
**Identification Cards — Proximity Cards —
Requirements for the enhancement of
interoperability**

*Cartes d'identification — Cartes de proximité — Exigences pour
l'amélioration de l'interopérabilité*

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Foreword

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Introduction

This Technical Report describes requirements for improving the interoperability of proximity cards systems compliant with ISO/IEC 14443. It consists of test functionality based on the ISO/IEC 14443 series and the ISO/IEC 10373-6 test methods standards that may optionally be included in proximity devices in order to improve testability as defined in Annex B. A number of practical tests are then defined.

The contents of this Technical Report may be incorporated into the Revision of ISO/IEC 10373-6, and subsequently may be withdrawn after the publication of ISO/IEC 10373-6 (Revision), expected in 2009.

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1 Scope

This Technical Report defines a series of requirement and tests used to enhance the interoperability of Proximity cards (PICC) and Proximity coupling devices (PCD) defined in the ISO/IEC 14443 series and tested in accordance with ISO/IEC 10373-6.

Conformance to this Technical Report should increase the chance that the PICCs and PCDs designed to the ISO/IEC 14443 series of standards will be interoperable.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001, *Identification cards — Test methods — Part 6: Proximity cards*

ISO/IEC 14443-1:2000, *Identification cards — Contactless integrated circuit(s) cards — Proximity cards — Part 1: Physical characteristics*

ISO/IEC 14443-2:2001, *Identification cards — Contactless integrated circuit(s) cards — Proximity cards — Part 2: Radio frequency power and signal interface*

ISO/IEC 14443-3:2001, *Identification cards — Contactless integrated circuit(s) cards — Proximity cards — Part 3: Initialization and anticollision*

ISO/IEC 14443-4:2001, *Identification cards — Contactless integrated circuit(s) cards — Proximity cards — Part 4: Transmission protocol*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

base standard

ISO/IEC 14443, the standard to which the tests refer

3.2

test method

method for testing the characteristics of PICCs and PCDs for the purpose of assessing their conformance with International Standards

4 Symbols (and abbreviated terms)

For the purposes of this document, the following abbreviations apply:

ATS	Answer to select
DUT	Device under test
EGT	Extra guard time
EOF	End of frame
etu	Elementary time unit
f_c	Carrier frequency (13,56MHz)
FDT	Frame delay time
f_s	Sub-carrier frequency
H_{max}	Maximum field strength of the PCD antenna field
H_{min}	Minimum field strength of the PCD antenna field
PCD	Proximity coupling device
PICC	Proximity integrated circuit card
PPS	Protocol and parameter selection
RATS	Request for answer to select
SOF	Start of frame

5 General Test Requirements and Conditions

Tests described in this technical report may be performed in any sequence.

5.1 Test Environment

A proximity card system consists of a PCD and a minimum of one PICC. In order to test either a PCD or PICC, test apparatus is required in order to fulfill the functionality of the other component.

Annex A defines reference test apparatus in order to undertake testing of a proximity device. A reference PCD is required in order to test a PICC. A reference PICC is required to test a PCD. These reference devices have been standardized such that all facilities undertaking the testing defined in this standard can do so in a consistent manner.

Unless otherwise specified, the tests in this technical report shall be applied to PICCs and PCDs defined in ISO/IEC 14443.

5.1.1 Test setup

All cables used to connect apparatus in the test setup should be kept as short as possible, for certain critical cables see the appropriate clause. No metallic objects (or electronic equipment) may be placed within a 30 cm radius of the test setup wherever fields might be affected. Other electromagnetic sources including PCDs, that could influence the test results, shall not be present.

5.1.2 PICC test apparatus

The PICC test apparatus shall be as defined in ISO/IEC 10373-6 with additional functionality as required by further clauses of this document.

5.1.3 PCD test apparatus

The PCD test apparatus shall be as defined in ISO/IEC 10373-6 with additional functionality as required by further clauses of this document.

