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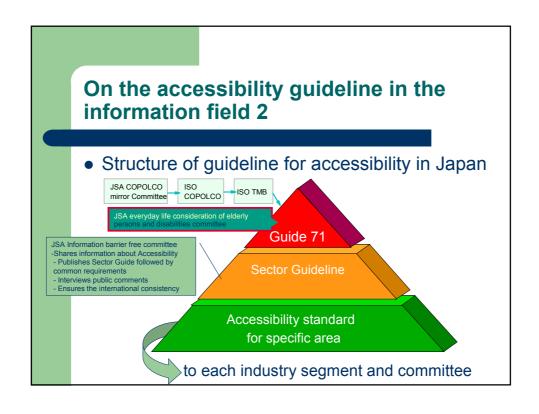
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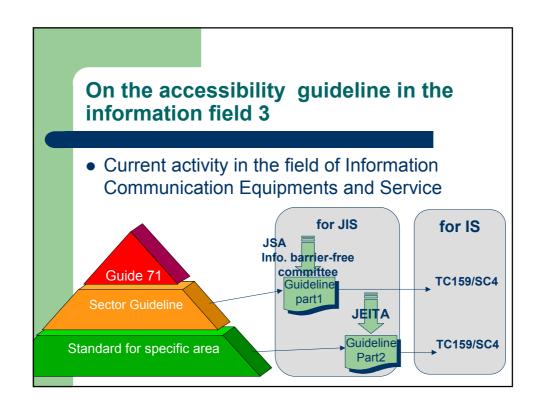
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## On the accessibility guideline in the information field 1

- List of JIS standards
  - Guide 71 (Japanese translation)
  - marking tactile dots on consumer products
  - Usability of consumer product
  - Auditory signals on consumer products
  - Packaging and receptacles
  - Packaging and receptacles Test methods for opening
  - Designing of clothes
  - Product information for consumers
  - Instructions for use of products of consumer interest
  - etc.



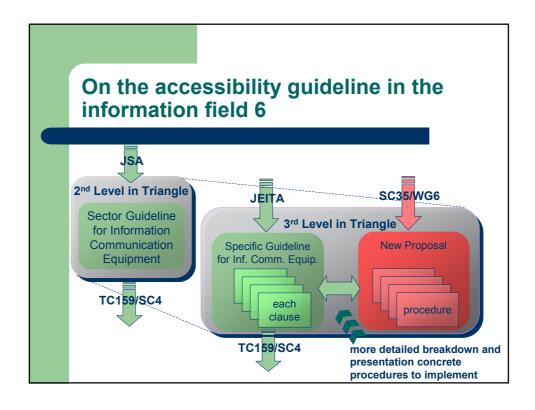


## On the accessibility guideline in the information field 4

- Title of guidelines by JSA and JEITA
  - Sector Guideline = (JSA Information barrier-free committee)
    - (Part 1) Ergonomics of human system interaction- Accessibility Guidelines for information communication equipment and services -Generic Guideline
  - Guideline for Specific Area = JEITA (Japan Electronics and Information Technology Industries Association)
    - (Part 2) Ergonomics of human system interaction- Accessibility Guidelines for information communication technology and service <u>-Information processing equipment</u>

## On the accessibility guideline in the information field 5

- The each clause in the proposal of JEITA include useful information for the accessibility.
- But on the other hand, the proposal of JEITA is <u>still general</u> and it doesn't show the concrete and effective methods to implement for information equipment and services.
- Therefore, we will refer and regard for the proposal of JEITA to propose the new standard in the future.
- We would like to suggest more detailed breakdown in the proposal of JEITA and presentation concrete procedures to implement.



### On the proposal in the future 1

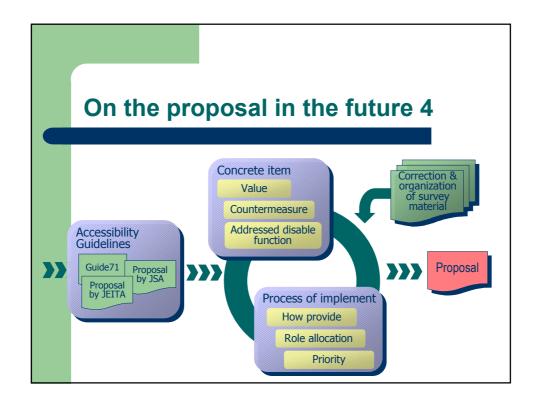
- For Concrete item
  - Targeted and estimated values in proposal of JEITA are not clear and are obscurity.
  - The classification and the level of the disabled function are not considered specify and ambiguity.
  - --> Description the value as clear as possible
  - --> Proposal of countermeasure for inexpressible with the value
    - For example, whether attach any button or not
  - --> Categorization and level organization the disable function to a certain extend
    - Specify addressed disable function. For example, "for complete blindness", or "for poor eyesight"

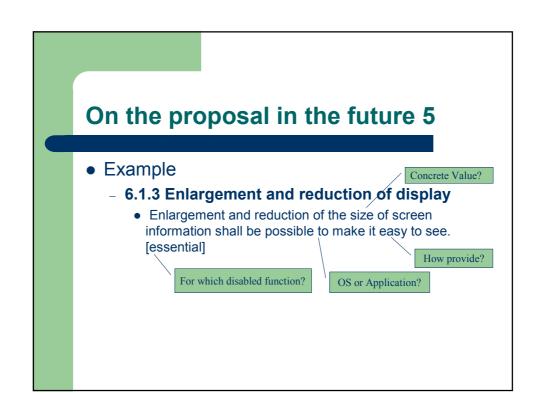
### On the proposal in the future 2

- For process of implement
  - Not clear how to provide the function that assists elderly and disabled
  - --> How provide the PC function (Alternatively, optionally or shared)
  - --> Clarify the process for approach to the PC function
  - --> Clarify the role allocation of the function (Hardware, OS or Application)
  - --> Clarify the priority of the function specified

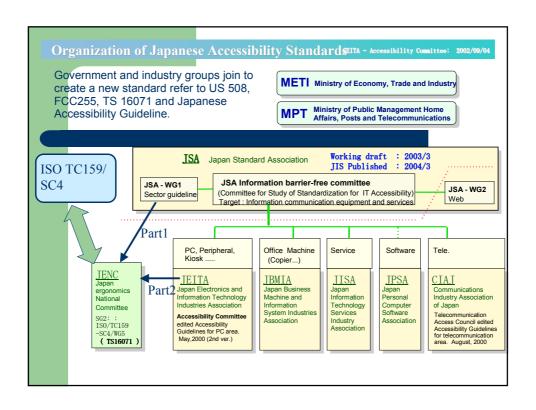
#### On the proposal in the future 3

- On data correction and organization
  - It is necessary to collect and organize data which can be supported to propose the rational and precise value.
  - Moreover, It is necessary to collect cases in current usage by companies
  - --> Accumulation and sharing of data not only the value also cases in current usage by companies.
    - For example, AIST(National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology) is correcting these data.
    - And, Kyoyo-Hin Foundation in Japan conduct a survey of requests from elderly and disabled.









### **Annex**

- Research group for sensory-substitution http://www.sensory-substitution.gr.jp/
- "Questionnaire inconvenience" by Kyoyo-hin Foundation

http://www.kyoyohin.org/