

1 **Updated comment #111 D2.2:**

2 Subject: Equation 33A-4:

3 1. Should equation 33A-4 be mandatory or informative?

4 2. Do we need it in 33.3.8.10 or in Annex 33A-4 only?

5 End-to-end pair to pair resistance unbalance for any PSE+Channel+PD connection is described by the
6 following equation:

7 (1) $(U \cdot R_{pse_min} - R_{pse_max}) + (U \cdot R_{ch_min} - R_{ch_max}) + (U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - R_{pair_pd_max}) = 0$

8 Where $U = (1 + E2EP2P_{Runb}) / (1 - E2EP2P_{Runb})$

9 Worst case "U" corresponds to the min/max worst case effective resistance values of Rpse, Rch,
10 Rpair_PD and maximum PClass_PD levels.

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12 We can see that PSE PI output common mode effective resistance needs to meet the following to
13 guarantee that the worst case unbalance is not exceeded for the worst case PD and Channel effective
14 resistances:

15 (2) $R_{pse_max} \leq U \cdot R_{pse_min} + (U \cdot R_{ch_min} - R_{ch_max}) + (U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - R_{pair_pd_max})$

16 This is actually identical to Equation 33-15 in the spec.

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18 It is clear that PSE must meet this equation to guarantee Icon-2P_unb is met due to the following
19 reasons:

20 **a)** PSE needs to support all PDs. PSE doesn't know which PD it is going to support and change its
21 hardware design accordingly that is why PSE has to be designed for the worst case load which is
22 defined by equation 33-15.

23 **b)** This is the only solution for the system equation (1) for a PSE regardless if PD equation 33A-4 is met
24 or not.

25 **c)** And when PSE is connected to Rload_min and Rload_max (also derived from Equation 1) which
26 represent channel + worst case PD, it need meet Icon-2P_unb in order to external test house to verify
27 compliance with Equation 33-15.

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29 So far, all is good; the above is covered by D2.2.

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31 Question #1 is if the same concept should apply to the PD i.e. should we mandate to meet Equation
32 33A-4 or we can satisfied with measuring Icon-2P_unb and keep Equation 33-4 as a design guidelines
33 in Annex 33A-5?

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35 **Discussion: (See next page)**
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38 We said already that both PSE and PD must comply with Equation 1 above:

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40 (1) $(U \cdot R_{pse_min} - R_{pse_max}) + (U \cdot R_{ch_min} - R_{ch_max}) + (U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - R_{pair_pd_max}) = 0$

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42 (2) The equation above is always true, however “U” is not constant. For example, it varies with
43 channel length and is highly unbalanced for the minimum channel and further unbalance at lower
44 load tan Pclass_PD. In the worst cases (of combinations of Vport_PSE, Pclass_PD, Channel
45 resistance) the effective resistances do directly correspond to the worst case Icon-2P-unb.
46 However, it is possible for Rpair_pd values to be worse than those in Equation 33A-4 and still meet
47 Icon-2P-unb by simply lowering the max power below PClass_PD. “U” will be worse, but Icon-2P-
48 unb can still be met.

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50 As a result, PD PI input common mode effective resistance need to meet the following **in order to**
51 **operate at full PClass_PD** levels only:

52 (3) $R_{pair_pd_max} = U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} + (U \cdot R_{pse_min} - R_{pse_max}) + (U \cdot R_{ch_min} - R_{ch_max})$

53 This is actually identical to Equation 33A-4 in the spec in Annex 33A.5. However at power levels lower
54 than Pclass_PD, PD may use larger ratios of Rpair_pd_max and Rpair_pd_min that doesn't meet
55 Equation 33A-4 but still meet Icon-2P_unb!

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57 Now; we know for sure that if PD meets Equation 33A-4 than system equation is solved and PD meets
58 unbalance requirements including Icon-2P_unb at any worst case parameter combinations. **Doe's**
59 **measuring Icon-2P_unb is sufficient?**

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61 If Icon-2P-unb is met with the test circuit (which corresponds to the worst case channel and PSE
62 ranges), then it has to be sufficient, because it will only improve with better PSE that meets Equation
63 33-15 and the channel values.

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65 In other words, we need to be sure (by mathematical proof) that PD that meets Icon-2P_unb by
66 definition meets Equation 33A-4 (Rpair_PD_min and Rpair_PD_max) when connected to Rsource_min
67 and Rsource_max which is also derived from Equation 1 above. We expect that if Icon-2P-unb is met
68 for all worst case PSE+channel combinations, then the most important limit has been met. Otherwise,
69 we need to move Equation 33A-4 to 33.3.8.10 that addresses PD pair to pair current unbalance.

