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PREFACE

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. Purpose

This document describes the security policies enforced by Luna® PCM Key Export (PCM KE) Cryptographic Module, also known as the G4.

This document applies to Hardware Version LTK-02-0501, Firmware Version 4.8.7.

1.2. Scope

The security policies described in this document apply to the Trusted Path Authentication (Level 3) configuration of the Luna PCM KE Cryptographic Module only and do not include any security policy that may be enforced by the host appliance or server.

1.3. Overview

The cryptographic module meets all level 3 requirements for FIPS 140-2 as summarized in Table 1-1.

Table 1-1. FIPS 140-2 Security Requirements	
Security Requirements Section	Level
Cryptographic Module Specification	3
Cryptographic Module Ports and Interfaces	3
Roles and Services and Authentication	3
Finite State Machine Model	3
Physical Security	3
Operational Environment	N/A
Cryptographic Key Management	3
EMI/EMC	3
Self-Tests	3
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2. SECURITY POLICY MODEL INTRODUCTION

2.1. Functional Overview

The Luna PCM KE cryptographic module is multi-chip standalone hardware cryptographic module in the form of a PCMCIA card that typically resides within a custom computing or secure communications appliance. It is contained in its own secure enclosure that provides physical resistance to tampering. The cryptographic boundary of the module is defined to encompass all components inside the secure enclosure on the cryptographic module. Figure 2-1 depicts the Luna PCM KE cryptographic module.

The Luna PCM KE may be explicitly configured to operate in FIPS Level 3 mode or in a non-FIPS mode of operation. Configuration in FIPS mode enforces the use of FIPS-approved algorithms only. Configuration in FIPS Level 3 mode also enforces the use of trusted path authentication. Note that selection of FIPS mode occurs at initialization of the cryptographic module, and cannot be changed during normal operation without zeroizing the module's non-volatile memory.

The cryptographic module is accessed directly (i.e., electrically) via either the Trusted Path PIN Entry Device (PED) serial interface or via the PCMCIA communications interface. The module provides secure key generation and storage for symmetric keys and asymmetric key pairs along with symmetric and asymmetric cryptographic services. Access to key material and cryptographic services for users and user application software is provided indirectly through the host appliance. It provides the ability to manage multiple user definitions and concurrent authentication states. The software on the host that provides the connections to the module presents a logical view of "virtual tokens" or "partitions" to user applications. Each partition must be separately authenticated in order to make it available for use.

This Security Policy is specifically written for the Luna PCM KE in a **Trusted Path Authentication (FIPS Level 3)** configuration.



Figure 2-1. Luna PCM KE Cryptographic Module

2.2. Assets to be Protected

The module is designed to protect the following assets:

1. User-generated private keys,
2. User-generated secret keys,
3. Cryptographic services, and
4. Module security critical parameters.

2.3. Operating Environment

The module is assumed to operate as a key management and cryptographic processing card connected to a host computer via a peripheral interface and card reader. The host computer will normally be used in an internal network environment when key management security is a primary requirement. It is assumed that the host computer runs a suitably secured operating system, with only known versions of the permitted application services running on it.

It is assumed that trained and trustworthy administrators are responsible for the initial configuration and ongoing maintenance of the host computer and the cryptographic module.

It is assumed that physical access to the cryptographic module will be controlled, and that connections to the host computer will be controlled either by accessing the host via a direct local connection or by accessing it via remote connections controlled by secure services.

3. SECURITY POLICY MODEL DESCRIPTION

This section provides a narrative description of the security policy enforced by the module, in its most general form. It is intended both to state the security policy enforced by the module and to give the reader an overall understanding of the security behaviour of the module. The detailed functional specification for the module is provided elsewhere.

The security behaviour of the cryptographic module is governed by the following security policies:

- Operational Policy
- Identification and Authentication Policy
- Access Control Policy
- Cryptographic Material Management Policy
- Firmware Security Policy
- Physical Security Policy

These policies complement each other to provide assurance that cryptographic material is securely managed throughout its life cycle and that access to other data and functions provided by the products is properly controlled. Configurable parameters that determine many of the variable aspects of the module's behaviour are specified by the higher level Operational Policy implemented at two levels: the cryptographic module as a whole and the individual partition. This is described in section 3.1.

The Identification and Authentication policy is crucial for security enforcement and it is described in section 3.4. The access control policy is the main security functional policy enforced by the module and is described in section 3.5, which also describes the supporting object re-use policy. Cryptographic Material Management is described in section 3.6. Firmware security, physical security and fault tolerance are described in sections 3.8 through 3.12.

3.1. Operational Policy

The module employs the concept of the Operational Policy to control the overall behaviour of the module and each of the partitions within. At each level, either the module or the partition is assigned a fixed set of "capabilities" that govern the allowed behaviour of the module or individual partition. The Security Officer (SO) establishes the Operational Policy by enabling/disabling or refining the corresponding policy elements to equate to or to be more restrictive than the pre-assigned capabilities.