5.2 Nominal Environment

Unless otherwise specified, to ensure consistent conditions, tests shall be performed within the following nominal environment:

Table 1 — Nominal Environment

Parameter	Value
Temperature	Nominal Temperature of 23 °C ± 3 °C (73 °F ± 5 °F)
Relative humidity	40 % to 60 %

5.3 Definition of PCD Measurement reference point

All tests shall be done over a certain set of points within the manufacturer's defined conformity volume.

The PCD manufacturer shall define a Reference Point as the (0,0,0) point for the X,Y,Z axis and plane where the optimal position on the surface of the PCD for contactless operation is located. When performing tests, all position references given shall be relative to the Reference Point.

X and Y locations shall be in the same plane as the face of the PCD on which the optimal position is located. Height Z shall be calculated perpendicular to the face of the PCD on which the optimal position is located such that:

For height Z = 0 mm: The DUT antenna shall be placed in contact with the Reference Point.

For height Z = n mm: The DUT antenna shall be placed exactly n mm along the main axis.

6 PCD Power Transfer

6.1 PCD Operating Field Strength

The purpose of this test is to check if the PCD meets the field strength requirements, within its defined conformity volume.

6.1.1 Test Description

The field strength measured under loaded conditions, with the reference PICC, shall be between $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$ and $H_{\max, \text{PCD}}$ recorded for all measurement positions defined within the defined conformity volume.

The measurement device used for this test shall be the Reference PICC for field and power measurements defined in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001, Annex D.

Perform the following steps for $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$:

- 1) Adjust the resonance frequency of the Reference PICC to 13,56 MHz as described in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.2:2003.
- 2) Put the Reference PICC into the Test PCD assembly.

- 3) Adjust the resistor R2 to obtain 3 V (dc) at field strength of $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.
- 4) Put the Reference PICC into the measurement positions within the PCD conformity volume.
- 5) For all measurement positions within the PCD conformity volume, the dc voltage at R2 shall be greater or equal to 3 V.

Perform the following steps for $H_{\max \text{PCD}}$:

- 1) Adjust the resonance frequency of the Reference PICC to 19 MHz as described in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.2:2003.
- 2) Put the Reference PICC into the Test PCD assembly.
- 3) Adjust the resistor R2 to obtain 3 V (dc) at field strength of $H_{\max, \text{PCD}}$.
- 4) For all measurement positions within the PCD conformity volume, the dc voltage at R2 shall be less than 3 V.

'Optionally perform the following steps for $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$ to meet 'Class 1' PICC requirements.

- 1) Adjust the resonance frequency of the Reference PICC to 13,56 MHz as described in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.2:2003.
- 2) Put the Reference PICC into the Test PCD assembly.
- 3) Adjust the resistor R2 to obtain 6 V (dc) at field strength of $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.
- 4) Put the Reference PICC into the measurement positions within the PCD Class 1 conformity volume.
- 5) For all measurement positions within the PCD Class 1 conformity volume, the dc voltage at R2 shall be greater or equal to 6V.

6.1.2 Conditions

Temperature range: As per the manufacturers specification.

6.1.3 Test report

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the date of the tests.

6.2 Resonant Frequency of PICC (informal only)

No requirement for the resonant frequency of the PICC is currently specified in ISO/IEC 14443.

If this test is performed test procedures as defined in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.2:2003, clause 7.3, should be used.

7 PCD Communication Signal Interface

7.1 Purpose

The PCD modulates the carrier signal used to power the PICC within its defined conformance volume to send data frames. The PICC modulates the carrier signal with a sub-carrier which is used to send responses to the

PCD. If data cannot be reliably transferred, performance will be adversely affected as the error recovery protocol defined in ISO/IEC 14443-4 resends data packets.

7.2 RF Noise and Signal Distortion (informal only)

No requirement for the RF Noise emitted by the PICC is currently specified in ISO/IEC 14443. When specified, test methods will be developed and applied.

7.3 Load modulation reception test (Type A and B)

The load switching signal shall be a correct ATQ response to a request command, as defined in the base standards.