70 Such mathematical proof is shown in Annex B. The mathematical proof shows:

71 A) It is sufficient for the PD to test Icon-2P_unb when it is loaded with its maximum requested
72 Pclass_PD.

73 B) In case of (A), the burden will be on the PD designer to try many sets of Rpair_PD_min and
74 Rpair_PD_max until one set will cause Icon-2P_unb to be met. **Since Annex 33A-5 where**
75 **equation 33A-4 is located is far away from the standard body, it is recommended to move**
76 **Equation 33A-4 as informative design guidelines to the main standard body in clause**
77 **33.3.8.10.**

78 Proposed Remedy:

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This is not part of the base line

The proposed remedy based on the following:

1. No change in Equation 33A-4 status. It is still informative. See Annex A and B for details.
2. Equation 33A-4 was moved to 33.3.8.10 in order to be accessible to the reader due to its importance.
3. Adding introduction part for 33.3.8.10

80 **If the proposed remedy will be accepted, use these modifications for clause 33.3.8.10 and**
81 **33A.5 instead of the proposed remedy for clause 33.3.8.10 and 33A.5 in**
82 **darshan_01_0117.pdf**
83 **33.3.8.10 PD pair-to-pair current unbalance**

84 This section describes unbalance requirements for Type 3 and Type 4 PDs that operate over 4-pair. The
85 contribution of PD PI pair-to-pair effective resistance unbalance to the effective system end to end
86 resistance unbalance, is determined by PD maximum ($R_{Pair_PD_max}$) and minimum ($R_{Pair_PD_min}$)
87 common mode effective resistance in the powered pairs of same polarity. See Figure 33A-4.
88 Effective resistances of $R_{Pair_PD_min}$ and $R_{Pair_PD_max}$ include the effects of PD pair to pair
89 voltage difference and the PD PI resistive elements. See definition and measurements in Annex 33A.5.

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91 PDs that comply with Equation 33-X4 intrinsically meet unbalance requirements.

92 -Update equation 33-X4 constants as follows (Updates are due to: Changing 71W to 71.3W, final
93 updates of PD Vdiff to 60mV for Type 3 and Type 4, channel P2PRun changes made for D2.2)
94 -Update equation 33A-4 from " $R_{pair_pd_max} =$ " to " $0 < R_{pair_pd_max} \leq$ "

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$$0 < R_{Pair_PD_max} \leq \left. \begin{array}{l} 2.170 \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + 0.125 \quad \text{for PD Type 3, Class 5} \\ 1.988 \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + 0.105 \quad \text{for PD Type 3, Class 6} \\ 1.784 \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + 0.080 \quad \text{for PD Type 4, Class 7} \\ 1.727 \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + 0.074 \quad \text{for PD Type 4, Class 8} \end{array} \right\} \Omega \quad (33-X4)$$

98 where

99 $R_{Pair_PD_max}$ is, given $R_{Pair_PD_min}$, the highest allowable common mode effective resistance in the
100 powered pairs of the same polarity.
101 $R_{Pair_PD_min}$ is the lower PSE common mode effective resistance in the powered pairs of the same
102 polarity.

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104 Common mode resistance is the effective resistance of the two wires and their components in a pair of the same
105 polarity connected in parallel.

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107 Smaller constants α and β in the equation $R_{Pair_PD_max} = \alpha \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + \beta$ ensure that $I_{Con-2P-usb}$ is not
108 exceeded for PD power consumption above the values in Table 33-26.

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110 [Figure 33-X1 illustrates the relationship between \$R_{pair_PD_max}\$ and \$R_{pair_PD_min}\$ effective resistances at the](#)
111 [PD PI as specified by Equation 33-X4 and the rest of the end to end pair to pair effective resistance components.](#)

