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Foreword

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This fourth edition cancels and replaces the third edition (ISO 11783-3:2014), which has been technically revised. The main changes compared to the previous edition are as follows:

- updates wording with respect to ISO 11898-1 (exclude the usage of CAN Flexible Data Rate);
- allows BAM.TP to be sent with 10 ms;
- ACKNOWLEDGEMENT PG supports Extended Identifier Type when Request2 utilizes it.

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Introduction

ISO 11783 specifies a communications system for agricultural equipment based on the ISO 11898-1 CAN protocol. SAE J 1939 documents¹⁾, on which parts of ISO 11783 are based, were developed jointly for use in truck and bus applications and for construction and agriculture applications. Joint documents have been completed to allow electronic units that meet the truck and bus SAE J 1939 specifications to be used by agricultural and forestry equipment with minimal changes. General information on ISO 11783 can be found in ISO 11783-1.

The purpose of ISO 11783 is to provide an open, interconnected system for on-board electronic systems. It is intended to enable electronic control units (ECUs) to communicate with each other, providing a standardized system.

1) Society of automotive engineers.

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Part 3: Data link layer

1 Scope

This document specifies the application, the network layer protocols and the mapping to the controller area network (CAN) data link layer protocol as specified in ISO 11898-1. The application layer specifies protocol data units (PDU), which can be mapped to Classical CAN data frames using the Classical Extended Frame Format (CEFF). For PDUs exceeding the length of the CEFF-formatted data frames, this document specifies transport layer protocols and the mapping to CEFF-formatted data frames.

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.

ISO 11783-1, *Tractors and machinery for agriculture and forestry — Serial control and communications data network — Part 1: General standard for mobile data communication*

ISO 11783-5, *Tractors and machinery for agriculture and forestry — Serial control and communications data network — Part 5: Network management*

ISO 11783-7, *Tractors and machinery for agriculture and forestry — Serial control and communications data network — Part 7: Implement messages application layer*

ISO 11898-1, *Road vehicles — Controller area network (CAN) — Part 1: Data link layer and physical signalling*

ISO 15765-2, *Road vehicles — Diagnostic communication over Controller Area Network (DoCAN) — Part 2: Transport protocol and network layer services*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 11783-1 and ISO 11898-1 apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>

4 General description

The data link layer enables the reliable transfer of data across the physical link. This consists of sending the CAN classical data frame with the necessary synchronization, sequence control, error control and flow control. The flow control is accomplished through a consistent message frame format.