7.3.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to determine if the PCD is able to receive and demodulate signals with minimum load modulation amplitude. The PCD should provide a trigger signal (e.g. pulse at beginning or end of PCD command) to the load switching signal source (e.g. Arbitrary Waveform Generator) to send the response with required timings.

For this test the Reference PICC defined in Annex A.2 of this standard shall be used.

For each field strength value and each resonance frequency perform the following steps:

1. Adjust the resonance frequency of the Reference PICC to 13,56 MHz as described in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.2:2003.
2. Put the Reference PICC into the Test PCD assembly.
3. Adjust the field strength monitored by the calibration coil to $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.
4. Adjust the resistor R2 to obtain 3 V (dc) at field strength $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.
5. Adjust the resistor R_{mod} to obtain the required load modulation amplitude for field strength $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.
6. Put the Reference PICC to a measurement position within the PCD conformity volume where a dc voltage of 3 V can be obtained.
7. Verify if the PCD is able to detect a response with minimum load modulation amplitude with required data rate.
8. Repeat steps 2 to 7 where the field strength should be increased in steps of 0,5 A/m up to PCDs maximum generated field strength.

Repeat steps 1 to 8 at Reference PICC resonance frequency of 15 MHz and 19 MHz.

7.3.2 Conditions

Temperature range: As per the manufacturer's specification.

7.3.3 Parameters

PCD requirement on load modulation reception as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-2.

Reference PICC resonance frequency: 13,56 MHz, 15 MHz and 19 MHz.

NOTE Enhanced requirements using resonance frequencies 13,56 MHz and 15 MHz.

Supported data rates for PCD reception: $fc/128$, $fc/64$, $fc/32$, $fc/16$.

NOTE A PCD test command may be used for testing data rates higher than $fc/128$.

7.3.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the date of the tests.

7.4 Modulation Index and Waveform Test (Types A and B)

7.4.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to determine the compliance of the PCD regarding waveform shapes. The test shall measure the shapes of the modulated field. The Reference PICC for modulation index and waveform test as defined in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001 Annex I shall be used. A command with the required data rate shall be sent by the PCD.

For one measurement position perform the following step:

- 1) Check the waveform shapes are within the specified limits for all data rates by using the calibration coil as pick-up device.

For several measurement positions within the PCD conformity volume perform the following steps:

- 1) Adjust the resonance frequency of the Reference PICC to 19 MHz as described in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.2:2003.
- 2) Put the Reference PICC to the measurement position within the PCD conformity volume.
- 3) Adjust the resistor R2 to obtain 3 V (dc).
- 4) Check if the waveform shapes are within the specified limits for all data rates at current position
- 5) Put the Reference PICC to the next measurement position within the conformity volume and repeat steps 3) to 5).

Repeat steps 1 to 5 at Reference PICC resonance frequency of 13,56 MHz and 15 MHz.

7.4.2 Conditions

Temperature: As defined by the manufacturer.

7.4.3 Parameters

Reference PICC resonance frequency: 19 MHz.

NOTE Optional enhanced requirements using resonance frequencies of 13,56 MHz and 15 MHz.

Supported data rates for PCD: $fc/128$, $fc/64$, $fc/32$, $fc/16$.

NOTE A PCD test command may be used for testing data rates higher than $fc/128$.

7.4.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the number of different samples and the date of the tests.

8 PCD Framing and timing tests

8.1 Type A Frame Delay Time – PICC to PCD

This test shall check if the PCD can handle a FDT according ISO/IEC 14443-3. For this test the same setup shall be used as for the load modulation reception test.

8.1.1 Test Description

This test shall check if a PCD frame after a PICC response is not sent before a minimum frame delay time, as specified in ISO/IEC 14443-3, after the PICC has sent ATQ. After ATQ the PCD shall send an AC frame. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

8.1.2 Conditions

Temperature: As per the manufacturer's specification.

8.1.3 Parameters

Position (Field strength): $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.

Data rate: $fc/128$.

8.1.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the date of the tests.

8.1.5 Remarks

This test should be performed for all commands, even during the protocol test.

