Road vehicles — Diagnostics on Controller Area Networks (CAN) — Part 4:
Requirements for emissions-related systems

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- Part 1: General information
- Part 2: Network layer services
- Part 3: Implementation of unified diagnostic services (UDS on CAN)
- Part 4: Requirements for emissions-related systems
Introduction

This part of ISO 15765 has been established in order to define common requirements for vehicle diagnostic systems implemented on a Controller Area Network (CAN) communication link, as specified in ISO 11898. Although primarily intended for diagnostic systems, it also meets requirements from other CAN-based systems needing a network layer protocol.

To achieve this, it is based on the Open Systems Interconnection (OSI) Basic Reference Model specified in ISO/IEC 7498 and ISO/IEC 10731, which structures communication systems into seven layers. When mapped on this model, the services specified by ISO 15765 are divided into

— unified diagnostic services (layer 7), specified in ISO 15765-3,
— network layer services (layer 3), specified in ISO 15765-2,
— CAN services (layers 1 and 2), specified in ISO 11898,

in accordance with Table 1.

The application layer services covered by ISO 15765-3 have been defined in compliance with diagnostic services established in ISO 14229-1 and ISO 15031-4, but are not limited to use only with them. ISO 15765-3 is also compatible with most diagnostic services defined in national standards or vehicle manufacturer's specifications.

The network layer services covered by ISO 15765-2 have been defined to be independent of the physical layer implemented, and a physical layer is only specified for legislated OBD.

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Part 4: Requirements for emissions-related systems

1 Scope

This part of ISO 15765 specifies requirements for the emissions-related systems of legislated-OBD-compliant controller area networks (CAN), such communications networks consisting of a road vehicle equipped with a single or multiple emissions-related ECUs and external test equipment. It is based on the specifications of ISO 15765-2, ISO 11898-1 and ISO 11898-2, while placing restrictions on those standards for legislated-OBD purposes. It does not specify in-vehicle CAN bus architecture. Legislating-OBD-compliant vehicles are to comply with external test equipment requirements.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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.

ISO 11898 (all parts), Road vehicles — Controller area network (CAN)

ISO 14229-1, Road vehicles — Unified diagnostic services (UDS) — Part 1: Specification and requirements ¹)

ISO 15765-2, Road vehicles — Diagnostics on Controller Area Networks (CAN) — Part 2: Network layer services

ISO 15031-5, Road vehicles — Communication between vehicle and external equipment for emissions-related diagnostics — Part 5: Emissions-related diagnostic services ¹)

3 Terms, definitions, symbols and abbreviated terms

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 14229-1 and the following symbols and abbreviated terms apply.

\[ C_{1}, C_{2} \]  \[ C_{CAN,H} \]  \[ C_{CAN,L} \]  \[ C_{DIFF} \]  

- \( C_{1}, C_{2} \): capacitance of a.c. termination
- \( C_{CAN,H} \): capacitance between CAN_H and ground potential
- \( C_{CAN,L} \): capacitance between CAN_L and ground potential
- \( C_{DIFF} \): capacitance between CAN_H and CAN_L

¹) To be published.
4 External test equipment initialization sequence

4.1 General

The external test equipment shall support the initialization sequence specified in this part of ISO 15765. See Figure 1.

The purpose of the external test equipment initialization sequence is to automatically detect whether the vehicle supports legislated on-board diagnostics on CAN using the physical layer specified in Clause 8. Furthermore, the initialization sequence determines the legislated-OBD ECUs (CAN Id, see 6.3) expected to respond to ISO 15031-5 service 01 hex requests. Note that for each legislated-OBD service that requires the determination of "supported" information, the external test equipment has to update its list of expected responding legislated-OBD ECUs prior to any data parameter requests (see ISO 15031-5 for applicable services). The external test equipment initialization sequence supports single baudrate initialization (e.g. 500 kBit/s) and multiple baudrate initialization (e.g. 250 kBit/s and 500 kBit/s) and is separated into
a) 11 bit CAN identifier verification procedure (see 4.2), and

b) 29 bit CAN identifier verification procedure (see 4.3).

The external test equipment initialization sequence contains provisions for legacy vehicles using either CAN (same or different physical layer as defined for legislated OBD) or a different protocol (non-CAN) on the CAN pins of the ISO 15031-3 diagnostic connector.

