



Policy & Standards Working Group

Development of new standards for space components

- ESCC versus ECSS
- ECSS
- ESCC
- Achievements
- Coming soon

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Difference between ECSS & ESCC

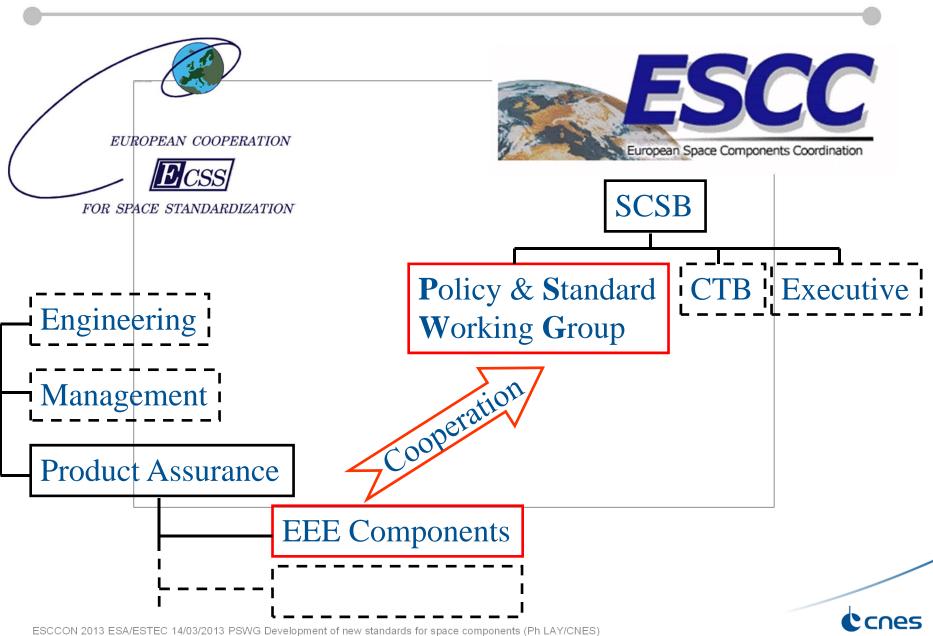


e.g.: ECSS-Q-ST-60: Requirements for selection, control, procurement and usage of EEE components at equipment level

Requirements for the manufacture and qualification of EEE components



Links between ECSS & ESCC



ECSS: Principles

3 categories of ECSS documents Standard, Handbook, Technical Memorandum:

■ Standard

Normative document written specifically for direct use in invitation to tender and business agreements or implementing space related activities having its content strictly limited to the statement of verifiable customer **requirements**, supported by the minimum descriptive text necessary for understanding their context.

☐ Handbook

non-normative document providing background information, e.g. orientation, guidelines, technical data, advice or recommendations, which contains information about how to implement space related activities.

Note: Handbook contains data recognized as valid for use by the ECSS community.

☐ Technical Memorandum

non-normative document providing useful information to the space community on a specific subject, prepared to record and present non-normative data which are not relevant for a Standard or for a handbook or not yet mature to be published as handbook or standard.