8.2 Type A Frame Delay Time – PCD to PICC

This test shall check if the PCD can handle a FDT according ISO/IEC 14443-3. For this test the same setup shall be used as for the load modulation reception test.

8.2.1 Test Description

This test shall check if the PCD is able to receive a PICC response within the FDT limits. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

8.2.2 Conditions

Temperature: As per the manufacturer's specification.

8.2.3 Parameters

Position (Field strength): $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.

Data rate: $fc/128$

8.2.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the number of different samples and the date of the tests.

8.3 Type B PCD Bit Boundaries

8.3.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check whether or not the PCD meets the bit boundary requirements according to ISO/IEC 14443-3. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

8.3.2 Conditions

Temperature: As per the manufacturer's specification.

8.3.3 Parameters

Position (Field strength): $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.

Supported data rates for PCD: $fc/128$, $fc/64$, $fc/32$, $fc/16$.

8.3.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the number of different samples and the date of the tests.

8.4 Type B PCD Start-of-Frame & End-of-Frame-Timing (SOF & EOF) (Type B only)

8.4.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check whether or not the PCD meets SOF & EOF requirements according to ISO/IEC 14443-3. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

8.4.2 Conditions

Temperature: As per the manufacturer's specification.

8.4.3 Parameters

Position (Field strength): $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.

Supported data rates for PCD: $fc/128$, $fc/64$, $fc/32$, $fc/16$.

8.4.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the number of different samples and the date of the tests.

8.5 Type B Extra Guard Time (EGT) PCD to PICC

8.5.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check that the PCD meets the EGT requirements according to ISO/IEC 14443-3. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

8.5.2 Conditions

Temperature: As per the manufacturer's specification.

8.5.3 Parameters

Position (Field strength): $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.

Supported data rate for PCD: $fc/128$, $fc/64$, $fc/32$, $fc/16$.

8.5.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the number of different samples and the date of the tests.

8.6 Type B Extra Guard Time (EGT) PICC to PCD

8.6.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check that the PCD can handle the EGT timings according to ISO/IEC 14443-3. The reference PICC shall send ATQB with minimum as well as with maximum EGT. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

8.6.2 Conditions

Temperature: As per the manufacturer's specification

8.6.3 Parameters

Position (Field strength): $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$.

Supported data rate for PCD: $fc/128$, $fc/64$, $fc/32$, $fc/16$.

8.6.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the number of different samples and the date of the tests.

8.7 Timing before PICC Type B Start-of-Frame (TR0 & TR1)

8.7.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check that the PCD can handle the TR0 and TR1 timings according to ISO/IEC 14443-3. The Reference PICC shall send ATQB with minimum TR0 and TR1 as well as with maximum TR0 and TR1. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

8.7.2 Conditions

Temperature: As per the manufacturer's specification.

8.7.3 Parameters

Table 2 — TR tolerance

Test case	TR0	TR1
1	TR0 min	TR1 min
2	TR0 max	TR1 max

Supported data rate for PCD: $fc/128$, $fc/64$, $fc/32$, $fc/16$.

8.7.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the date of the tests.

8.8 Timing before PCD Type B Start-of-Frame (TR2)

8.8.1 Test Description

This test shall check if a PCD frame is not sent before a minimum time TR2 after the PICC has sent ATQB. After ATQB the PCD shall send an AC frame. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

The reference PICC shall send ATQB with parameters b3 and b2 as defined in the base standard.

8.8.2 Conditions

Temperature: As per the manufacturer's specification.

8.8.3 Parameters

Supported data rate for PCD: $fc/128$, $fc/64$, $fc/32$, $fc/16$.

8.8.4 Pass Criteria

The test report shall include the number of passed tests versus the total number of tests, a test description and the date of the tests.

9 Protocol Activation

9.1 Purpose

These tests provide a basic set of tests to be performed to check compliance to ISO/IEC 14443 protocol layers. All tests are based on and shall be evaluated according to the currently available standards.

All tests shall be performed with one specific field strength between $H_{\min, \text{PCD}}$ and $H_{\max, \text{PCD}}$ within the conformity volume of the PCD if not further specified.