The set of configurable policy elements is a proper subset of the corresponding capability set. That is, not all elements of the capability set can be refined. Which of the capability set elements have corresponding policy set elements is pre-determined based on the "personality" of the partition or manufacturing restrictions placed on the module. For example, the module capability setting for "domestic algorithms and key sizes available" does not have a corresponding configurable policy element.

There are also several fixed settings that do not have corresponding capability set elements. These are elements of the cryptographic module's behaviour that are truly fixed and, therefore, are not subject to configuration by the SO. The specific settings are the following:

- Allow/disallow non-sensitive secret keys – fixed as disallow.
- Allow/disallow non-sensitive private keys – fixed as disallow.
- Allow/disallow non-private secret keys – fixed as disallow.
- Allow/disallow non-private private keys – fixed as disallow.
- Allow/disallow secret key creation through the create objects interface – fixed as disallow.
- Allow/disallow private key creation through the create objects interface – fixed as disallow.

Further, policy set elements can only refine capability set elements to more restrictive values. Even if an element of the policy set exists to refine an element of the capability set, it may not be possible to assign the policy set element to a value other than that held by the capability set element. Specifically, if a capability set element is set to allow, the corresponding policy element may be set to either enable or disable. However, if a capability set element is set to disallow, the corresponding policy element can only be set to disable. Thus, an SO cannot use policy refinement to lift a restriction set in a capability definition.

3.1.1. Module Capabilities

The following is the set of capabilities supported at the module level:

- Allow/disallow non-FIPS algorithms available.
- Allow/disallow password authentication. (Disallowed in Trusted Path configuration)
- Allow/disallow trusted path authentication. (Allowed in and must be enabled in Level 3 configuration)
- Allow/disallow M of N.
- Allow/disallow cloning.
- Allow/disallow masking.
- Allow/disallow off-board storage.
- Allow/disallow M of N auto-activation.
- Allow/disallow ECC mechanisms.
- Number of failed SO logins allowed before the Hardware Security Module (HSM) is zeroized (set to 3).
- Allow/disallow Korean algorithms¹.
- Allow/disallow Remote Authentication.
- Allow/disallow SO reset of partition PIN.
- Allow/disallow network replication (set to disallow).
- Allow/disallow forcing PIN change.

¹ Korean algorithms include SEED, ARIA, and KCDSA.

3.1.2. Partition Capabilities

The following is the set of capabilities supported at the partition level. All capability elements described as “allow/disallow some functionality” are Boolean values where false (or zero) equates to disallow the functionality and true (or one) equates to allow the functionality. The remainder of the elements are integer values of the indicated number of bits.

- Allow/disallow partition reset.
- Allow/disallow activation.
- Allow/disallow automatic activation.
- Allow/disallow High Availability (HA).
- Allow/disallow multipurpose keys.
- Allow/disallow changing of certain key attributes once a key has been created.
- Allow/disallow operation without RSA blinding.
- Allow/disallow signing operations with non-local keys.
- Allow/disallow raw RSA operations.
- Allow/disallow private key wrapping.
- Allow/disallow private key unwrapping.
- Allow/disallow secret key wrapping
- Allow/disallow secret key unwrapping.
- Allow/disallow Trusted Path operation without a challenge.
- Allow/disallow user key management capability.
- Allow/disallow incrementing of failed login attempt counter on failed challenge response validation.
- Allow/disallow RSA signing without confirmation
- Allow/disallow Registration Authority (RA) type wrapping.
- Minimum/maximum password length (does not apply to Trusted Path modules).
- Number of failed Partition User logins allowed before partition is locked out/cleared. (The maximum value, set as the default, is 10.)

The following capabilities are only configurable if cloning is allowed and enabled at the module level:

- Allow/disallow private key cloning.
- Allow/disallow secret key cloning.

The following capabilities are only configurable if masking is allowed and enabled at the module level:

- Allow/disallow private key masking².
- Allow/disallow secret key masking.

In addition, the masking function can only be used according to the following restrictions:

²“Key masking” is a Luna product feature that provides encrypted key output. Key masking provides AES 256-bit encryption employing additional proprietary obfuscation, which does not provide additional security. Within the terms of FIPS 140-2 and supporting Implementation Guidance, this capability is a form of “key wrapping”.

- If cloning is not allowed or not enabled, masking/unmasking can only be used by the original module within its host appliance.
- If cloning is allowed and enabled, masking/unmasking can be used across multiple modules within the same domain.

The following tables summarize the module and partition capabilities, showing the typical capability settings for modules configured as Luna PCM Key Export (PCM KE). An **X** indicates a default capability setting. Greyed-out rows indicate that the corresponding capability setting is never used as a default for a Level 3 Luna module in any configuration.

