

**BACnet Errata**  
**ANSI/ASHRAE STANDARD 135-2024**  
**A Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Networks**

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This document lists all known *errata* to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2024 as of the above date. Each entry is cited first by clause, then page number, except where an erratum covers more than one clause. The back page marking identifying the electronic publication of Standard 135-2024 is “Product code: D-86950”.

Changes are indicated by using ~~strikeout~~ for text to be removed and *italics* for text to be added, unless noted otherwise. Grey highlighting is used for marking small corrections.

**1) Clause 12, throughout. Add ‘read-only’ to property definitions where the intent is that these properties are read only.**

[Change Clause 12.5.4 Minimum\_Value, page 187]

**12.5.4 Minimum\_Value**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.5.5 Minimum\_Value\_Timestamp, page 187]

**12.5.5 Minimum\_Value\_Timestamp**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.5.6 Average\_Value, page 187]

**12.5.6 Average\_Value**

This *read-only* property, ...

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**12.5.7 Variance\_Value**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.5.8 Maximum\_Value, page 187]

**12.5.8 Maximum\_Value**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.5.9 Maximum\_Value\_Timestamp, page 187]

**12.5.9 Maximum\_Value\_Timestamp**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change **Clause 12.9.1 Present\_Value**, page 187]

### **12.9.1 Present\_Value**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change **Clause 12.10.6 In\_Process**, page 217]

### **12.10.6 In\_Process**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change **Clause 12.10.7 All\_Writes\_Successful**, page 217]

### **12.10.7 All\_Writes\_Successful**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change **Clause 12.11.8 Firmware\_Revision**, page 223]

### **12.11.8 Firmware\_Revision**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change **Clause 12.11.12 Protocol\_Version**, page 223]

### **12.11.12 Protocol\_Version**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change **Clause 12.11.13 Protocol\_Revision**, page 224]

### **12.11.13 Protocol\_Revision**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change **Clause 12.11.15 Protocol\_Object\_Types\_Supported**, page 224]

### **12.11.15 Protocol\_Object\_Types\_Supported**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change **Clause 12.11.22 Active\_VT\_Sessions**, page 225]

### **12.11.22 Active\_VT\_Sessions**

~~The Active\_VT\_Sessions~~ This *read-only* property is a BACnetList of BACnetVTSession...

[Change **Clauses 12.11.35 Database\_Revision**, page xxx]

### **12.11.35 Database\_Revision**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.11.37 Last\_Restore\_Time, page xxx]

**12.11.37 Last\_Restore\_Time**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.11.40 Last\_Restart\_Reason, page xxx]

**12.11.40 Last\_Restart\_Reason**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.11.41 Time\_Of\_Device\_Restart, page xxx]

**12.11.41 Time\_Of\_Device\_Restart**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.11.50 Backup\_And\_Restore\_State, page xxx]

**12.11.50 Backup\_And\_Restore\_State**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.11.65 Active\_COV\_Multiple\_Subscriptions, page xxx]

**12.11.65 Active\_COV\_Multiple\_Subscriptions**

This *read-only* property,

[Change Clause 12.13.7 Modification\_Date, page xxx]

**12.13.1 Modification\_Date**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.23.17 Count\_Before\_Change, page xxx]

**12.23.17 Count\_Before\_Change**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.28.5 Present\_Value, page 345]

**12.28.5 Present\_Value**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.28.16 Expected\_Shed\_Level, page 347]

**12.28.16 Expected\_Shed\_Level**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.28.17 Actual\_Shed\_Level, page 347]

**12.28.17 Actual\_Shed\_Level**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clauses 12.25.16/12.27.15/12.30.21/12.64.12 Total\_Record\_Count, page xxx,xxx,xxx]

**12.x.y Total\_Record\_Count**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clauses 12.25.18/12.27.17/12.30.23 Records\_Since\_Notification, page xxx, xxx, xxx]

**12.x.y Records\_Since\_Notification**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clauses 12.25.19/12.27.18/12.30.24 Last\_Notify\_Record, page xxx, xxx, xxx]

**12.x.y Last\_Notify\_Record**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.53.10 Member\_Status\_Flags, page 493]

**12.50.10 Member\_Status\_Flags**

~~The Member\_Status\_Flags property,~~ *This read-only property is a logical combination...*

[Change Clause 12.53.7 Write\_Status, page 513]

**12.53.7 Write\_Status**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.54.7 In\_Progress, page 526]

**12.54.7 In\_Progress**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.55.12 Egress\_Active, page 537]

**12.55.12 Egress\_Active**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.56.13 Changes\_Pending, page 552]

**12.56.13 Changes\_Pending**

This *read-only* property, ...