All tests shall be performed at nominal temperature if not further specified.

9.2 Type A Activation - Handling of Collisions

9.2.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the correct behavior on collisions as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-3. The tests specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006, subclauses H.2.3 and H.2.4 should be used. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

9.2.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to ISO/IEC 14443-3 respectively to ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006 or not. Additionally possible proprietary paths specified in ISO/IEC 14443-3:2001, 6.4.1, shall not negatively affect the report. The report shall include the number of samples tested and the date.

9.3 Type A Activation - Handling of RATS (including frame size selection)

9.3.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the correct behavior of RATS and the handling of ATS as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-4. The tests specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006, H.2.5 and H.2.7, should be used. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

9.3.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to ISO/IEC 14443-4 respectively to ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006 or not. The report shall include the number of samples tested and the date.

9.4 Type A Activation - Handling of PPS

9.4.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the correct behavior on handling a PPS response as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-4. The tests specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006, H.2.6, should be used. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

9.4.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to ISO/IEC 14443-4 respectively to ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006, or not. The report shall include the number of samples tested and the date.

9.5 Type A Activation - Handling of CID during Activation

9.5.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the correct behavior on handling CID during activation as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-4. The tests specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006, H.2.9, should be used. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

9.5.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to ISO/IEC 14443-4 respectively to ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006, or not. The report shall include the number of samples tested and the date.

9.6 Type B Activation - Frame Size Selection

9.6.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the correct behavior of the frame size selection mechanism as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-3. The tests specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006, H.2.7, should be used.

9.6.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to the scenario defined in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006. The report shall include the number of samples tested and the date.

9.7 Type B Activation - Bit Rate Selection

9.7.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the correct behavior of the bit rate selection mechanism as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-3:2001/Amd.1:2005. The tests specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.5:2007 should be used.

9.7.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the behavior was according to ISO/IEC 14443-3:2001/Amd.1:2005 respectively ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.5:2007. The report shall include the number of samples tested and the date.

9.8 Type B Activation - Handling of CID during Activation

9.8.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the correct behavior on handling CID during activation as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-4. The tests specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006, H.2.9 should be used.

9.8.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to ISO/IEC 14443-4 respectively to ISO/IEC 10373-6:2001/Amd.3:2006 or not. The report shall include the number of samples tested and the date.

9.9 Handling of the Polling Loop (Type A and B)

9.9.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the correct behavior during polling for Type A and Type B PICCs as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-3. The test specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6/Amd.3:2006, H.4.1, should be used. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

9.9.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to ISO/IEC 14443-3 respectively to ISO/IEC 10373-6/Amd.3:2006 or not. The report shall include the number of samples tested, the date of the tests and the used command set.

9.10 Data Exchange Protocol Tests - Error Detection and Recovery

The purpose of this test is to check the behavior of PCD when transmission errors occur according to ISO/IEC 14443-4. These tests specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6 cover standard communication blocks, blocks where the PCD uses chaining and blocks where the PICC uses chaining.

The PICC chaining tests could be performed without knowing dedicated command behavior on the device under test. Any command could be divided into two parts e.g. the response to a READ BINARY could be sent in two chained packets.

The PCD chaining is harder to achieve. If the higher layer functionality is not known in detail or a chaining command is not used in the application these tests could not be performed. Therefore it should be optional.

9.10.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the behavior of the PCD when transmission errors occur as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-4. The test specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6/Amd.3:2006, H.4.3, should be used. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

9.10.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to ISO/IEC 14443-4 respectively to ISO/IEC 10373-6/Amd.3:2006 or not. The report shall include the number of samples tested, the date of the tests and the used command set.

9.11 Data Exchange Protocol Tests - Request for Waiting Time Extension

9.11.1 Test Description

The purpose of this test is to check the behavior of the PCD when the PICC use a request for waiting time extension as defined in ISO/IEC 14443-4. The test specified in ISO/IEC 10373-6/Amd.3:2006, H.4.2, should be used. The detailed test procedure is not further specified herein.