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**Figure 1 — Initialization sequence — Overview**

The parameter baudrateRecord shall be used to specify the type of initialization to be performed. If the baudrateRecord parameter contains a single baudrate, then a single baudrate initialization sequence shall be performed using the specified single baudrate (e.g. 500 kBit/s). If the baudrateRecord parameter contains multiple baudrates, then a multiple baudrate initialization sequence including a baudrate detection procedure shall be performed using the specified multiple baudrates (e.g. 250 kBit/s and 500 kBit/s).
By default the baudrateRecord contains all baudrates specified in 8.3. The default content of the parameter baudrateRecord can be superseded by any other list of baudrates, e.g. single 500 kBit/s baudrate as specified in 8.3.3.

For legislated-OBD baudrates, the external test equipment shall use the appropriate CAN bit timing parameter values defined in 8.3.

The following descriptions of the external test equipment initialization make use of the connectors A to F as shown in Figure 1 to reference certain entry and exit points.

4.2 11 bit CAN identifier verification procedure

4.2.1 Request message transmit procedure

The purpose of the 11 bit CAN identifier verification procedure is to determine whether 11 bit CAN identifiers are being used in legislated-OBD communication and, if multiple baudrates are specified in the baudrateRecord parameter, to determine the baudrate to be used in such communication.

The following transmit procedure shall be used to transmit the request message of the 11 bit CAN identifier verification procedure. The transmit procedure contains provisions for legacy vehicles which use either CAN (same or different physical layer as defined for legislated OBD) or a different protocol (non CAN) on the CAN pins of the ISO 15031-3 diagnostic connector.

Where the vehicle uses a CAN with a physical layer different from that specified for legislated OBD (Clause 8) or a non-CAN protocol on the CAN pins of the OBD connector, the transmit procedure given as follows shall guarantee that in all cases the external test equipment will detect that the vehicle does not support CAN as specified for legislated OBD and will stop the transmission of the request message immediately.

Where the vehicle uses CAN and the physical layer according to Clause 8, the transmit procedure given as follows shall guarantee that in all cases the external test equipment will detect that it uses the wrong baudrate for the transmission of the request message and will stop disturbing the CAN bus immediately. Under normal in-vehicle conditions (i.e. no error frames during in-vehicle communication when the external test equipment is disconnected), the external test equipment will disable its CAN interface prior to the situation where the internal error counters of the OBD ECU(s) reach critical values.

To achieve this, the external test equipment shall support the following features.

- Possibility to stop sending immediately during transmission of any CAN frame. The CAN interface should be disconnected within 12 μs from reception of a bus error signal. The maximum time for the disconnection is 100 μs. With the CAN interface disconnected, the external test equipment shall not be able to transmit dominant bits on the CAN bus.
- Possibility to immediately detect any error on the CAN bus.

The procedure shall be performed as follows. See Figure 2.

a) The external test equipment shall set up its CAN interface using the first baudrate contained in the baudrateRecord. It shall use the CAN bit timing parameter values defined for this baudrate (see 8.3). Following the CAN Interface set-up, it shall connect the CAN Interface to the CAN bus.

b) The external test equipment shall transmit a functionally addressed service 01 hex request message (read-supported PiDs)\(^2\) using the legislated-OBD 11 bit functional request CAN identifier according to 6.3.2.2.

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\(^2\) See ISO 15031-5 for the request message definition of service 01 hex to read the supported PiDs.
The external test equipment shall check for any CAN error. If the request message is transmitted onto the CAN bus, it shall indicate a successful transmission (connector B).

d) If a CAN error occurred, the external test equipment shall disconnect its CAN interface from the CAN bus. With a disconnected CAN interface, the external test equipment shall not be able to transmit dominant bits on the CAN bus. It shall check whether more baudrates are contained in the baudrateRecord. If no further baudrate is contained in the baudrateRecord, it shall indicate that the request was not transmitted successfully (connector F).

e) If the end of the baudrateRecord is not reached, the external test equipment shall set up its CAN interface using the next baudrate in the baudrateRecord and shall connect its CAN interface to the CAN bus. Following the setup, the external test equipment shall transmit the request message once again [continue from b)].

![Flowchart for 11 bit CAN identifier request transmission]

Figure 2 — Initialization sequence — 11 bit CAN identifier request transmission

4.2.2 Response handling procedure

The response handling procedure shall be used to receive 11 bit CAN identifier response messages and indicates that no response message has been received. It shall be performed immediately after the 11 bit CAN identifier request message transmit procedure (4.2.1), as follows. See Figure 3.

a) If the transmission of the request message was successful (connector B), the external test equipment shall start the P2_CAN (see ISO 15031-5) application timer.
b) If the external test equipment determines a P2\textsubscript{CAN} timeout then no response message has been started and the external test equipment has verified that 11 bit CAN identifiers are not used for legislated-OBD communication (connector C). In addition, this means that the external test equipment has determined that the vehicle supports CAN using the specified physical layer and one of the baudrates contained in the baudrateRecord parameter.