Table 3-1 Module Capabilities and Policies

Description	Capability	PCM KE	Policy	Comments
Non-FIPS algorithms available	Allow	X	Enable Disable	SO can configure the policy to enable or disable the availability of non-FIPS algorithms at the time the HSM is initialized.
	Disallow		Disable	The HSM must operate using FIPS-approved algorithms only. Must be disabled in FIPS mode
Password authentication	Allow		Enable Disable	SO can configure the policy to enable or disable the use of passwords without trusted path for authentication.
	Disallow	X	Disable	The HSM must operate using the trusted path and module-generated secrets for authentication.
Trusted path authentication	Allow	X	Enable Disable	SO can configure the policy to enable or disable the use of the trusted path and module-generated secrets for authentication.
	Disallow		Disable	The HSM must operate using passwords without trusted path for authentication. ³
M of N	Allow	X	Enable Disable	SO can configure the policy to enable or disable the use of M of N secret sharing to activate the module. Requires that the policy for "trusted path" authentication be enabled.
	Disallow		Disable	The HSM must operate without M of N secret sharing for activation.
Cloning	Allow	X	Enable Disable	SO can configure the policy to enable or disable the availability of the cloning function for the HSM as a whole.
	Disallow		Disable	The HSM must operate without cloning.
Masking	Allow		Enable Disable	SO can configure the policy to enable or disable the availability of the masking function for the HSM as a whole.
	Disallow	X	Disable	The HSM must operate without masking.
Off-board Storage	Allow		Enable Disable	Off-board storage is used for backup purposes The SO can enable or disable the use of off-board storage.
	Disallow	X	Disable	Off-board storage is not allowed
M of N auto-activation	Allow	X	Enable Disable	SO can configure the policy to enable or disable the use of the M of N auto-activation feature.
	Disallow		Disable	The HSM must operate without M of N auto-activation.
ECC mechanisms available	Allow	X	Enable Disable	This capability is set prior to shipment to the customer. It controls the availability of ECC mechanisms.
	Disallow		Disable	ECC mechanisms are not available.
Partition reset	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable a partition to be reset if it is locked as a result of exceeding the maximum number of failed login attempts.
			Disable	

³ One and only one means of authentication ("user password" or "trusted path") must be enabled by the policy. Therefore, either one or both of the authentication capabilities must be allowed and, if one of the capabilities is disallowed or the policy setting disabled, then the policy setting for the other must be enabled.



Description	Capability	PCM KE	Policy	Comments
	Disallow		Disable	A partition cannot be reset and must be re-created as a result of exceeding the maximum number of failed login attempts.
Network Replication	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable the replication of the module's key material over the network to a second module.
			Disable	
Force user PIN change	Allow	X	Enable	This capability is set prior to shipment to the customer. If enabled, it forces the user to change PIN upon first login.
	Disallow		Disable	
Remote authentication	Allow	X	Enable	This capability is set prior to shipment to the customer. It allows the use of remote authentication.
	Disallow		Disable	
Korean algorithms	Allow		Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable or disable the use of the Korean algorithms.
	Disallow	X	Disable	

⁴ Allowed upon customer request.

Table 3-2 Partition Capabilities and Policies

Description	Prerequisite	Capability	PCM KE	Policy	Comments
Trusted Path operation without a challenge	Trusted path authentication enabled	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable Trusted Path login using the PED trusted path only, with no challenge-response validation required. Must be disabled if either activation or auto-activation is enabled
				Disable	
		Disallow		Disable	Challenge-response validation required plus PED trusted path login to access the partition.
User key management capability ⁵	Trusted path authentication enabled, Trusted Path operation without a challenge disabled	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable the normal PKCS #11 user role to perform key management functions. If enabled, the Crypto Officer key management functions are available. If disabled, only the Crypto User role functions are accessible.
				Disable	
		Disallow		Disable	Only the Crypto User role functions are accessible.
Count failed challenge-response validations	Trusted path authentication enabled	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to count failures of the challenge-response validation against the maximum login failures or not. Must be enabled if either activation or auto-activation is enabled
				Disable	
		Disallow		Disable	Failures of the challenge-response validation are not counted against the maximum login failures.
Activation	Trusted path authentication enabled	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable the authentication data provided via the PED trusted path to be cached in the module, allowing all subsequent access to the partition, after the first login, to be done on the basis of challenge-response validation alone.
				Disable	
		Disallow		Disable	PED trusted path authentication is required for every access to the partition.
Auto-activation	Trusted path authentication enabled	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable the activation data to be stored on the appliance server in encrypted form, allowing the partition to resume its authentication state after a re-start. This is intended primarily to allow partitions to automatically re-start operation when the appliance returns from a power outage.
				Disable	
		Disallow		Disable	Activation data cannot be externally cached.
High Availability	Network replication enabled	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable the use of the High Availability feature.
				Disable	
		Disallow		Disable	High Availability cannot be enabled.
Multipurpose keys	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable the use of keys for more than one purpose, e.g., an RSA private key could be used for digital signature and for decryption for key transport purposes. RSA key pairs generated using the X9.31 mechanism can only be used for signatures.
				Disable	
		Disallow		Disable	Keys can only be used for a single purpose.

