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Audio, Video and Multimedia Standards for Fully Networked Cars

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- o IEC TC 100 Activity in end-user network
 - IEC/TC 100 has Technical Area 9
 - Presentation of Last Year from IEC/TC 100
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 - DLNA Interoperability Framework
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 - Multiuse of content within the home and vehicles







IEC/TC 100 has Technical Area 9

- IEC/TC 100 considers that vehicular network is a part of end-user networks.
 - TC 100/TA 9 title: Audio, video and multimedia applications for end-user network
 - Scope of TA 9: To develop International Standards for the requirements, functions and protocols of audio, video and multimedia applications for enduser networks, as well as specifications addressing the total system connected in the network for this purpose. --- End-user networks include all personal networks, e.g., home networks, vehicular networks and other networks controlled by an individual for audio, video and multimedia applications.
- Last year, TC 100 depicted the similarity between home-network and vehicular-network.

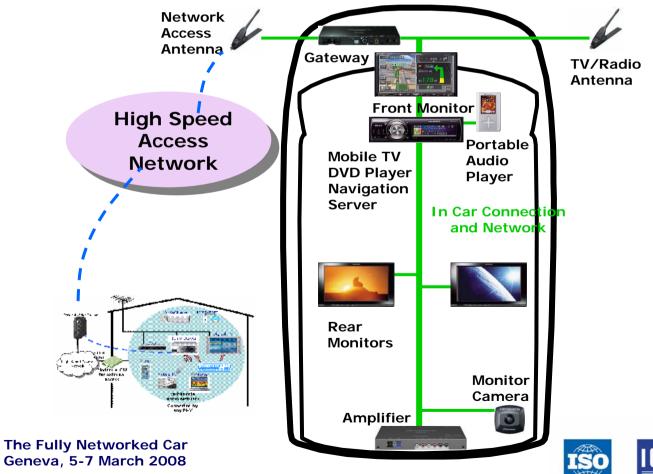






Presentation of last year from IEC/TC 100

- o The title was 'The seamless home network to the car system.'
- Presented by Mr. Jun-ichi Yoshio who has many roles in IEC/TC 100.







- o Trend:
 - 1. Analogue to Digital
 - Plastic Disc/Cassette → CD
 - VHS \rightarrow DVD
 - 2. Package to Network Download
- Physical media needs its specific media player that has been implemented in the box.
- However, network system has various combination between media servers and media players.
 - IEC 62481 (published in Aug. 2007), Digital living network alliance (DLNA) specification, provides architecture, protocols and media formats for home networked device interoperability guidelines.







Standards for end-user network

- o IEC 62481 has two parts:
 - IEC 62481-1 Ed.1: DLNA Home networked device interoperability guidelines - Part 1: Architecture and Protocols
 - 2. IEC 62481-2 Ed.1: DLNA Home networked device interoperability guidelines Part 2: Media Formats
- o In order to harmonize home and vehicular networked device interoperability, a set of media formats plays the key role.
- Content Protection is additional key technology in network downloading environment.







DLNA Interoperability Framework

Content Sharing Framework **Media Formats** (Images, Audio, AV) **Media Transport** (HTTP) **Media Management** (UPnP AV) **Device Discovery &** Control (UPnP Device Arch) **Networking &** Connectivity (IPv4, Ethernet, 802.11)

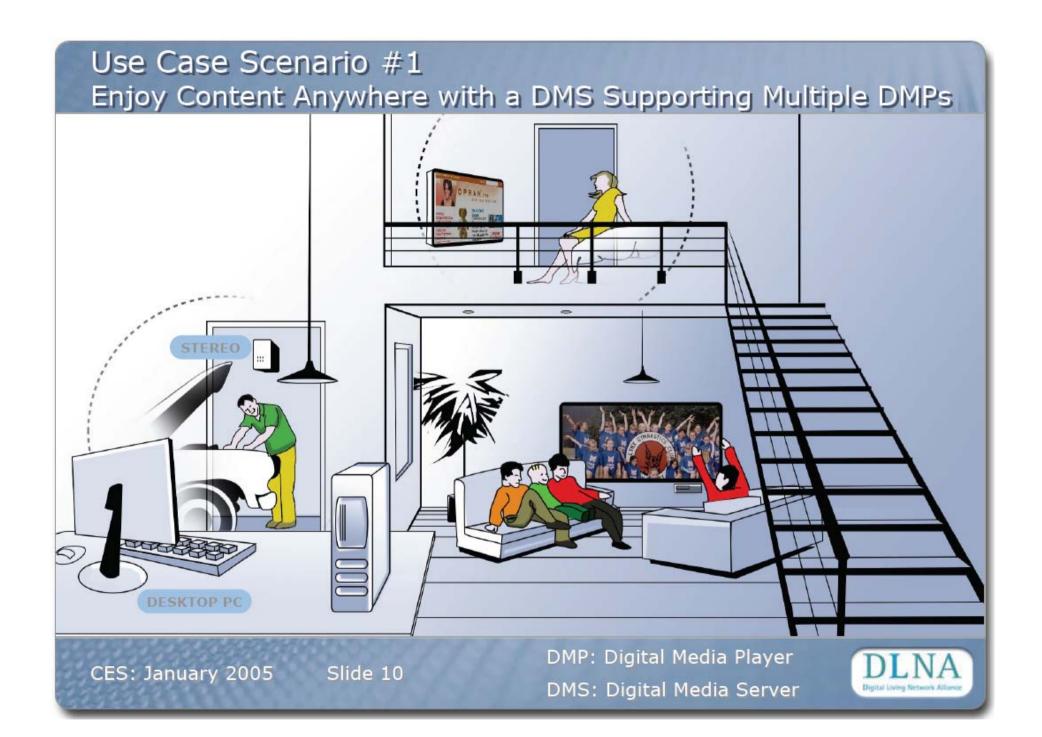
- Complete set of components to deliver user experience for sharing content
- How media content is encoded and identified for interoperability
- How media content is transferred
- How media content is identified, managed, and distributed
- How devices discover and control each other
- How devices physically connect together and communicate

