

Performance & Warranties Profile *for* Belden IBDNPlus Category 5 Certified System Installations

Belden CDT will provide its authorized Certified System Vendors (CSVs), for the benefit of their end users, with both an extended Belden IBDN Component Warranty and a lifetime Application Assurance Program for all Belden IBDN Certified Systems installed by the CSV.

The extended Belden IBDN Component Warranty and the lifetime Application Assurance Program are offered to the CSV by Belden CDT, Inc., in accordance with the following terms and conditions.

This Warranty and this Assurance Program apply only to Belden IBDN Certified Systems installed by CSV acting as an authorized Certified System Vendor (CSV) and in compliance with the CSV Agreement.

A Belden IBDN Certified System is a structured cabling system that has been engineered, designed and installed by the CSV acting as an authorized Belden CDT CSV. The engineering, design and installation of the Belden IBDN System must be performed in accordance with all applicable Belden IBDN guidelines, Belden IBDN practices, and other Belden IBDN documentation in effect at the time of installation. Belden IBDN structured cabling installations that meet these requirements will receive a Certification Registration Number and Certification Plaque or Certificate from Belden CDT and will then be designated as a Belden IBDN Certified System, eligible for the extended Belden IBDN Component Warranty and lifetime Application Assurance Program described below.

In order to maintain the validity of the extended Belden IBDN Component Warranty and the lifetime Application Assurance Program, the Belden IBDN Certified System must be maintained in accordance with the Belden IBDN User Guide in effect at the time of installation.

Extended Belden IBDN Component Warranty:

Belden CDT warrants that;

- i) the Belden IBDN passive components installed in the Belden IBDN Certified System are covered by a manufacturer's warranty against defects in material and workmanship for a period of twenty-five (25) years from the date of installation, at the original installation location.
- ii) the Belden IBDN Certified System will meet or exceed the UTP channel transmission requirements specified by:
ANSI/TIA/EIA 568-B.1, Annex D
ISO/IEC IS 11801:1995 Class D & Applicable Amendments

Once an installed Belden IBDN passive component has been deemed defective by Belden CDT, Belden CDT shall repair or replace, at Belden CDT's discretion, the defective component. Belden CDT may use refurbished materials in either repair or replacement procedures, and the repaired or replaced component will be warranted for the balance of the original twenty-five year warranty period, or, ninety (90) days, whichever is longer.

The repair or replacement of a defective component under this warranty includes the reasonable costs of labor required to repair or replace the defective component. The decision of repair or

replacement of components, and the selection of labor services to perform the repair or replacement are at the sole discretion of Belden CDT, Inc.

Application Assurance:

In addition to the extended Belden IBDN Component Warranty, Belden CDT also provides a lifetime Application Assurance Program for all Belden IBDN Certified Systems.

Belden CDT's lifetime Application Assurance Program warrants that the Belden IBDN Certified System will be capable of supporting all industry standard Category 5 Applications during its entire installation life at its original installation location.

Industry standard Category 5 Applications include;

- i) all Category 5 applications identified in the current (at time of installation) Belden IBDN documentation, and;
- ii) any Category 5 applications introduced at a future date by recognized standards bodies and user forums that use the ANSI/TIA/EIA 568-B.1, Annex D and ISO/IEC IS 11801:1995 Class D component and link/channel specifications for cabling.

In the event that the Belden IBDN Certified System is unable to support an existing or future Category 5 Application as defined above, and such failure can be attributed to a deficiency in the Belden IBDN System, Belden CDT will provide at, its expense, reasonable expertise, Belden IBDN materials and labor as required to remedy the problem and/or resolve the claim. The decision of repair or replacement of materials, and the selection of labor services to perform the remedial services are at the sole discretion of Belden CDT, Inc.

Limitations:

Belden CDT, Inc. will not be liable for, nor pay for, any loss of use of the Belden IBDN System or products; costs of substitute goods, facilities or services; or for any other economic losses or incidental, consequential or exemplary damages.

This Extended Product Warranty and Application Assurance for the Belden IBDN Certified System does not cover any deficiencies in the System which result from failure to comply with Belden CDT design guidelines and installation procedures.

Belden CDT, Inc. shall not be liable for damages or defects resulting from circumstances beyond its control, including but not limited to, misuse, alteration, unauthorized repair, damages in transit, fire, floods and acts of God.

Repair or replacement of the Belden IBDN Certified System by Belden CDT, Inc. is your exclusive remedy.

This is the only warranty on the Belden IBDN Certified System. There are no other warranties, express or implied, made by Belden CDT, Inc.