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# CAN Standardization: XL & FD light

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# CAN Standardization Status

## Agenda

### **CAN XL**

- Who standardizes CAN XL?
- Standardization Activities & Status
- Plugfest

### **CAN FD light**

- Who standardizes CAN FD light?
- Standardization Activities & Status

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**Who Standardizes CAN XL?**

# CAN XL – Next Step in CAN Evolution

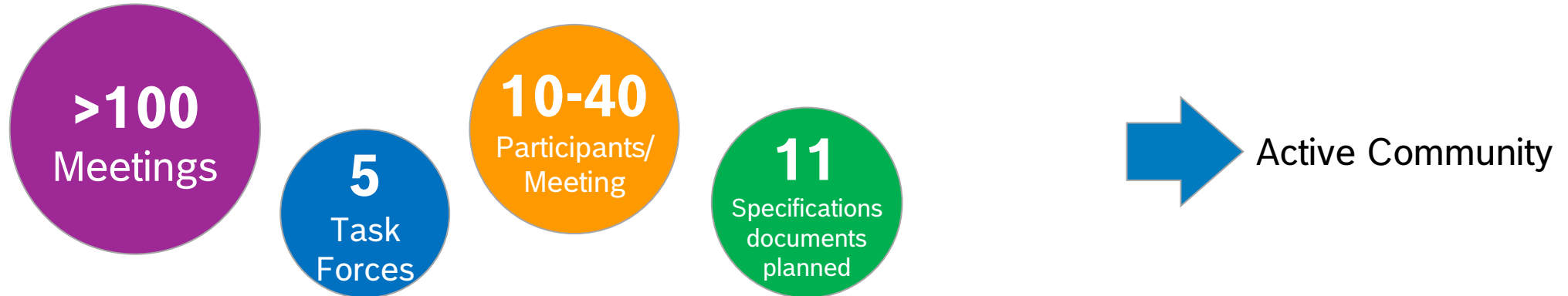
## Who standardizes CAN XL?



**Most activities are at CAN in Automation** in Special Interest Group CAN XL [\[link\]](#)

- Chairman of SIG CAN XL: Arthur Mutter (Bosch ME)
- Editor of Protocol Specification: Florian Hartwich (Bosch ME)