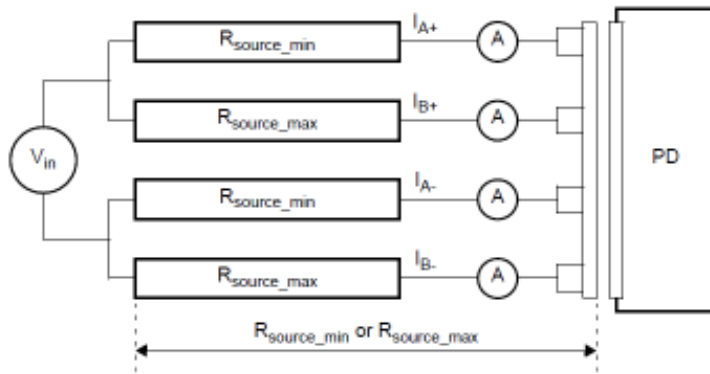
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113 Under all operating states, single-signature PDs assigned to Class 5 or higher shall not exceed $I_{Con-2P-}$
114 unb for longer than $TCUT-2P_{min}$ as defined in Table 33-18 on any pair when PD PI pairs of the same
115 polarity are connected to all possible common source voltages in the range of V_{Port_PSE-2P} through
116 two common mode resistances, R_{source_min} and R_{source_max} , where $R_{source_max} = 1.186 * R_{source_min}$,
117 $R_{source_min}, R_{source_max} = (-0.030 * R_{source_min} + 1.324) * R_{source_min}$, and R_{source_min} are all possible
118 resistances in the range of $0.168-0.145 \Omega$ to $5.28-5.470 \Omega$ as shown in Figure 33-37.

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120 Under all operating states, dual-signature PDs shall not exceed ICon-2P as defined in Equation (33–8)
 121 for lon-ger than TCUT-2P min as defined in Table 33–18 on any pair when PD PI pairs of the same
 122 polarity are connected to all possible common source voltage in the range of VPort_PSE-2P through
 123 two common mode resistances, Rsource_min and Rsource_max, where
 124 $R_{source_max} = (-0.030 * R_{source_min} + 1.324) * R_{source_min}$, ~~$R_{source_max} = 1.186 * R_{source_min}$~~ , and
 125 Rsource_min are all possible resistances in the range of ~~0.145 0.168~~ Ω to ~~5.470 5.28~~ Ω as shown in
 126 Figure 33–37.

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 128 Rsource_min and Rsource_max represent the Vin source common mode effective resistance that
 129 consists of the PSE PI components (RPSE_min and RPSE_max as specified in 33.2.8.5.1,
 130 VPort_PSE_diff as specified in Table 33–18, the channel resistance, and influence of RPair_PD_min
 131 and RPair_PD_max ~~specified in Annex 33A.5~~ as function of ~~total~~ system end-to-end unbalance).
 132 Common mode effective resistance is the resistance of two con-ductors of the same pair and their other
 133 components, which form Rsource, connected in parallel including the effect of the total system (PSE
 134 and PD) pair to pair voltage-difference. IA and IB are the pair currents of pairs with the same polarity.
 135 R_{PAIR_PD_min}, R_{PAIR_PD_max} ensures that along with any other parts of the system, i.e. channel (cables and
 136 connectors) and the PSE, the maximum pair current including unbalance does not exceed ICon-2P-unb
 137 as defined in Table 33–18 during normal operating conditions. See Annex 33A.5.

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139 **Figure 33–37— I_{Con-2P} and $I_{Con-2P-unb}$ evaluation model**

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141 NOTE 1—Rsource includes resistance Rcon which is the connection resistance at the PD. The
 142 maximum recommended Rcon value is 0.02 Ω .

143 NOTE 2—The pairset current limits should also be met when Rsource_max and Rsource_min are
 144 swapped between pairs of the same polarity.

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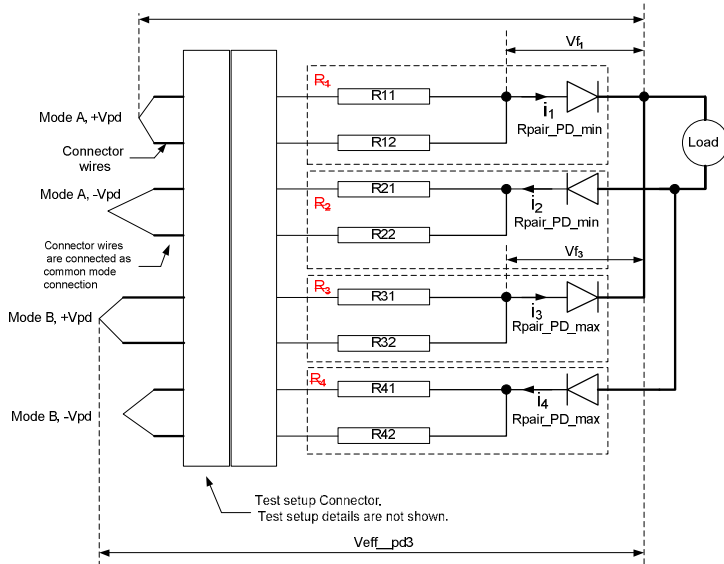
146 **33A.5 PD PI pair-to-pair current unbalance requirements**

