

ECSS-E-50-11 SpaceWire Protocols

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Introduction

- The ECSS-E-50-11 Working Group has formally been kick-off in December 2007
- Title of the document is "SpaceWire Protocols"
- A draft standard document was produced, reviewed and iterated within the ECSS WG
- The draft v0.8 was provided the SpW WG for review and comments
- The review of the draft and the discussion of the comments received is the objective of the meeting today

Objectives

- The ECSS-E-50-11 SpaceWire Protocols Standard is to define:
 - Protocol ID definition
 - Remote Memory Access Protocol
 - Any additional protocols over SpW which are to be standardised under ECSS
- The objective of the ECSS WG was to transfer the following two draft documents into a draft ECSS Standard Document.
 - SpaceWire Protocol ID, Draft A, November 2004
 - SpaceWire RMAP Protocol, Draft F, 4th December 2006
- During this conversion the technical content was tobe kept unchanged and to be described without ambiguity

Document Structure (1)

Chapter 1

Scope

Chapter 2

Normative References

Chapter 3

Terms, definitions and abbreviated terms

 To contain only definitions which are common to all protocols defined in the standard

Chapter 4

Principles

Explanation of the document structure



Document Structure (2)

Chapter 5

Protocol Identification

- Definition of the PID
- To contains information from SpaceWire Protocol ID, Draft A, November 2004
- Protocol Identifier allocation table
- Future additional PIDs are to be published in amendment sheets on the ECSS website

Chapter 6

Remote Memory Access Protocol

- To contain information from SpaceWire RMAP Protocol, Draft F, 4th December 2006
- 6.10. Annex RMAP CRC Implementation (informative)
- 6.11. Annex RMAP Service Interface Specification (informative)
 - To explain mapping of CCSDS SOIS services to RMAP



Document Structure (2)

Chapter 7

CCSDS Packet Encapsulation Protocol

- On initiative of the BepiColombo project
- A first version of protocol has been presented at the last SpW WG meeting

Chapter 8, 9, ..

Future SpaceWire Protocols

 Future SpaceWire protocols which are standardised in ECSS are to be defined in additional chapters



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Thank you for your help!



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Particular attention on deviations from Draft F

Byte order of data field made implementation dependent

6.2.13. Data field

- The Data field shall be a variable length field containing the data bytes that are written in a write command or the data bytes that are read in a read reply, or read and written in a read-modify-write command and reply.
- Versus in Draft F, which stated that "when writing to memory organized in words (e.g. 32-bit words) then the first byte sent is the most significant byte of the word."



Particular attention on deviations from Draft F

- In Daft F there are only four principle write error types defined:
 - Write Command Header Error,
 - Write Authorisation Rejection,
 - Write Command Data Error,
 - Write Reply Error
- 6.4.3.10. Write not OK has been added to cover memory write failures at the target mode.
 - The General Error code will be returned if the Reply bit in the command field is set