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**Abstract of document:**

A variety of beyond 2D video representation formats and related compression technologies are available and emerging. Therefore, in order to determine appropriate beyond 2D video formats for different services, it is essential to evaluate their implementability and performance, considering implementation constraints, performance indicators, and interoperability considerations. In addition, advanced network capabilities and service extension also need to be investigated to meet the delay and data rate requirements of beyond 2D-related services.

TR 26.956 studies available and emerging beyond 2D video formats and compression technologies, which are mostly related to specific types of services including related capturing systems and display technologies. It documents end-to-end reference scenarios and workflows for beyond 2D video, evaluates 3GPP-defined and potential new representation formats and compression technologies for each scenario, and identifies gaps in current standards.

**Changes since last presentation to SA#108:**

First presentation to TSG SA.

**Outstanding Issues:**

The following features need to be completed:

- Finalize the scenario description and continue the evaluation work.

- Identify potential gaps or deficiencies of existing 3GPP codecs, and offer recommendations to potentially extend 3GPP video specifications and capabilities.

- Identify potential needs for normative work.

**Contentious Issues:**

None.

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2007-09-06: removal of references to Working Groups; bring names of TSGs up to date; correction of typo

2015-01-06: adds tdoc header & removes redundant information below