# ITU-T

P.10/G.100

TELECOMMUNICATION STANDARDIZATION SECTOR OF ITU **Amendment 1** (01/2007)

SERIES P: TELEPHONE TRANSMISSION QUALITY, TELEPHONE INSTALLATIONS, LOCAL LINE NETWORKS

Vocabulary and effects of transmission parameters on customer opinion of transmission quality

SERIES G: TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS AND MEDIA, DIGITAL SYSTEMS AND NETWORKS

International telephone connections and circuits – General definitions

Vocabulary for performance and quality of service

Amendment 1: New Appendix I – Definition of Quality of Experience (QoE)

ITU-T Recommendation P.10/G.100 (2006) – Amendment 1



#### ITU-T P-SERIES RECOMMENDATIONS

## TELEPHONE TRANSMISSION QUALITY, TELEPHONE INSTALLATIONS, LOCAL LINE NETWORKS

Vocabulary and effects of transmission parameters on customer opinion of transmission quality	Series	P.10
Subscribers' lines and sets	Series	P.30
		P.300
Transmission standards	Series	P.40
Objective measuring apparatus	Series	P.50
		P.500
Objective electro-acoustical measurements	Series	P.60
Measurements related to speech loudness	Series	P.70
Methods for objective and subjective assessment of quality	Series	P.80
		P.800
Audiovisual quality in multimedia services	Series	P.900
Transmission performance and QoS aspects of IP end-points	Series	P.100

 $For {\it further details, please refer to the list of ITU-T Recommendations}.$ 

## ITU-T Recommendation P.10/G.100

# Vocabulary for performance and quality of service

### **Amendment 1**

New Appendix I – Definition of Quality of Experience (QoE)

#### Source

Amendment 1 to ITU-T Recommendation P.10/G.100 (2006) was agreed on 25 January 2007 by ITU-T Study Group 12 (2005-2008).

#### **FOREWORD**

The International Telecommunication Union (ITU) is the United Nations specialized agency in the field of telecommunications. The ITU Telecommunication Standardization Sector (ITU-T) is a permanent organ of ITU. ITU-T is responsible for studying technical, operating and tariff questions and issuing Recommendations on them with a view to standardizing telecommunications on a worldwide basis.

The World Telecommunication Standardization Assembly (WTSA), which meets every four years, establishes the topics for study by the ITU-T study groups which, in turn, produce Recommendations on these topics.

The approval of ITU-T Recommendations is covered by the procedure laid down in WTSA Resolution 1.

In some areas of information technology which fall within ITU-T's purview, the necessary standards are prepared on a collaborative basis with ISO and IEC.

#### **NOTE**

In this Recommendation, the expression "Administration" is used for conciseness to indicate both a telecommunication administration and a recognized operating agency.

Compliance with this Recommendation is voluntary. However, the Recommendation may contain certain mandatory provisions (to ensure e.g. interoperability or applicability) and compliance with the Recommendation is achieved when all of these mandatory provisions are met. The words "shall" or some other obligatory language such as "must" and the negative equivalents are used to express requirements. The use of such words does not suggest that compliance with the Recommendation is required of any party.

#### INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

ITU draws attention to the possibility that the practice or implementation of this Recommendation may involve the use of a claimed Intellectual Property Right. ITU takes no position concerning the evidence, validity or applicability of claimed Intellectual Property Rights, whether asserted by ITU members or others outside of the Recommendation development process.

As of the date of approval of this Recommendation, ITU had not received notice of intellectual property, protected by patents, which may be required to implement this Recommendation. However, implementers are cautioned that this may not represent the latest information and are therefore strongly urged to consult the TSB patent database at <a href="http://www.itu.int/ITU-T/ipr/">http://www.itu.int/ITU-T/ipr/</a>.

#### © ITU 2007

All rights reserved. No part of this publication may be reproduced, by any means whatsoever, without the prior written permission of ITU.

## ITU-T Recommendation P.10/G.100

## Vocabulary for performance and quality of service

#### **Amendment 1**

## New Appendix I – Definition of Quality of Experience (QoE)

#### I-1 Quality of Experience (QoE)

The overall acceptability of an application or service, as perceived subjectively by the end-user.

NOTE 1 – Quality of Experience includes the complete end-to-end system effects (client, terminal, network, services infrastructure, etc.).

NOTE 2 – Overall acceptability may be influenced by user expectations and context.

#### ITU-T G-SERIES RECOMMENDATIONS

#### TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS AND MEDIA, DIGITAL SYSTEMS AND NETWORKS

INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS AND CIRCUITS	G.100-G.199
General definitions	G.100-G.109
General Recommendations on the transmission quality for an entire international telephone connection	G.110–G.119
General characteristics of national systems forming part of international connections	G.120-G.129
General characteristics of the 4-wire chain formed by the international circuits and national extension circuits	G.130-G.139
General characteristics of the 4-wire chain of international circuits; international transit	G.140-G.149
General characteristics of international telephone circuits and national extension circuits	G.150-G.159
Apparatus associated with long-distance telephone circuits	G.160-G.169
Transmission plan aspects of special circuits and connections using the international telephone connection network	G.170–G.179
Protection and restoration of transmission systems	G.180-G.189
Software tools for transmission systems	G.190-G.199
GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS COMMON TO ALL ANALOGUE CARRIER- TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS	G.200-G.299
INDIVIDUAL CHARACTERISTICS OF INTERNATIONAL CARRIER TELEPHONE SYSTEMS ON METALLIC LINES	G.300-G.399
GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS OF INTERNATIONAL CARRIER TELEPHONE SYSTEMS ON RADIO-RELAY OR SATELLITE LINKS AND INTERCONNECTION WITH METALLIC LINES	G.400–G.449
COORDINATION OF RADIOTELEPHONY AND LINE TELEPHONY	G.450-G.499
TRANSMISSION MEDIA CHARACTERISTICS	G.600-G.699
DIGITAL TERMINAL EQUIPMENTS	G.700-G.799
DIGITAL NETWORKS	G.800-G.899
DIGITAL SECTIONS AND DIGITAL LINE SYSTEM	G.900-G.999
QUALITY OF SERVICE AND PERFORMANCE – GENERIC AND USER-RELATED ASPECTS	G.1000–G.199
TRANSMISSION MEDIA CHARACTERISTICS	G.6000-G.699
DATA OVER TRANSPORT – GENERIC ASPECTS	G.7000-G.799
PACKET OVER TRANSPORT ASPECTS	G.8000-G.899
ACCESS NETWORKS	G.9000-G.999

## SERIES OF ITU-T RECOMMENDATIONS

Series A	Organization of the work of ITU-T
Series D	General tariff principles
Series E	Overall network operation, telephone service, service operation and human factors
Series F	Non-telephone telecommunication services
Series G	Transmission systems and media, digital systems and networks
Series H	Audiovisual and multimedia systems
Series I	Integrated services digital network
Series J	Cable networks and transmission of television, sound programme and other multimedia signals
Series K	Protection against interference
Series L	Construction, installation and protection of cables and other elements of outside plant
Series M	Telecommunication management, including TMN and network maintenance
Series N	Maintenance: international sound programme and television transmission circuits
Series O	Specifications of measuring equipment
Series P	Telephone transmission quality, telephone installations, local line networks
Series Q	Switching and signalling
Series R	Telegraph transmission
Series S	Telegraph services terminal equipment
Series T	Terminals for telematic services
Series U	Telegraph switching
Series V	Data communication over the telephone network
Series X	Data networks, open system communications and security
Series Y	Global information infrastructure, Internet protocol aspects and next-generation networks
Series Z	Languages and general software aspects for telecommunication systems