![Diagram](image)

**Figure 3 — Initialization sequence — 11 bit CAN identifier response handling**

c) The start of a response message can either be the reception of a FirstFrame or SingleFrame which uses one of the specified legislated-OBD 11 bit physical response CAN identifiers (see 6.3.2.2).
d) If at least one response message is started, the external test equipment shall continue to receive this previously started response message (only applies to multiple-frame response messages) and shall accept further response messages within $P_{\text{CAN}}$ which use one of the specified legislated-OBD 11 bit physical response CAN identifiers.

e) When all started response messages are completely received (positive or negative responses) and the $P_{\text{CAN}}$ application timer is timed out, this means that the external test equipment has verified that the vehicle supports legislated OBD on CAN using 11 bit CAN identifiers (connector E). If all received response messages are positive response messages, then the external test equipment knows the supported PIDs and the communication parameters of the legislated-OBD ECUs expected to respond to service 01 hex data parameter requests. Where one or more of the received response messages are negative response messages with response code 21 hex (busyRepeatRequest), the external test equipment shall start the initialization sequence (Connector A) again after a minimum delay of 200 ms. If the negative response(s) appear(s) on six (6) subsequent sequences, the external test equipment will assume that the vehicle is not compliant with ISO 15765-4 (connector F). This means that the legislated OBD-related ECU(s) shall provide a positive response within a maximum of five retries.

4.3 29 bit CAN identifier verification procedure

4.3.1 Request message transmit procedure

The purpose of the 29 bit CAN identifier verification procedure is to determine whether 29 bit CAN identifiers are being used in legislated-OBD communication.

The 29 bit CAN identifier request message transmit procedure shall be used to transmit the functionally addressed request message of the 29 bit CAN identifier verification procedure. The same requirements as specified in 4.2.1 apply to the external test equipment when transmitting this request message. The procedure shall be performed as follows. See Figure 4.

![Flowchart of Initialization sequence — 29 bit CAN identifier request transmission](image-url)

Figure 4 — Initialization sequence — 29 bit CAN identifier request transmission
a) If the external test equipment reaches this point in the initialization sequence, this means that the CAN baudrate is already configured based on the previously performed 11 bit CAN identifier verification procedure. The external test equipment shall transmit a functionally addressed service 01 hex request message (read-supported PIDs — see ISO 15031-5) using the legislated-OBD 29 bit functional request CAN identifier according to 6.3.2.3. There is no need to set up the CAN Interface.

b) The external test equipment shall check for any CAN error. If the request message is transmitted onto the CAN bus, it shall indicate a successful transmission (connector D). If a CAN error occurred, the external test equipment shall disconnect its CAN Interface from the CAN bus — with a disconnected CAN interface, the external test equipment shall not be able to transmit dominant bits on the CAN bus — and shall indicate a transmit error (connector F).

4.3.2 Response handling procedure

The 29 bit CAN identifier response handling procedure shall be used to receive 29 bit CAN identifier response messages and indicates that no response message has been received. It shall be performed immediately after the 29 bit CAN identifier request message transmit procedure (4.3.1), as follows. See Figure 5.

a) If the transmission of the request message was successful (connector D) then the external test equipment shall start the P2_CAN (see ISO 15031-5) application timer.

b) If the external test equipment determines a P2_CAN timeout, this means that no response message has been started and the external test equipment has verified that 29 bit CAN identifiers are not used for legislated-OBD communication (connector F).

c) The start of a response message can either be the reception of a FirstFrame or SingleFrame which uses one of the specified legislated-OBD 29 bit physical response CAN identifiers (see 6.3.2.3).

d) If at least one response message is started, the external test equipment shall continue to receive this previously started response message (only applies to multiple-frame response messages) and shall accept within P2_CAN further response messages which use one of the specified legislated-OBD 29 bit physical response CAN identifiers.

e) When all started response messages are completely received (positive or negative responses) and the P2_CAN application timer is timed out, this means that the external test equipment has verified that the vehicle supports legislated OBD on CAN using 29 bit CAN identifiers (connector E). If all received response messages are positive response messages, the external test equipment knows the supported PIDs and the communication parameters of the legislated-OBD ECUs expected to respond to service 01 hex data parameter requests. Where one or more of the received response messages are negative response messages with response code 2 hex (busyRepeatRequest), the external test equipment shall start the initialization sequence (connector C) again after a minimum delay of 200 ms. If the negative response(s) appear(s) on six (6) subsequent sequences, the external test equipment will assume that the vehicle is not compliant with ISO 15765-4 (connector F). This means that the legislated OBD-related ECU(s) shall provide a positive response within a maximum of five (5) retries.
5 Session layer

All legislated OBD shall take place during the default diagnostic session.