9.11.2 Pass Criteria

The test report shall state whether the response was according to ISO/IEC 14443-4 and ISO/IEC 10373-6/Amd.3:2006 or not. The report shall include the number of samples tested, the date of the tests and the used command set.

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Annex A (informative)

Definition of the Test Apparatus

A.1 Definition of the Reference PCD

TF2 understands the need and has accepted the task and will ask for contributions.

A.2 Definition of the Reference PICC for load modulation reception test

A.2.1 General

The signal at pin 'load switching signal 847 kHz' shall have a value between 0 and 4 V for stable switching of the recommended transistor N1.

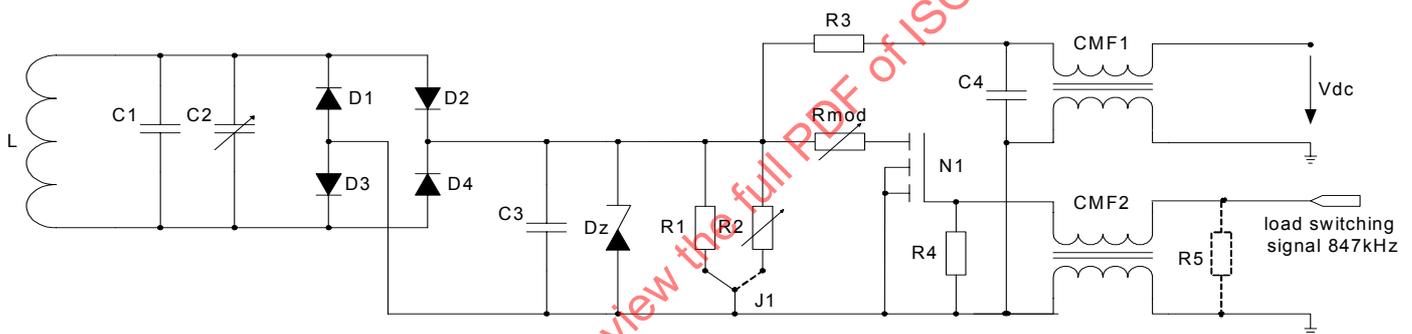


Figure A.1 — Reference PICC

Table A.1 — Reference PICC

Component	Value	Comment
L	As defined in 10373-6	
R1	4,3 k Ω	Fixed load during resonant frequency adjustment
R2	Adjustable, 0 – 5 k Ω	Static loading adjustment
R3	10 k Ω	
R4	4,7 k Ω	
R5	Optional	Termination resistor for signal source
R _{mod}	Adjustable, 0 – 5 k Ω	Load modulation adjustment
C1	Stray capacitance < 5pF	
C2	5 - 30pF	Resonant frequency adjustment
C3	27 pF	
C4	1 nF	
D1, D2, D3, D4	Recommended: BAR43	
Dz	Recommended: BZX84, 10 V	
N1	N-MOS FET, 10pF max. output capacitance to ground Recommended: BSS83	
CMF1, CMF2	ZJYS81R5-2P50 (TDK)	Linear transformer specified for 13,56MHz

Annex B (informative)

Test Tables

B.1 PICC

B.1.1 Type A and B

Table B.1 — Physical characteristics

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Reference/Info
Dimensions	14443-1, 4.2		ISO/IEC 7810
Antenna zone	14443-1, A1.1	10373-6 AM 4, 3.1.2	Additional test for Class 1

Table B.2 — Additional physical characteristics

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Reference/Info
Alternating magnetic field	14443-1, 4.3.5	10373-6 AM4, 5.1	

Table B.3 — CLASS 1 - Additional test - Physical layer

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	H[A/m]
Maximum loading effect H_R , H_P	14443-1, A.1.2	10373-6 AM4, 7.4	1.5

Table B.4 — Physical layer

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Sideband	H [A/m]	Reference/Info
Load modulation amplitude	14443-2, 8.2.2	10373-6, 7	$fc + f_s$ $fc - f_s$	1.5, 2, 2.5...7.5	Value as specified in 14443-2, 8.2.2