EUROPEAN COOPERATION



ECSS: Organisation

•Membership : ESA, National Space Agencies, Industry

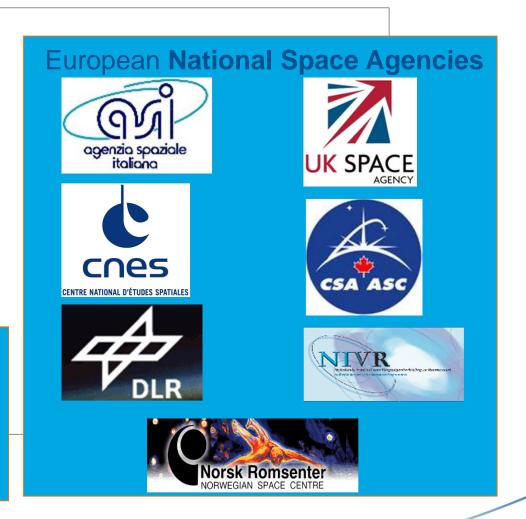




European **Industry**, represented by Eurospace



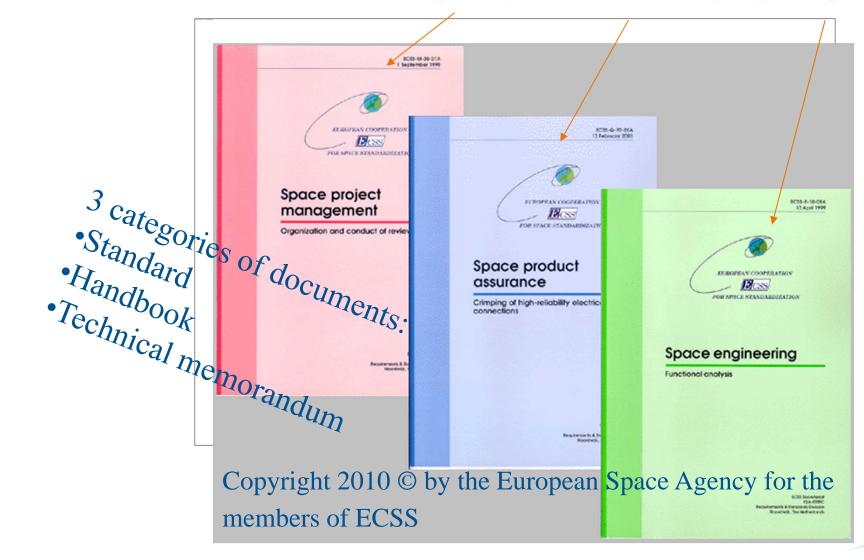
Some organization have an Observer role on ECSS e.g. EUMETSAT, European Committee for Standardization, European Defence Agency





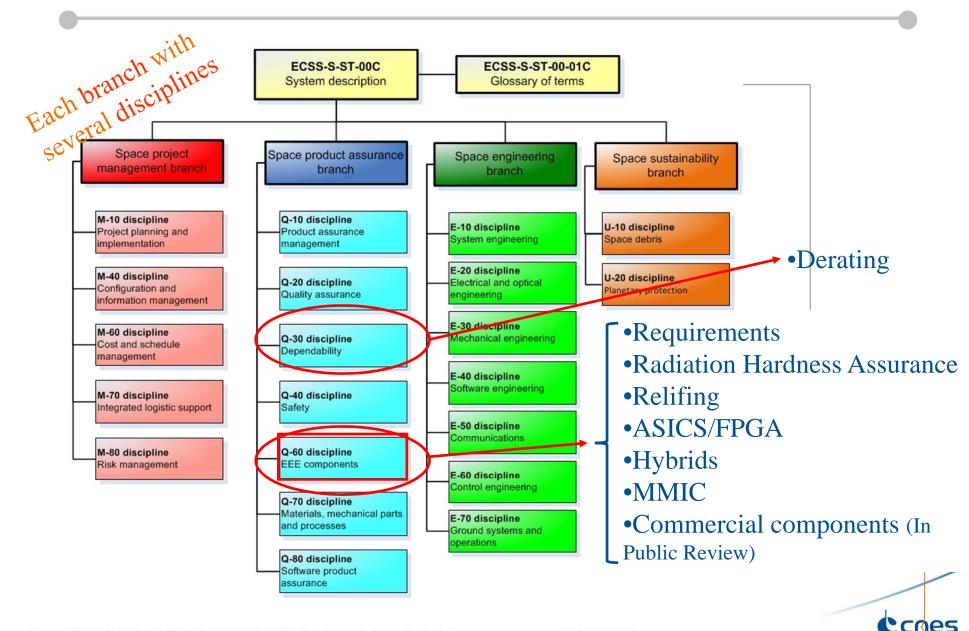
ECSS: Documentation architecture (1/2)

ECSS Architecture: 3 branches: Management, Product Assurance, Engineering





ECSS: Architecture (2/2)



ECSS-Q-ST-60



- Typical requirements (non exhaustive)
- Declared Components List
- Parts/material restriction
- Preferred sources
- Parts Approval
- Evaluation
- Screening / Quality levels
- Lot test
- Final Customer Source Inspection
- Incoming Inspection
- Radiation
- Destructive Physical Analysis
- Relifing
- Handling/ storage
- Traceability
- Alerts
- **Hybrids**
- Microwave monolithic integrated circuits
- One time programmable devices

