DALI-2: New Standards and Mandatory Certification

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DiiA and DALI

- Digital Illumination Interface Alliance
 - An open, global consortium of lighting companies that promotes the adoption of lighting-control systems using DALI technology
 - 76 members (August 2017)
 - Provides the DALI trademarks to members
 - Creates and maintains the official DALI test sequences for members
 - Provides a DALI-2 Certification process and DALI version-1 registration
- Certification or Registration?
 - Certification: DALI-2
 - More details later...
 - Registration: DALI version-1



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IEC 62386

- What's new?
 - Input devices (multi-masters)







- What's next?
 - 332 Feedback and 333 Manual configuration (control device features)
 - 2xx parts: Power measurement, thermal information, central emergency, load shedding, ...
 - Amendments for parts 101, 102 and 103
 - Other drafts in progress:
 - 104 DALI Wireless and alternative wired systems (wireless, power-line, internet protocol...)
 - 105 Firmware update







IEC 62386

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101 – General requirements – System (V1 & V2)

104 – General requirements – Wireless and alternative wired system (in progress)

105 – General requirements – Firmware update (in progress)

102 – Control gear (V1 & V2)

103 – Control devices (V2)













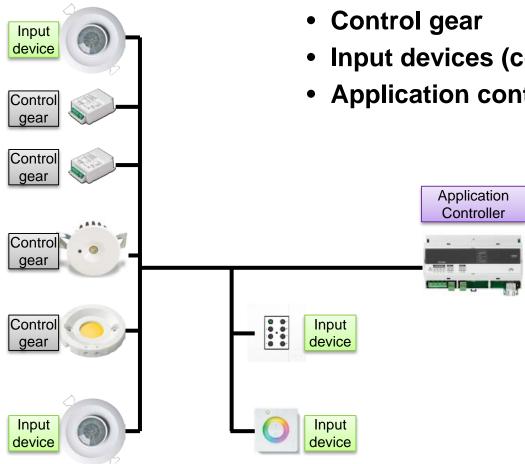
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			in progress (control gear functions):			Input devices:		
207 LED (V2	208 Switching	209 Colour	225 Colour Tc	226 Colour xy		307 Relative	332 Feedback	333 Manual
in progress)		Control	222 Thermal	223 Light	224	input devices	(in progress)	configuration
			lamp	compensation	Integrated Light	(in progress)		(in progress)
			information	over time	source			
204 LV	205	206	219 Power	220 Central	221 Load	304 Light sensor	305 Colour	
Halogen	Incandescent	Conversion to	measurement	emergency	shedding		sensor	
	Dimmer	DC					(future part)	
		(0/1-10 V)						
201	202 Self-	203 HID	216 Load	217 Thermal	218 Dimming	301 Push	302 Absolute	303 Occupancy
Fluorescent	contained		referencing	gear	curve selection	Buttons	input devices	Sensors
(V1 & V2)	Emergency			information				
	(V2 in							
	progress)							







System example



- Input devices (control devices)
- Application controller (control devices)

Note:

- Systems can contain more than one application controller.
- A bus power supply is required, either separate or integrated with an existing device.







Control devices

Two types of control device:

Application controllers







- Use information from any source, make decisions and can send commands to the control gear
- Input devices
 - Fairly simple devices that provide information to the system
 - Examples include push-buttons, sliders, occupancy sensors, and light sensors









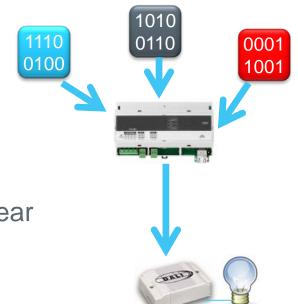




Control devices: Application controllers

- Can use information from any source, including:
 - Control gear
 - Input devices
 - Other application controllers
 - External devices/buses/systems
- Can make decisions, and can send commands to control gear
 - No other device can send commands to control gear
- Single-master or multi-master allowed
 - Single-master: simpler a receiver is not necessary, but can optionally be used to allow polling of input devices, or checking status of control gear
 - Multi-master: supports event driven operation of input devices









Application controller examples

- Ceiling-mounted occupancy sensor, broadcasting levels to the control gear
 - This could be a single-master application controller
 - Only one is allowed in a DALI system



- 2. DIN-rail mounted controller driving two DALI buses
 - This could be a multi-master application controller
 - Other multi-masters can be used on each bus









Control devices: Input devices





- Provide information to application controllers
- Multi-master
- Can be polled, but normally used in event driven mode
- Four input devices already published in IEC 62386
 - 301 Push buttons
 - 302 Absolute input devices
 - 303 Occupancy sensor
 - 304 Light sensor







Input device examples

Push-button with LED feedback

- 101, 103 Control devices
- 301 push-button (x8 instances)
- 332 feedback (x8 features at instance level)
- Events include:
 - Press/release
 - Short press, long press, double press
 - Button stuck
- Feedback allows control of:
 - brightness/colour/volume/pitch
 - One per instance (button) and/or per device

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Input device examples

Combined occupancy and light sensor

- 101, 103 Control device
- 303 occupancy sensor (x1 instance)
- 304 light sensor (x1 instance)
- Events include:
 - Occupied/vacant, movement
 - Illuminance level (after a change)
 - A report timer allows periodic reporting of the input value
- Polling can also be used









Benefits of



- Control devices part 103
 - ONLY certified control devices can use the DALI-2 trademark
 - Application controllers and Input devices defined
 - Single-masters and multi-masters allowed
 - Event priorities defined
 - Separate addressing & grouping from control gear













Benefits of DAL







Control gear and bus power supplies – improvements:

Property	Benefit			
Clearer specification, including bus timing and bus power supplies	Improved interoperability			
Requirement for polarity insensitivity	Easier installation			
Bus powered units	Less wiring			
Multiple logical units	More cost-effective products			
Extended fade time, 100 ms to 16 minutes	Increased comfort and flexibility			
Manufacturer specific operating modes	Improved interoperability and flexibility			
Query light source type	Easier maintenance			







DALI-2 certification

- Products
 - Control gear
 - Parts 101, 102 and/or 207
 - Control devices
 - Parts 101 & 103 (Single-master application controllers)
- How to certify
 - Test using the latest version of the official test sequences
 - Submit product information and test results through member's account
 - Independent verification of results by DiiA
 - Success! → certification is granted









DALI-2 Certification

- How to check:
 - The DALI-2 trademark is only allowed once a product has successfully completed certification.
- DALI 2

- Check the product label.
- Check the web-site. Every DALI-2 certified product is shown in a public area of the web-site:
 - www.digitalilluminationinterface.org/products
- Next products for certification
 - Multi-master application controllers
 - Bus power supplies
 - Colour control (xy and Tc)
 - Input devices
 - Self-contained emergency



- Plugfest
 - Members bring their products for testing with control gear or control devices from other members
 - Live testing with a variety of products
 - Results in improved interoperability
 - Next: October, Dornbirn







Summary

- The main aims of the Digital Illumination Interface Alliance were explained.
- New parts of IEC 62386 were shown, as well as the upcoming parts.
- Example input devices (push-button and sensor) were explained.
- Interoperability of DALI products is achieved through a certification programme for DALI-2.