Table B.5 — Physical layer - Informative

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Reference/Info
Resonant frequency		10373-6 AM2, 7.3	

Table B.6 — Protocol layer

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Scenario	H[A/m]
Reaction to ISO/IEC14443-4 Scenarios	14443-4, 7	10373-6 AM1, G.5.2	32 to 52	1.5
Handling of PICC error detection	14443-4, 7	10373-6 AM1, G.5.3	53 to 57	1.5
PICC reaction on CID	14443-4, 7.1.1.2	10373-6 AM1, G.5.4	58 to 62	1.5
PICC reaction on NAD	14443-4, 7.1.1.3	10373-6 AM1, G.5.5	63 to 65	1.5
Generating the I/O character timing in reception mode		10373-6 AM1, G1.5		1.5
RFU values		10373-6 AM1, G1.5.1		1.5

B.1.2 Type A

Table B.7 — Physical layer – *fc/128*

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Conditions	H[A/m]
PICC reception	14443-2, 8.1.2	10373-6, AM2, 7.2.2, Table 1	1 to 6	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.8 — Physical layer - Additional tests if *fc/64* is supported

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Conditions	H[A/m]
PICC reception	14443-2 AM2, 8.1.2.2	10373-6, AM5, Table 2	1 to 12	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.9 — Physical layer - Additional tests if *fc/32* is supported

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Conditions	H[A/m]
PICC reception	14443-2 AM2, 8.1.2.2	10373-6, AM5, Table 3	1 to 12	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.10 — Physical layer - Additional tests if *fc/16* is supported

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Conditions	H[A/m]
PICC reception	14443-2 AM2, 8.1.2.2	10373-6, AM5, Table 4	1 to 6	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.11 — Timing

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	No	Last bit	H[A/m]
Frame delay time	14443-3, 6.1.2.	10373-6 AM1, G.30	1	(1)b	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
Frame delay time	14443-3, 6.1.2.	10373-6 AM1, G.30	1	(0)b	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
Frame delay time	14443-3, 6.1.2.	10373-6 AM1, G.30	2	(1)b	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
Frame delay time	14443-3, 6.1.2.	10373-6 AM1, G.30	2	(0)b	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
RATS and deact. frame time	14443-4, 8.1	10373-6 AM1, G.30	3	(1)b	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
RATS and deact. frame time	14443-4, 8.1	10373-6 AM1, G.30	3	(0)b	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.12 — Protocol layer

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Scenario	H[A/m]
Polling	14443-3, 5	10373-6 AM2, G.3.2	1	1.5
State transitions IDLE state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	2	1.5
State transitions READY(1) state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	3	1.5
State transitions READY(2) state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	4	1.5
State transitions READY(3) state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	5	1.5
State transitions ACTIVE state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	6	1.5
State transitions HALT state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	7	1.5
State transitions READY*(1) state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	8	1.5
State transitions READY *(2) state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	9	1.5
State transitions READY*(3) state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	10	1.5
State transitions ACTICE * state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	11	1.5
State transitions PROTOCOL state	14443-3, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4	10373-6 AM2, G.3.4	12	1.5
Anticollision	14443-3, 6.3.2	10373-6 AM2, G.3.5	13	1.5
Handling of RATS	14443-4, 5.6.1	10373-6 AM2, G.3.6	14	1.5
Handling of RATS	14443-4, 5.6.1	10373-6 AM2, G.3.6	15	1.5
Handling of PPS request	14443-4, 5.6.2	10373-6 AM2, G.3.7	16	1.5
Handling of PPS request	14443-4, 5.6.2	10373-6 AM2, G.3.7	17	1.5
Handling of PPS request	14443-4, 5.6.2	10373-6 AM2, G.3.7	18	1.5
Handling of PPS request	14443-4, 5.6.2	10373-6 AM2, G.3.7	19	1.5
Handling of FSD	14443-4, 5.1	10373-6 AM2, G.3.8	20	1.5