⁵ This capability/policy is intended to offer customers a greater level of control over key management functions. By disabling the policy, the Security Officer places the partition into a state in which the key material is locked down and can only be used by connected applications, i.e., only Crypto User access is possible.

Description	Prerequisite	Capability	PCM KE	Policy	Comments
Change attributes	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the policy to enable changing key attributes.
		Disallow		Disable	Key attributes cannot be changed.
Operate without RSA blinding	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the use of blinding mode for RSA operations. Blinding mode is used to defeat timing analysis attacks on RSA digital signature operations, but it also imposes a significant performance penalty on the signature operations.
		Disallow		Disable	Blinding mode is not used for RSA operations.
Signing with non-local keys	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the ability to sign with externally-generated private keys that have been imported into the partition.
		Disallow		Disable	Externally-generated private keys cannot be used for signature operations.
Raw RSA operations	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the ability to use raw (no padding) format for RSA encrypt/decrypt operations for key transport purposes.
		Disallow		Disable	Raw RSA cannot be used.
Private key wrapping	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the ability to wrap private keys for export.
		Disallow		Disable	Private keys cannot be wrapped and exported from the partition.
Private key unwrapping	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the ability to unwrap private keys and import them into the partition.
		Disallow		Disable	Private keys cannot be unwrapped and imported into the partition.
Secret key wrapping	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the ability to wrap secret keys and export them from the partition.
		Disallow		Disable	Secret keys cannot be wrapped and exported from the partition.
Secret key unwrapping	N/A	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the ability to unwrap secret keys and import them into the partition.
		Disallow		Disable	Secret keys cannot be unwrapped and imported into the partition.
Private key cloning	Cloning enabled, Trusted path authentication enabled	Allow		Enable	SO can configure the ability to clone private keys from one partition to another.
		Disallow	X	Disable	Private keys cannot be cloned.
Secret key cloning	Cloning enabled, Trusted path authentication enabled	Allow	X	Enable	SO can configure the ability to clone secret keys from one partition to another.
		Disallow		Disable	Secret keys cannot be cloned.

Description	Prerequisite	Capability	PCM KE	Policy	Comments
Private key masking	Masking enabled	Allow		Enable	SO can configure the ability to mask private keys for storage outside the partition.
				Disable	
		Disallow	X	Disable	Private keys cannot be masked for storage outside the partition.
Secret key masking	Masking enabled	Allow		Enable	SO can configure the ability to mask secret keys for storage outside the partition.
				Disable	
		Disallow	X	Disable	Secret keys cannot be masked for storage outside the partition.
RA type wrapping	Private key wrapping enabled	Allow	X	Enable	This setting allows wrapping of individual private key CRT components rather than as one PKCS #8 formatted object.
				Disable	
		Disallow		Disable	
Minimum/maximum password length	User password authentication enabled	7-255 characters		Configurable	Minimum length must always be >= 7.
Number of failed Partition User logins allowed	N/A	Minimum:1, Maximum:10		Configurable	The SO can configure; default maximum value is 10.



3.2. FIPS-Approved Mode

The SO controls operation of the module in FIPS-approved mode, as defined by FIPS PUB 140-2, by enabling or disabling the appropriate Module Policy settings (assuming each is allowed at the Module Capability level). To operate in FIPS-approved mode, the following policy settings are required:

- “Non-FIPS Algorithms Available” must be disabled.

For operation at **FIPS Level 3**:

- “Trusted path authentication” must be enabled (implies that password authentication is disallowed or disabled),
- “Trusted Path operation without a challenge” must be disabled if activation or auto-activation is enabled,
- “Count failed challenge – response validations” must be enabled if activation or auto-activation is enabled, and
- Raw RSA operations must only be used for key transport in FIPS mode.

The policy settings for “Trusted path authentication” may also be configured in the case where “Non-FIPS Algorithms Available” has been enabled.

If the SO selects policy options (i.e., enables “Non-FIPS Algorithms Available”) that would place the module in a mode of operation that is not approved, a warning is displayed and the SO is prompted to confirm the selection. The SO can determine FIPS mode of operation by matching the displayed capability and policy settings to those described in Sections 3.1 and 3.2.

3.3. Description of Operator, Subject and Object

3.3.1. Operator

An operator is defined as an entity that acts to perform an operation on the module. An operator may be directly mapped to a responsible individual or organization, or it may be mapped to a composite of a responsible individual or organization plus an agent (application program) acting on behalf of the responsible individual or organization.

In the case of a Certification Authority (CA), for example, the organization may empower one individual or a small group of individuals acting together to operate the cryptographic module as part of the company’s service. The operator might be that individual or group, particularly if they are interacting with the module locally. The operator might also be the composite of the individual or group, who might still be present locally to the module (particularly for activation purposes, see section 3.4.2), plus the CA application running on a network-attached host computer.

