer with
4553 ParamDownloadEnd or ParamDownloadStore if the plausibility check shows inconsistencies
4554 (see 10.3.5 and B.2.2).

4555 **C.2.18 Application not ready**

4556 This ErrorType shall be used if a read or write service is refused due to a temporarily
4557 unavailable application (for example peripheral controllers during startup).

4558 **C.2.19 Vendor specific**

4559 This ErrorType will be propagated directly to higher level processing elements as an error (no
4560 warning) by the Master.

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## C.3 Derived ErrorTypes

### C.3.1 Overview

Derived ErrorTypes are generated in the Master AL and are caused by internal incidents or those received from the Device. Table C.2 lists the specified Derived ErrorTypes.

**Table C.2 – Derived ErrorTypes**

| Incident | Error Code | Additional Code | Name | Definition |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Master – Communication error | 0x10 | 0x00 | COM_ERR | See C.3.2 |
| Master – ISDU timeout | 0x11 | 0x00 | I-SERVICE_TIMEOUT | See C.3.3 |
| Device Event – ISDU error (DL, Error, single shot, 0x5600) | 0x11 | 0x00 | I-SERVICE_TIMEOUT | See C.3.4 |
| Device Event – ISDU illegal service primitive (AL, Error, single shot, 0x5800) | 0x11 | 0x00 | I-SERVICE_TIMEOUT | See C.3.5 |
| Master – ISDU checksum error | 0x56 | 0x00 | M_ ISDU_CHECKSUM | See C.3.6 |
| Master – ISDU illegal service primitive | 0x57 | 0x00 | M_ ISDU_ILLEGAL | See C.3.7 |
| Device Event – ISDU buffer overflow (DL, Error, single shot, 0x5200) | 0x80 | 0x33 | VAL_LENOVRRUN | See C.3.8 and C.2.12<br>Events from legacy Devices shall be redirected in compatibility mode to this derived ErrorType |

### C.3.2 Master – Communication error

The Master generates a negative service response with this ErrorType if a communication error occurred during a read or write service, for example the SDCI connection is interrupted.

### C.3.3 Master – ISDU timeout

The Master generates a negative service response with this ErrorType, if a Read or Write service is pending longer than the specified I-Service timeout (see Table 97) in the Master.

### C.3.4 Device Event – ISDU error

If the Master received an Event with the EventQualifier (see A.6.4: DL, Error, Event single shot) and the EventCode 0x5600, a negative service response indicating a service timeout is generated and returned to the requester (see C.3.3).

### C.3.5 Device Event – ISDU illegal service primitive

If the Master received an Event with the EventQualifier (see A.6.4: AL, Error, Event single shot) and the EventCode 0x5800, a negative service response indicating a service timeout is generated and returned to the requester (see C.3.3).

### C.3.6 Master – ISDU checksum error

The Master generates a negative service response with this ErrorType, if its data link layer detects an ISDU checksum error.

### C.3.7 Master – ISDU illegal service primitive

The Master generates a negative service response with this ErrorType, if its data link layer detects an ISDU illegal service primitive.

### C.3.8 Device Event – ISDU buffer overflow

If the Master received an Event with the EventQualifier (see A.6.4: DL, Error, Event single shot) and the EventCode 0x5200, a negative service response indicating a parameter length overrun is generated and returned to the requester (see C.2.12).

# Annex D
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# EventCodes (diagnosis information)

## D.1 General

The concept of Events is described in 7.3.8.1 and the general structure and encoding of Events is specified in Clause A.6. Whenever the StatusCode indicates an Event in case of a Device or a Master incident, the associated EventCode shall be provided as diagnosis information. As specified in A.6, the Event entry contains an EventCode in addition to the EventQualifier. The EventCode identifies an actual incident. Permissible values for EventCode are listed in Table D.1; all other EventCode values are reserved and shall not be used.

## D.2 EventCodes for Devices

Table D.1 lists the specified EventCode identifiers and their definitions. The EventCodes are created by the technology specific Device application (instance = APP).

**Table D.1 – EventCodes**

| EventCodes | Definition and recommended maintenance action | Device Status Value (NOTE 1) | TYPE (NOTE 2) |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0x0000 | No malfunction | 0 | Notification |
| 0x1000 | General malfunction – unknown error | 4 | Error |
| 0x1001 to 0x17FF | Reserved | | |
| 0x1800 to 0x18FF | Vendor specific | | |
| 0x1900 to 0x3FFF | Reserved | | |
| 0x4000 | Temperature fault – Overload | 4 | Error |
| 0x4001 to 0x420F | Reserved | | |
| 0x4210 | Device temperature over-run – Clear source of heat | 2 | Warning |
| 0x4211 to 0x421F | Reserved | | |
| 0x4220 | Device temperature under-run – Insulate Device | 2 | Warning |
| 0x4221 to 0x4FFF | Reserved | | |
| 0x5000 | Device hardware fault – Device exchange | 4 | Error |
| 0x5001 to 0x500F | Reserved | | |
| 0x5010 | Component malfunction – Repair or exchange | 4 | Error |
| 0x5011 | Non volatile memory loss – Check batteries | 4 | Error |
| 0x5012 | Batteries low – Exchange batteries | 2 | Warning |
| 0x5013 to 0x50FF | Reserved | | |
| 0x5100 | General power supply fault – Check availability | 4 | Error |
| 0x5101 | Fuse blown/open – Exchange fuse | 4 | Error |
| 0x5102 to 0x510F | Reserved | | |
| 0x5110 | Primary supply voltage over-run – Check tolerance | 2 | Warning |
| 0x5111 | Primary supply voltage under-run – Check tolerance | 2 | Warning |
| 0x5112 | Secondary supply voltage fault (Port Class B) – Check tolerance | 2 | Warning |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 0x5113 to 0x5FFF | Reserved | | |
| 0x6000 | Device software fault – Check firmware revision | 4 | Error |
| 0x6001 to 0x631F | Reserved | | |
| 0x6320 | Parameter error – Check data sheet and values | 4 | Error |
| 0x6321 | Parameter missing – Check data sheet | 4 | Error |
| 0x6322 to 0x634F | Reserved | | |
| 0x6350 | Parameter changed – Check configuration | 4 | Error |
| 0x6351 to 0x76FF | Reserved | | |
| 0x7700 | Wire break of a subordinate device – Check installation | 4 | Error |
| 0x7701 to 0x770F | Wire break of subordinate device 1 …device 15 – Check installation | 4 | Error |
| 0x7710 | Short circuit – Check installation | 4 | Error |
| 0x7711 | Ground fault – Check installation | 4 | Error |
| 0x7712 to 0x8BFF | Reserved | | |
| 0x8C00 | Technology specific application fault – Reset Device | 4 | Error |
| 0x8C01 | Simulation active – Check operational mode | 3 | Warning |
| 0x8C02 to 0x8C0F | Reserved | | |
| 0x8C10 | Process variable range over-run – Process Data uncertain | 2 | Warning |
| 0x8C11 to 0x8C1F | Reserved | | |
| 0x8C20 | Measurement range over-run – Check application | 4 | Error |
| 0x8C21 to 0x8C2F | Reserved | | |
| 0x8C30 | Process variable range under-run – Process Data uncertain | 2 | Warning |
| 0x8C31 to 0x8C3F | Reserved | | |
| 0x8C40 | Maintenance required – Cleaning | 1 | Notification |
| 0x8C41 | Maintenance required – Refill | 1 | Notification |
| 0x8C42 | Maintenance required – Exchange wear and tear parts | 1 | Notification |
| 0x8C43 to 0x8C9F | Reserved | | |
| 0x8CA0 to 0x8DFF | Vendor specific | | |
| 0x8E00 to 0xAFFF | Reserved | | |
| 0xB000 to 0xBFFF | Reserved for profiles | | |
| 0xC000 to 0xFEFF | Reserved | | |
| 0xFF00 to 0xFFFF | SDCI specific EventCodes (see Table D.2) | | |
| NOTE 1 See B.2.18<br>NOTE 2 See Table A.19 | | | |

Table D.2 lists basic SDCI Events related to system management, Device or Master application, and specifies how they are encoded. Other types of Events may be reported but are not specified in this standard. Processing of these Events by the Master is vendor specific.

**Table D.2 – Basic SDCI EventCodes**

| Incident [a] | Origin | Instance | Name | EventCode | Action | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| System management | | | | | | |
| Mode indication | LOCAL | DL | NEW_SLAVE | 0xFF21 | PD stop | See Clause 11 |

| Incident [a] | Origin | Instance | Name | EventCode | Action | Remark |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| System management | | | | | | |
| Device communi-cation lost | LOCAL | APP | DEV_COM_ LOST | 0xFF22 | - | See Clause 11 |
| Data Storage identification mismatch | LOCAL | APP | DS_IDENT_ MISMATCH | 0xFF23 | - | See Clause 11 |
| Data Storage buffer overflow | LOCAL | APP | DS_BUFFER _OVERFLOW | 0xFF24 | - | See Clause 11 |
| Data Storage parameter access denied | LOCAL | APP | DS_ACCESS _DENIED | 0xFF25 | - | See Clause 11 |
| Unspecified | | | | | | |
| Incorrect Event signalling | LOCAL | DL | EVENT | 0xFF31 | Event.ind | See Clause 11 |
| Device specific application | | | | | | |
| Data Storage upload request | REMOTE | APP | DS_UPLOAD _REQ | 0xFF91 | Event.ind | |
| Reserved | REMOTE | APP | | 0xFF98 | Event.ind | Shall not be used |

[a] All Events are of StatusCode type 2 (with details), EventQualifier type "Notification", EventQualifier Mode "Single-shot"

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# Annex E
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# Data types

## E.1 General

This annex specifies basic and composite data types. Examples demonstrate the structures and the transmission aspects of data types for singular use or in a packed manner.

