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Part 2: Self-organising time division multiple access (SOTDMA) techniques

1 Scope

This part of IEC 62287 specifies operational and performance requirements, methods of testing and required test results for Class B "SO" shipborne automatic identifications system (AIS) equipment using self-organising time division multiple access (SOTDMA) techniques as described in Recommendation ITU-R M.1371. This document takes into account other associated IEC International Standards and existing national standards, as applicable.

The main differences between Class B "CS" (IEC 62287-1) and Class B "SO" units are that the Class B "SO"

- covers all 25 kHz channels listed in Recommendation ITU-R M.1084-5,
- only uses the internal GNSS – no position sensor input is allowed,
- requires use of VDL Message 17 for correction of the internal GNSS,
- requires a presentation interface,
- has additional reporting intervals, down to 5 s,
- has two power settings, with a high level of 5 W, and
- has the capability to transmit binary messages.

This document is applicable for AIS equipment used on craft that are not covered by a mandatory carriage requirement of AIS under SOLAS Chapter V.

2 Normative references

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ITU-R Recommendation M.1371-5:2014, *Technical characteristics for an automatic identification system using time division multiple access in the VHF maritime mobile band*