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This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- measurement of the transmission performance of modular plug terminated link (MPTL) and direct attach cabling were added.
- Additional requirements of test head designs of E2E link were introduced.

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INTRODUCTION

The testing of balanced cabling channels in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801-1 does not verify the performance of the free connector at each end of the channel.

This document describes the measurement of three cabling structures which verifies the performance of their terminating connectors. These are:

- a) end-to-end (E2E) link of ISO/IEC 11801-3,
- b) modular plug terminated link (MPTL) of ISO/IEC TR 11801-9910,
- c) direct attach cabling of ISO/IEC TR 11801-9907.

This measurement includes the transmission performance of the connector components which terminate the cabling under test.

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1 Scope

This part of ISO/IEC 14763 specifies the measurement of two- and four-pair balanced cabling of

- a) end-to-end (E2E) link Class D, E and E_A;
- b) modular plug terminated links (MPTLs) of Class D, E, E_A, F, F_A and of Class I and II;
- c) direct attach cabling of Class D, E, E_A, F, F_A and of Class I and II.

The free connectors which terminate two and four pairs in field and laboratory conditions are included.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

IEC 60512-27-100, Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 27-100: Signal integrity tests up to 500 MHz on 60603-7 series connectors – Tests 27a to 27g

IEC 61935-1:2019, Specification for the testing of balanced and coaxial information technology cabling – Part 1: Installed balanced cabling as specified in ISO/IEC 11801 and related standards

IEC 61935-2, Specification for the testing of balanced and coaxial information technology cabling – Part 2: Cords as specified in ISO/IEC 11801 and related standards

ISO/IEC 11801-1, Information technology – Generic cabling for customer premises – Part 1: General requirements

ISO/IEC 11801-3, Information technology – Generic cabling for customer premises – Part 3: Industrial premises

ISO/IEC TR 11801-9907, Information technology – Generic cabling systems – Part 9907: Specifications for direct attach cabling

ISO/IEC TR 11801-9910, Information technology – Generic cabling systems – Part 9910: Specifications for modular plug terminated link cabling