NOTE More examples are available in [6].

## E.2 Basic data types

### E.2.1 General

The coding of basic data types is shown only for singular use, which is characterized by

- Process Data consisting of one basic data type
- Parameter consisting of one basic data type
- Subindex (>0) access on individual data items of parameters of composite data types (arrays, records)

### E.2.2 BooleanT

A BooleanT is representing a data type that can have only two different values i.e. TRUE and FALSE. The data type is specified in Table E.1. For singular use the coding is shown in Table E.2. A sender shall always use 0xFF for 'TRUE' or 0x00 for 'FALSE'. A receiver can interpret the range from 0x01 through 0xFF for 'TRUE' and shall interpret 0x00 for 'FALSE' to simplify implementations. The packed form is demonstrated in Table E.22 and Figure E.8.

**Table E.1 – BooleanT**

| Data type name | Value range | Resolution | Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| BooleanT | TRUE / FALSE | - | 1 bit or 1 octet |

**Table E.2 – BooleanT coding**

| Bit | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Values |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| TRUE | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0xFF |
| FALSE | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0x00 |

### E.2.3 UIntegerT

A UIntegerT is representing an unsigned number depicted by 2 up to 64 bits ("enumerated"). The number is accommodated and right-aligned within the following permitted octet containers: 1, 2, 4, or 8. High order padding bits are filled with "0". Coding examples are shown in Figure E.1.

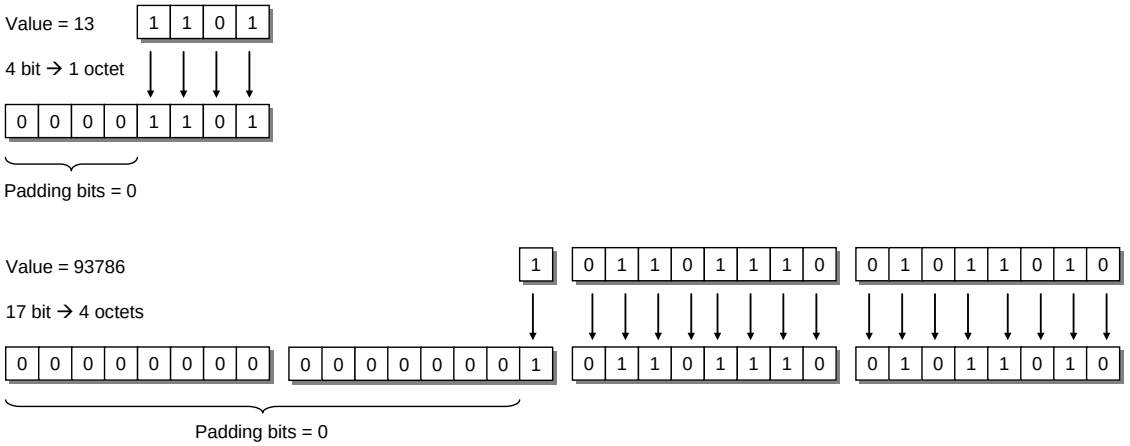


**Figure E.1 – Coding examples of UIntegerT**

The data type UIntegerT is specified in Table E.3 for singular use.

**Table E.3 – UIntegerT**

| Data type name | Value range | Resolution | Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| UIntegerT | $0 \ldots 2^{bitlength} - 1$ | 1 | 1 octet, or<br>2 octets, or<br>4 octets, or<br>8 octets |
| NOTE 1 High order padding bits are filled with "0".<br>NOTE 2 Most significant octet (MSO) sent first. | | | |

### E.2.4 IntegerT

An IntegerT is representing a signed number depicted by 2 up to 64 bits. The number is accommodated within the following permitted octet containers: 1, 2, 4, or 8 and right-aligned and extended correctly signed to the chosen number of bits. The data type is specified in Table E.4 for singular use. SN represents the sign with "0" for all positive numbers and zero, and "1" for all negative numbers. Padding bits are filled with the content of the sign bit (SN).

**Table E.4 – IntegerT**

| Data type name | Value range | Resolution | Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| IntegerT | $-2^{bitlength-1} \ldots 2^{bitlength-1} - 1$ | 1 | 1 octet, or<br>2 octets, or<br>4 octets, or<br>8 octets |
| NOTE 1 High order padding bits are filled with the value of the sign bit (SN).<br>NOTE 2 Most significant octet (MSO) sent first (lowest respective octet number in Table E.5). | | | |

The 4 coding possibilities in containers are listed in Table E.5 through Table E.8.

4660 **Table E.5 – IntegerT coding (8 octets)**

| Bit | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Container |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Octet 1 | SN | $2^{62}$ | $2^{61}$ | $2^{60}$ | $2^{59}$ | $2^{58}$ | $2^{57}$ | $2^{56}$ | 8 octets |
| Octet 2 | $2^{55}$ | $2^{54}$ | $2^{53}$ | $2^{52}$ | $2^{51}$ | $2^{50}$ | $2^{49}$ | $2^{48}$ | |
| Octet 3 | $2^{47}$ | $2^{46}$ | $2^{45}$ | $2^{44}$ | $2^{43}$ | $2^{42}$ | $2^{41}$ | $2^{40}$ | |
| Octet 4 | $2^{39}$ | $2^{38}$ | $2^{37}$ | $2^{36}$ | $2^{35}$ | $2^{34}$ | $2^{33}$ | $2^{32}$ | |
| Octet 5 | $2^{31}$ | $2^{30}$ | $2^{29}$ | $2^{28}$ | $2^{27}$ | $2^{26}$ | $2^{25}$ | $2^{24}$ | |
| Octet 6 | $2^{23}$ | $2^{22}$ | $2^{21}$ | $2^{20}$ | $2^{19}$ | $2^{18}$ | $2^{17}$ | $2^{16}$ | |
| Octet 7 | $2^{15}$ | $2^{14}$ | $2^{13}$ | $2^{12}$ | $2^{11}$ | $2^{10}$ | $2^{9}$ | $2^{8}$ | |
| Octet 8 | $2^{7}$ | $2^{6}$ | $2^{5}$ | $2^{4}$ | $2^{3}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{0}$ | |

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4662 **Table E.6 – IntegerT coding (4 octets)**

| Bit | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Container |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Octet 1 | SN | $2^{30}$ | $2^{29}$ | $2^{28}$ | $2^{27}$ | $2^{26}$ | $2^{25}$ | $2^{24}$ | 4 octets |
| Octet 2 | $2^{23}$ | $2^{22}$ | $2^{21}$ | $2^{20}$ | $2^{19}$ | $2^{18}$ | $2^{17}$ | $2^{16}$ | |
| Octet 3 | $2^{15}$ | $2^{14}$ | $2^{13}$ | $2^{12}$ | $2^{11}$ | $2^{10}$ | $2^{9}$ | $2^{8}$ | |
| Octet 4 | $2^{7}$ | $2^{6}$ | $2^{5}$ | $2^{4}$ | $2^{3}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{0}$ | |

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4664 **Table E.7 – IntegerT coding (2 octets)**

| Bit | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Container |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Octet 1 | SN | $2^{14}$ | $2^{13}$ | $2^{12}$ | $2^{11}$ | $2^{10}$ | $2^{9}$ | $2^{8}$ | 2 octets |
| Octet 2 | $2^{7}$ | $2^{6}$ | $2^{5}$ | $2^{4}$ | $2^{3}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{0}$ | |

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4666 **Table E.8 – IntegerT coding (1 octet)**

| Bit | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Container |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Octet 1 | SN | $2^{6}$ | $2^{5}$ | $2^{4}$ | $2^{3}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{0}$ | 1 octet |

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4668 Coding examples within containers are shown in Figure E.2

