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Testing and Test Control Notation version 3: TTCN-3 operational semantics

Summary

Recommendation ITU-T Z.164 defines the operational semantics of Testing and Test Control Notation 3 (TTCN-3). The operational semantics are necessary to unambiguously interpret the specifications made with TTCN-3. This Recommendation is based on the TTCN-3 core language defined in Recommendation ITU-T Z.161.

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1 Scope

This Recommendation defines the operational semantics of TTCN-3.

2 References

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[ITU-T Z.161] Recommendation ITU-T Z.161 (2017), Testing and Test Control Notation version 3: TTCN-3 core language.

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3 Definitions

3.1 Terms defined elsewhere

None.

3.2 Terms defined in this Recommendation

None.

4 Abbreviations and acronyms

None.

5 Conventions

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