### Activities since 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting (Dec. 2018)

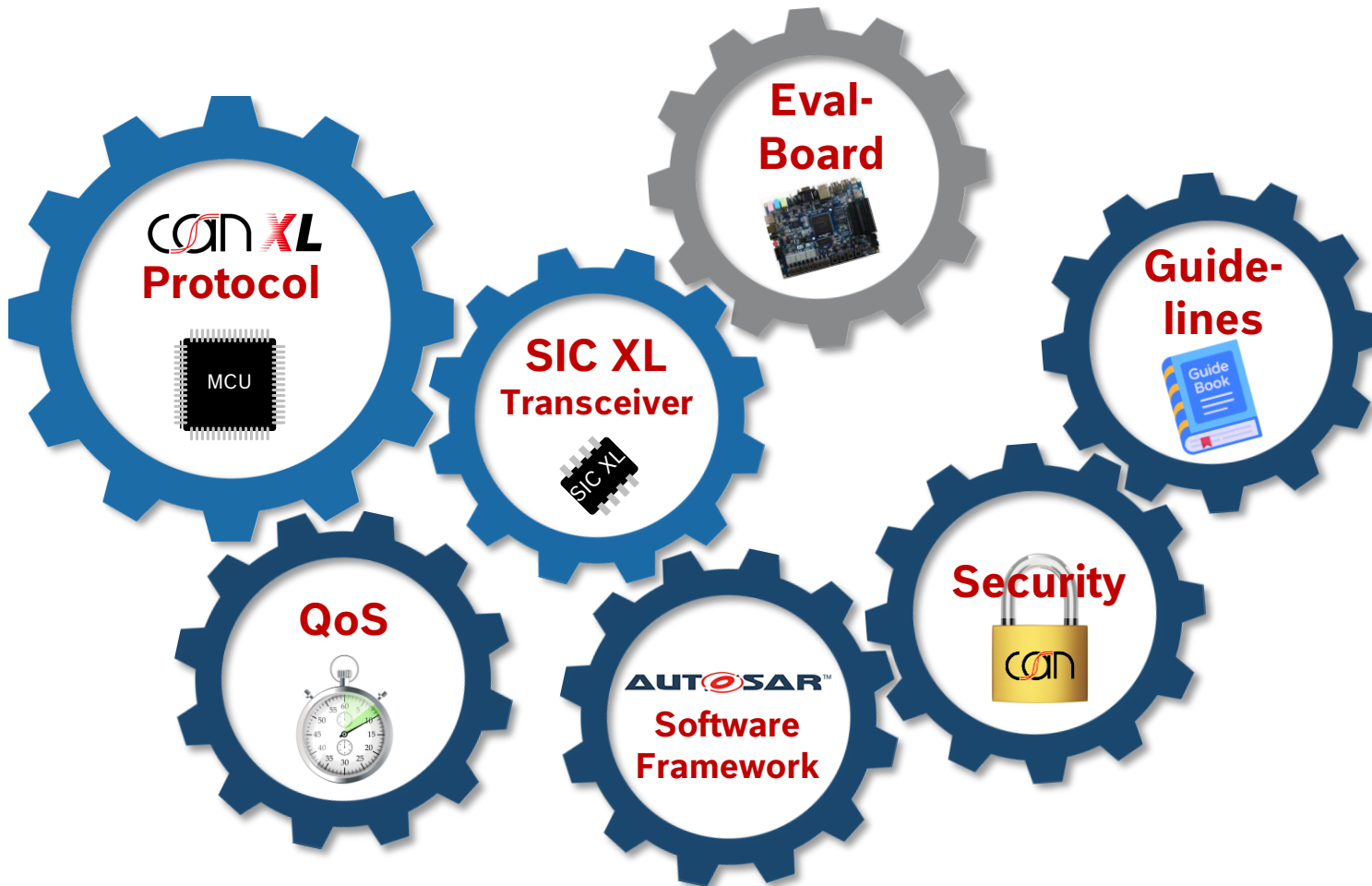


### Participating Companies

NXP, Infineon, Renesas, STM, TI, Continental, Denso, Bosch, ...  
VW, Jaspas (JOEMs), Nissan, PSA, Mercedes, Vector, ETAS, Kvaser, Murata, ...

# CAN XL – Next Step in CAN Evolution

## Standardization Ecosystem



### Activities at

- CiA → 11 specifications
- ISO → 2 standards
- AUTOSAR → 1 specification
- China → t.b.d

### Main document editors



CiA: CAN in Automation e.V.  
 ISO: International Standardization Organization  
 SIC: Signal Improvement Capability  
 QoS: Quality of Service  
 MCU: Micro Controller Unit

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## **Standardization Activities & Status**

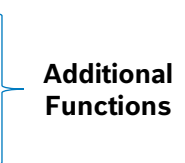
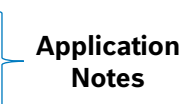
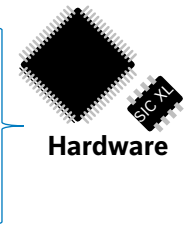


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## CiA: Specification Documents