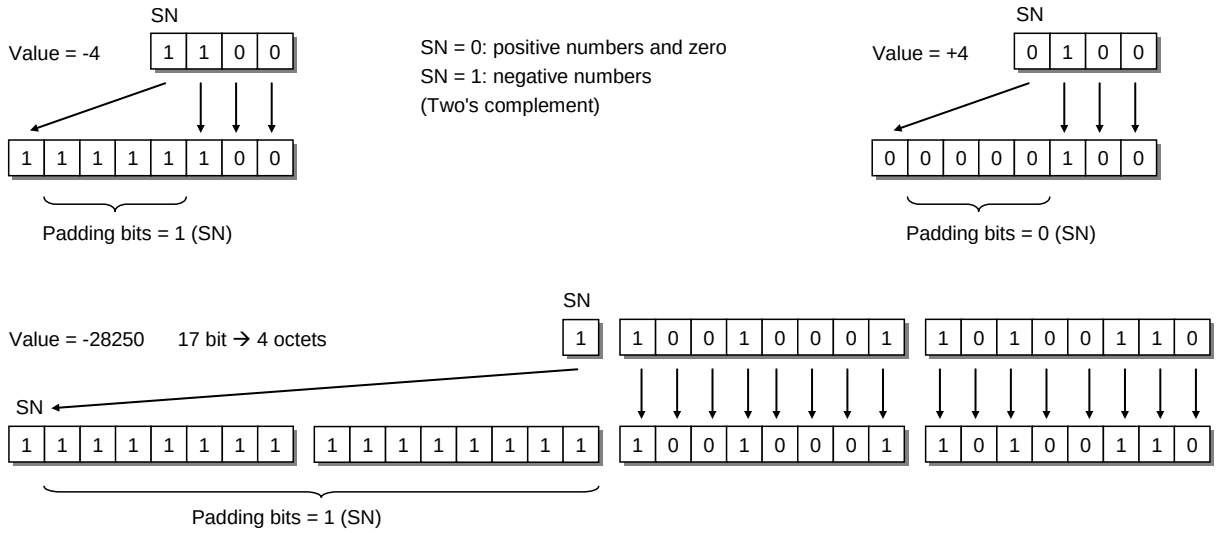


**Figure E.2 – Coding examples of IntegerT**

### E.2.5 Float32T

A Float32T is representing a number specified by IEEE Std 754-1985 as single precision (32 bit). Table E.9 gives the definition and Table E.10 the coding. SN represents the sign with "0" for all positive numbers and zero, and "1" for all negative numbers.

**Table E.9 – Float32T**

| Data type name | Value range | Resolution | Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| Float32T | See IEEE Std 754-1985 | See IEEE Std 754-1985 | 4 octets |

**Table E.10 – Coding of Float32T**

| Bits | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Octet 1 | SN | Exponent (E) | | | | | | |
| | $2^0$ | $2^7$ | $2^6$ | $2^5$ | $2^4$ | $2^3$ | $2^2$ | $2^1$ |
| Octet 2 | (E) | Fraction (F) | | | | | | |
| | $2^0$ | $2^{-1}$ | $2^{-2}$ | $2^{-3}$ | $2^{-4}$ | $2^{-5}$ | $2^{-6}$ | $2^{-7}$ |
| Octet 3 | Fraction (F) | | | | | | | |
| | $2^{-8}$ | $2^{-9}$ | $2^{-10}$ | $2^{-11}$ | $2^{-12}$ | $2^{-13}$ | $2^{-14}$ | $2^{-15}$ |
| Octet 4 | Fraction (F) | | | | | | | |
| | $2^{-16}$ | $2^{-17}$ | $2^{-18}$ | $2^{-19}$ | $2^{-20}$ | $2^{-21}$ | $2^{-22}$ | $2^{-23}$ |

In order to realize negative exponent values a special exponent encoding mechanism is set in place as follows:

The Float32T exponent (E) is encoded using an offset binary representation, with the zero offset being 127; also known as exponent bias in IEEE Std 754-1985.

$E_{min}$ = 0x01 - 0x7F = -126

$E_{max}$ = 0xFE - 0x7F = 127

Exponent bias = 0x7F = 127

Thus, as defined by the offset binary representation, in order to get the true exponent the offset of 127 shall be subtracted from the stored exponent.

### E.2.6 StringT

A StringT is representing an ordered sequence of symbols (characters) with a variable or fixed length of octets (maximum of 232 octets) coded in US-ASCII (7 bit) or UTF-8. UTF-8 uses one octet for all ASCII characters and up to 4 octets for other characters. 0x00 is not permitted as a character. Table E.11 gives the definition.

**Table E.11 – StringT**

| Data type name | Encoding | Standards | Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| StringT | US-ASCII | see ISO/IEC 646 | Any length of character string with a maximum of 232 octets |
| | UTF-8 | see ISO/IEC 10646 | |
| NOTE The length may be obtained from a Device's IODD via the attribute 'fixedLength'. | | | |

An instance of StringT can be shorter than defined by the IODD attribute 'fixedLength'. 0x00 shall be used for the padding of unused octets. Character strings can be transmitted in their actual length in case of singular access (see Figure E.3). Optimization for transmission is possible by omitting the padding octets if the IODD attribute 'fixedLengthRestriction' is not set. The receiver can deduce the original length from the length of the ISDU or by searching the first NULL (0x00) character (See A.5.2 and A.5.3).

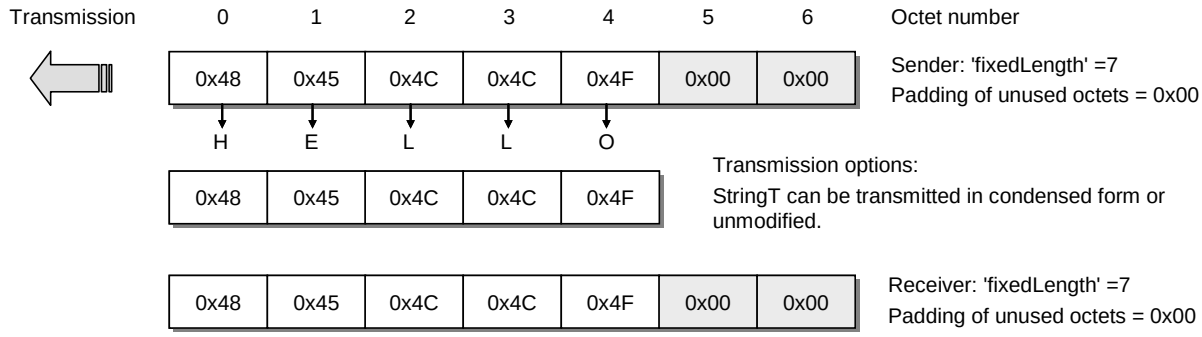


**Figure E.3 – Singular access of StringT**

### E.2.7 OctetStringT

An OctetStringT is representing an ordered sequence of octets with a fixed length (maximum of 232 octets). Table E.12 gives the definition and Figure E.4 a coding example for a fixed length of 7.

**Table E.12 – OctetStringT**

| Data type name | Value range | Standards | Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| OctetStringT | 0x00 ... 0xFF per octet | - | Fixed length with a maximum of 232 octets |
| NOTE The length may be obtained from a Device's IODD via the attribute 'fixedLength'. | | | |

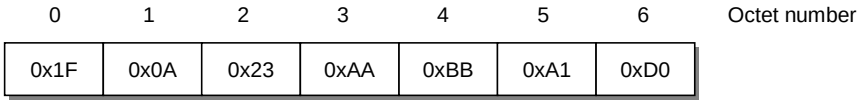


**Figure E.4 – Coding example of OctetStringT**

### E.2.8 TimeT

A TimeT is based on the RFC 1305 standard and composed of two unsigned values that express the network time related to a particular date. Its semantic has changed from RFC 1305 according to Figure E.5. Table E.13 gives the definition and Table E.14 the coding of TimeT.

The first element is a 32-bit unsigned integer data type that provides the network time in seconds since 1900-01-01 0.00,00(UTC) or since 2036-02-07 6.28,16(UTC) for time values less than 0x9DFF4400, which represents the 1984-01-01 0:00,00(UTC). The second element is a 32-bit unsigned integer data type that provides the fractional portion of seconds in $1/2^{32}$ s. Rollovers after 136 years are not automatically detectable and shall be maintained by the application.