There shall always be exactly one diagnostic session active in a legislated OBD-related ECU. A legislated-OBD-related ECU shall always start the default diagnostic session when powered up. If no other diagnostic session is started, then the default diagnostic session shall be running as long as the legislated-OBD-related ECU is powered.
A legislated-OBD-related ECU shall be capable of providing all diagnostic functionality defined for legislated OBD in the default diagnostic session and under normal operating conditions.

There is no need for any diagnostic service to be sent to the legislated-OBD-related ECU to keep the default diagnostic session active.

6 Network layer

6.1 General

The network layer of the external test equipment and the legislated-OBD-compliant vehicle ECU(s) — from the external test equipment point of view — shall be in accordance with ISO 15765-2 and the restrictions/additions given in 6.2 to 6.4.

6.2 Addressing formats

For legislated-OBD communication, only the normal addressing format — in the case of 11 bit CAN identifiers — and only the normal fixed addressing format — in the case of 29 bit CAN identifiers — as they are defined in ISO 15765-2, shall be used.

6.3 Data link layer interface

6.3.1 CAN identifier requirements

6.3.1.1 External test equipment

The external test equipment shall support 11 bit and 29 bit CAN identifiers for legislated-OBD communication, for which it shall only accept CAN identifiers which fit into the defined legislated-OBD CAN identifier ranges for 11 bit or 29 bit CAN identifiers (see 6.3.2).

For legislated-OBD communication following the initialization sequence, the external test equipment shall only use 11 bit or 29 bit CAN identifiers.

6.3.1.2 Legislated-OBD ECU

A legislated-OBD-compliant vehicle shall use a single CAN identifier size: either 11 bit or 29 bit. From the external test equipment point of view, each legislated-OBD ECU in a given legislated OBD-compliant vehicle shall

- support either 11 bit or 29 bit CAN identifiers for legislated-OBD request and response messages,
- support one pair of physical request and response CAN identifiers in accordance with 6.3.2,
- accept the functional request CAN identifier of the supported CAN identifier set (11 bit or 29 bit — see 6.3.2) for functionally addressed legislated-OBD request messages, and
- accept the physical request CAN identifier associated with the physical response CAN identifier for physically addressed FlowControl frames sent by the external test equipment (see 6.3.2).

6.3.2 Mapping of diagnostic addresses

6.3.2.1 Legislated-OBD CAN identifiers

The following subclauses specify the 11 bit and 29 bit CAN identifiers to be used for legislated-OBD diagnostics. Both sets of CAN identifiers represent the mapping of diagnostic addresses into CAN identifiers as follows. Table 2 defines the diagnostic addresses versus type of CAN identifier, whether physical or functional. For 11 bit CAN identifiers, the mapping of the target address (TA) and source address (SA) into a CAN identifier is implied. Table 3 specifies the 11 bit CAN identifiers to be used for legislated-OBD diagnostics. See Figure 6.
Table 2 — Definition of diagnostic addresses versus type of CAN identifier

<table>
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<tr>
<th>CAN Identifier</th>
<th>Target Address (TA)</th>
<th>Source Address (SA)</th>
<th>TA type (TATYPE)</th>
<th>Message type (Mtype)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Functional request</td>
<td>Legislated OBD system = 33 hex</td>
<td>External test equipment = F1 hex</td>
<td>functional</td>
<td>diagnostics</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Physical response</td>
<td>External test equipment = F1 hex</td>
<td>Legislated-OBD ECU = xx hex</td>
<td>physical</td>
<td>diagnostics</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Physical request</td>
<td>Legislated OBD ECU = xx hex</td>
<td>External test equipment = F1 hex</td>
<td>physical</td>
<td>diagnostics</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

xx hex ECU physical diagnostic address

NOTE For detailed descriptions of parameters TA, SA, TATYPE and MTYPE, see ISO 15765-2.

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![Figure 6 — CAN identifier usage](image)

**Key**
- FF CAN frame data area, indication the frame type
- CAN Id field of CAN frame

For legislated OBD:

- the functional request CAN identifier shall be used for functionally addressed request messages sent by the external test equipment, this particular CAN identifier representing the TA 33 hex (legislated-OBD functional system) and SA F1 hex (external test equipment);

- the physical response CAN Id shall be used for physically addressed response messages sent by the legislated-OBD ECU(s), this particular CAN Identifier representing TA F1 hex (external test equipment) and the physical diagnostic address (SA) of the ECU(s).

