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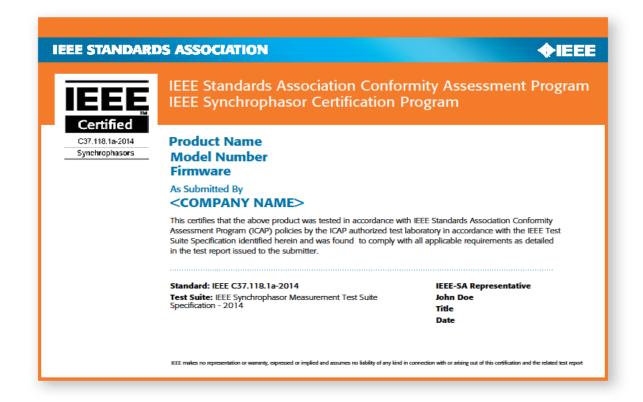
IEEE 1588 Conformity Assessment Program

- A series of tests (test suite) to determine if a Power Industry device is conformant (can be downloaded)
 - https://www.iol.unh.edu/1588PowerProfileConformance
 available here
- Conformant: A well-defined criteria (tests) to establish compliance to the specification.
 - Follow-on topics being discussed include, but are not limited to, Interoperability, Cybersecurity, Redudancy, etc.
- University of New Hampshire Interoperability Laboratory & National Institute of Standards & Technology
- Currently version at 1.22
 - Divided into 13 groups of tests
 - Validates behavior (timeouts, protocol values, response behavior, ...)



IEEE Certificate and Registry

 Upon successfully passing all tests, applicants receive a certificate and are listed on an IEEE registry (shown for Synchrophasor program).





TSS preview testing at ISPCS Workshop



Sample testing offered at last 3 ISPCS Workshops

Need to transition to Pilot Program for more thorough test and feedback on TSS and to transition to active Certification

Test Suite Specification (TSS) for IEC 61850-9-3 / IEEE C37.238

UNH-IOL IEEE 1588 Testing Service

1588 Power Profile Conformance
Test Suite Specification
Version 1.22
Technical Document



NOTICE: This is a living document. All contents are subject to change. Individual tests and/or test groups may be added/deleted/changed in forthcoming revisions. General feedback and comments are welcome, please contact ptplab@iol.unh.edu.

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What it Covers: Two power profiles

• IEC / IEEE 61850-9-3 (Everyone has to conform to this standard)



• IEEE C37.238 (This is an optional extension)





Utilities interest in a Conformity Assessment Program for PTP Power Profile devices

 BPA & AltaLink will look to include certification into their procurement language in the future.

 Utilities viewed as end-users of these products and garnering their support in this effort is pivotal to this program's success.

What You Can Do – One of Three Ways

- Consider Sending equipment to UNH Pilot Program for full evaluation report
 - \$6000
 - 3 months
 - Helps to advance Power Test Suite (still formative, but useful at this point)
 - Funds grad students in an area we want funded
 - https://www.iol.unh.edu/1588/power
- 2. Consider Participating in the IEEE-SA ICAP-CASC (small fee)
 - https://standards.ieee.org/products-services/icap/ptp-power-profile/index.html
- 3. Consider Hiring an Intern with NIST or UNH experience
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