Edition Crev 2 under Public Review





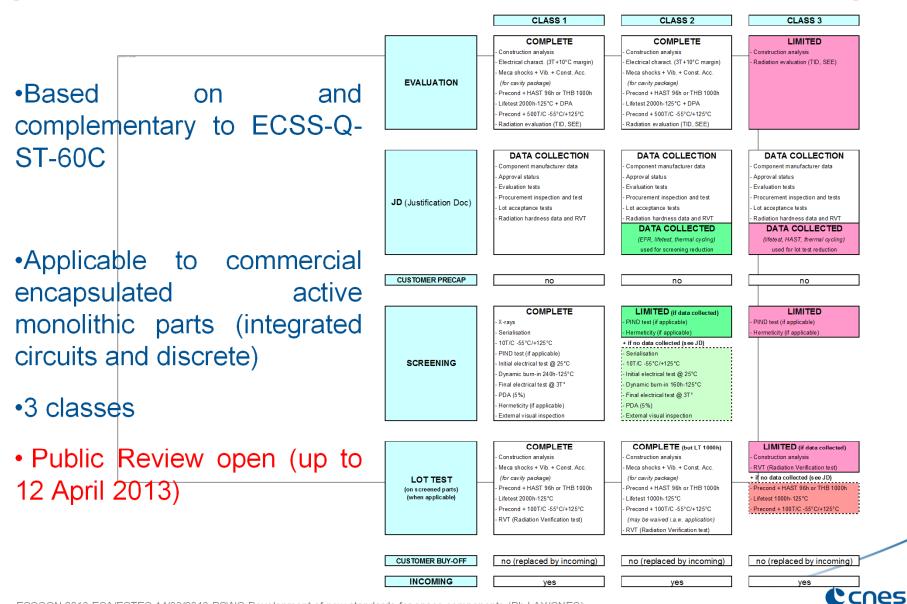
Space product assurance

Electrical, electronic and electromechanical (EEE) components

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ECSS-Q-ST-60-13 (commercial components)



ECSS-Q-ST-60-14 (relifing)

Relifing = storing, controlling during storage and de-storing

The Relifing tests are performed to check the absence of degradation during the storage (e.g. pollution, corrosion, ageing)

The relifing is a lot quality control and not an up screening or up grading test sequences

Typical tests are: Visual inspection, solderability, hermeticity, electrical tests, Destructive Physical Analysis

Eligibility criteria are:

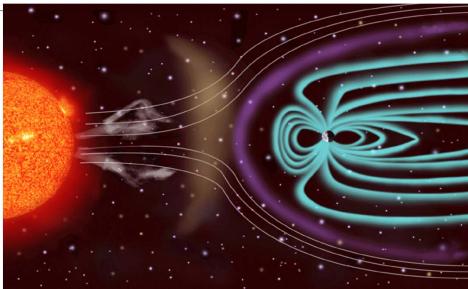
- Adequate storage conditions: 22° C +/- 5° C, Relative Humidity 55% +/- 10%
- Quality level in accordance with the Project requirements
- Lot homogeneity, traceability and data documentation (e.g. CoC, data package)
- No open alert or Non Conformity
- Parts not older than 10 years (t0= Date-code)
- > After a maximum storage period of 7 years, the relifing tests extend it to 3 years
- Only the period before mounting is considered, the long term storage of a satellite is not considered and must be specifically addressed

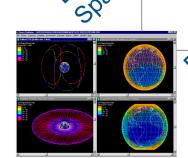
ECSS-Q-ST-60-15 (Radiation Hardness Assurance)

Total Ionizing Dose, Total Non Ionizing Dose, Single Event Effects (SEU, SET,

SEL, SEB, SEGR)