[Change Clause 12.56.56 Subordinate\_Address\_Binding, page 562]

**12.56.56 Subordinate\_Address\_Binding**

This *read-only* property, ...

**2) Clause 21.2.5, the scope member of the token-request member of AuthRequest-Request should be optional per 17.6.2.1, Table 17-4.**

```
AuthRequest-Request ::= CHOICE { -- CHOICE of the "sub service" allows future extensibility
  token-request [0] SEQUENCE {
    client [0] Unsigned32, -- client device instance to bind the token to
    audience [1] SEQUENCE OF Integer32, -- target device(s) and/or group(s).
    scope [2] BACnetAuthorizationScope OPTIONAL; -- requested scope
  }
}
```

**3) Clause 21, the host member of the BACnetAuthenticationPeer sequence should be context tagged 0.**

```
BACnetAuthenticationPeer ::= SEQUENCE {
  Host [0] BACnetHostNPort,
  device Unsigned32, -- 4194303 if unknown
  auth-aware Boolean,
  router Boolean,
  hub Boolean
}
```

**4) Clause 21, Incorrect ASN.1 context tagging for BACnetAuthorizationDescription.**

```
BACnetAuthorizationScopeDescription ::= SEQUENCE {
  name [0] CharacterString, -- usable as OAuth/JWT scope token
  description [1] CharacterString
}
```

**5) Clause 15.1.1.3.1, The INVALID\_ARRAY\_INDEX situation is incomplete per Addendum 135-2020ci.**

An array index is provided that is greater than the PROPERTY INVALID\_ARRAY\_INDEX current length of the array *or is zero*.

**6) Clause K.2.16, Incorrect Table Clause references.**

Device A shall support DS-RP-A and DS-WP-A. The A device shall be capable of using ReadProperty to retrieve and WriteProperty to modify any of the event and fault algorithm parameters listed in Tables K-15 and K-16.

**7) Clause 12.3.35, Typo (Duplicate “Property” in name)**

**12.3.35 ~~Property~~Property\_List**

**8) Clause 12.17.19, List begins with wrong letter order**

...

- (a) the Present\_Value property shall be decoupled from the algorithm;
- (b) the Reliability property, if present, and the corresponding state of the FAULT flag of the Status\_Flags property shall be decoupled from the algorithm;
- (c) the Present\_Value property and the Reliability property, if present and capable of taking on values other than NO\_FAULT\_DETECTED, shall be writable to allow simulating specific conditions or for testing purposes;
- (d) the property referenced by Manipulated\_Variable\_Reference and other functions that depend on the state of the Present\_Value or Reliability properties shall respond to changes made to these properties, as if those changes had been made by the algorithm.

9) Table 12-71.2, “REAL” is the wrong ASN.1 type

**Table 12-71.2.** Additional Properties of the Network Port Object Type if Network Type is ETHERNET

Property Identifier	Property Datatype	BACNET_APPLICATION	PROTOCOL	PHYSICAL
Network_Number	Unsigned16	(R)		
Network_Number_Quality	BACnetNetworkNumberQuality	(R)		
APDU_Length	Unsigned	(R)		
Routing_Table	BACnetLIST of BACnetRouterEntry	O		
MAC_Address	OctetString			(R) <sup>1</sup>
Link_Speed	Real			O
Link_Speeds	BACnetARRAY[N] of <del>REAL</del> Real			O
Link_Speed_Autonegotiate	Boolean			O
Network_Interface_Name	CharacterString			O
Device_Address_Proxy_Enable	Boolean	O <sup>2</sup>		
Device_Address_Proxy_Timeout	Unsigned	O <sup>2</sup>		

10) Table 12-71.3, “OCTETSTRING” is the wrong ASN.1 type

**Table 12-71.3.** Additional Properties of the Network Port Object Type if Network Type is IPV4

Property Identifier	Property Datatype	BACNET_APPLICATION	PROTOCOL	PHYSICAL
...				
IP_DNS_Server	BACnetARRAY[N] of <del>OCTET</del> <del>STRING</del> OctetString		(R) <sup>6</sup>	
...				

11) Clause 21, Incorrect comment text

```

BACnetConfirmedServiceChoice ::= ENUMERATED {
...
-- Services added after 2016
   -- confirmed-audit-notification    (32) see Alarm and Event Services
   -- audit-log-query                 (33) see Object Access Services

-- Services added after 20162020
   -- auth-request                    (34) see Security Services
...
    
```

**12) Clause 21, BACnetEngineeringUnits per-second and per-minute deleted**

```

...
per-minute (100),
per-second (101),
psi-per-degree-fahrenheit (102),
radians (103),
...

