

Case Study:

Mutual Recognition Agreement(MRA) Now & Future

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MRA(*Mutual Recognition Agreements*)

Overview

There are two agreements,

Bi-lateral agreement and

Multi-lateral agreement which is supported by APECTEL MRA.

The main-core authorities & body are

RA(Regulatory Authority),

DA(Designating Authority) &

AB(Accreditation Body).

MRA (*Mutual Recognition Agreements*)

Overview

The practical MRA has two process,

Phase-1 Testing Laboratories Exchanges(ISO17025)

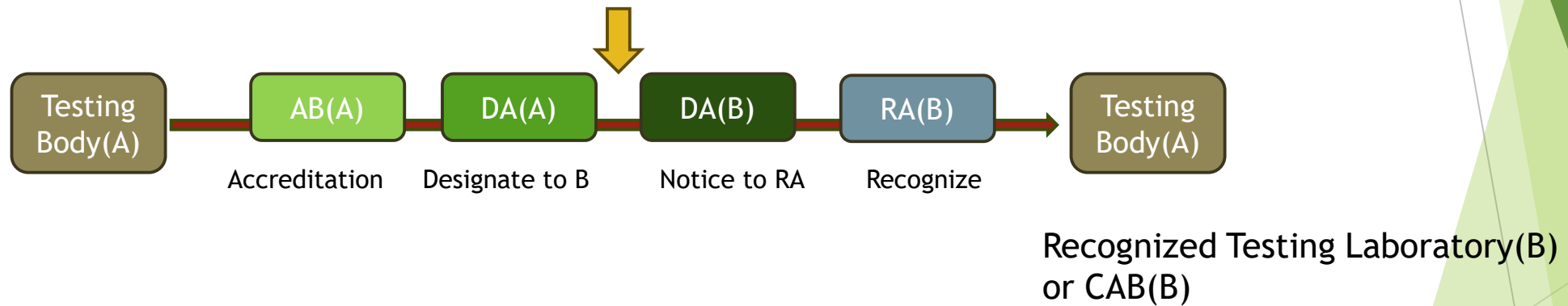
Phase-2 Conformity Assessment Bodies Exchanges(ISO17065)

MRA (Mutual Recognition Agreements)

Overview

The procedure of MRA process,

*(A): Economy A, (B): Economy B



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-Result-

Since MRA between EU & Japan has started, it is passed for 22 years more. It is passed for 17 years between US.

These have still many trouble.

Its improvement procedure will be discussed many times in international meetings.

Good Proposal

Best Practices for Effective Implementation of Telecom MRAs

March 16, 2023

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National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)

Department of Commerce

United States

Conclusion

Reference



1. Transparency

Documenting the Scheme Requirements



2. CAB Competency

Providing Assessment Checklists



3. Transition Times

Building in Transitions Periods for Changes in Requirements



4. Ongoing Training

Participating in Regular Information Sharing/Training Opportunities

Today, we have reviewed some best practices for successful MRA implementation.

These practices help to ensure the competency of CABs to properly test/certify products to the (unique) requirements of TEL MRA partners.

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<https://www.tele.soumu.go.jp/j/sys/equ/mra/2023/english/pdf/index.htm>

MRA Case Study Today

Now:

- Practical MRA accreditation procedure

Internationalized ISO/IEC accreditation information

Current situation of MRA

Roger Sheng, APAC

- Testing Procedure in US, and future

How to decide testing procedure in US, just in case

William Graff, TCB Council



MRA Case Study Today

Future:

- Protection for Faked Testing Report

Possibility Block-Chain Utilization

Bernie Fuller, Blockchain Verified Sweden



- Internationalized Common Testing Procedure for each sector

CB Scheme of Electrical Safety Field

Toshiyuki Kajiya, IECEE

- New field in EU, Cyber Security & future

Present certification body for Cyber Security in EU

Matthias Springer, TUV Nord Cert



Enjoy

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