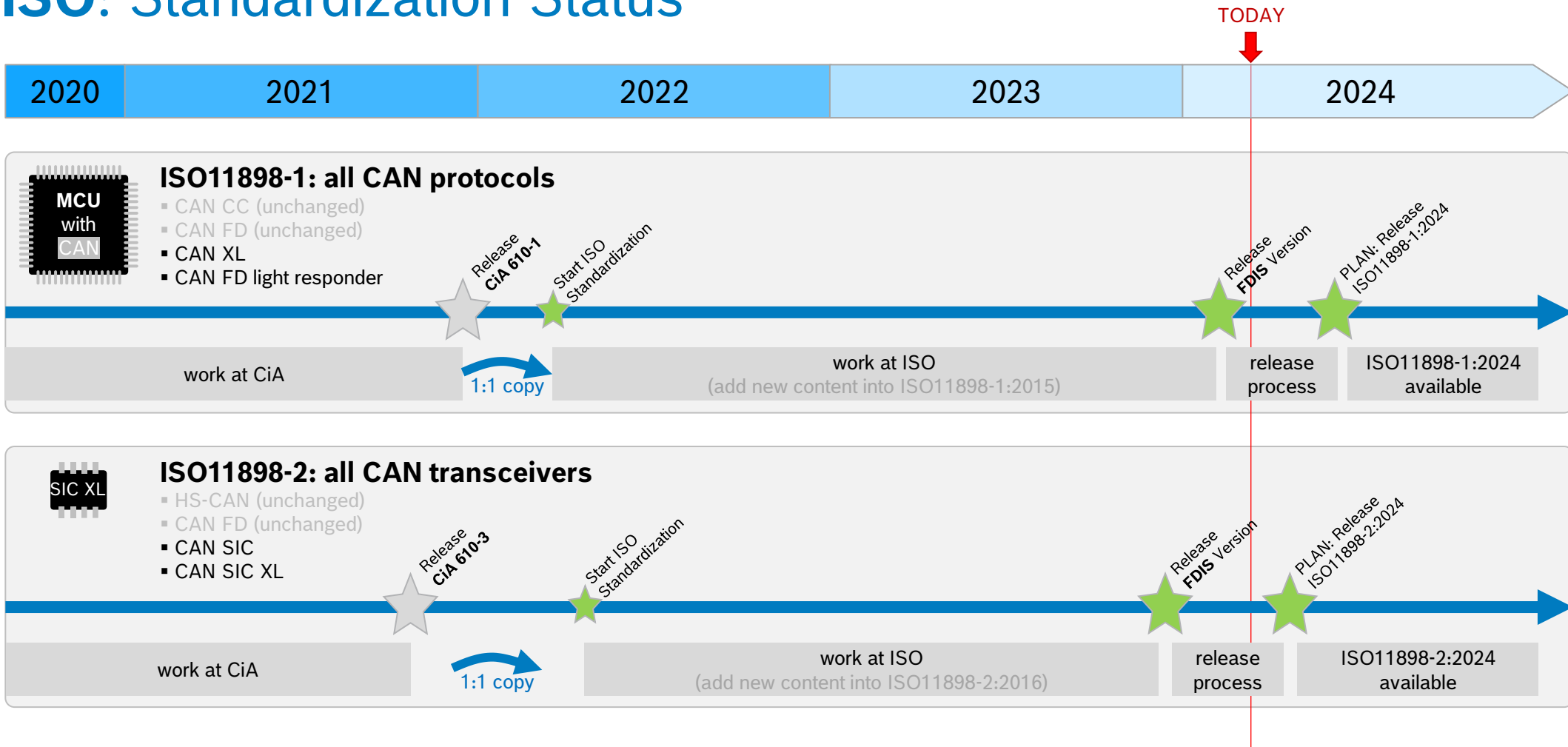
11 specification documents  
Hardware relevant: released

Part	Title	Comment	Status Q1/24	Main Editor/Contrib.
<b>Series CiA 610: CAN XL specifications and test plans</b>				
CiA 610-1	Data link layer and physical coding sub-layer requirements	XL Protocol + PWME	100%	Ⓜ BOSCH NXP
CiA 610-2	Data link layer and physical coding sub-layer conformance <b>test plan</b>	XL Protocol + PWME	80%	... C & S Ⓜ BOSCH
CiA 610-3	Physical medium attachment sub-layer requirements	XL Transceiver + PWMD	100%	Infineon NXP
CiA 610-4	Physical medium attachment sub-layer conformance <b>test plan</b>	XL Transceiver + PWMD	80%	... C & S Infineon NXP
<b>Series CiA 611: CAN XL higher-layer services</b>				
CiA 611-1	SDU types	SDU Types	100%	VECTOR > Ⓜ BOSCH
CiA 611-2	Multi-PDU	Multi-PDU	100%	Schlegel Consulting
<b>Series CiA 612: CAN XL guidelines and application notes</b>				
CiA 612-1	System design recommendations	CAN XL usage	100%	Ⓜ BOSCH
CiA 612-2	PWM coding implementation guideline	PWM coding usage	100%	NXP
<b>Series CiA 613: CAN XL add-on services</b>				
CiA 613-1	Simple/extended content (SEC) indication	SEC indication	90%	VECTOR > Ⓜ BOSCH
CiA 613-2	Security	DLL Security	60%	RENESAS Infineon
CiA 613-3	LLC frame fragmentation	Fragmentation for QoS	90%	VECTOR > Ⓜ BOSCH