```

**13) Clause 21, additions incorrectly added for BACnetEventParameter**

```

...
change-of-discrete-value [21] SEQUENCE {
    new-value [0] CHOICE {
        boolean Boolean,
        unsigned Unsigned,
        integer Integer,
        enumerated ENUMERATED,
        characterstring CharacterString,
        octetstring OctetString,
        datePattern Date,
        timePattern Time,
        objectidentifier BACnetObjectIdentifier,
        datetime [0] BACnetDateTime
    }
}
status-flags [1] BACnetStatusFlags
}
change-of-discrete-value [21] SEQUENCE {
    time-delay [0] Unsigned
}
...

```

**14) Clause 21, correct parameter names for BACnetNotificationParameters (this is the original location for the parameter name changes shown above)**

**BACnetNotificationParameters ::= CHOICE {**

```

...
-- context tag [20] is not used, see note below
change-of-discrete-value [21] SEQUENCE {
    new-value [0] CHOICE {
        boolean Boolean,
        unsigned Unsigned,
        integer Integer,
        enumerated ENUMERATED,
        characterstring CharacterString,
        octetstring OctetString,
        date DatePattern,
        time TimePattern,
        objectidentifier BACnetObjectIdentifier,
        datetime [0] BACnetDateTime
    },
    status-flags [1] BACnetStatusFlags
},
...

```

**15) Clause 17, Page/Section header incorrect throughout**

~~17. VIRTUAL TERMINAL SERVICES~~  
~~Virtual Terminal Model~~  
**17. AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION SERVICES**  
*Authentication and Authorization Services*

**16) Clause 21, enumerations for BACnetNetworkPortCommand conflict with final assigned values in multiple addenda.**

```
BACnetNetworkPortCommand ::= ENUMERATED {
    idle (0),
    discard-changes (1),
    renew-fd-registration (2),
    restart-subordinate-discovery (3),
    renew-dhcp (4),
    restart-autonegotiation (5),
    disconnect (6),
    restart-port (7),
restart-device-discovery (8),
generate-csr-file (9),
validate-changes (10),
    generate-csr-file (8),
    validate-changes (9),
    restart-device-discovery (10),
    ...
}
-- Enumerated values 0-127 are reserved for definition by ASHRAE. Enumerated values
-- 128-255 may be used by others subject to the procedures and constraints described
-- in Clause 23.
```

**17) Clause 12.22.6 Reason\_For\_Halt to harmonize the property description.****12.22.6 Reason\_For\_Halt**

*This read-only property, of type BACnetProgramError, reflects the reason the application program halted.* If the process executing the application program this object represents encounters any type of error that causes process execution to be halted, then this property shall reflect the reason why the process was halted. ~~The Reason\_For\_Halt property shall be an enumerated type called BACnetProgramError.~~ The values that may be taken on by this property are:

...

**18) Clause 12.61.7 Status Flags copy/paste error in Accumulator Object Type duplicate definition**

**OVERRIDDEN** Logical TRUE (1) if the point has been overridden by some mechanism local to the BACnet device. In this context "overridden" is taken to mean that the Present\_Value and Reliability properties are no longer tracking changes to the physical input. Otherwise, the value is logical FALSE (0).

**OUT\_OF\_SERVICE** *Logical TRUE (1) if the Out\_Of\_Service property has a value of TRUE, otherwise logical FALSE (0).* ~~Logical TRUE (1) if the point has been overridden by some mechanism local to the BACnet device. In this context "overridden" is taken to mean that the Present\_Value and Reliability properties are no longer tracking changes to the physical input. Otherwise, the value is logical FALSE (0).~~

**19) Clause 12, Some objects are not consistent with OVERRIDDEN and Out\_Of\_Service text description when referring to 'self' as point versus 'input' or 'output' as many other objects do.**

**12.54.9 Status\_Flags**

**OVERRIDDEN** Logical TRUE (1) if the **point output** has been overridden by some mechanism local to the BACnet device. In this context, "overridden" is taken to mean that the Present\_Value property is not changeable through BACnet services. Otherwise, the value is logical FALSE (0).

**12.54.12Out\_Of\_Service**

This property, of type Boolean, indicates whether (TRUE) or not (FALSE) the physical **point output** that the object represents is not in service.

**12.2.7 Status\_Flags**

**OVERRIDDEN** Logical TRUE (1) if the **point input** has been overridden by some mechanism local to the BACnet device. In this context "overridden" is taken to mean that the Present\_Value and Reliability properties are no longer tracking changes to the physical input. Otherwise, the value is logical FALSE (0).

