

**INTERPRETATION IC 135.1-2013-1 OF
ANSI/ASHRAE STANDARD 135.1-2013
Method of Test for Conformance to BACnet®**

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Reference: This request for interpretation refers to the requirements presented in ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135.1-2013, Clause 4.5.7, regarding EPICS segmentation ability description.

Background: In a BACnet product's EPICS, the description of segmentation support is:

Segmented Requests Supported, window size: ↓

Segmented Responses Supported, window size: ↓

but segmentation in products is separated into transmission ability (SEGMENTED_TRANSMIT) and reception ability (SEGMENTED_RECEIVE), not request / response.

Interpretation: In the context of an EPICS, “Segmented Requests Supported” refers to the device’s reception ability (SEGMENTED_RECEIVE) and “Segmentation Responses Supported” refers to the device’s transmission ability (SEGMENTATION_TRANSMIT).

Question: Is this Interpretation correct?

Answer: Yes.