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1. Scope

The scope of this document is limited to the Enabler Release Definition of REST NetAPI Communication Patterns according to OMA Release process and the Enabler Release specification baseline listed in section 5.

2. References

2.1 Normative References

- [REST_COMPATT] “Specification that defines a RESTful API for Communication Patterns using HTTP protocol bindings”, OMA-TS-REST_NetAPI_CommunicationPatterns-V1_0-20160416-D, [URL:http://www.openmobilealliance.org](http://www.openmobilealliance.org)
- [RFC2119] “Key words for use in RFCs to Indicate Requirement Levels”, S. Bradner, March 1997, [URL:http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2119.txt](http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2119.txt)
- [SCRRULES] “SCR Rules and Procedures”, Open Mobile Alliance™, OMA-ORG-SCR_Rules_and_Procedures, [URL:http://www.openmobilealliance.org/](http://www.openmobilealliance.org/)
- [SUP-XSD_COMPATT] “XML schema for the RESTful Network API for Communication Patterns”, OMA-SUP-XSD_rest_netapi_communicationpatterns-V1_0-20160323-D, [URL:http://www.openmobilealliance.org](http://www.openmobilealliance.org)

2.2 Informative References

- [OMADICT] “Dictionary for OMA Specifications”, Version 2.9, Open Mobile Alliance™, OMA-ORG-Dictionary-V2_9, [URL:http://www.openmobilealliance.org/](http://www.openmobilealliance.org/)

3. Terminology and Conventions

3.1 Conventions

The key words “MUST”, “MUST NOT”, “REQUIRED”, “SHALL”, “SHALL NOT”, “SHOULD”, “SHOULD NOT”, “RECOMMENDED”, “MAY”, and “OPTIONAL” in this document are to be interpreted as described in [RFC2119].

All sections and appendixes, except “Scope”, “Release Version Overview” and “Conformance Requirements Notation Details”, are normative, unless they are explicitly indicated to be informative.

The formal notation convention used in sections 8 and 9 to formally express the structure and internal dependencies between specifications in the Enabler Release specification baseline is detailed in [SCRRULES].

3.2 Definitions

Enabler Release Collection of specifications that combined together form an enabler for a service area, e.g. a download enabler, a browsing enabler, a messaging enabler, a location enabler, etc. The specifications that are forming an enabler should combined fulfil a number of related market requirements.

Minimum Functionality Description Description of the guaranteed features and functionality that will be enabled by implementing the minimum mandatory part of the Enabler Release.

3.3 Abbreviations

| | |
|--------------|--------------------------------|
| ERDEF | Enabler Requirement Definition |
| ERELD | Enabler Release Definition |
| OMA | Open Mobile Alliance |
| OMNA | Open Mobile Naming Authority |

4. Release Version Overview

The scope of this enabler release is to specify a RESTful Network API for Communication Patterns using an HTTP protocol binding.

4.1 Version 1.0 Functionality

The RESTful Network API for Communication Patterns v1.0 defines REST protocol bindings.

5. Document Listing for Communication Patterns API V1.0

This section is normative.

| Doc Ref | Permanent Document Reference | Description |
|---------------------------------|---|---|
| Requirement Document | | |
| N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Technical Specifications | | |
| [REST_COMPATT] | OMA-TS-REST_NetAPI_CommunicationPatterns-V1_0-20160512-C | Specification that defines a RESTful API for Communication Patterns using HTTP protocol bindings |
| Supporting Files | | |
| [SUP-XSD_COMPATT] | OMA-SUP-XSD_rest_netapi_communicationpatterns-V1_0-20160512-C | XML schema for the RESTful Network API for Communication Patterns Working file in Schema directory: file: rest_netapi_communicationpatterns-V1_0.xsd path: http://www.openmobilealliance.org/tech/profiles/ |

Table 1: Listing of Documents in in the RESTful Network API for Communication Patterns V1.0 Enabler

6. OMNA Considerations

The RESTful Network API for ComPatt 1.0 enabler introduces the following namespaces.

Note that in order to maintain compatibility between minor versions of the same major version, only the major version is reflected in the namespace identifier. Further note that subsequent minor versions of the same XML schema (e.g. 1.1) will be registered against the same namespace identifier.

| Description | Registered URN | Schema Links |
|------------------------|---|---|
| Communication Patterns | urn:oma:xml:rest:netapi:communicationpatterns:1 | http://www.openmobilealliance.org/tech/profiles/rest_netapi_communicationpatterns-V1_0.xsd |

Table 2: OMNA Namespaces

Exception codes as defined in section 7 of [REST_COMPATT] are requested to be added to the RESTful Network API Exception Codes Registry, if applicable.

7. API Considerations

| API Information | | | | |
|---|---|---|--|------------------|
| API Name | Technical Specification | API Description | API Category | Protocol Binding |
| Communication Patterns | OMA-TS-REST_NetAPI_CommunicationPatterns-V1_0 | <p>The specification contains HTTP protocol bindings to provide information about predictable communication patterns of individual Devices or groups of Devices.</p> <p>It provides resource definitions, the HTTP verbs applicable for each of these resources, and the element data structures, as well as support material including flow diagrams and examples using the various supported message body formats (i.e. XML, JSON).</p> | Network API | RESTful HTTP |
| Previous Release | | | | |
| Technical Specifications | | | Publication Release | |
| None | | | N/A | |
| Supporting Material | | | | |
| Name | | | Publication Release | |
| OMA-SUP-XSD_rest_netapi_communicationpatterns-V1_0 OMA_TS_REST_NetAPI_Common-V1_0 OMA_SUP_rest_netapi_common-V1_0 | | | This Release OMA-RRP-REST_NetAPI_Common-V1_0 OMA-RRP-REST_NetAPI_Common-V1_0 | |
| Related Material | | | | |
| Name | | | Publication Release | |
| OMA-WP-Guidelines_for_RESTful_Network_APIs | | | OMA-RRP-Guidelines_for_RESTful_Network_APIs | |
| Profile Information | | | | |
| Name | | | Publication Release | |
| N/A | | | N/A | |

8. Conformance Requirements Notation Details

This section is informative

The tables in following chapters use the following notation:

- Item:** Entry in this column **MUST** be a valid ScrItem according to [SCRRULES].
- Feature/Application:** Entry in this column **SHOULD** be a short descriptive label to the **Item** in question.
- Requirement:** Expression in the column **MUST** be a valid TerminalExpression according to [SCRRULES] and it **MUST** accurately reflect the architectural requirement of the **Item** in question.

9. ERDEF for REST_NetAPI_COMPATT

This section is normative.

| Item | Feature / Application | Requirement |
|--------------------------------|---|------------------------------|
| OMA-ERDEF-REST-COMPATT-S-001-M | RESTful Network API for Communication Patterns 1.0 [REST_COMPATT] | REST-COMPATT-SUPPORT-S-001-M |

Table 3: ERDEF for RESTful Network API for Communication Patterns V 1.0

Appendix A. Change History (Informative)

A.1 Approved Version History

| Reference | Date | Description |
|-----------|------|------------------|
| n/a | n/a | No prior version |

A.2 Candidate Version 1.0 History

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|--|-------------|----------|---|
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