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Recalling Analogue Media Era

- o In Home
 - 1. AM and FM band radio and analogue tape recording
 - Audio cassette system was dominant for recording
 - 2. Analogue TV broadcasting service was/is received by CRT television receivers
 - Record and replay using Video Cassette
- o Outside Home
 - Portable audio cassette players
- o In Vehicle
 - 1. Audio: AM and FM Radio like home
 - Audio cassette for recorded media
 - 2. Analogue TV on car-navigation display







Examining from analogue era to networked environment

Recent media environment in the home

- o Audio:
 - 1. HDD (hard disk drive) is a main audio media server device in the home.
 - 2. A portable audio player are synchronized using a media server
 - All personally owned CDs may be stored in a HDD media server.
 - 4. Audio content may be downloaded from a remote audio server through the Internet
 - 5. A mobile phone set becomes an audio media player
 - A high capacity flash memory card, more than a DVD disc, is capable to store large amount of audio content
- o Video:
 - Optical Discs, such as DVD, are major video content distribution media
- o Portable TV receiver:
 - Many mobile phone sets have digital TV receiving capability for, such as, 1-seg of ISDB-T, S/T-DMB and DVB-H







Recent media environment in vehicles

- Many Vehicles have a multi-channel stereo audio system
 - Vehicular AV system may have a CD/DVD player for audio and/or video play-back
 - 2. Some highly valued vehicles have a HDD that may capture all played-back content in the system
 - 3. Some vehicles have digital broadcast receiver for audio and/or TV.
- Some vehicles have a medium size display in centre console:
 - 1. For analogue TV viewing
 - 2. For digital TV viewing
 - 3. For DVD playing back







Recent media environment in vehicles (Cont.)

- Ways of content delivery to vehicles
 - From Digital Broadcasting (Terrestrial or Satellite)
 - 2. Package media like optical disc such as CD and DVD
 - 3. Within flash memory cards such as SD card
 - 4. Via access networks to buffer memory in the vehicle
 - 5. Via mobile audio devices such as MP3 player
 - Via mobile devices with Bluetooth connection and flash memory card such as mobile phone set.





ITU-R Recommendations and IEC Standards for digital broadcasting

- ITU-R developed Recommendations for broadcasting systems and IEC did International Standards of receivers
- The following table shows an example of digital broadcasting system Recommendations and their receivers' International Standards

		Satellite for fixed reception	Terrestrial	Mobile (One-Seg./DVB-H)
ISDB	ITU-R	BO. 1516 System D	BT.1306 System C	BT.1833 Multimedia System C
	IEC	IEC 62360	IEC 62360	To be included in IEC 62360
DVB	ITU-R	BO. 1516 System A	BT.1306 System B	BT.1833 Multimedia System H
	IEC	IEC 62028	IEC 62216-1 IEC 62028	IEC 62002-1, 2 IEC 62455 for IPDC







- ITU-R WP 6M developed this Recommendation titled 'Broadcasting of multimedia and data applications for mobile reception by handheld receivers' under Question ITU-R 45/6
- Multimedia System "C" (ISDB-T) and Multimedia System "F" (ISDB-TsB)
- Multimedia System "E" (MBCO in Japan and S-DMB in South Korea)
- o Multimedia System "A" (T-DMB)
- o Multimedia System "H" (DVB-H)
- Multimedia System "M" (Forward Link Only (FLO))







