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## INTRODUCTION

The IEC 62056 DLMS/COSEM suite provides specific communication profile standards for communication media relevant for smart metering.

Such communication profile standards specify how the COSEM data model and the DLMS/COSEM application layer can be used on the lower communication media-specific protocol layers.

Communication profile standards refer to communication standards that are part of the IEC 62056 DLMS/COSEM suite or to any other open communication standard.

This International Standard specifies DLMS/COSEM communication profile using ISO/IEC 14908-1:2012, *Information technology – Control network protocol – Part 1: Protocol stack* and ISO/IEC 14908-3:2012, *Information technology – Control network protocol – Part 3: Power line channel specification*. It applies for devices installed on the neighbourhood area network.

It follows the rules defined in IEC 62056-5-3:2017, Annex A, and in IEC 62056-1-0, and IEC TS 62056-1-1 for its structure.

## **ELECTRICITY METERING DATA EXCHANGE – THE DLMS/COSEM SUITE –**

### **Part 8-8: Communication profile for ISO/IEC 14908 series networks**

#### **1 Scope**

This part of IEC 62056 describes how the DLMS/COSEM Application layer and the COSEM object model as specified in IEC 62056-5-3:2017, IEC 62056-6-1:2017 and IEC 62056-6-2:2017 can be used over the lower layers specified in the IEC 14908 series, forming a DLMS/COSEM ISO/IEC 14908 communication profile.

This document is part of the IEC 62056 series. Its structure follows IEC 62056-1-0 and IEC TS 62056-1-1.

Annex A (informative) provides examples of representative instances of data exchange.

NOTE This Annex A is included and referenced for consistency with other parts of the IEC 62056 suite, but it is empty.

Annex B (normative) defines COSEM interface classes and related OBIS codes for setting up and managing the DLMS/COSEM communication profile for IEC 14908 networks. These interface classes and OBIS codes will be moved later to IEC 62056-6-2 and IEC 62056-6-1.

Annex C (informative) provides an implementation guide and specifies a migration path from Utility Tables based applications to DLMS/COSEM based applications.

Annex D (informative) specifies the OSGP-AES-128-PSK security suite for optional use on the adaptation layer level.

Annex E (normative) specifies the repeating mechanism over the ISO 14908-3 Power Line Channel network.

Annex F (informative) specifies ISO/IEC 14908-3 Registration and monitoring of LNAPs.

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