3.3.2. Roles

In the Trusted Path Authentication configuration, the Luna cryptographic module supports the following **authenticated** operator roles: The Security Officer⁶ (SO) at the module level plus Partition **Users**⁷ (also known by sub-roles – Crypto Officer and Crypto User) for each Partition. The cryptographic module also supports one **unauthenticated** operator role, the Public User, primarily to permit access to status information and diagnostics before authentication.

The SO is a privileged role, which exists only at the module level, whose primary purpose is to initially configure the module for operation and to perform security administration tasks such as partition creation.

The Crypto Officer is the key management role for each partition and the Crypto User is an optional read-only role that limits the operator to performing cryptographic operations only.

For an operator to assume any role other than Public User, the operator must be identified and authenticated. The following conditions must hold in order to assume one of the authenticated roles:

- No operator can assume the Crypto Officer, Crypto User or Security Officer role before identification and authentication;
- No identity can assume either the Crypto Officer or Crypto User plus the Security Officer role.

The SO can create the Crypto User role by creating a challenge value for the Crypto User. In the case of a partition that supports the Crypto Officer and Crypto User roles, the Security Officer can limit access to only the Crypto User role by disabling the “User Key Management” (see Table 3-2) policy.

3.3.3. Account Data

The module maintains the following User (which can include both the Crypto Officer and Crypto User role per Partition⁸) and SO account data:

- Partition ID or SO ID number.
- Partition User encrypted or SO encrypted authentication data (checkword).
- Partition User authentication challenge secret (one for each role, as applicable).
- Partition User locked out flag.

An authenticated User is referred to as a Partition User. The ability to manipulate the account data is restricted to the SO and the Partition User. The specific restrictions are as described below:

1. Only the Security Officer role can create (initialize) and delete the following security attributes:
 - Partition ID.
 - Checkword.
2. If Partition reset is allowed and enabled, the SO role only can modify the following security attribute:
 - Locked out flag for Partition User.

⁶ Within the confines of the operational use of the Luna cryptographic module, the term “Security Officer” is equivalent to the FIPS 140-2 term of “**Crypto Officer**”.

⁷ Within the confines of the operational use of the Luna cryptographic module, the FIPS 140-2 term of “**User**” encompasses the Luna cryptographic module roles of “crypto user” and “crypto officer”, which are collectively called the Partition **Users**.

⁸ A Partition effectively represents an identity within the module.

3. Only the Partition User can modify the following security attribute:
 - Checkword for Partition User.
4. Only the Security Officer role can change the default value, query, modify and delete the following security attribute:
 - Checkword for Security Officer.

3.3.4. Subject

For purposes of this security policy, the subject is defined to be a module session. The session provides a logical means of mapping between applications connecting to the module and the processing of commands within the module. Each session is tracked by the Session ID, the Partition ID and the Access ID, which is a unique ID associated with the application's connection. It is possible to have multiple open sessions with the module associated with the same Access ID/Partition ID combination. It is also possible for the module to have sessions opened for more than one Partition ID or have multiple Access IDs with sessions opened on the module. Applications running on remote host systems that require data and cryptographic services from the module must first connect via the communications service within the appliance, which will establish the unique Access ID for the connection and then allow the application to open a session with one of the partitions within the module. A local application (e.g., command line administration interface) will open a session directly with the appropriate partition within the module without invoking the communications service.

3.3.5. Operator – Subject Binding

An operator must access a partition through a session. A session is opened with a partition in an unauthenticated state and the operator must be authenticated before any access to cryptographic functions and Private objects within the partition can be granted. Once the operator is successfully identified and authenticated, the session state becomes authenticated and is bound to the Partition User represented by the Partition ID, in the Crypto Officer or Crypto User role. Any other sessions opened with the same Access ID/Partition ID combination will share the same authentication state and be bound to the same Partition User.

3.3.6. Object

An object is defined to be any formatted data held in volatile or non-volatile memory on behalf of an operator. For the purposes of this security policy, the objects of primary concern are private (asymmetric) keys and secret (symmetric) keys.

3.3.7. Object Operations

Object operations may only be performed by a Partition User. The operations that may be performed are limited by the role (Crypto Officer or Crypto User) associated with the user's login state, see section 3.5. New objects can be made in several ways. The following list identifies operations that produce new objects:

- Create,
- Copy,
- Generate,
- Unwrapping,
- Derive.

Existing objects can be modified and deleted. The values of a subset of attributes can be changed through a modification operation. Objects can be deleted through a destruction operation. Constant operations do not cause creation, modification or deletion of an object. These constant operations include:

- Query an object's size;
- Query the size of an attribute;
- Query the value of an attribute;
- Use the value of an attribute in a cryptographic operation;
- Search for objects based on matching attributes;
- Cloning an object;
- Wrapping an object; and
- Masking and unmasking an object.

Secret keys and private keys are always maintained as Sensitive objects and, therefore, they are permanently stored with the key value encrypted to protect its confidentiality. Key objects held in volatile memory do not have their key values encrypted, but they are subject to active zeroization in the event of a module reset. Operators are not given direct access to key values for any purpose.