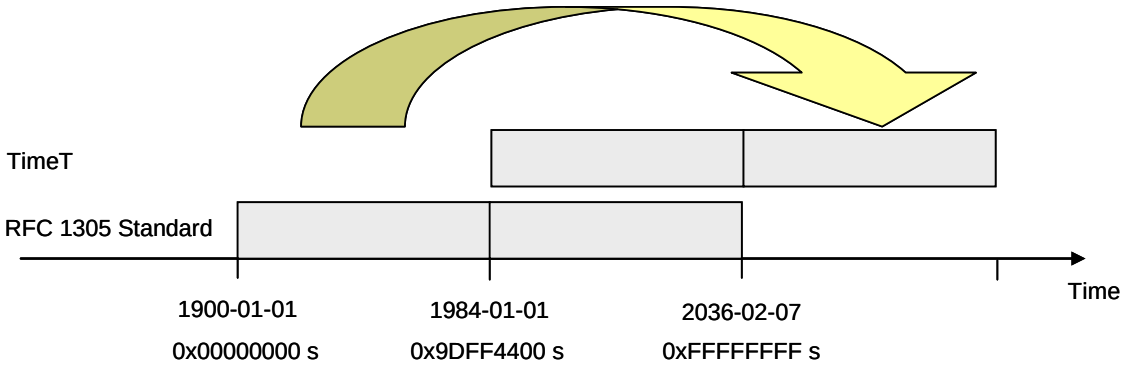


**Figure E.5 – Definition of TimeT**

**Table E.13 – TimeT**

| Data type name | Value range | Resolution | Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| TimeT | Octet 1 to 4 (see Table E.14):<br>$0 \le i \le (2^{32}-1)$ | s (Seconds) | 8 Octets<br>(32 bit unsigned integer + 32 bit unsigned integer) |
| | Octet 5 to 8 (see Table E.14):<br>$0 \le i \le (2^{32}-1)$ | $(1/2^{32})$ s | |
| NOTE 32 bit unsigned integer are normal computer science data types | | | |

4730 **Table E.14 – Coding of TimeT**

| Bit | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Definitions |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Octet 1 | $2^{31}$ | $2^{30}$ | $2^{29}$ | $2^{28}$ | $2^{27}$ | $2^{26}$ | $2^{25}$ | $2^{24}$ | Seconds since 1900-01-01 0.00,00 or since 2036-02-07 6.28,16 when time value less than 0x9DFF4400.00000000 |
| Octet 2 | $2^{23}$ | $2^{22}$ | $2^{21}$ | $2^{20}$ | $2^{19}$ | $2^{18}$ | $2^{17}$ | $2^{16}$ | |
| Octet 3 | $2^{15}$ | $2^{14}$ | $2^{13}$ | $2^{12}$ | $2^{11}$ | $2^{10}$ | $2^{9}$ | $2^{8}$ | |
| Octet 4 | $2^{7}$ | $2^{6}$ | $2^{5}$ | $2^{4}$ | $2^{3}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{0}$ | |
| Octet 5 | $2^{31}$ | $2^{30}$ | $2^{29}$ | $2^{28}$ | $2^{27}$ | $2^{26}$ | $2^{25}$ | $2^{24}$ | Fractional part of seconds. One unit is $1/(2^{32})$ s |
| Octet 6 | $2^{23}$ | $2^{22}$ | $2^{21}$ | $2^{20}$ | $2^{19}$ | $2^{18}$ | $2^{17}$ | $2^{16}$ | |
| Octet 7 | $2^{15}$ | $2^{14}$ | $2^{13}$ | $2^{12}$ | $2^{11}$ | $2^{10}$ | $2^{9}$ | $2^{8}$ | |
| Octet 8 | $2^{7}$ | $2^{6}$ | $2^{5}$ | $2^{4}$ | $2^{3}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{0}$ | |
| | MSB | | | | | | | LSB | MSB = Most significant bit<br>LSB = Least significant bit |

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4732 ### E.2.9 TimeSpanT

4733 A TimeSpanT is a 64-bit integer value i.e. a two's complement binary number with a length of
4734 eight octets, providing the network time difference in fractional portion of seconds in $1/2^{32}$
4735 seconds. Table E.15 gives the definition and Table E.16 the coding of TimeSpanT.

4736 **Table E.15 – TimeSpanT**

| Data type name | Value range | Resolution | Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| TimeSpanT | Octet 1 to 8 (see Table E.16):<br>$-2^{63} \leq i \leq (2^{63}-1)$ | $(1/2^{32})$ s | 8 octets (64 bit integer) |
| NOTE 64 bit integer is a normal computer science data type | | | |

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4738 **Table E.16 – Coding of TimeSpanT**

| Bit | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Definitions |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Octet 1 | $2^{63}$ | $2^{62}$ | $2^{61}$ | $2^{60}$ | $2^{59}$ | $2^{58}$ | $2^{57}$ | $2^{56}$ | Fractional part of seconds as 64 bit integer.<br>One unit is $1/(2^{32})$ s. |
| Octet 2 | $2^{55}$ | $2^{54}$ | $2^{53}$ | $2^{52}$ | $2^{51}$ | $2^{50}$ | $2^{49}$ | $2^{48}$ | |
| Octet 3 | $2^{47}$ | $2^{46}$ | $2^{45}$ | $2^{44}$ | $2^{43}$ | $2^{42}$ | $2^{41}$ | $2^{40}$ | |
| Octet 4 | $2^{39}$ | $2^{38}$ | $2^{37}$ | $2^{36}$ | $2^{35}$ | $2^{34}$ | $2^{33}$ | $2^{32}$ | |
| Octet 5 | $2^{31}$ | $2^{30}$ | $2^{29}$ | $2^{28}$ | $2^{27}$ | $2^{26}$ | $2^{25}$ | $2^{24}$ | |
| Octet 6 | $2^{23}$ | $2^{22}$ | $2^{21}$ | $2^{20}$ | $2^{19}$ | $2^{18}$ | $2^{17}$ | $2^{16}$ | |
| Octet 7 | $2^{15}$ | $2^{14}$ | $2^{13}$ | $2^{12}$ | $2^{11}$ | $2^{10}$ | $2^{9}$ | $2^{8}$ | |
| Octet 8 | $2^{7}$ | $2^{6}$ | $2^{5}$ | $2^{4}$ | $2^{3}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{0}$ | |
| | MSB | | | | | | | LSB | MSB = Most significant bit<br>LSB = Least significant bit |

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## E.3 Composite data types

### E.3.1 General

Composite data types are combinations of basic data types only. A composite data type consists of several basic data types packed within a sequence of octets. Unused bit space shall be padded with "0".

### E.3.2 ArrayT

An ArrayT addressed by an Index is a data structure with data items of the same data type. The individual data items are addressable by the Subindex. Subindex 0 addresses the whole array within the Index space. The structuring rules for arrays are given in Table E.17.

**Table E.17 – Structuring rules for ArrayT**

| Rule number | Rule specification |
|---|---|
| 1 | The Subindex data items are packed in a row without gaps describing an octet sequence |
| 2 | The highest Subindex data item n starts right-aligned within the octet sequence |
| 3 | UIntegerT and IntegerT with a length of ≥ 58 bit and < 64 bit are not permitted |

Table E.18 and Figure E.6 give an example for the access of an array. Its content is a set of parameters of the same basic data type.

**Table E.18 – Example for the access of an ArrayT**

| Index | Subindex | Offset | Data items | Data Type |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 66 | 1 | 12 | 0x2 | IntegerT, 'bitLength' = 3 |
| | 2 | 9 | 0x6 | |
| | 3 | 6 | 0x4 | |
| | 4 | 3 | 0x7 | |
| | 5 | 0 | 0x5 | |

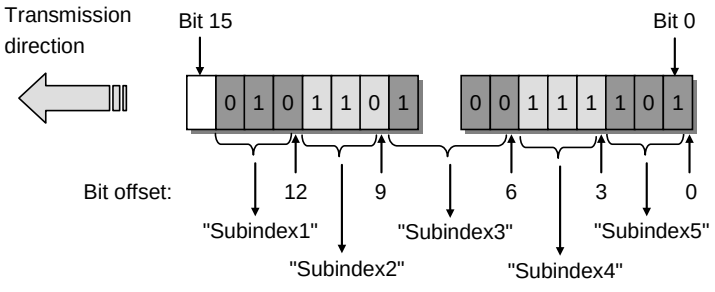


**Figure E.6 – Example of an ArrayT data structure**

### E.3.3 RecordT

A record addressed by an Index is a data structure with data items of different data types. The Subindex allows addressing individual data items within the record on certain bit positions.

NOTE Bit positions within a RecordT may be obtained from the IODD of the particular Device.

The structuring rules for records are given in Table E.19.

4762 **Table E.19 – Structuring rules for RecordT**

| Rule number | Rule specification |
|---|---|
| 1 | The Subindices within the IODD shall be listed in ascending order from 1 to *n* describing an octet sequence. Gaps within the list of Subindices are allowed |
| 2 | Bit offsets shall always be indicated within this octet sequence (may show no strict order in the IODD) |
| 3 | The bit offset starts with the last octet within the sequence; this octet starts with offset 0 for the least significant bit and offset 7 for the most significant bit |
| 4 | The following data types shall always be aligned on octet boundaries: Float32T, StringT, OctetStringT, TimeT, and TimeSpanT |
| 5 | UIntegerT and IntegerT with a length of ≥ 58 bit shall always be aligned on one side of an octet boundary |
| 6 | It is highly recommended for UIntegerT and IntegerT with a length of ≥ 8 bit to align always on one side of an octet boundary |
| 7 | It is highly recommended for UIntegerT and IntegerT with a length of < 8 bit not to cross octet boundaries |
| 8 | A bit position shall not be used by more than one record item |

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4764 Table E.20 gives an example 1 for the access of a RecordT. It consists of varied parameters
4765 named "Status", "Text", and "Value".