- the physical request CAN Id shall only be used for physically addressed FlowControl frames sent by the external test equipment, this particular CAN Identifier representing the physical diagnostic address (TA) of the ECU and SA F1 hex (external test equipment).

The server identifier (physical diagnostic address) of a legislated-OBD ECU shall be unique to a given legislated-OBD-compliant vehicle.

The CAN identifiers specified for legislated OBD may also be used for enhanced diagnostics if this usage does not interfere with legislated OBD.
6.3.2.2 11 bit CAN identifiers

Table 3 specifies the 11 bit CAN identifiers for legislated OBD, based on the defined mapping of the diagnostic addresses.

<table>
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<th>CAN Identifier (hex)</th>
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<tr>
<td>7DF</td>
<td>CAN identifier for functionally addressed request messages sent by external test equipment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E0</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E1</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E2</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E3</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E4</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E5</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #6</td>
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<tr>
<td>7E6</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E7</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E8</td>
<td>Physical response CAN identifier from ECU #1 to external test equipment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7E9</td>
<td>Physical response CAN identifier from ECU #2 to external test equipment</td>
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<td>Physical response CAN identifier from ECU #3 to external test equipment</td>
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<td>Physical response CAN identifier from ECU #4 to the external test equipment</td>
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<td>Physical response CAN identifier from ECU #6 to external test equipment</td>
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<tr>
<td>7EE</td>
<td>Physical response CAN identifier from ECU #7 to external test equipment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7EF</td>
<td>Physical response CAN identifier from ECU #8 to external test equipment</td>
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</table>

While not required for current implementations, it is strongly recommended (and may be required by applicable legislation) that for future implementations the following 11-bit CAN identifier assignments be used:
- 7E0/7E8 for ECM (engine control module);
- 7E1/7E9 for TCM (transmission control module).

6.3.2.3 29 bit CAN Identifiers

Tables 4 and 5 specify the 29 bit CAN identifiers for legislated OBD, based on the defined mapping of the diagnostic addresses. The 29 bit CAN Identifiers shall comply with the normal fixed addressing format according to ISO 15765-2, summarized in Table 4.

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<th>CAN Identifier bit position</th>
<th>28</th>
<th>24</th>
<th>23</th>
<th>16</th>
<th>15</th>
<th>8</th>
<th>7</th>
<th>0</th>
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<tr>
<td>Functional CAN Id</td>
<td>18 hex</td>
<td>DA hex</td>
<td>TA</td>
<td>SA</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Physical CAN Id</td>
<td>18 hex</td>
<td>DA hex</td>
<td>TA</td>
<td>SA</td>
<td></td>
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**NOTE.** The CAN Identifier values given in this table use the default value for the priority information in accordance with ISO 15765-2.
Table 5 — 29 bit legislated OBD CAN identifiers

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<th>CAN identifier (hex)</th>
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<tr>
<td>18 DB 33 F1</td>
<td>CAN identifier for functionally address request messages sent by external test equipment.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18 DA xx F1</td>
<td>Physical request CAN identifier from external test equipment to ECU #xx</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18 DA F1 xx</td>
<td>Physical response CAN identifier from ECU #xx to external test equipment</td>
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The maximum number of legislated-OBD ECUs in a legislated-OBD-compliant vehicle shall not exceed eight (8). The physical ECU diagnostic address of an ECU (‘xx’ hex) embedded in the physical CAN identifiers shall be unique for a legislated-OBD ECU in a given vehicle.

While not required for current implementations, it is strongly recommended (and may be required by applicable legislation) that for future implementations the physical ECU addresses according to the assignments found in SAE J3178/1.

6.4 Network layer parameters

6.4.1 Network layer timing parameter values

Table 6 specifies the network layer timing parameters to be used by the external test equipment and the legislated-OBD-compliant vehicle — from the external test equipment point of view — for legislated-OBD communication.

The listed performance requirement values are the binding communication requirements for the external test equipment and the legislated-OBD ECU(s) considered as being legislated-OBD-compliant. The timeout values are defined to be higher than the values for the performance requirements in order to overcome communication conditions where the performance requirement absolutely cannot be met (owing to external conditions such as high bus load).

Table 6 — Network layer timeout and performance requirement values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Timeout value</th>
<th>Performance requirement value</th>
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<td>N_As/ N_Ar</td>
<td>25 ms</td>
<td>—</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>N Bs</td>
<td>75 ms</td>
<td>—</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>N Br</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>(N Br + N Ar) &lt; 25 ms</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>N Cs</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>(N Cs + N As) &lt; 50 ms</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>N Cr</td>
<td>150 ms</td>
<td>—</td>
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</tbody>
</table>

Owing to application layer timing requirements, the following performance requirement for the transmission of a single or first frame of an ECU response message applies:

\[ P^{2\text{CAN, ECU}} + N_{As} \leq P^{2\text{CAN, max}} \]

NOTE 1 For a detailed description of the network layer timing parameter values, see ISO 15765-2.