3.4. Identification and Authentication

3.4.1. Authentication Data Generation and Entry

The module requires that Partition Users and the SO be authenticated by proving knowledge of a secret shared by the operator and the module. A module configured for Trusted Path Authentication must be initialized using the PED to define the SO authentication data.

For Trusted Path Authentication, the module generates the authentication secret as a 48-byte random value and, optionally for a Partition User, an authentication challenge secret. The Partition User is identified to the module by the Partition ID number as described in section 3.3.3. The authentication secret(s) are provided to the operator via a physically separate trusted path, described in sub-section 3.4.2, and must be entered by the operator via the trusted path and via a logically separate trusted channel (in the case of the response based on the challenge secret) during the login process. If a Partition is created with Crypto Officer and Crypto User roles, a separate challenge secret is generated for each role.

3.4.2. Trusted Path

In Trusted Path mode, user authentication is, by default, a two-stage process. The first stage is termed “Activation” and is performed using a trusted path device (PED) that is physically separate from the host IT environment. The primary form of authentication data used during Activation is the 48-byte value that is randomly generated by the module and stored on the Black (User) iKey⁹ (serial memory device) via the physical trusted path. The data on the PED Key must then be entered into the module via the trusted path as part of each Activation process. Once Activation has been performed, the user’s Partition data is ready for use within the module. Access to key material and cryptographic services, however, is not allowed until the second stage of authentication, “User Login”, has been performed. This typically requires the input of a partition’s challenge secret as part of a login operation. However, for SO authentication and for user authentication when the settings of the Partition Policy disable the use of challenge/response authentication for login to a partition¹⁰, the presentation of the PED key data (i.e., equivalent to Activation) is all that is required to complete authentication.

The default Partition Policy enables the use of challenge/response authentication for the “User Login” stage. The authentication challenge secret (or secrets if the Crypto Officer and Crypto User roles are used) for the partition is generated by the module as a 75-bit value that is displayed as a 16-character string on the visual display of the trusted path device. The challenge secret is then provided, via a secure out-of-band means, to each external entity authorized to connect to the partition and is used by the external entity to form the response to a random one-time challenge from the module. The encrypted one-time response is returned to the cryptographic module where it is verified to confirm the “User Login”. Thus, when the challenge secret is required, both the trusted path Activation and the successful completion of the challenge/response process by the external entity is required to authenticate to a partition and have access to its cryptographic material and functions.

3.4.3. Limits on Login Failures

The module also implements a maximum login attempts policy. The policy differs for an SO authentication data search and a Partition User authentication data search.

In the case of an SO authentication data search:

- If three (3) consecutive SO logon attempts fail, the module is zeroized.

In the case of a Partition User authentication data search, one of two responses will occur, depending on the partition policy:

1. If “Partition reset” is Allowed and Enabled, then if “n” (“n” is set by the SO at the time the HSM is initialized) consecutive operator logon attempts fail, the module flags the event in the Partition User’s account data, locks the Partition User and clears the volatile memory space. The SO must unlock the partition in order for the Partition User to resume operation.
2. If “Partition reset” is not Allowed or not Enabled, then if “n” consecutive Partition User logon attempts via the physical trusted path fail, the module will erase the partition. The SO must delete and re-create the partition. Any objects stored in the partition, including private and secret keys, are permanently erased.

⁹ Or Black (User) PED key. Within this document the terms iKey and PED key are interchangeable unless otherwise indicated.

¹⁰ Challenge/response authentication might, for example, be disabled in a case where both the cryptographic module and the attached application server are located within a physically secured environment and the user is required to always be physically present to start the application and authenticate to the cryptographic module via the PED.

3.4.4. M of N Activation

If M of N activation is required by the Module Policy, “M” pieces out of a total of “N” pieces of a split authentication secret must be entered via the trusted path in order to activate the module for operation. The M of N secret and the splits are generated by the module.

M of N is selectable by the SO. M of N involves an additional (generated) password or secret, applied to the HSM, which must be entered in addition to the Security Officer or Partition User login keys.

3.4.5. Remote Authentication

The Remote Authentication feature allows one Luna PCM KE module operating in a Trusted Path configuration to accept, via its PED, the PED key data (User or SO) for a second Luna PCM KE module and to securely transfer the PED key data to the second module, where it is acted upon. The secure transfer is performed using the cloning protocol and ensures that both modules have been authenticated using a digital signature-based technique and that each transfer is encrypted using a separately negotiated TDES session key.

3.5. Access Control

The Access Control Policy is the main security function policy enforced by the module. It governs the rights of a subject to perform privileged functions and to access objects stored in the module. It covers the object operations detailed in section 3.3.7.

