

Scope of AAL Project

- Conduct a survey to collect AAL use cases in the field of audio, video and multimedia systems and equipment;
- Contribute to the work of IEC SMB SG 5 AAL by submitting AAL use cases summarized from the survey;
- Investigate AAL future new work items in the field of audio, video and multimedia systems and equipment; and
- Prepare a technical report as the deliverable of the project

IEC TC 100 Ambient Assisted Living (AAL) and Accessibility

- Stage 0 Project PT 100-7 AAL established in May 2012
- Conducted Survey and collected AAL use cases (submitted by China, Japan, Germany, UK, US and the ITU-T FG AVA)
- Submitted use cases to the IEC Strategic Group 5 AAL
- Developed Publicly Available Specification (PAS) with Fraunhofer and DKE (submitted to AGS on 5 June 2013)
- Second version of PAS sent by DKE on 26 August 2013
- 1st project team meeting 23 Oct. 2012, Berlin
- 2nd PT 100-7 AAL Meeting on 7 June 2013, London
 - NP by EBU (European Blind Union) for a functional specification focusing on accessibility and usability of TVs and control of access to, and consumption of, digital content through the TV

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| Timeline | | |
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| 15 May 2012 | AGS Dallas Stage 0 AAL Project established | |
| 31 Aug. 2012 | Call for Experts | |
| 21 Sept. 2012 | Contribution of Use Cases | |
| 23 Oct. 2012 | Project meeting Berlin | |
| Jan-Mar. 2013 | Compile Initial AAL use case TR | |
| 6 May 2013 | Distribution of Early Draft TR to PT | |
| 7 June 2013 | F2F meeting to discuss AAL TR | |
| 16 Sept. 2013 | Finalize AAL draft TR/issue first WD for Shenzhen AAL meeting | |
| 26 Sept. 2013 | F2F meeting to review WD comments on AAL and progress | |
| Autumn 2013 | Submit TR for comments to NCs | |
| Spring 2014 | Finalize AAL TR | |

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| | Committee | Use Case |
| | EBU | Improvement of user interfaces of connected TVs and easy home network setup |
| | US | Accessible Electronic Program Guides |
| | US | Accessible User Interfaces on digital apparatus |
| | US | Accessible Video Description |
| | Japan | Safety Check Service using TV set |
| | China | User interface guidelines for smart TV, tablet and portable multimedia devices |
| | Germany | Telemonitoring of homes to check vital signs and recognize emergencies |
| | Germany | In-house assistance system for lighting and music control |
| | Germany | Electronic "Butler" with intelligent diary, fitness and telemonitoring function |
| | Germany | Mobile Assistance System for persons with cognitive disabilities when outside their homes |
| | UK | List of EU Research Projects related to smart home technologies & smart TV |
| | UniversAAL | Healthy Lifestyle Service Package, Nutritional Advisor |

| New | Use Cases and Contributions |
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| Committee | Use Case |
| Japan | Smartphone as pedometer to promote health (incl. in TR AAL WD) |
| Japan | Health care services for healthy seniors (elderly people) Casual watching (telemonitoring) by the family through the tablet devices Health management in cooperation (not incl. in TR AAL WD) |
| Japan | 24 hours e-telemonitoring (e-mimamori) assist service (not incl. in TR AAL WD) |
| Japan | Watching family in the distant place by "Happy Sensor" (not incl. in TR AAL WD) $$ |
| Japan | Monitoring of body composition by TV with Bluetooth communication (not incl. in $TRAALWD)$ |
| AALIANCE | Repository of AAL standards relevant for TC 100 (incl. In TR AAL WD Annex D) $$ |
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Contributions since June meeting

- Japan NC: 5 new use cases, discussion documents AAL and accessibility definition
- US expert contribution (B. Belt)
- DE expert contribution (OFFIS through SG5)
- UK expert contribution and comprehensive list of comments (J. Woodgate)
- AALIANCE project repository of AAL standards relevant for TC 100

Use Case Clustering (IEC SG5 AAL)

- Communication and social interaction use case scenario (1)
- Entertainment use case scenarios (4)
- Daily life support (1)
- Safety, security and privacy at home Use Case Scenario (0)
- Monitoring, Healthcare and Wellness Use Case Scenario (8)
- Active aging use case scenario (2)
- Mobility use case scenario (1)

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Next Steps

- 26 September 2013 PT 100-7 Meeting Shenzhen
- Discussion of WD TR AAL Use Cases related to AAL in the field of audio, video and multimedia systems and equipment
- Discussion on definitions of AAL and accessibility
- Analysis of required standards and identification of standards gaps
- Development of conclusions and recommendations for TC 100
- Submit TR AAL to NCs (autumn 2013)