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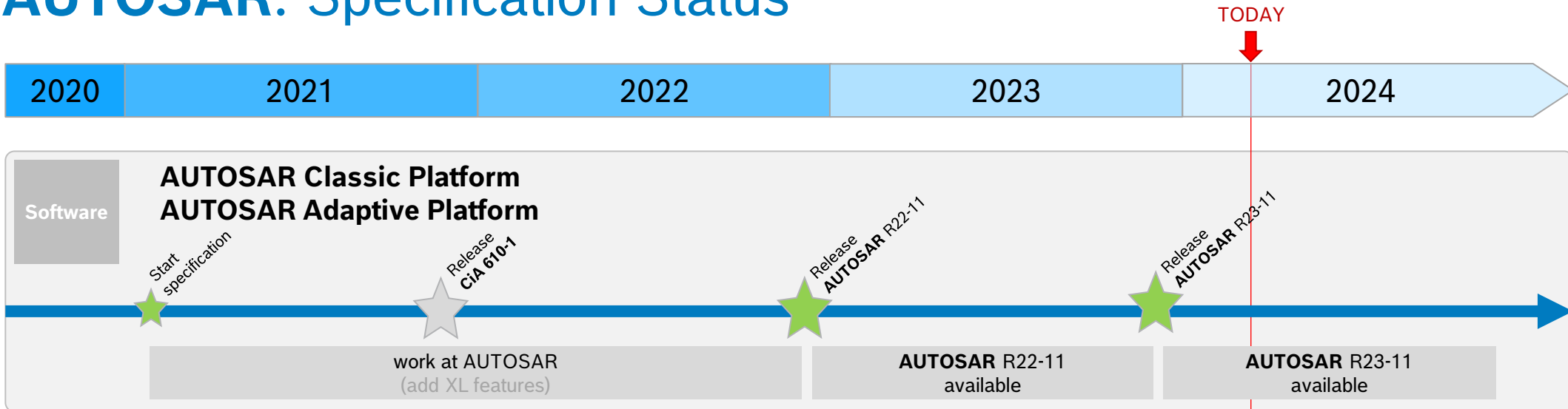
## ISO: Standardization Status





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## AUTOSAR: Specification Status



### AUTOSAR Classic Platform supports

- CAN XL (all features)
- CiA611-1: Ethernet Tunneling via CAN XL
- CiA611-1: CC and FD tunneling via CAN XL
- CiA611-1: content-based addressing (via AF field)

### AUTOSAR Adaptive Platform [pure Ethernet based] supports

- CiA611-1: Ethernet Tunneling via CAN XL
  - supports CAN XL as alternative Physical Layer for Ethernet

# CAN XL – Next Step in CAN Evolution

## Chinese Standardization Body: Status

**Bosch and NXP reached out to Chinese Standardization Body in October 2023.**

**“CAN XL core eco-system Cooperation” Project Proposal reviewed preliminarily**

- establish CAN technology core eco-system
- ISO11898-1:2024 (CAN XL Protocol): adopt as is
- ISO11898-2:2024 (SIC and SIC XL Transceivers): adopt as is
- carry out CAN XL application specification research in China
- jointly promote the application of CAN XL technology with industry representatives and standardization development organizations