A subject’s access to objects stored in the module is mediated on the basis of the following subject and object attributes:

- Subject attributes:
 - Session ID
 - Access ID and Partition ID associated with session
 - Session authentication state (binding to authenticated Partition identity and role)
- Object attributes:
 - **Owner.** A Private object is owned by the Partition User associated with the subject that produces it. Ownership is enforced via internal key management.
 - **Private.** If True, the object is Private. If False, the object is Public.
 - **Sensitive.** If True, object is Sensitive. If False, object is Non-Sensitive.
 - **Extractable**¹¹. If True, object may be extracted. If False, object may not be extracted.
 - **Modifiable.** If True, object may be modified. If False, object may not be modified.

¹¹Extract means to remove the key from the control of the module. This is typically done using the Wrap operation, but the Mask operation is also considered to perform an extraction when cloning is enabled for the container.

Objects are labelled with a number corresponding to their partition and are only accessible by a subject associated with the owning Partition ID. Only generic data and certificate objects can be non-sensitive. Private key and secret key objects are always created as Sensitive, Private objects. Sensitive objects are encrypted using the partition's secret key to prevent their values from ever being exposed to external entities. Private objects can only be used for cryptographic operations by a logged in Partition User. Key objects that are marked as extractable may be exported from the module using the Wrap operation if allowed and enabled in the partition's policy set. Table 3-3 summarizes the object attributes used in Access Control Policy enforcement.

Table 3-3 Object Attributes Used in Access Control Policy Enforcement

Attribute	Values	Impact
PRIVATE	TRUE – Object is private to (owned by) the operator identified as the Access Owner when the object is created.	Object is only accessible to subjects (sessions) bound to the operator identity that owns the object.
	FALSE – Object is not private to one operator identity.	Object is accessible to all subjects associated with the partition in which the object is stored.
SENSITIVE	TRUE – Attribute values representing plaintext key material are not permitted to exist (value encrypted).	Key material is stored in encrypted form.
	FALSE – Attribute values representing plaintext data are permitted to exist.	Plaintext data is stored with the object and is accessible to all subjects otherwise permitted access to the object.
MODIFIABLE	TRUE – The object's attribute values may be modified.	The object is "writeable" and its attribute values can be changed during a copy or set attribute operation.
	FALSE – The object's values may not be modified.	The object can only be read and only duplicate copies can be made.
EXTRACTABLE	TRUE – Key material stored with the object may be extracted from the Luna PCM KE using the Wrap operation.	The ability to extract a key permits sharing with other crypto modules and archiving of key material.
	FALSE – Key material stored with the object may not be extracted from the Luna PCM KE.	Keys must never leave the module's control.

The module does not allow any granularity of access other than owner or non-owner (i.e., a Private object is only accessible by one Partition User. It cannot be accessible by two Partition Users and restricted to other Partition Users). Ownership of a Private object gives the owner access to the object through the allowed operations but does not allow the owner to assign a subset of rights to other operators. Allowed operations are those permitted by the HSM and Partition Capability and Policy settings.

The policy is summarized by the following statements:

- A subject may perform an allowed operation on an object if the object is in the partition with which the subject is associated and one of the following two conditions holds:
 1. The object is a "Public" object, i.e., the PRIVATE attribute is FALSE, or
 2. The subject is bound to the Partition User that owns the object.
- Allowed operations are those permitted by the object attribute definitions within the following constraints:

1. A Partition User in the Crypto User role has access to only the User operations, and
2. The restrictions imposed by the HSM and Partition Capability and Policy settings.

3.5.1. Object Re-use

The access control policy is supported by an object re-use policy. The object re-use policy requires that the resources allocated to an object be cleared of their information content before they are re-allocated to a different object.

3.5.2. Privileged Functions

The module shall restrict the performance of the following functions to the SO role only:

- Module initialization
- Partition creation and deletion
- Configuring the module and partition policies
- Module zeroization
- Firmware update

3.6. Cryptographic Material Management

Cryptographic material (key) management functions protect the confidentiality of key material throughout its life-cycle. The FIPS PUB 140-2 approved key management functions provided by the module are the following:

- (1) Pseudo random number generation in accordance with ANSI X9.31, Appendix A2.4.
- (2) Cryptographic key generation in accordance with the following indicated standards:
 - a. RSA 1024-4096 bits key pairs in accordance with FIPS PUB 186-2.
 - b. TDES 168 bits (SP 800-67, ANSI X9.52).
 - c. AES 128, 192, 256 bits (FIPS PUB 197).
 - d. DSA 1024 bits key pairs in accordance with FIPS PUB 186-2 and FIPS PUB 186-3.
 - e. Elliptic Curve key pairs (curves in accordance with SP 800-57) in accordance with FIPS PUB 186-2 and FIPS PUB 186-3.
 - f. Diffie-Hellman key pairs in accordance with SP 800-56A.
 - g. Key Derivation in accordance with NIST SP 800-108 (Counter mode).
- (3) Diffie-Hellman (key agreement; key establishment methodology provides 80 and 112 bits of encryption strength).
- (4) EC Diffie-Hellman (ECDH) (curves in accordance with SP 800-57) key establishment in accordance with NIST SP 800-56A.
- (5) Symmetric key wrap / unwrap: TDES 168 bits and AES 128, 192 and 256 bits in accordance with PKCS #11 (key transport provides 112 bits of security strength with TDES and between 128 and 256 bits of security strength with AES).
- (6) Asymmetric key wrap / unwrap: RSA 1024 – 4096 (PKCS #1 V1.5 and OAEP) (key transport provides between 80 and 128 bits of security strength).
- (7) Secure key storage and key access following the PKCS #11 standard.