**12.3.7 Status\_Flags**

**OVERRIDDEN** Logical TRUE (1) if the **point output** has been overridden by some mechanism local to the BACnet device. In this context "overridden" is taken to mean that the physical output is no longer tracking changes to the Present\_Value property and the Reliability property is no longer a reflection of the physical output. Otherwise, the value is logical FALSE (0).

**12.3.10 Out\_Of\_Service**

This property, of type Boolean, is an indication whether (TRUE) or not (FALSE) the physical **point output** that the object represents is not in service.

**12.6.7 Status\_Flags**

**OVERRIDDEN** Logical TRUE (1) if the **point input** has been overridden by some mechanism local to the BACnet device. In this context "overridden" is taken to mean that the Present\_Value and Reliability properties are no longer tracking changes to the physical input. Otherwise, the value is logical FALSE (0).

**12.7.10 Out\_Of\_Service**

This property, of type Boolean, is an indication whether (TRUE) or not (FALSE) the physical **point output** that the object represents is not in service.

**12.18.7 Status\_Flags**

**OVERRIDDEN** Logical TRUE (1) if the **point input** has been overridden by some mechanism local to the BACnet device. In this context "overridden" is taken to mean that the Present\_Value and Reliability properties are no longer tracking changes to the physical input. Otherwise, the value is logical FALSE (0).

**12.19.7 Status\_Flags**

**OVERRIDDEN** Logical TRUE (1) if the **point output** has been overridden by some mechanism local to the BACnet device. In this context "overridden" is taken to mean that the physical output is no longer tracking changes to the Present\_Value property and the Reliability property is no longer a reflection of the physical output. Otherwise, the value is logical FALSE (0).

**12.19.10Out\_Of\_Service**

This property, of type Boolean, is an indication whether (TRUE) or not (FALSE) the physical **point output** that the object represents is not in service.

**20) Table 12-36 remove spaces (Coleman Brumley)**

Priority For Writing

Unsigned (1..16) Unsigned (1..16)

~~Check with space through out for all integers~~**21) 6.4 eliminate any reference to a number of network layer protocol messages as they change (Nate Benes)****6.4 Network Layer Protocol Messages**

This clause describes the format and purpose of the ~~ten~~ BACnet network layer protocol messages. These messages provide the basis for router auto-configuration, router table maintenance, and network layer congestion control.

**22) Clause 21, authorization-scope should match Table 12-13 with plural**~~authorization scope~~ authorization-scopes

(4194346)

**23) Clause 15.8.1.3.1 Restore “or is zero” to ReadRange (Jim Butler)****15.8.1.3.1 Error Type**

An array index is provided that is greater than the current length of the array *or is zero*. PROPERTY INVALID\_ARRAY\_INDEX

**24) Clause 15.8.1.2.3 Property Array Index change “if” to “of”****15.8.1.2.3 Property Array Index**

If the property identified above is of datatype BACnetARRAY ~~if of~~ BACnetLIST, this parameter of type Unsigned shall indicate the array index of the array element of the property referenced by this service. If the property identified above is not of datatype BACnetARRAY of BACnetLIST, this parameter shall be omitted.

**25) [Change Clause 6.4 Network Layer Protocol Messages, page xxx]****6.4 Network Layer Protocol Messages**

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**26) [Change Clause 15.8.1.2.3 Property Array Index, page xxx]****15.8.1.2.3 Property Array Index**

If the property identified above is of datatype ~~BACnetARRAY if BACnetLIST~~ BACnetARRAY of BACnetLIST, this parameter of type Unsigned shall indicate the array index of the array element of the property referenced by this service. If the property identified above is not of datatype BACnetARRAY of BACnetLIST, this parameter shall be omitted.

**27) Clause 13.3.4 C COMMAND\_FAILURE pMonitoredValue is equal to itself and should be equal to pFeedbackValue Object Type. (Mike O)**

The conditions evaluated by this event algorithm are:

- (a) If pCurrentState is NORMAL, and pFeedbackValue is not equal to pMonitoredValue for pTimeDelay, then indicate a transition to the OFFNORMAL event state.
- (b) If pCurrentState is OFFNORMAL, and ~~pMonitoredValue~~ pFeedbackValue is equal to pMonitoredValue for pTimeDelayNormal, then indicate a transition to the NORMAL event state.

**28) Clause 21. FORMAL DESCRIPTION OF APPLICATION PROTOCOL DATA UNITS** The long dash “—” should be two minus signs “--“, and “date” should say “time”, in both places.