B.1.3 Type B

Table B.13 — Physical layer - *fc/128*

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Condition	H [A/m]
PICC reception	14443-2, 9.1.2	10373-6, AM2, 7.2.3, Table 5	1 to 12	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.14 — Physical layer - Additional tests if $fc/64$ is supported

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Condition	H [A/m]
PICC reception	14443-2, 9.1.2	10373-6, AM2, 7.2.3, Table 5	1 to 12	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.15 — Physical layer - Additional tests if $fc/32$ is supported

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Condition	H [A/m]
PICC reception	14443-2, 9.1.2	10373-6 AM5, Table 6	1 to 6	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.16 — Physical layer - Additional tests if $fc/16$ is supported

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Condition	H [A/m]
PICC reception	14443-2, 9.1.2	10373-6 AM5, Table 7	1 to 6	1.5, 4.5, 7.5

Table B.17 — Timing

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	No	H [A/m]
SOF low	14443-3, 7.1.4	10373-6 AM1, G.31	1	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
SOF high	14443-3, 7.1.4	10373-6 AM1, G.31	2	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
EOF low	14443-3, 7.1.5	10373-6 AM1, G.31	3	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
Bit boundaries	14443-3, 7.1.1	10373-6 AM1, G.31	4	1.5, 4.5, 7.5
EGT PICC to PCD	14443-3, 7.1.2	10373-6 AM1, G.31	5	1.5
Tr0 for ATQB	14443-3, 7.1.6	10373-6 AM1, G.31	6	1.5
Tr1 for ATQB	14443-3, 7.1.6	10373-6 AM1, G.31	7	1.5
Tr0 Not ATQB	14443-3, 7.1.6	10373-6 AM1, G.31	8	1.5
Tr1 Not ATQB	14443-3, 7.1.6	10373-6 AM1, G.31	9	1.5

Table B.18 — Protocol layer

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Scenario	H[A/m]
Polling	14443-3, 5	10373-6 AM1, G.4.2	21	1.5
PICC Reception	14443-3, 7.1	10373-6 AM1, G.4.3	22	1.5
IDLE state	14443-3, 7.4-7.12	10373-6 AM1, G.4.4	23	1.5
READY REQUESTED sub-state	14443-3, 7.4-7.12	10373-6 AM1, G.4.4	24	1.5
READY DECLARED sub-state	14443-3, 7.4-7.12	10373-6 AM1, G.4.4	25	1.5
HALT state	14443-3, 7.4-7.12	10373-6 AM1, G.4.4	26	1.5
ACTIVE state	14443-3, 7.4-7.12	10373-6 AM1, G.4.4	27	1.5
Anticollision	14443-3, 7.4-7.12	10373-6 AM1, G.4.5	28	1.5
Handling of ATTRIB	14443-3, 7.10	10373-6 AM1, G.4.6	29	1.5
Handling of ATTRIB	14443-3, 7.10	10373-6 AM1, G.4.6	30	1.5
Handling of Maximum frame size	14443-3, 7.10.4	10373-6 AM1, G.4.7	31	1.5

B.2 PCD

Field strength H corresponds to a specific distance in the volume of the PCD under test. Tests at dedicated field strengths are only possible if the PCD field strength is sufficient. Testable field strength PCD H_{max} depends on the maximum field strength of the PCD under test.

B.2.1 Type A and B

Table B.19 — Physical layer

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	Conditions	Reference/Info
Carrier Frequency	14443-2, 6.1			
Maximum operating volume field H_{max}	14443-2, 6.2	10373-6, 8.1		
Maximum operating volume field H_{min}	14443-2, 6.2	10373-6, 8.1		
Power transfer PCD to PICC	14443-2, 6	10373-6, 8.2		
Load modulation reception	14443-2, 8.2.2	10373-6 AM4		

Table B.20 — Test coverage report - Protocol layer

Parameter	ISO Reference	Test method	No	H[A/m]	Reference/Info
Chaining (Command >16bytes)			1	$H_{min, PCD}$	
NAD handling			2	$H_{min, PCD}$	