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MAINTENANCE OF CIRCUITS USING CONTROL CHART METHODS

ITU-T Recommendation M.630

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NOTES

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

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Administrations may replace the periodical measurements specified in Recommendations M.610 and M.620 by measurements using sampling methods. They will need to arrange their own programme for these on a bilateral basis. Administrations applying such methods are requested to report their conclusions to the CCITT giving their comments on:

- the method used (for information, some methods are described in [1];
- the saving in manpower;
- the transference of work from field staff to administrative offices;
- any observed change in the quality of groups of circuits maintained by sampling methods.

Reference

[1] CCITT Handbook on *Quality of service, network management and network maintenance*, ITU, Geneva, 1984.