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The Telecommunication Technology Committee

What is TTC?

TTC is an incorporated association that contributes to standardization activities in the field of information and communication technology (ICT) by developing and disseminating standards for information and communications networks. It thus participates in the creation of a safe and comfortable society supported by the rapid development of ICTs.

Description of Business Activities

- Developing standards pertaining to information and communication networks
- Conducting surveys and research on information and communication networks
- Disseminating standards pertaining to information and communication networks
- Engaging in undertakings ancillary to the above business activities
- Engaging in other business activities necessary to achieve the purpose of the Committee

Development of Standards

Strategic Standardization Activities

TTC's Strategy Committee plays a pivotal role in developing the organization's strategic standardization activities. TTC standards are enacted in conformance with the World Trade Organization's Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT Agreement), ensuring neutrality and transparency in the standardization process.

OSetting high-priority subjects

High priority subjects are set to discover agendas for standardization. TTC' s **Strategy Committee** in cooperation with **Advisory Groups** investigate the current standardization status and trends concerning the set subjects and work to reflect their findings in TTC standardization activities in a timely manner.

ODeveloping and maintaining technical standards

The **Strategy Committee** develops midterm strategic standardization plans covering three-year periods. Once approved by the **Technical Assembly**, the plans are used by working groups to develop the technical standards required by TTC members in a systematic and timely manner. **Working groups** develop standardization plans for the next fiscal year based on their own midterm standardization strategy and operate their standardization activities over a one-year cycle.

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In order to keep up with the rapid progress in information and communication technologies, TTC dynamically readjusts the organization of its working groups.

Global Collaboration

International Cooperation

TTC is intensively promoting cooperation with various international, regional and national standards development organizations (SDOs) on global standardization activities concerning ICT.

The current main frameworks for international cooperation are as follows.

• ITU-T: Upstream activities to contribute to studies undertaken by the ITU-T and downstream activities to reflect ITU-T study outcomes to TTC standards

• **3GPP/3GPP2:** Downstream (Transposing) activities for developing technical specifications of mobile networks and high level program coordination and management

• oneM2M: Development of the technical specifications for a common M2M service layer to ensure an efficient as well as easily and widely available M2M service

• GSC (Global Standards Collaboration): Development of high-level strategies for global standardization activities by twelve major SDOs including TTC

• ASTAP (Asia-Pacific Telecommunity Standardization Program): Cooperation and collaboration in ICT standardization with countries in the Asia-Pacific region

• CJK: Joint studies and exchange of views among ARIB (Japan), CCSA (China), TTA (Korea) and TTC on global standardization in relation to ICTs

TTC is one of the SDOs that have been officially qualified and recognized by the ITU-T in its Recommendations A.5 and A.6, indicating that the ITU-T can include references to TTC Standards in its Recommendations and can cooperate and exchange information with TTC.

In its quest to help bridge the standardization gap and improve digital inclusion, TTC will continue to contribute to international standardization activities through personnel exchange and the promotion and dissemination of ICT technologies through close collaboration with the relevant international SDOs.





Membership Application

Becoming a TTC member gives a number of advantages. Among them are the chance to participate in the development of TTC standards, see your own ideas reflected in ITU-T standards, join various technical seminars and access TTC documents such as TTC standards, TTC survey reports, and the latest technical information. TTC membership is also useful for those seeking to build their human networks.

If you would like to join the TTC, please fill out our application form and forward it, along with an outline of your organization

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