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Foreword

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- Part 1: *Mechanical, electrical, and signalling protocol specification (HIPPI-PH)*
- Part 2: *Framing Protocol (HIPPI-FP)*
- Part 3: *Encapsulation of ISO/IEC 8802-2 (IEEE Std 802.2) Logical Link Control Protocol Data Units (HIPPI-LE)*
- Part 4: *Mapping of HIPPI to IPI device generic command sets (HIPPI-IPI)*
- Part 5: *Memory Interface (HIPPI-MI)*
- Part 6: *Physical Switch Control (HIPPI-SC)*
- Part 8: *Mapping to Asynchronous Transfer Mode (HIPPI-ATM)*
- Part 9: *Serial Specification (HIPPI-Serial)*

Annexes A to E of this part of ISO/IEC 11518 are for information only.

Introduction

This High-Performance Parallel Interface, Serial Specification (HIPPI-Serial), defines a physical-level interface for transmitting digital data at 800 Mbit/s or 1 600 Mbit/s serially over fibre-optic cables across distances of up to 10 km. The signalling sequences and protocol used are compatible with HIPPI-PH, ISO/IEC 11518-1, which is limited to 25 m distances. HIPPI-Serial may be integrated as a host's native interface, or used as an external extender for HIPPI-PH ports.

Characteristics of a HIPPI Serial interface include:

- Point-to-point connections use one or two pairs of fibre-optic cables for distances of up to 10 km.
- Long wavelength and short-wavelength optics options.
- May be used in a simplex or duplex configuration.
- Support for 800 Mbit/s or 1 600 Mbit/s data rates.
- Use as an integrated host interface without an intervening HIPPI-PH is supported.
- Use as an external extender for HIPPI-PH ports is supported.
- The coding scheme provides low-latency, automatic link reset, and robust operation.

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1 Scope

This part of ISO/IEC 11518 specifies a physical-level interface for transmitting digital data at 800 Mbit/s or 1 600 Mbit/s serially over fibre-optic cables across distances of up to 10 km. The signalling sequences and protocol used are compatible with HIPPI-PH, ISO/IEC 11518-1, which is limited to 25 m distances. HIPPI-Serial may be integrated as a host's native interface, or used as an external extender for HIPPI-PH ports.

Specifications are included for:

- the encoding and serialisation of the parallel data;
- the sequence of signals required for link reset;
- the timing and optical requirements of the serial signals;
- 32-bit (800 Mbit/s, 100 MByte/s) and 64-bit (1 600 Mbit/s, 200 MByte/s) operation;
- simplex and dual simplex operation.

2 Normative references

The following standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this part of ISO/IEC 11518. At the time of

publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this part of ISO/IEC 11518 are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent edition of the standards listed below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO/IEC 11518-1:1995, *High-Performance Parallel Interface – Part 1: Mechanical, electrical, and signalling protocol specification (HIPPI-PH)*

ISO/IEC 14165-111:199x, *Fibre Channel – Part 111: Physical and Signalling Interface (FC-PH)*

ITU-T G.652: *Characteristics of a single mode optical fibre cable*

IEC 61300-3-6: *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 3-6: Examinations and measurements – Return loss*

IEC 61280-1-3: *Fibre optic communication sub-system basic test procedures – Part 1-3: Test procedures for general communication sub-systems – Central wavelength and spectral width measurement*

IEC 61280-2-1: *Fibre optic communication sub-system basic test procedures – Part 2-1: Test procedures for digital systems – Receiver sensitivity and overload measurement*