147 **Delete Equation 33A-4 and the following text:**

148 ~~The following design guide lines may be implemented to ensure PD PI pair to pair current unbalance~~
 149 ~~requirements are met:~~

150 ~~$$R_{Pair_PD_max} = \left. \begin{cases} 2.182 \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + 0.125 & \text{for PD Type 3, Class 5} \\ 1.999 \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + 0.106 & \text{for PD Type 3, Class 6} \\ 1.904 \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + 0.095 & \text{for PD Type 4, Class 7} \\ 1.832 \times R_{Pair_PD_min} + 0.087 & \text{for PD Type 4, Class 8} \end{cases} \right\} \Omega \quad \text{---(33A-4)}$$~~

151 RPair_PD_max and RPair_PD_min represent PD common mode input effective resistance of pairs of the same
 152 polarity. Common mode effective resistance is the resistance of two conductors of the same pair and their other
 153 components connected in parallel including the effect of PD pair-to-pair voltage difference of pairs with the same
 154 polarity (e.g. Vf1-Vf3). The common mode effective resistance Rn is the measured voltage Veff_pd_n, divided by
 155 the current through the path as described below and as shown in the example in Figure 33A-4, where n is the pair
 156 number.



157 **Figure 33A-4—PD resistance unbalance elements overview**

158 Positive pairs:

160 ~~$R1 = R_{Pair_PD_min} = V_{eff_pd1} / i1$~~

161 ~~$R3 = R_{Pair_PD_max} = V_{eff_pd3} / i3$~~

162 Negative pairs:

163 ~~$R2 = R_{Pair_PD_min} = V_{eff_pd2} / i2$~~

164 ~~$R4 = R_{Pair_PD_max} = V_{eff_pd4} / i4$~~

165 **End Of proposed baseline**

166 Annex A: Derivation of E2EP2PRunb system equations

167 System End to End Pair to Pair Resistance Unbalance (PSE, Channel and PD):

$$168 \quad (1) \quad E2EP2PRunb = \frac{(Rpse_{max} - Rpse_{min}) + (Rch_{max} - Rch_{min}) + (R_{pairPD_{max}} - R_{pairPD_{min}})}{(Rpse_{max} + Rpse_{min}) + (Rch_{max} + Rch_{min}) + (R_{pairPD_{max}} + R_{pairPD_{min}})}$$

171 Presenting (1) is a shorter form:

$$172 \quad (2) \quad E2EP2PRunb = \frac{(\sum R_{max} - \sum R_{min})}{(\sum R_{max} + \sum R_{min})}$$

175 Opening and solving (2) in terms of Rmax/Rmin ratio and E2EP2PRunb:

$$176 \quad (\sum R_{max} - \sum R_{min}) = E2EP2PRunb \cdot (\sum R_{max} + \sum R_{min})$$

$$177 \quad \sum R_{max} - \sum R_{min} = E2EP2PRunb \cdot \sum R_{max} + E2EP2PRunb \cdot \sum R_{min}$$

$$178 \quad \sum R_{max} - E2EP2PRunb \cdot \sum R_{max} = E2EP2PRunb \cdot \sum R_{min} + \sum R_{min}$$

$$179 \quad (1 - E2EP2PRunb) \cdot \sum R_{max} = (1 + E2EP2PRunb) \cdot \sum R_{min}$$

$$180 \quad (3) \quad \frac{\sum R_{max}}{\sum R_{min}} = \frac{(1 + E2EP2PRunb)}{(1 - E2EP2PRunb)} = U$$

182 As a result from (3):

$$183 \quad (4) \quad \frac{\sum R_{max}}{\sum R_{min}} = u$$

184 And we get the general system unbalance equation:

$$185 \quad (5) \quad u \cdot \sum R_{min} - \sum R_{max} = 0$$

186 The general system unbalance equation (5) can be expanded back by expressing all its components:

$$187 \quad (6) \quad U \cdot Rpse_{min} + U \cdot Rch_{min} + U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - Rpse_{max} - Rch_{max} - R_{pair_pd_max} = 0$$