- Test methods, sampling, data
- Criteria (functional, parametric),
- Worst case/statistical
- Margin policy
- Radiation Verification Test





css. E. No call Radiation call



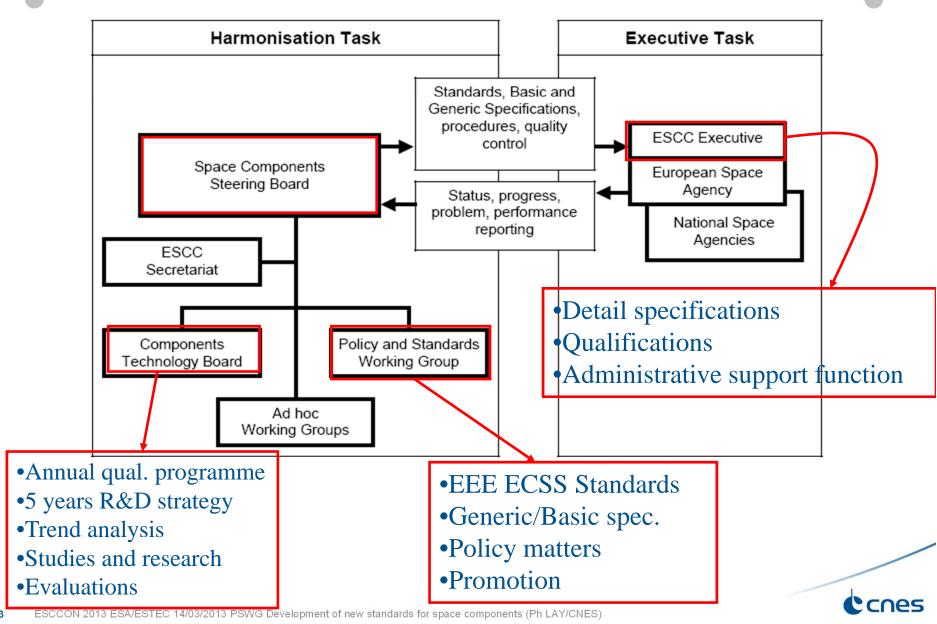
ESCC: principles

- •ESCC = **E**uropean **S**pace **C**omponents **C**oordination
- •The ESCC System is applicable to **E**lectrical **E**lectronic **E**lectromechanical (EEE) Components
- Electronic : ICs (LSI, VLSI), transistors, diodes ...
- Electrical: resistors, capacitors, connectors, cables, crystals, thermistors, fuses ...
- Electromechanical: relays, switches ...
- •ESCC = set of requirements to **evaluate**, **qualify**, **procure** (screening, lot test) European EEE components
- ▶QPL = Qualified Parts List , QML = Qualified Manufacturers List
- >EPPL = European Preferred Parts List includes European & non European parts, not only qualified ones
- •3 ways to qualify: component qualification, capability approval, technology flow qualification.