4766 **Table E.20 – Example 1 for the access of a RecordT**

| Index | Subindex | Offset | Data items | | | | | | | Data Type | Name |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 47 | 1 | 88 | 0x23 | 0x45 | | | | | | UIntegerT, 'bitLength' = 16 | Status |
| | 2 | 32 | H | E | L | L | O | 0x00 | 0x00 | StringT, 'fixedLength' = 7 | Text |
| | 3 | 0 | 0x56 | 0x12 | 0x22 | 0x34 | | | | UIntegerT, 'bitLength' = 32 | Value |
| NOTE 'bitLength' and 'fixedLength' are defined in the IODD of the particular Device. | | | | | | | | | | | |

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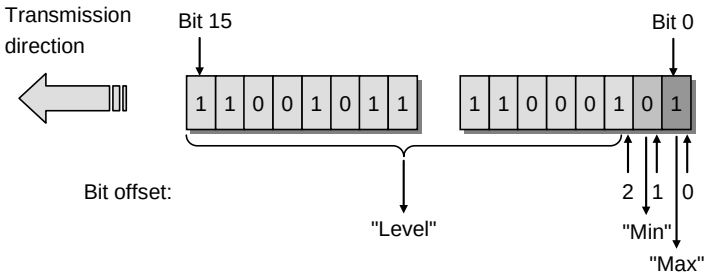
4768 Table E.21 gives an example 2 for the access of a RecordT. It consists of varied parameters
4769 named "Level", "Min", and "Max". Figure E.7 shows the corresponding data structure.

4770 **Table E.21 – Example 2 for the access of a RecordT**

| Index | Subindex | Offset | Data items | | | Data Type | Name |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 46 | 1 | 2 | 0x32 | 0xF1 | | UIntegerT, 'bitLength' = 14 | Level |
| | 2 | 1 | FALSE | | | BooleanT | Min |
| | 3 | 0 | TRUE | | | BooleanT | Max |
| NOTE 'bitLength' is defined in the IODD of the particular Device. | | | | | | | |

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4772 **Figure E.7 – Example 2 of a RecordT structure**

4773 Table E.22 gives an example 3 for the access of a RecordT. It consists of varied parameters
4774 named "Control" through "Enable". Figure E.8 demonstrates the corresponding RecordT
4775 structure of example 3 with the bit offsets.

4776 **Table E.22 – Example 3 for the access of a RecordT**

| Index | Subindex | Offset | Data items | | Data Type | Name |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 45 | 1 | 32 | TRUE | | BooleanT | NewBit |
| | 2 | 33 | FALSE | | BooleanT | DR4 |
| | 3 | 34 | FALSE | | BooleanT | CR3 |
| | 4 | 35 | TRUE | | BooleanT | CR2 |
| | 5 | 38 | TRUE | | BooleanT | Control |
| | 6 | 16 | 0xF8 | 0x23 | OctetStringT, 'fixedLength' = 2 | Setpoint |
| | 7 | 8 | 0x41 | | StringT, 'fixedLength' = 1 | Unit |
| | 8 | 0 | 0xC3 | | OctetStringT, 'fixedLength' = 1 | Enable |
| NOTE 'fixedLength' is defined in the IODD of the particular Device | | | | | | |

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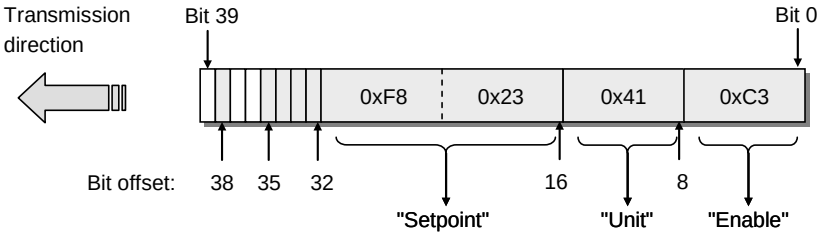


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4779 **Figure E.8 – Example 3 of a RecordT structure**

4780 Figure E.9 shows a selective write request of a variable within the RecordT of example 3 and
4781 a write request of the complete RecordT (see A.5.7).

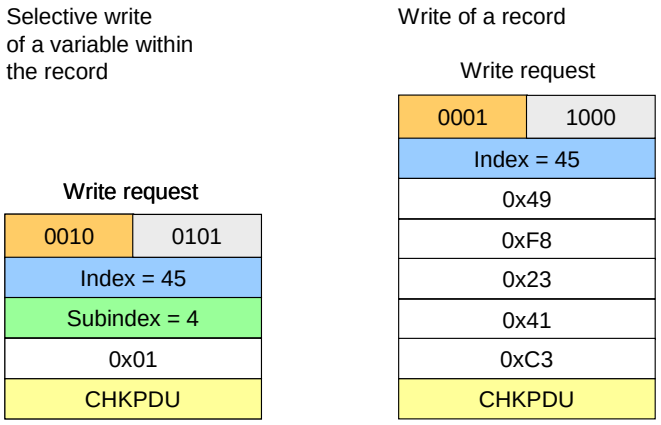


**Figure E.9 – Write requests for example 3**

# Annex F
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## Structure of the Data Storage data object

Table F.1 gives the structure of a Data Storage (DS) data object within the Master (see 11.3.2).

**Table F.1 – Structure of the stored DS data object**

| Part | Parameter name | Definition | Data type |
|---|---|---|---|
| Object 1 | ISDU_Index | ISDU Index (0 to 65535) | Unsigned16 |
| | ISDU_Subindex | ISDU Index (0 to 255) | Unsigned8 |
| | ISDU_Length | Length of the subsequent record | Unsigned8 |
| | ISDU_Data | Record of length ISDU_Length | Record |
| Object 2 | ISDU_Index | ISDU Index (0 to 65535) | Unsigned16 |
| | ISDU_Subindex | ISDU Index (0 to 255) | Unsigned8 |
| | ISDU_Length | Length of the subsequent record | Unsigned8 |
| | ISDU_Data | Record of length ISDU_Length | Record |
| ---------- | | | |
| Object *n* | ISDU_Index | ISDU Index (0 to 65535) | Unsigned16 |
| | ISDU_Subindex | ISDU Index (0 to 255) | Unsigned8 |
| | ISDU_Length | Length of the subsequent record | Unsigned8 |
| | ISDU _Data | Record of length ISDU_Length | Record |

The Device shall calculate the required memory size by summarizing the objects 1 to *n* (see Table B.10, Subindex 3).

The Master shall store locally in non-volatile memory the header information specified in Table F.2. See Table B.10.

**Table F.2 – Associated header information for stored DS data objects**

| Part | Parameter name | Definition | Data type |
|---|---|---|---|
| Header | Parameter Checksum | 32 bit CRC signature or revision counter (see 10.4.8) | Unsigned32 |
| | VendorID | See B.1.8 | Unsigned16 |
| | DeviceID | See B.1.9 | Unsigned32 |
| | FunctionID | See B.1.10 | Unsigned16 |

# Annex G
(normative)

# Master and Device conformity

## G.1 Electromagnetic compatibility requirements (EMC)

### G.1.1 General

The EMC requirements of this specification are only relevant for the SDCI interface part of a particular Master or Device. The technology functions of a Device and its relevant EMC requirements are not in the scope of this specification. For this purpose the Device specific product standards shall apply. For Master usually the EMC requirements for peripherals are specified in IEC 61131-2 or IEC 61000-6-2.

To ensure proper operating conditions of the SDCI interface, the test configurations specified in section G.1.6 (Master) or G.1.7 (Device) shall be maintained during all the EMC tests. The tests required in the product standard of equipment under test (EUT) can alternatively be performed in SIO mode.

### G.1.2 Operating conditions

It is highly recommended to evaluate the SDCI during the startup phase with the cycle times given in Table G.1. In most cases, this leads to the minimal time requirements for the performance of these tests. Alternatively, the SDCI may be evaluated during normal operation of the Device, provided that the required number of M-sequences specified in Table G.1 took place during each test.

### G.1.3 Performance criteria

a) Performance criterion A

The SDCI operating at an average cycle time as specified in Table G.1 shall not show more than six detected M-sequence errors within the number of M-sequences given in Table G.1. No interruption of communication is permitted.

**Table G.1 – EMC test conditions for SDCI**

| Transmission rate | Master | | Device | | Maximum of M-sequence errors |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | $t_{CYC}$ | Number of M-sequences of TYPE_2_5 (read) (6 octets) | $t_{CYC}$ | Number of M-sequences of TYPE_0 (read) (4 octets) | |
| 4,8 kbit/s | 18,0 ms | 300 (6 000) | 100 $T_{BIT}$ (20,84 ms) | 350 (7 000) | 6 |
| 38,4 kbit/s | 2,3 ms | 450 (9 000) | 100 $T_{BIT}$ (2,61 ms) | 500 (10 000) | 6 |
| 230,4 kbit/s | 0,4 ms | 700 (14 000) | 100 $T_{BIT}$ (0,44 ms) | 800 (16 000) | 6 |
| NOTE The numbers of M-sequences are calculated according to the algorithm in H.2 and rounded up. The larger number of M-sequences (in brackets) are required if a certain test (for example fast transients/burst) applies interferences only with a burst/cycle ratio (see Table G.2) | | | | | |

b) Performance Criterion B

The error rate of criterion A shall also be satisfied after but not during the test. No change of actual operating state (e.g. permanent loss of communication) or stored data is allowed.