**“CAN XL core eco-system” is an ideal opportunity for all parties interested in CAN XL in China**

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## Plugfest



**1st CAN XL Plugfest**  
Nürnberg, July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021

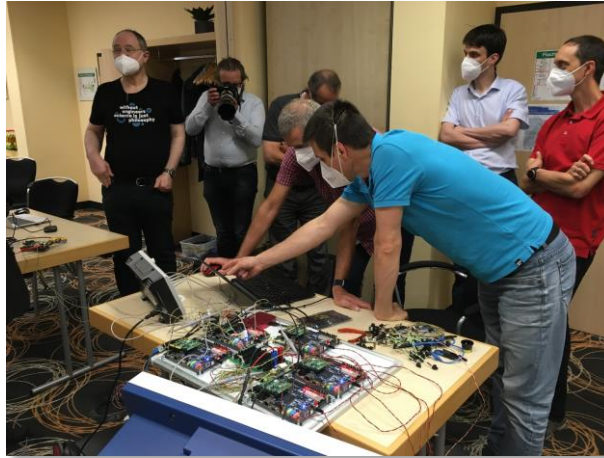


# CAN XL – Next Step in CAN Evolution Plugfests

Next Plugfest: May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024

**1st**

Nuremberg (GER)  
July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021



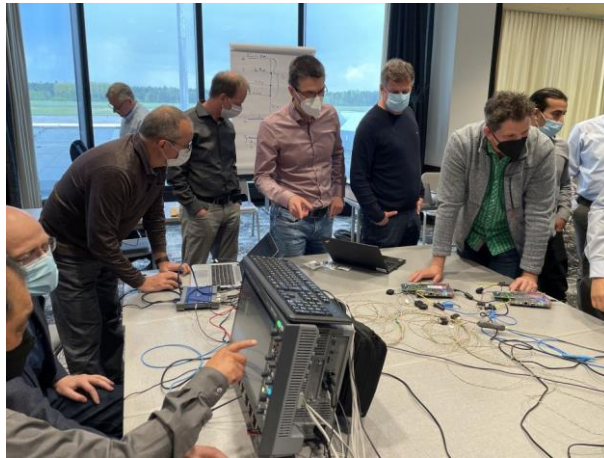
**3rd**

Nuremberg (GER)  
January 12-13<sup>th</sup>, 2023



**2nd**

Nuremberg (GER)  
May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022



**4th**

Detroit (USA)  
April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023



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**Who Standardizes CAN FD light?**



# CAN FD light

## Who standardizes CAN FD light?



**Most activities are at CAN in Automation** in Special Interest Group CAN FD light [\[link\]](#)

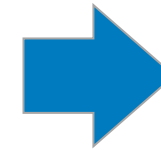
- Chairman of SIG CAN FD light: Fred Rennig, (ST Microelectronics)
- Editor of Protocol Specification: Fred Rennig, (ST Microelectronics)

### Activities since 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting (May 2020)

**>30**  
Meetings

**10-30**  
Participants/  
Meeting

**3**  
Specifications  
documents  
planned



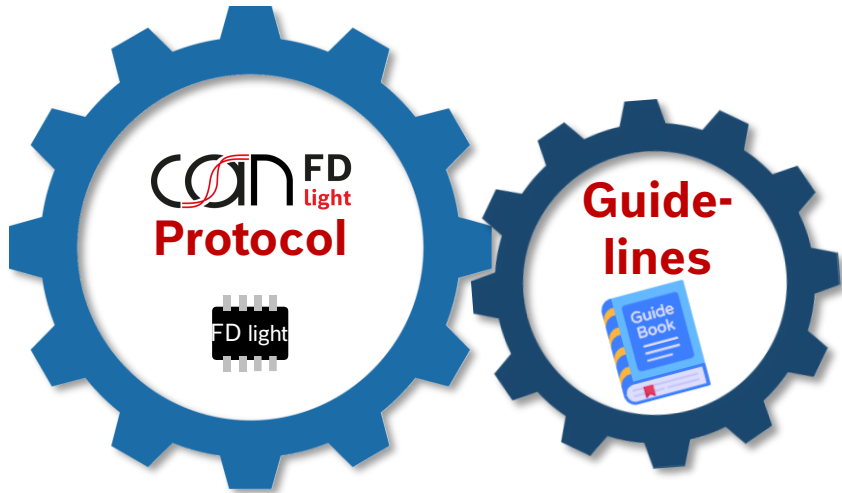
Active Community

### Participating Companies

STM, TI, NXP, Infineon, Denso, Continental, Bosch, ...

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# CAN FD light Responder Standardization Ecosystem



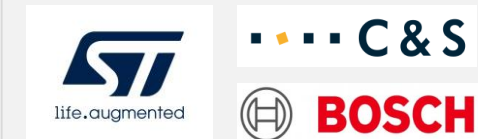
## Remarks

- **CAN FD light Responder uses a subset of the CAN FD features**
- **CAN FD light reuses the CAN FD Ecosystem (Transceiver, Tooling, ...)**
- CAN FD light Commander up to 1 Mbit/s → ISO11898-1 CAN FD node
- CAN FD light Commander >1 to 8 Mbit/s → ISO11898-1 change required

## Activities at

- CiA → 3 specifications
- ISO → 1 standard

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## CiA: Specification Documents

3 specification documents

Hardware relevant: released

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<b>Series CiA 604: CAN FD light</b>				
CiA 604-1	Data link layer and physical coding sub-layer requirements of <b>responder nodes</b>	FD light	100%	 
CiA 604-2	Data link layer and physical coding sub-layer conformance of <b>responder nodes test plan</b>		starts soon	 
CiA 604-3	System design recommendation	FD light usage	90%	 