188 **Deriving from (7) the PSE PI equation:**

189 From (6) we can solve for Rpse_max:

$$190 \quad (7) \quad Rpse_{max} = U \cdot Rpse_{min} + U \cdot Rch_{min} + U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - Rch_{max} - R_{pair_pd_max}$$

$$191 \quad (8) \quad \mathbf{Rpse_{max} = U \cdot Rpse_{min} + \beta_1 \text{ (This is the form of Equation 33-15 in D2.2)}}$$

$$192 \quad \mathbf{\beta_1 = U \cdot Rch_{min} + U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - Rch_{max} - R_{pair_pd_max}}$$

193 Additional information:

- 194 1. Equation 8 can be presented as function of Rload_min and Rload_max during testing for compliance which makes it clear why PSE
- 195 cannot be tested only for Icon-2P_unb by only connected it to Rload_min and Rload_max.
- 196 2. PSE must be designed for the worst case unbalance since it needs to support all PDs (PDs on the other hand need to be designed only
- 197 for their required Pclass_PD or lower power).

198 From (7) $Rpse_{max} = U \cdot Rpse_{min} + U \cdot (Rch_{min} + R_{pair_pd_min}) - (Rch_{max} + R_{pair_pd_max})$

199 By definition:

$$200 \quad Rload_{max} = Rch_{max} + R_{pair_PD_max}$$

$$201 \quad Rload_{min} = Rch_{min} + R_{pair_PD_min}$$

$$202 \quad (9) \quad Rpse_{max} = U \cdot Rpse_{min} + U \cdot Rload_{min} - Rload_{max}$$

203 Deriving from (6) the PD PI equation:

204 (6) $U \cdot R_{pse_min} + U \cdot R_{ch_min} + U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - R_{pse_max} - R_{ch_max} - R_{pair_pd_max} = 0$

205 From (6) we can solve for $R_{pair_PD_max}$:

206 (10) $R_{pair_pd_max} = U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} + U \cdot R_{pse_min} + U \cdot R_{ch_min} - R_{pse_max} - R_{ch_max}$

207 (11) $R_{pair_pd_max} = U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} + \beta_2$ **(This is the form of Equation 33A-4 in D2.2)**

208 $\beta_2 = U \cdot R_{pse_min} + U \cdot R_{ch_min} - R_{pse_max} - R_{ch_max}$

209 Additional information:

210 1. Equation 10 can be presented as function of R_{source_min} and R_{source_max} during testing for compliance.

211 2. PD must be designed for the worst case unbalance per its required P_{class_PD} or lower power.

212 3. At this point, it is not clear if it is sufficient for the PD to meet $I_{con_2P_unb}$ and is equivalent to meet Equation 10.

213 4. It is clear that if the PD meets Equation 10, then it will meet $I_{con_2P_unb}$ by definition since Equation 10 is a complete solution of system equation (6).

214 5. See Annex B for derivation of mathematical proof that for a PD it is sufficient to meet $I_{con_2P_unb}$.

215 (10) $R_{pair_pd_max} = U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} + U \cdot R_{pse_min} + U \cdot R_{ch_min} - R_{pse_max} - R_{ch_max}$

216 By definition:

217 $R_{source_max} = R_{pse_max} + R_{ch_max}$

218 $R_{source_min} = R_{pse_min} + R_{ch_min}$

219 (12) $R_{pair_pd_max} = U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} + U \cdot R_{source_min} - R_{source_max}$

221 Deriving R_{load_min} and R_{load_max} when PSE is tested for compliance

222 From (6): $U \cdot R_{pse_min} + U \cdot R_{ch_min} + U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - R_{pse_max} - R_{ch_max} - R_{pair_pd_max} = 0$

223 Finding R_{load_max} and R_{load_min} as function of the other system parameters:

224 By definition the PSE is loaded by:

225 $R_{load_max} = R_{ch_max} + R_{pair_PD_max}$

226 $R_{load_min} = R_{ch_min} + R_{pair_PD_min}$

227 As a result from (6):

228 (7) $R_{load_max} = R_{ch_max} + R_{pair_pd_max} = U \cdot R_{ch_min} + U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} + U \cdot R_{pse_min} - R_{pse_max}$

229 **(8) $R_{load_max} = U \cdot R_{load_min} + (U \cdot R_{pse_min} - R_{pse_max})$**

230 The values of R_{load_max} and R_{load_min} (Table 33-B1 in D2.2) are measured by simulation and are
231 identical to the computed R_{load_min} and R_{load_max} in equation 8.