NOTE 2 For a detailed description of the application layer timing parameter P2, see ISO 15031-5.

6.4.2 Definition of external test equipment network layer parameter values

The external test equipment shall use the following network layer parameter values for its FlowControl frames sent in response to the reception of a FirstFrame. See Table 7.
### Table 7 — External test equipment network layer parameter values

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<th>Parameter</th>
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<tr>
<td>$N_{\text{WFT}_{\text{max}}}$</td>
<td>WaitForTransmission</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>No FlowControl wait frames are allowed for legislated OBD. The FlowControl frame sent by the external test equipment following the FirstFrame of an ECU response message shall contain the FlowStatus FS set to 0 ('ClearToSend'), which forces the ECU to start immediately after the reception of the FlowControl frame with the transmission of the ConsecutiveFrame(s).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>RS</td>
<td>BlockSize</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>A single FlowControl frame shall be transmitted by the external test equipment for the duration of a segmented message transfer. This unique FlowControl frame shall follow the FirstFrame of an ECU response message.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>$ST_{\min}$</td>
<td>SeparationTime</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>This value allows the ECU to send ConsecutiveFrames, following the FlowControl frame sent by the external test equipment, as fast as possible.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

If a reduced implementation of the ISO 15765-2 network layer is done in a legislated-OBD ECU, covering only the above listed FlowControl frame parameter values ($RS$, $ST_{\min}$), then any FlowControl frame received during legislated-OBD communication and using different FlowControl frame parameter values as defined in this table shall be ignored by the receiving legislated-OBD ECU (treated as an unknown network layer protocol data unit).

#### 6.4.3 Maximum number of legislated-OBD ECUs

The maximum number of legislated-OBD-related ECUs in a vehicle shall not exceed eight (8). The network layer of the external test equipment shall be capable of receiving segmented data from eight (8) legislated-OBD ECUs in parallel.

#### 7 Data link layer

All of ISO 11898-1 is applicable for legislated-OBD purposes, with the following restrictions/additions. The external test equipment CAN controller shall be able to transmit and receive 11 bit and 29 bit CAN identifiers (see 6.3).

The CAN DLC (data length code) contained in every diagnostic CAN frame shall always be set to eight (8). The unused data bytes of a CAN frame are undefined. Any diagnostic CAN frame with a DLC value less than eight (8) shall be ignored by the receiving entity.

#### 8 Physical layer

##### 8.1 General

The physical layer and physical signalling of the external test equipment shall be in accordance with ISO 11898-1 and ISO 11898-2, with the following restrictions and additions.

##### 8.2 External test equipment baudrates

The external test equipment shall support the legislated-OBD baudrates. These can vary because of legislation. Where the applicable legislation does not specify baudrates, use

- 250 kBit/s
- 500 kBit/s

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8.3 External test equipment CAN bit timing

8.3.1 CAN bit timing parameter values

The specified CAN bit timing parameter values apply to the external test equipment. The legislatively-OBD-compliant vehicle may use different CAN bit timing parameter values to achieve its legislatively-OBD-compliant baudrate, however, it shall be able to communicate with the defined external test equipment.

The following specifies the required CAN bit timing parameter settings for the external test equipment based on the timing parameter definitions given in ISO 11090-1. All requirements are specified for operation at 250 kBit/s and 500 kBit/s. The bit timing is according to ISO 11898. The CAN controller shall support the protocol specifications CAN 2.0A (standard format) and CAN 2.0B passive (29 bit ID extended format) and shall be in accordance with ISO 11898.

For example, the enhanced protocol for higher clock tolerance shall be supported (e.g. tolerate 2 bit message intermission) and extended frame messages shall not be disturbed unless bit errors are being detected.

