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1. Scope

The scope of this document is limited to the Enabler Release Definition of Application Layer Security Common Functions (SEC_CF) according to OMA Release process and the Enabler Release specification baseline listed in section 5.

2. References

2.1 Normative References

- [RFC793] “Transmission Control Protocol”, IETF, RFC 793, J. Postel, September 1981,
[URL:http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc793.txt](http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc793.txt)
- [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/)

2.2 Informative References

- [OMADICT] “Dictionary for OMA Specifications”, Version x.y, Open Mobile Alliance™,
OMA-ORG-Dictionary-Vx_y, [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 7 and 8 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

DDF	Data Description Format
DDS	Data Definition Specification
ERDEF	Enabler Requirement Definition
ERELED	Enabler Release Definition
GBA	Generic Bootstrapping Architecture
KMC	Key Management Center
OMA	Open Mobile Alliance
OSG	OMA Security Gateway
SEC_CF	Security Common Functions
TCP	Transmission Control Protocol
TLS	Transport Layer Security

4. Release Version Overview

Security Common Functions (SEC_CF) aims at providing a common security architecture for OMA Enablers. The common security architecture provides a common way to implement security functionality for OMA Enablers in a flexible way and it is adaptable to the requirements of different enabler deployment scenarios. Ultimately, it should be possible for all types of OMA enablers to use this architecture to provide security.

4.1 Version 1.0 Functionality

This version of the SEC_CF aims to provide security functionality for OMA Enablers that are based on a Client-Server operational model and operate over TCP [RFC793] as the transport protocol.

A Client-Server operational model in the SEC_CF context requires a functional entity denoted Security Agent (SECA), requesting services from an application server. Security Agents are generally implemented on a mobile terminal whereas the application server is likely to be the part of an OMA Enabler such as location servers, charging elements, etc. that resides in a fixed network.

SEC_CF defines another functional entity, OMA security gateway (OSG), which can be integrated into other entities (e.g. mobile terminal, application server, etc) of the OMA Enabler architecture to provide security services to resources that are connected to it. The OSG MAY provide DoS protection. As an implementation option, the functional entity Key Management Center (KMC) is introduced to provide key management support to the OSG (in Home or Visited domains) and key management to the Security Agent. KMC can also be integrated into the OSG.

The interfaces defined between SEC_CF functional entities can be implemented using industry standard security protocols. In some cases SEC_CF functional entities might be integrated into the enablers own functional entities to avoid creating new interfaces and simplify the solution.

SEC_CF defines several security functions such as authentication, confidentiality protection and integrity protection to be re-used by other OMA enablers. Security considerations for each security function are detailed in the relevant SEC_CF technical specifications. The SEC_CF architecture also permits various deployment models to reflect the current established deployment models (Home domain only, visited domain, etc) of service providers.

5. Document Listing for SEC_CF

This section is normative.

Table 1 lists the documents that comprise the SEC_CF enabler.

Doc Ref	Permanent Document Reference	Description
Requirement Document		
[SEC_CF_RD]	OMA-RD-SEC_CF-V1_0-20080902-A	Requirement Document for SEC_CF Enabler
Architecture Document		
[SEC_CF_AD]	OMA-AD-SEC_CF-V1_0-20080902-A	Architecture Document for SEC_CF Enabler
Technical Specifications		
[TLS]	OMA-TS-TLS-V1_0-20080902-A	Specification that defines an OMA profile of TLS and related IETF specifications. The profiling amounts to stating which features, in referenced specifications, that must or should be supported.
[GBA_Profile]	OMA-TS-GBA_Profile-V1_0-20080902-A	Specification that defines an OMA profile of GBA, as defined by 3GPP and 3GPP2. GBA specifies how operator controlled smart cards can be used to bootstrap a short term security association between a client and a server. The profiling amounts to stating which features, in referenced specifications, that must or should be supported.
Supporting Files		
[SEC_CERT_MO]	OMA-DDS-SEC_CERT_MO-V1_0-20080902-A	Using the OMA DM protocol and its data formats, this data definition specification defines Management Objects required for management of security properties (SEC_CERT MOs). To be used as one option to initialize a device in context of the SEC_CF enabler, or in other contexts.
[SEC_CERT_DDF]	OMA-SUP-MO_SEC_CERT-V1_0-20080902-A	DDF for the MO in [SEC_CERT_MO]. Working file in Schema directory: file: SEC_CERT_MO-v1_0.ddf path: http://www.openmobilealliance.org/tech/omna/dm-mo/

Table 1: Listing of Documents in SEC_CF Enabler

6. 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.

7. ERDEF for SEC_CF - Client Requirements

This section is normative.

Item	Feature / Application	Requirement
OMA-ERDEF-SEC_CF-C-001-M	SEC_CF Client	[TLS]: MCF
OMA-ERDEF-SEC_CF-C-002-O	SEC_CF Client	[GBA_Profile]: OCF
OMA-ERDEF-SEC_CF-C-002-O	SEC_CF Client	[SEC_CERT_MO]: OCF

Table 2: ERDEF for SEC_CF Client-side Requirements

8. ERDEF for SEC_CF - Server Requirements

This section is normative.

Item	Feature / Application	Requirement
OMA-ERDEF-SEC_CF-S-001-M	SEC_CF Server	[TLS]: MSF
OMA-ERDEF-SEC_CF-S-002-O	SEC_CF Server	[GBA_Profile]: OSF
OMA-ERDEF-SEC_CF-S-003-O	SEC_CF Server	[SEC_CERT_MO]: OSF

Table 3: ERDEF for SEC_CF Server-side Requirements

Appendix A. Change History

(Informative)

A.1 Approved Version History

Reference	Date	Description
Approved versions: OMA-ERELED-SEC_CF-V1_0	02 Sep 2008	Status changed to Approved by TP OMA-TP-2008-0321-INP_SEC_CF_V1_0_ERP_for_Final_Approval