### G.1.4 Required immunity tests

Table G.2 specifies the EMC tests to be performed.

**Table G.2 – EMC test levels**

| Phenomena | Test Level | Performance Criterion | Constraints |
|---|---|---|---|
| Electrostatic discharges (ESD)<br>IEC 61000-4-2 | Air discharge:<br>± 8 kV<br>Contact discharge:<br>± 4 kV | B | See G.1.4, a) |
| Radio-frequency electromagnetic field. Amplitude modulated<br>IEC 61000-4-3 | 80 MHz – 1 000 MHz<br>10 V/m<br>1 400 MHz – 2 000 MHz<br>3 V/m<br>2 000 MHz – 2 700 MHz<br>1 V/m | A | See G.1.4, a) and G.1.4, b) |
| Fast transients (Burst)<br>IEC 61000-4-4 | ± 1 kV | A | 5 kHz only. The number of M-sequences in Table G.1 shall be increased by a factor of 20 due to the burst/cycle ratio 15 ms/300 ms.<br>See G.1.4, c) |
| | ± 2 kV | B | |
| Surge<br>IEC 61000-4-5 | Not required for an SDCI link (SDCI link is limited to 20 m) | | - |
| Radio-frequency common mode<br>IEC 61000-4-6 | 0,15 MHz – 80 MHz<br>10 VEMF | A | See G.1.4, b) and G.1.4, d) |
| Voltage dips and interruptions<br>IEC 61000-4-11 | Not required for an SDCI link | | |

The following requirements also apply as specified in Table G.2.

a) As this phenomenon influences the entire device under test, an existing device specific product standard shall take precedence over the test levels specified here.

b) The test shall be performed with a step size of 1 % and a dwell of 1 s. If a single M-sequence error occurs at a certain frequency, that frequency shall be tested until the number of M-sequences according to Table G.1 has been transmitted or until 6 M-sequence errors have occurred.

c) Depending on the transmission rate the test time varies. The test time shall be at least one minute (with the transmitted M-sequences and the permitted errors increased accordingly).

d) This phenomenon is expected to influence most probably the EUTs internal analog signal processing and only with a very small probability the functionality of the SDCI communication. Therefore an existing device specific product standard shall take precedence over the test levels specified here.

### G.1.5 Required emission tests

The definition of emission limits is not in the scope of this specification. The requirements of the Device specific product family or generic standards apply, usually for general industrial environments the IEC 61000-6-4.

All emission tests shall be performed at the fastest possible communication rate with the fastest cycle time.

### G.1.6 Test configurations for Master

#### G.1.6.1 General rules

The following rules apply for the test of Masters:

- In the following test setup diagrams only the SDCI and the power supply cables are shown. All other cables shall be treated as required by the relevant product standard.
- Grounding of the Master and the Devices shall be according to the relevant product standard or manual.
- Where not otherwise stated, the SDCI cable shall have an overall length of 20 m. Excess length laid as an inductive coil with a diameter of 0,3 m, where applicable mounted 0,1 m above reference ground.
- Where applicable, the auxiliary Devices shall be placed 10 cm above RefGND.
- A typical test configuration consists of the Master and two Devices, except for the RF common mode test, where only one Device shall be used.
- Each port shall fulfill the EMC requirements.

#### G.1.6.2 Electrostatic discharges

Figure G.1 shows the test setup for electrostatic discharge according to IEC 61000-4-2.

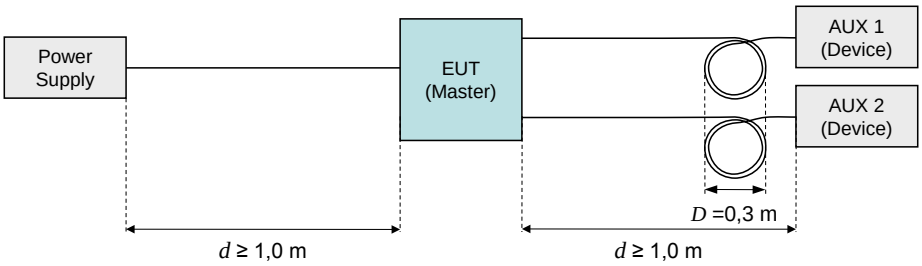



**Figure G.1 – Test setup for electrostatic discharge (Master)**

#### G.1.6.3 Radio-frequency electromagnetic field

Figure G.2 shows the test setup for radio-frequency electromagnetic field according to IEC 61000-4-3.

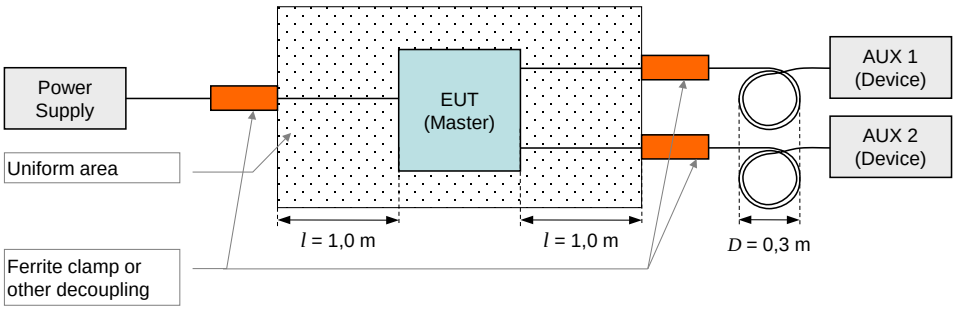
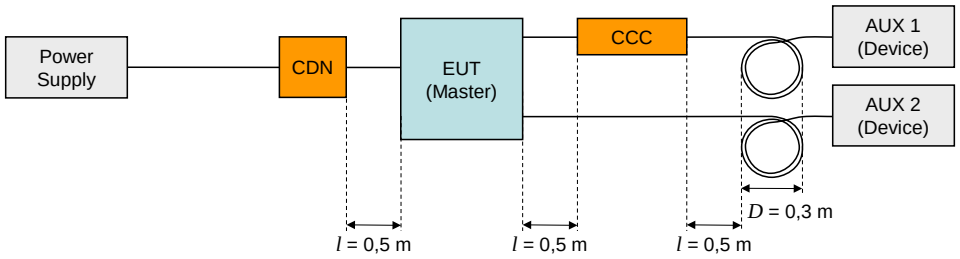



**Figure G.2 – Test setup for RF electromagnetic field (Master)**

#### G.1.6.4 Fast transients (burst)

Figure G.3 shows the test setup for fast transients according to IEC 61000-4-4. No coupling into SDCI line to AUX 2 is required.



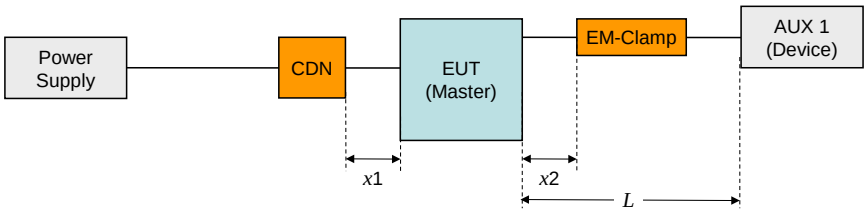

**Key**

CDN: Coupling/Decoupling Network.
CCC: Capacitive coupling clamp.

**Figure G.3 – Test setup for fast transients (Master)**

### G.1.6.5 Radio-frequency common mode

Figure G.4 shows the test setup for radio-frequency common mode according to IEC 61000-4-6.




**Key**

0,1 m ≤ $x1$ ≤ 0,3 m
0,1 m ≤ $x2$ ≤ 0,3 m
$L$ = 1,0 m ± 0,05 m

**Figure G.4 – Test setup for RF common mode (Master)**

## G.1.7 Test configurations for Devices

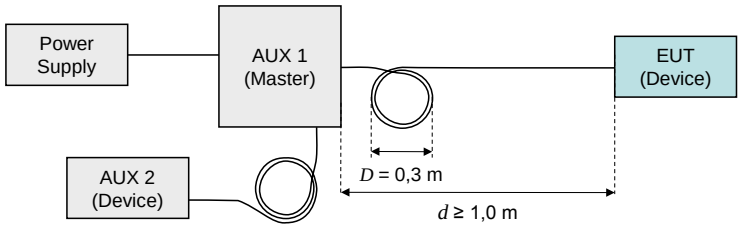
### G.1.7.1 General rules

For the test of Devices the following rules apply:

- In the following test setup diagrams only the SDCI and the power supply cables are shown. All other cables shall be treated as required by the relevant product standard.
- Grounding of the Master and the Devices according to the relevant product standard or user manual.
- Where not otherwise stated, the SDCI cable shall have an overall length of 20 m. Excess length laid as an inductive coil with a diameter of 0,3 m, where applicable mounted 0,1 m above RefGND.
- Where applicable, the auxiliary Devices shall be placed 10 cm above RefGND.
- Test with Device AUX 2 is optional

### G.1.7.2 Electrostatic discharges

Figure G.5 shows the test setup for electrostatic discharge according to IEC 61000-4-2.