The CAN bit timing parameter values used in this part of ISO 15765 are based on equivalent terms in ISO 11898-1:

\[ f_{\text{SYNCSEG}} = \text{Sync\_Seg} = 1 \cdot t_Q \]
\[ f_{\text{SEG1}} = \text{Prop\_Seg} + \text{Phase\_Seg1} = f_{\text{BIT}} - f_{\text{SYNCSEG}} - f_{\text{SEG2}} \]
\[ f_{\text{SEG2}} = \text{Phase\_Seg2} \]
\[ f_{\text{JW}} = \text{resynchronization jump width} \]
\[ f_{\text{BIT}} = t_Q \text{ (nominal bit time)} \]
\[ t_Q = \text{time quantum} \]
\[ SP = \text{nominal sample point position} = (1 - \frac{f_{\text{SEG2}}}{f_{\text{BIT}}}) \cdot 100\% \]

NOTE Compliance with the nominal bit time tolerance requirement given in this part of ISO is directly dependent on the CAN system clock tolerance of the external test equipment and the programmed nominal bit time value. In a typical CAN controller, the nominal bit time value must be an integer multiple of its system clock periods. When the programmable nominal bit time value is set exactly to the required nominal bit time value, accuracy is only affected by the system clock tolerance. Otherwise, the accuracy is dependent upon both the deviation of the programmed bit time value from the nominal bit time value and the system clock tolerance. The contributions from drift or ageing of the system clock source and from the inability to achieve the desired nominal bit time value are additive; the bit time tolerance specification must be met after consideration of both.

See Figure 7.
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8.3.2 Nominal baudrate 250 kBit/s

Table 8 specifies the allowed CAN bit timing parameter values for a baudrate of 250 kBit/s. The external test equipment shall operate in single data sampling mode.

The tolerance of the external test equipment nominal baudrate 250 kBit/s shall be ± 0,15 %.

Table 8 — 250 kBit/s CAN bit timing parameter values — Single data sampling mode

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Minimum</th>
<th>Nominal</th>
<th>Maximum</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>t_{BIT_RX}</td>
<td>3 980 ns</td>
<td>4 000 ns</td>
<td>4 020 ns</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>t_{BIT_TX}</td>
<td>3 994 ns</td>
<td>4 000 ns</td>
<td>4 006 ns</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>t_Q</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>250 ns</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>df</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>0,15 %</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The min. and max. values of the nominal bit time \( t_{BIT_RX} \) are worst-case values for the reception of bits from the CAN bus based on a nominal baudrate tolerance of ± 0,5 %. The min. and max. values of the nominal bit time \( t_{BIT_TX} \) are worst-case values for the transmission of bits onto the CAN bus based on the specified external test equipment nominal baudrate tolerance of ± 0,15 %.

Table 9 presents the only allowed CAN bit timing parameter values for the external test equipment based on standard time quanta \( t_Q \) and the timing parameters listed in 8.3.1.

Table 9 — 250 kBit/s CAN bit timing parameter values for standard time quanta

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>( t_Q ) (ns)</th>
<th>( t_{SW} ) (ns)</th>
<th>( t_{SEG1} ) (ns)</th>
<th>( t_{SEG2} ) (ns)</th>
<th>Nominal sample point position</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>200</td>
<td>600</td>
<td>3 000</td>
<td>800</td>
<td>80</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>250</td>
<td>750</td>
<td>3 000</td>
<td>750</td>
<td>81,25</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The nominal sample point position is specified relative to one (1) bit time.
8.3.3 Nominal baudrate 500 kBit/s

Table 10 specifies the allowed CAN bit timing parameter values for a baudrate of 500 kBit/s. The external test equipment shall operate in single data-sampling mode.

The tolerance of the external test equipment nominal baudrate 500 kBit/s shall be ±0.15 %

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Minimum</th>
<th>Nominal</th>
<th>Maximum</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>t_{ST_RX}</td>
<td>1,990 ns</td>
<td>2,000 ns</td>
<td>2,011 ns</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>t_{ST_TX}</td>
<td>1,997 ns</td>
<td>2,000 ns</td>
<td>2,003 ns</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>t_Q</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>125 ns</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Δt</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>0.15 %</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The min. and max. values of the nominal bit time t_{ST_RX} are worst-case values for the reception of bits from the CAN bus based on a nominal baudrate tolerance of ±0.5 %.

The min. and max. values of the nominal bit time t_{ST_TX} are worst-case values for the transmission of bits onto the CAN bus based on the specified external test equipment nominal baudrate tolerance of ±0.15 %.

Table 11 presents contains the only allowed CAN bit timing parameter values for the external test equipment based on standard time quanta (t_Q) and the timing parameters listed in 8.3.1.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>t_Q</th>
<th>t_{SWM}</th>
<th>t_{SEG1}</th>
<th>t_{SEG2}</th>
<th>Nominal sample point position</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>100</td>
<td>300</td>
<td>1,500</td>
<td>400</td>
<td>80</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>125</td>
<td>375</td>
<td>1,500</td>
<td>375</td>
<td>81.25</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The nominal sample point position is specified relative to one (1) hit time.