232 Deriving R_{source_min} and R_{source_max} when PD is tested for compliance

233 From (6): $U \cdot R_{pse_min} + U \cdot R_{ch_min} + U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - R_{pse_max} - R_{ch_max} - R_{pair_pd_max} = 0$

234 Finding R_{source_max} and R_{source_min} as function of the other system parameters:

235 By definition the PD is connected to the following source resistance:

236 $R_{source_max} = R_{pse_max} + R_{ch_max}$

237 $R_{source_min} = R_{pse_min} + R_{ch_min}$

238 As a result from (6):

239 (9) $R_{source_max} = R_{pse_max} + R_{ch_max} = U \cdot R_{pse_min} + U \cdot R_{ch_min} + (U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - R_{pair_pd_max})$

240 **(10) $R_{source_max} = U \cdot R_{source_min} + (U \cdot R_{pair_pd_min} - R_{pair_pd_max})$**

241 The values of R_{source_max} and R_{source_min} (Clause 33.3.8.10) are measured by simulation and are
242 identical to the computed R_{source_min} and R_{source_max} in Equation 9.

243 **Annex B – Does it is sufficient for a PD to meet Icon-2P_unb instead of**
 244 **meeting Rpair_PD_min and Rpair_PD_max equations?**
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246 From System End to End Pair to Pair Resistance Unbalance (PSE, Channel and PD) equation in Annex A:

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 248 (1)
$$E2EP2PRunb = \frac{(Rpse_{max} - Rpse_{min}) + (Rch_{max} - Rch_{min}) + (R_{pairPDmax} - R_{pairPDmin})}{(Rpse_{max} + Rpse_{min}) + (Rch_{max} + Rch_{min}) + (R_{pairPDmax} + R_{pairPDmin})}$$

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251 The pair with the maximum current is I_{max}=Icon-2P_unb and the pair with minimum current is I_{min}.

252 The total current of two pairs of the same polarity is It=I_{max}+I_{min}.

253 The current difference between I_{max} and I_{min} is Idiff=I_{max}-I_{min}=E2EP2PRunb*It.

254 I_{max}=0.5*It+0.5*Idiff

255 I_{min}=0.5*It-0.5*Idiff

256 As a result:

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258 (2) Icon-2P_unb=0.5*It+0.5*It*E2EP2PRunb=0.5*It*(1+E2EP2PRunb)
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260 Combining (1) and (2):

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262 Icon-2P_unb=0.5*It*(1+E2EP2PRunb)=

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$$(3) \quad Icon - 2P_unb = 0.5 \cdot It \cdot \left(1 + \frac{(Rpse_{max} - Rpse_{min}) + (Rch_{max} - Rch_{min}) + (R_{pairPDmax} - R_{pairPDmin})}{(Rpse_{max} + Rpse_{min}) + (Rch_{max} + Rch_{min}) + (R_{pairPDmax} + R_{pairPDmin})} \right)$$

268 Due to the fact that:

269 (1) Icon-2P_unb is known (measured)

270 And

271 (2) Rpse_min and Rpse_max are defined by Equation 33-15 in the spec or in equation (8) in Annex A and
 272 are known.

273 And

274 (3) Rch_min and Rch_max are known (defined together with Rpse_min and Rpse_max known as
 275 Rsource_min and Rsource_max) and are known.

277 We can find by **trial and error** the values of Rpair_PD_min and Rpair_PD_max that solve Equation (3).

278 As a result, Equation (3) can be solved completely by either measuring Icon-2P_unb or by compliance to

279 equation 33A-4 that defined Rpair_PD_min and Rpair_PD_max.

281 The only problem with the approach of measuring Icon-2P_unb is that the PD designer will need to guess what
 282 should be Rpair_PD_min and Rpair_PD_max in order to guaranteed meeting Icon-2P_unb while designing
 283 directly with Equation 33A-4 is cleaner and faster.

284 **Recommendations:**

285 C) For the PD section, it is sufficient to measure Icon-2P_unb which is equivalent to meet Rpair_PD_min
 286 and Rpair_PD_max.

287 D) Designing a PD without using Equation 33A-4 will be time consuming job due to the fact that the
 288 designer will have to test many Rpair_PD_min and Rpair_PD_max values combination until he will
 289 identify which pair of values guarantee meeting Icon-2P_unb.

290 E) Since Annex 33A-5 where equation 33A-4 is located is far away from the standard body, it is
 291 recommended to move Equation 33A-4 as informative design guidelines to the main standard body in
 292 clause 33.3.8.10.
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