Digital Broadcasting Systems for ITS data distribution 15

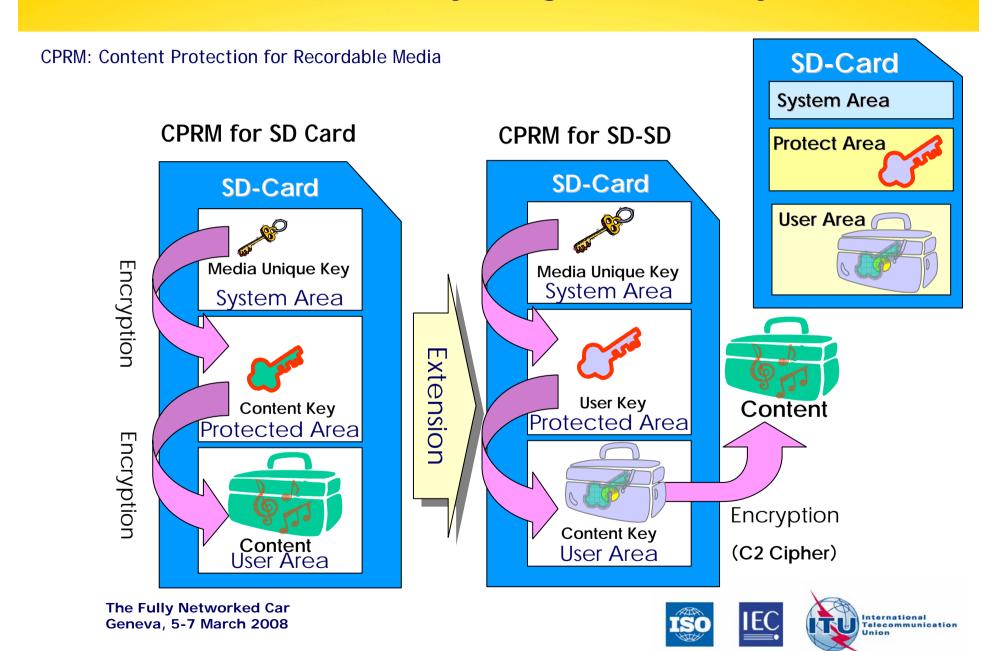
- ISO TC 204/WG 10 developed a series of Technical Specifications based on TPEG- binary, that includes additional specification to modify multimedia digital system.
- ITU-R WP 6M started Category A liaison between ISO/TC 204 and its WG 10 regarding digital multimedia broadcasting system in 2000.
- Under the liaison mechanism, ISO/TC 204/WG 10 developed tpeg-ML series deliverables based on XML content description.
- 'tpeg-ML' mechanism can be applied to all digital multimedia systems based on XML.







Content delivery using flash memory card



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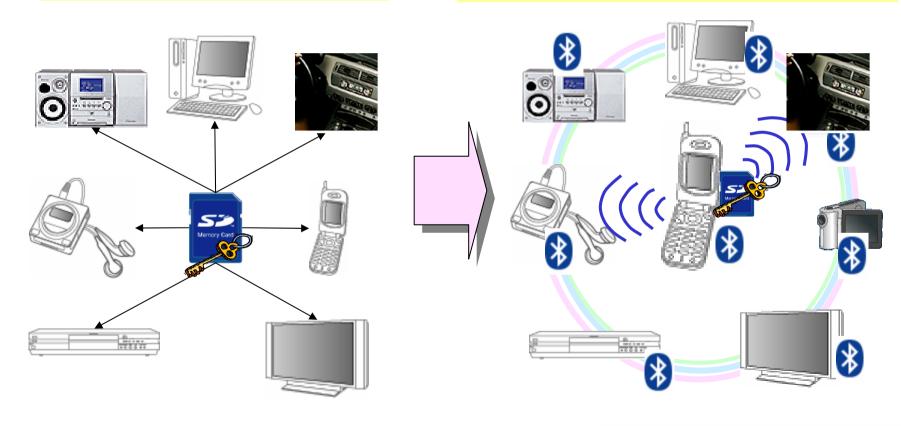




Multiuse of content within the home and vehicles

SD Card plays like a golden key

SD Card with Bluetooth controls all equipment



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Conclusion of this presentation

- o IEC/TC 100 is contributing:
 - Part of TC 100/TA 9 scope: End-user networks include all personal networks, e.g., home networks, vehicular networks and other networks controlled by an individual for audio, video and multimedia applications.
 - DLNA (IEC 62481-1 and -2) provides architecture, protocols and media formats for home networked device interoperability.
- o Trend:
 - Analogue to Digital
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- Discussed the ways of content delivery to vehicles
 - Within flash memory cards such as SD card
 - Via mobile devices with Bluetooth connection and flash memory card such as mobile phone set.
 - SD Card with Bluetooth controls all equipment







Thank you for your attention

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