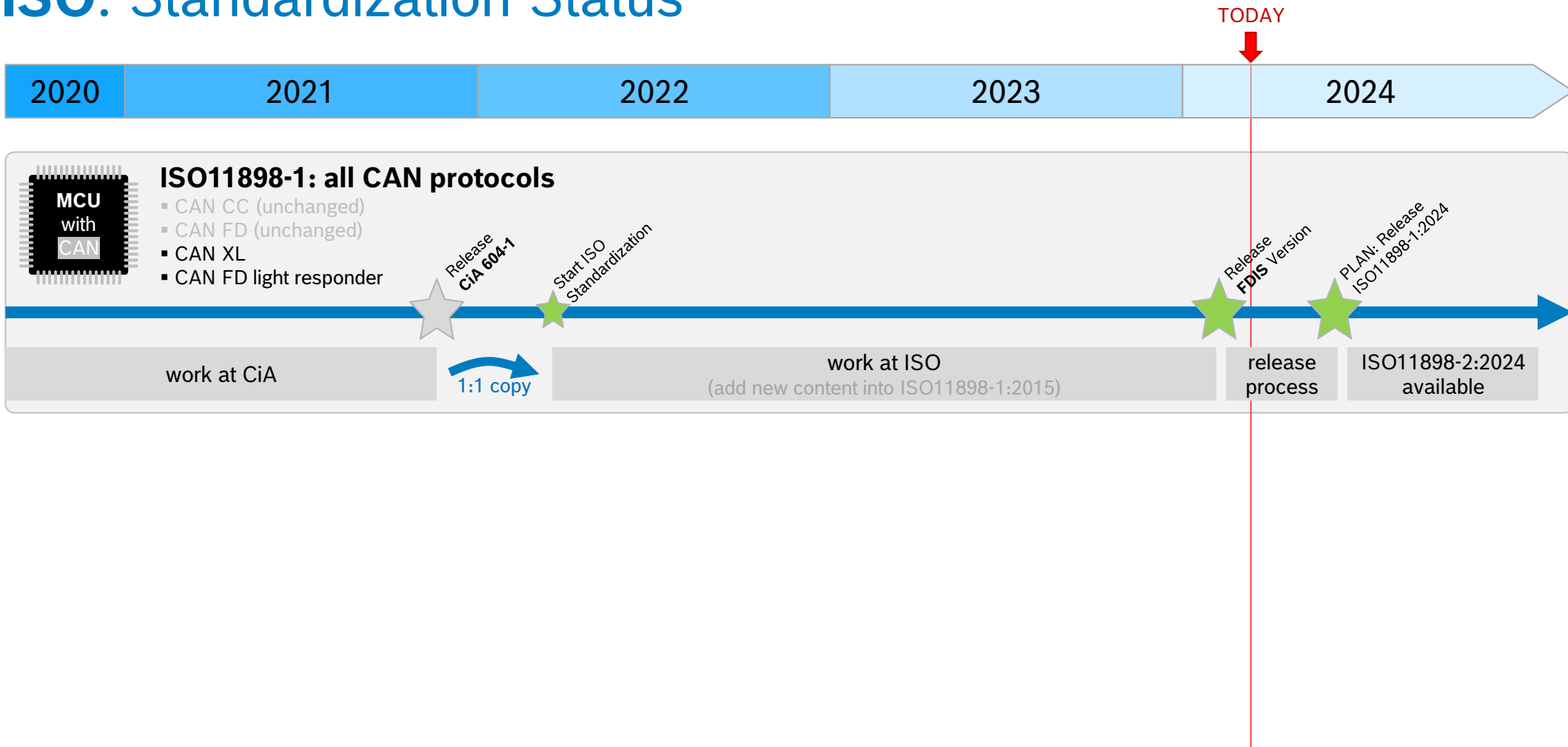
Hardware 

Test

Guideline

# CAN FD light – Next Step in CAN Evolution

## ISO: Standardization Status



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## Summary

# CAN XL & CAN FD light Standardization Status

## Summary



### CAN XL

- **ISO Release soon. Hardware related parts are frozen. Industry Standard.**
- Technology is proven in Plugfests and by evolution
- Collaboration with Chinese standard. body in preparation



### CAN FD light responder

- **ISO Release soon. Hardware related parts are frozen. Industry Standard.**
- CAN FD Ecosystem can be reused:  
Transceivers, Tooling, Knowledge, etc.