**TimePattern** ::= [APPLICATION 11] OCTETSTRING (SIZE(4)) -- see Clause 20.2.13

-- first octet hour (0..23), X'FF' = unspecified  
 -- second octet minute (0..59), X'FF' = unspecified  
 -- third octet second (0..59), X'FF' = unspecified  
 -- fourth octet hundredths (0..99) X'FF' = unspecified

**Time** ::= TimePattern -- restricted to be a specific ~~date~~ time or an unspecified ~~date~~ time, see Clause 3

**29) 12.1.8 Reliability, the verbiage crossed was deleted in Addenda CO but was not brought into the standard with the addenda**

**12.1.8 Reliability**

Several object types defined in this clause have a property called "Reliability" that indicates the existence of fault conditions for the object. Reliability-evaluation is the process of determining the value for this property. See Clause 13.2.2.2.

The different values that the Reliability property can take on are described below. Note that not all values are applicable to all object types.

~~The first stage of reliability evaluation is internal to the object and is completely defined by the device's vendor. The second stage, which is only found in certain object types, is the application of a fault algorithm. Faults detected in the first stage shall take precedence over faults detected in the second stage. See Clause 13.4 for fault algorithm definitions and see the object type definitions to determine the fault algorithm supported by any particular object type.~~ The different values that the Reliability property can take on are described below. Note that not all values are applicable to all object types.

**30) Annex-L “BACnet device profiles are categorized into families”, do not list in the bullet list of families Authentication and Authorization B-AS**

BACnet device profiles are categorized into families:

- Operator Interfaces. This family is composed of B-XAWS, B-AWS, B-OWS, and B-OD.
- Lighting Operator Interfaces. This family is composed of B-XAWS, B-ALWS, and B-LOD.
- Life Safety Operator Interfaces. This family is composed of B-ALSWWS, B-LSWS, and B-LSAP.
- Access Control Operator Interfaces. This family is composed of B-XAWS, B-AACWS, B-ACWS, and B-ACSD.
- Elevator Operator Interfaces. This family is composed of B-XAWS, B-AEWS, B-EWS, and B-ED.
- Lighting Control Stations. This family is composed of B-ALCS and B-LCS.
- Controllers. This family is composed of B-BC, B-AAC, B-ASC, B-SA, and B-SS.
- Lighting Controllers. This family is composed of B-LS and B-LD.
- Life Safety Controllers. This family is composed of B-ALSC and B-LSC.
- Access Control Controllers. This family is composed of B-AACC and B-ACC.
- Elevator Controllers. This family is composed of B-AEC, B-EC, and B-EM.
- *Authentication and Authorization. This family is composed of B-AS.*
- Miscellaneous. This family is composed of B-RTR, B-GW, B-BBMD, B-ACDC, B-ACCR, and B-SCHUB.

**31) Annex A BACnet Standardized Device Profiles Supported (Annex L), no listing check box for Authorization Server (B-AS)**

- BACnet Advanced Elevator Controller (B-AEC)
- BACnet Elevator Controller (B-EC)
- BACnet Elevator Monitor (B-EM)
- BACnet Router (B-RTR)
- BACnet Gateway (B-GW)
- BACnet Broadcast Management Device (B-BBMD)
- BACnet Access Control Door Controller (B-ACDC)
- BACnet Access Control Credential Reader (B-ACCR)
- BACnet Secure Connect Hub (B-SCHUB)
- BACnet Device Address Proxy (B-DAP)
- BACnet Authorization Server (B-AS)*
- BACnet General (B-GENERAL)

**32) Annex Y statement of deprecation should be in Y.21.1 and 3 moved from Y.21.2 and 4**

Y.21.1 'writableWhen'

*This optional metadata, of type Enumerated, has been deprecated. If present, it shall be ignored.*

~~Y.21.2 This optional metadata, of type Enumerated, has been deprecated. If present, it shall be ignored.~~'writableWhenText'

This optional localizable metadata, of type String, is used to provide display text for the writability condition. The 'writableWhenText' metadata can contain arbitrary text that shall consist of plain printable characters with no formatting markup or line breaks.

...

Y.21.3 'requiredWhen'

*This optional metadata, of type Enumerated, has been deprecated. If present, it shall be ignored*

**Y21.4** ~~This optional metadata, of type Enumerated, has been deprecated. If present, it shall be ignored.~~'requiredWhenText'

This optional localizable metadata, of type String, is used to provide display text for the presence requirements. The 'requiredWhenText' metadata can contain arbitrary text that shall consist of plain printable characters with no formatting markup or line breaks.