8.4 External test equipment

8.4.1 General

The following specifies the electrical parameters to be fulfilled by the external test equipment. The requirements are separated into those for the external test equipment CAN interface and those for the external-test-equipment cable. See Figure 8.
8.4.2 CAN interface

8.4.2.1 Capacitive load

These subclauses specify the required electrical parameters for the external-test-equipment CAN interface, excluding the cable (see 8.4.3) and the OBD connector.

The external test equipment capacitive load does not include the capacitive load of the external-test-equipment cable. These values only apply to the CAN interface of the external test equipment hardware, with the exception of the a.c. termination (see 8.4.2.3.3), and are seen during the recessive state when the external test equipment is disconnected from the cable and the a.c. termination has not yet been inserted. See Table 12.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Minimum</th>
<th>Nominal</th>
<th>Maximum pF</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>$C_{\text{DIFF}}$</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>50</td>
<td>CAN_H to CAN_L</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>$C_{\text{CAN_H}, C_{\text{CAN_L}}}$</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>CAN_H/CAN_L to ground potential</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

8.4.2.2 Propagation delay

The external test equipment propagation delay does not include the cable propagation delay. This value only applies to the CAN interface of the external-test-equipment hardware. This requirement is based on the most critical timing when operating at the legislated-OBD compliant baud rate of 500 kbit/s. The external-test-equipment propagation delay (loop delay) includes all delays that can be caused by the CAN interface of the external test equipment (e.g. CAN transceiver propagation delays, CAN controller propagation delays). See Table 13.

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Table 13 — External test equipment propagation delay — Loop delay without cable delay

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Minimum</th>
<th>Nominal</th>
<th>Maximum</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>$i_{TOOL}$</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>390</td>
<td>Loop delay of external test equipment</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

8.4.2.3   CAN bus termination

8.4.2.3.1   General

These subclauses specify the termination requirements to be fulfilled by the external test equipment. See Figure 9.

![External test equipment CAN interface diagram](image)

**Figure 9 — External test equipment CAN bus termination**

8.4.2.3.2   Physical media termination

There shall be no termination resistor between the CAN conductors CAN_H and CAN_L in the external test equipment for the adaptation to the physical media impedance. The external test equipment shall be an unterminated node on the CAN bus to which it is connected.

8.4.2.3.3   a.c. termination

The external test equipment shall have an a.c. termination for the purpose of minimizing reflections on the CAN bus. See Table 14.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Minimum</th>
<th>Nominal</th>
<th>Maximum</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>$R_1, R_2$</td>
<td>90 $\Omega$</td>
<td>100 $\Omega$</td>
<td>110 $\Omega$</td>
<td>Resistor of the a.c. termination</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>$C_1, C_2$</td>
<td>470 pF</td>
<td>560 pF</td>
<td>640 pF</td>
<td>Capacitor of the a.c. termination</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

$R_1 = R_2$
$C_1 = C_2$

NOTE Reflections on the CAN bus occur in the external test equipment CAN interface because it is not permitted that the external test equipment use a physical media termination resistor to adapt to the physical media impedance (8.4.2.3.2).
8.4.3 External-test-equipment cable

8.4.3.1 Cable length

The external-test-equipment cable shall provide interconnection between the vehicle OBD connector and the CAN interface of the external test equipment (see 8.4.2).

The external-test-equipment cable length is defined to be the length of the cable between the OBD connector and the external test equipment CAN interface. See Table 15.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Minimum</th>
<th>Nominal</th>
<th>Maximum m</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>L_CABLE</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>External-test-equipment cable length</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

8.4.3.2 Propagation delay

The cable propagation delay shall not include the external test equipment propagation delay. This value only applies to the cable. This requirement is based on the most critical timing when operating at the legislated OBD compliant baudrate of 500 kbit/s. The cable propagation delay is defined as a one-way delay, from the OBD connector to the external test equipment CAN interface. See Table 16.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Minimum</th>
<th>Nominal</th>
<th>Maximum ns</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>L_CABLE</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>—</td>
<td>27.5</td>
<td>External-test-equipment cable delay</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

8.4.3.3 Cable configuration requirements

The following configuration requirements apply to the external-test-equipment cable.

- No other wires shall be twisted with CAN conductor(s) CAN_H or CAN_L. However, twisting of the CAN conductors with Signal Ground is allowed.

  NOTE There are no further requirements for twisting.

- The CAN_H and CAN_L conductors shall have the same length and traverse the same path for the entire distance.

- CAN_H and CAN_L conductors shall not be included in a bundle containing radiating wires which induce more than 0.5 V rms modulation on either CAN conductor relative to Signal Ground.

- The cable shall be shielded where the external-test-equipment cable length exceeds 1 m. The shield shall be connected to the chassis ground pin of the cable side of the OBD connector.
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