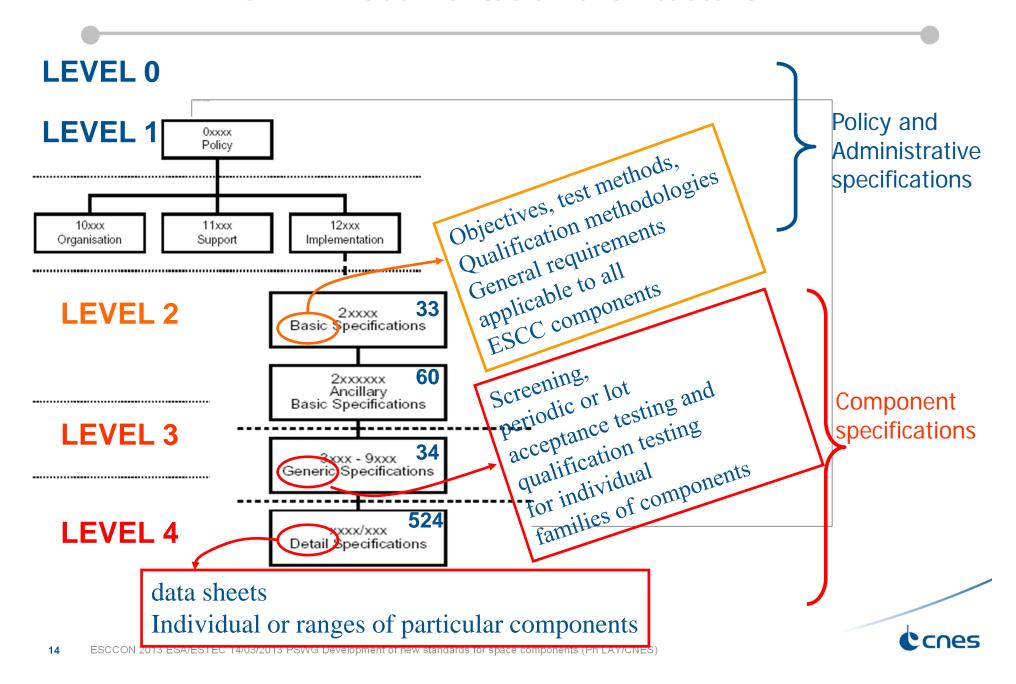




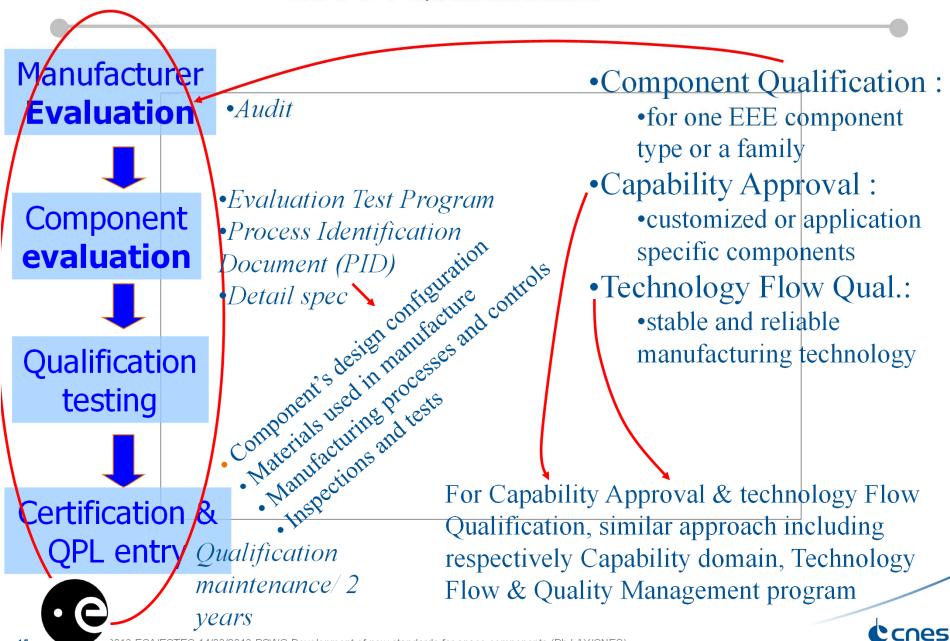
ESCC: Organisation



ESCC: Documentation architecture



ESCC: Qualification



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ESCC: some specific requirements (non exhaustive)

- Change control program
- •Chief Inspector : Manufacturer's point of contact
- Non Conformance system
- Traceability
- Customer requirements
- Control/inspection procedures
- Management of sub-contractors and suppliers
- Incoming inspection and storage of raw material/piece parts
- Training & certification
- Failure an alysis capability
- Calibration

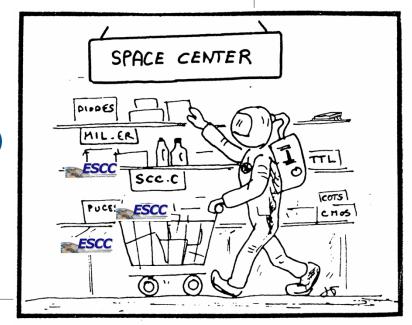




ESCC: some achievements

List of published ESCC specifications: refer to REP001.

- QPL/QML 1 edition/month, (36 manufacturers)
- EPPL (41 manufacturers) 2 editions/year
- Training course (1-2 sessions /year)
- ESCC specifications referenced (Google®)





ESCC, **ECSS**: Coming soon (extract)

- QPL management (update)
- Pure tin inspection (in finalisation)
- Process Capability Approval (under construction)
- Hybrid capability Approval (under construction)
- Opto (Laser diodes, optical fibers) (under construction)
- EPPL Management (update) (under construction)
- Cable assemblies (under construction)
- •Test methods: Total Dose; Single events (under construction)
- ECSS :
 - ECSS-Q-ST-60C rev 2 (In Public Review)
 - ECSS-Q-ST-60-13C (In Public Review)