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4906 **Figure G.5 – Test setup for electrostatic discharges (Device)**

4907 **G.1.7.3 Radio-frequency electromagnetic field**

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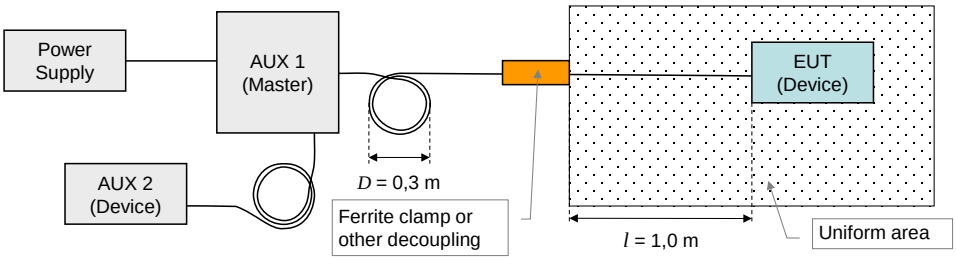
4909 IEC 61000-4-3.

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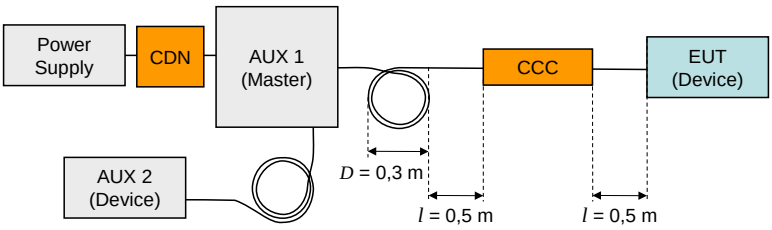
4911 **Figure G.6 – Test setup for RF electromagnetic field (Device)**

4912 **G.1.7.4 Fast transients (burst)**

4913 Figure G.7 shows the test setup for fast transients according to IEC 61000-4-4.

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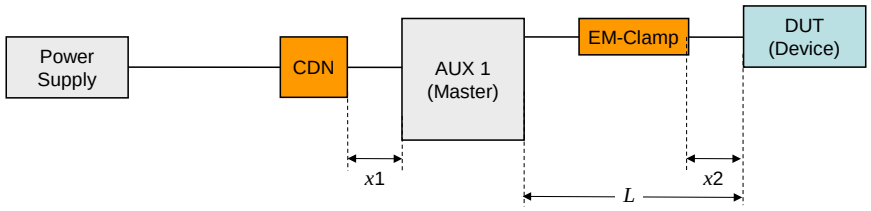
4915 **Key:**

4916 CDN: Coupling/Decoupling Network, here only used for decoupling
4917 CCC: Capacitive coupling clamp.

4918 **Figure G.7 – Test setup for fast transients (Device)**

4919 **G.1.7.5 Radio-frequency common mode**

4920 Figure G.8 shows the test setup for radio-frequency common mode according to
4921 IEC 61000-4-6.




**Key**

0,1 m ≤ $x1$ ≤ 0,3 m
0,1 m ≤ $x2$ ≤ 0,3 m
$L$ = 1,0 m ± 0,05 m

**Figure G.8 – Test setup for RF common mode (Device)**

## G.2 Test strategies for conformity

### G.2.1 Test of a Device

The Master AUX 1 (see Figure G.5 to Figure G.8) shall continuously send an M-sequence TYPE_0 (read Direct Parameter page 2) message at the cycle time specified in Table G.1 and count the missing and the erroneous Device responses. Both numbers shall be added and indicated.

NOTE Detailed instructions for the Device tests are specified in [9].

### G.2.2 Test of a Master

The Device AUX 1 (see Figure G.1 to Figure G.4) shall use M-sequence TYPE_2_5. Its input Process Data shall be generated by an 8 bit random or pseudo random generator. The Master shall copy the input Process Data of any received Device message to the output Process Data of the next Master message to be sent. The cycle time shall be according to Table G.1. The Device AUX 1 shall compare the output Process Data with the previously sent input Process Data and count the number of deviations. The Device shall also count the number of missing (not received within the expected cycle time) or received perturbed Master messages. All numbers shall be added and indicated.

NOTE 1 A deviation of sent and received Process Data indicates to the AUX1 that the EUT (Master) did not receive the Device message.

NOTE 2 Detailed instructions for the Master tests are specified in [9].

# Annex H
(informative)

# Residual error probabilities

## H.1 Residual error probability of the SDCI data integrity mechanism

Figure H.1 shows the residual error probability (*REP*) of the SDCI data integrity mechanism consisting of the checksum data integrity procedure ("XOR6") as specified in A.1.6 and the UART parity. The diagram refers to IEC 60870-5-1 with its data integrity class I2 for a minimum Hamming distance of 4 (red dotted line).

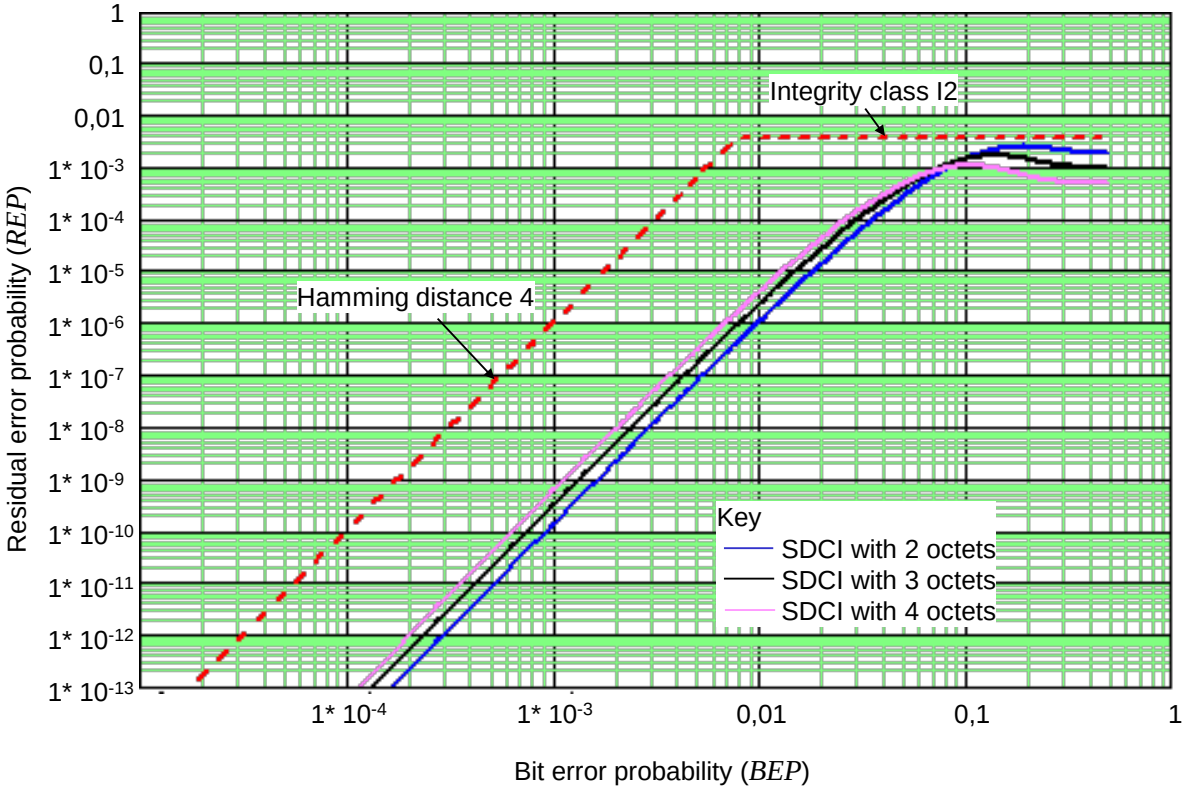



**Figure H.1 – Residual error probability for the SDCI data integrity mechanism**

The blue line shows the residual error curve for a data length of 2 octets. The black curve shows the residual error curve for a data length of 3 octets. The purple curve shows the residual error curve for a data length of 4 octets.

## H.2 Derivation of EMC test conditions

The performance criterion A in G.1.3 is derived from requirements specified in IEC 61158-2 in respect to interference susceptibility and error rates (citation; "*frames*" translates into "messages" within this standard):

- *Only 1 undetected erroneous frame in 20 years at 1 600 frames/s*
- *The ratio of undetected to detected frames shall not exceed* $10^{-6}$
- *EMC tests shall not show more than 6 erroneous frames within 100 000 frames*

With SDCI, the first requirement transforms into the Equation (H.1). This equation allows determining a value of $BEP$. The equation can be resolved in a numerical way.

$$F20 \times R(BEP) \leq 1 \quad \text{(H.1)}$$

The Terms in equation (H.1) are:

$F20$ = Number of messages in 20 years

$R(BEP)$ = Residual error probability of the checksum and parity mechanism (Figure H.1)

$BEP$ = Bit error probability from Figure H.1

The objective of the EMC test is to prove that the BEP of the SDCI communication meets the value determined in the first step. The maximum number of detected perturbed messages is chosen to be 6 here for practical reasons. The number of required SDCI test messages can be determined with the help of equation (H.2) and the value of BEP determined in the first step.

$$NoTF \geq \frac{1}{BEP} \times \frac{1}{BitPerF} \times NopErr \quad \text{(H.2)}$$

The Terms in equation (H.2) are:

$NoTF$ = Number of test messages

$BitPerF$ = Number of bit per message

$NopErr$ = Maximum number of detected perturbed messages = 6

Equation (H.2) is only valid under the assumption that messages with 1 bit error are more frequent than messages with more bit errors. An M-sequence consists of two messages. Therefore, the calculated number of test messages has to be divided by 2 to provide the numbers of M-sequences for Table G.1.

# Annex I
(informative)

## Example sequence of an ISDU transmission

Figure I.1 demonstrates an example for the transmission of ISDUs using an AL_Read service with a 16-bit Index and Subindex for 19 octets of user data with mapping to an M-sequence TYPE_2_5 for sensors and with interruption in case of an Event transmission.

| Master | | | | | | | Device | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | FC | | CKT | | PD | OD | OD | PD | CKS | |
| comment (state, action) (see in Table 46) | cycle nr | R W | Com Chan. | Flow CTRL | Frame Typ | CHK | Process Data | OnReq Data Master | OnReq Data Device | Process Data | CHK E PD | comment (state, action) |
| | | 1bit | 2bit | 5bit | 2bit | 6bit | 8bit | 8bit | 8bit | | | |
| Idle_1 | 0 | | 1111 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | OnReq idle |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission, | 1 | | 0111 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | 1011 0101 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 2 | | 0110 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Index(hi) | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 3 | | 0110 | 0010 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Index(lo) | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 4 | | 0110 | 0011 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Subindex | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 5 | | 0110 | 0100 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | CHKPDU | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDUWait_3, start ISDU Timer | 6 | | 1111 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUWait_3, inc. ISDU timer | 7 | | 1111 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUWait_3, inc. ISDU timer | 8 | | 1111 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUWait_3, inc. ISDU timer | 9 | | 1111 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUWait_3, inc. ISDU timer | 10 | | 1111 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception Stop ISDU Timer | 11 | | 1111 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 1101 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 12 | | 1110 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0001 0011 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 13 | | 1110 | 0010 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 1 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 14 | | 1110 | 0011 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 2 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 15 | | 1110 | 0100 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 3 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 16 | | 1110 | 0101 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 4 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 17 | | 1110 | 0110 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 5 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 18 | | 1110 | 0111 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 6 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 19 | | 1110 | 1000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 7 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, no response, retry in next cycle | 20 | | 1110 | 1001 | 10 | Err | xxxxxxxx | | | | xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, korrupted CHK, don' t send resp. |
| ISDUResponse_4, no response, retry in next cycle | 21 | | 1110 | 1001 | 10 | Err | xxxxxxxx | | | | xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, corrupted CHK, don' t send resp. |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 22 | | 1110 | 1001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 8 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 34 | | 1110 | 1010 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 9 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception, start eventhandler | 35 | | 1110 | 1011 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 10 | xxxxxxxx | 1 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission, freeze event |
| Read_Event_2, reception | 36 | | 1100 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Diag State with detail | xxxxxxxx | 1 0 xxxxxx | Read_Event_2, transmission |
| Read_Event_2, reception | 37 | | 110x | xxxx | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Event qualifier | xxxxxxxx | 1 0 xxxxxx | Read_Event_2, transmission |
| Command handler_2, transmission set PDOutdata state to invalid | 38 | | 0010 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | 1001 1001 | | xxxxxxxx | 1 0 xxxxxx | ComandHandler_2, reception, set PDOutdata state to invalid |
| Read_Event_2, reception | 39 | | 110x | xxxx | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | ErrorCode msb | xxxxxxxx | 1 0 xxxxxx | Read_Event_2, transmission |
| Read_Event_2, reception | 40 | | 110x | xxxx | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | ErrorCode lsb | xxxxxxxx | 1 0 xxxxxx | Read_Event_2, transmission |
| EventConfirmation_4, transmission, event handler idle | 41 | | 0100 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | EventConfirmation, reception |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 42 | | 1110 | 1100 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 11 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 43 | | 1110 | 1101 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 12 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 44 | | 1110 | 1110 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 13 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 45 | | 1110 | 1111 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 14 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 46 | | 1110 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 15 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 47 | | 1110 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 16 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 48 | | 1110 | 0010 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | CHKPDU | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| Idle_1 | 49 | | 1111 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| Idle_1 | 50 | | 1111 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| Idle_1 | 51 | | 1111 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| Idle_1 | 52 | | 1111 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| Write Parameter, transmission | 53 | | 0011 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Write Parameter, reception |
| Read Parameter, reception | 54 | | 1011 | 0000 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | xxxxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Read Parameter, transmission |
| Idle_1 | 55 | | 1111 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| Idle_1 | 56 | | 1111 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| Idle_1 | 57 | | 1111 | 0001 | 10 | xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |

**Figure I.1 – Example for ISDU transmissions** *(1 of 2)*

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 58 | 0111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | 0001 1011 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 59 | 0110 0001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Index | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 60 | 0110 0010 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Data 1 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 61 | 0110 0011 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Data 2 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 62 | 0110 0100 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Data 3 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 63 | 0110 0101 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Data 4 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 64 | 0110 0110 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Data 5 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 65 | 0110 0111 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Data 6 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 66 | 0110 1000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Data 7 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 67 | 0110 1001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Data 8 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 68 | 0110 1010 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | CHKPDU | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDUWait_3, start ISDU Timer | 69 | 1111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception Stop ISDU Timer | 70 | 1111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0101 0010 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 71 | 1110 0001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | CHKPDU | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| Idle_1 | 72 | 1111 0001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| Idle_1 | 73 | 1111 0001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission, | 74 | 0111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | 1011 0101 | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 75 | 0110 0001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Index(hi) | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 76 | 0110 0010 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Index(lo) | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 77 | 0110 0011 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | Subindex | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDURequest_2, transmission | 78 | 0110 0100 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | CHKPDU | | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDURequest_2, reception |
| ISDUWait_3, start ISDU Timer | 79 | 1111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUWait_3, inc. ISDU timer | 80 | 1111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUWait_3, inc. ISDU timer | 81 | 1111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUWait_3, inc. ISDU timer | 82 | 1111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUWait_3, inc. ISDU timer | 83 | 1111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUWait_3, application busy |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception Stop ISDU Timer | 84 | 1111 0000 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 1101 0001 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 85 | 1110 0001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0001 1110 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, reception | 86 | 1110 0010 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | Data 1 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, transmission |
| ISDUResponse_4, ABORT | 87 | 1111 1111 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | ISDUResponse_4, ABORT |
| Idle_1 | 88 | 1111 0001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |
| Idle_1 | 89 | 1111 0001 | 10 xxxxxx | xxxxxxxx | | 0000 0000 | xxxxxxxx | 0 0 xxxxxx | Idle_1 |

**Figure I.1** *(2 of 2)*

# Annex J
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# Recommended methods for detecting parameter changes

## J.1 CRC signature

Cyclic Redundancy Checking belongs to the HASH function family. A CRC signature across all changeable parameters can be calculated by the Device with the help of a so-called proper generator polynomial. The calculation results in a different signature whenever the parameter set has been changed. It should be noted that the signature secures also the octet order within the parameter set. Any change in the order when calculating the signature will lead to a different value. The quality of securing (undetected changes) depends heavily on both the CRC generator polynomial and the length (number of octets) of the parameter set. The seed value should be > 0. One calculation method uses directly the formula, another one uses octet shifting and lookup tables. The first one requests less program memory and is a bit slower, the other one requires memory for a lookup table (1 x $2^{10}$ octets for a 32 bit signature) and is fast. The parameter data set comparison is performed in state "Checksum_9" of the Data Storage (DS) state machine in Figure 100. Table J.1 lists several possible generator polynomials and their detection level.

**Table J.1 – Proper CRC generator polynomials**

| Generator polynomial | Signature | Data length | Undetected changes |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0x9B | 8 bit | 1 octet | < $2^{-8}$ (not recommended) |
| 0x4EAB | 16 bit | 1 < octets < 3 | < $2^{-16}$ (not recommended) |
| 0x5D6DCB | 24 bit | 1 < octets < 4 | < $2^{-24}$ (not recommended) |
| 0xF4ACFB13 | 32 bit | 1 < octets < $2^{32}$ | < $2^{-32}$ (recommended) |

## J.2 Revision counter

A 32 bit revision counter can be implemented, counting any change of the parameter set. The Device shall use a random initial value for the Revision Counter. The counter itself shall not be stored via Index List of the Device. After the download the actual counter value is read back from the Device to avoid multiple writing initiated by the download sequence. The parameter data set comparison is performed in state "Checksum_9" of the Data Storage (DS) state machine in Figure 100.

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