- (8) Destruction of cryptographic keys is performed in one of three ways as described below in accordance with the PKCS #11 and FIPS PUB 140-2 standards:
 - a. An object on the Luna PCM KE that is destroyed using the PKCS #11 function C_DestroyObject is marked invalid and remains encrypted with the Partition User's key or the Luna PCM KE's general secret key until such time as its memory locations (flash or RAM) are re-allocated for additional data on the Luna PCM KE, at which time they are purged and zeroized before re-allocation.
 - b. Objects on the Luna PCM KE that are destroyed as a result of authentication failure are zeroized (all flash blocks in the Partition User's memory turned to 1's). If it is an SO authentication failure, all flash blocks used for key and data storage on the Luna PCM KE are zeroized.
 - c. Objects on the Luna PCM KE that are destroyed through C_InitToken (the SO-accessible command to initialize the Luna PCM KE available through the API) are zeroized, along with the rest of the flash memory being used by the SO and Partition Users.

Keys are always stored as secret key or private key objects with the Sensitive attribute set. The key value is, therefore, stored in encrypted form using the owning Partition User's secret key. Access to keys is never provided directly to a calling application. A handle to a particular key is returned that can be used by the application in subsequent calls to perform cryptographic operations.

Private key and secret key objects may be imported into the module using the Unwrap, Unmask (if cloning is enabled at the HSM level) or Derive operation under the control of the Access Control Policy. Any externally-set attributes of keys imported in this way are ignored by the module and their attributes are set by the module to values required by the Access Control Policy.

3.6.1. Key Cloning

Key cloning is a Luna product feature that uses a one-time 3-key TDES key as a session key to encrypt an object being transferred from one Luna module to another. Objects transferred using the cloning protocol may be keys, user data, or module data. The TDES session encrypting key is obtained by combining the 24 byte cloning domain value (randomly generated by the module) with random one-time data generated by source and target modules and exchanged using RSA 4096-based transport.

3.6.2. Key Mask/Unmask

Key masking is a Luna product feature that uses a 256-bit AES key, which is unique to the module, to encrypt a key object for output in a way that ensures the key can only be imported, by unmasking, into the module from which it originally came or one that has been initialized to contain the same "master" key for the module. The key mask operation takes a key handle as input and uses the module's validated AES implementation to create the masked key output.

The key unmask operation takes a masked (encrypted) key object as input, performs the necessary decryptions inside the module and returns a handle to the imported key.

Note that for both mask and unmask operations, the user (or calling application acting on the user's behalf) never has access to the actual key values – only handles assigned to the key objects in the module.

3.6.3. Key Wrap/Unwrap

The key wrap operation encrypts a key value for output, using either an RSA public key (only if wrapping a symmetric key) or a symmetric key to wrap either another symmetric key or an asymmetric private key.

The unwrap operation takes as input an encrypted key value and a handle to the key that was originally used to do the wrapping. It decrypts the key value, stores it in the module as a key object and returns the handle to the imported key.

Note that for both wrap and unwrap operations, the user (or calling application acting on the user's behalf) never has access to the actual key values – only handles assigned to the key objects in the module.

3.7. Cryptographic Operations

Because of its generic nature, the module's firmware supports a wide range of cryptographic algorithms and mechanisms. The approved cryptographic functions and algorithms that are relevant to the FIPS 140-2 validation are the following:

- (1) Symmetric encryption/decryption: TDES 168 bits (SP 800-67, ANSI X9.52)
- (2) Symmetric encryption/decryption: AES 128, 192, 256 bits (FIPS PUB 197)
- (3) Signature generation/verification (FIPS PUB 186-3): RSA 1024-3072 bits (X9.31) with SHA-1, RSA 1024-3072 bits (PKCS #1 V1.5) with SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512 (FIPS PUB 180-3), RSA 1024-3072 bits (PSS) with SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512 (FIPS PUB 180-3); DSA 1024 bits (FIPS PUB 186-2) with SHA-1; ECDSA with SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512.
- (4) Signature generation/verification (FIPS PUB 186-2): RSA 1024-4096 bits (X9.31) with SHA-1, RSA 1024-4096 bits (PKCS #1 V1.5) with SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512 (FIPS PUB 180-3), RSA 1024-4096 bits (PSS) with SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512 (FIPS PUB 180-3); DSA 1024 bits (FIPS PUB 186-2) with SHA-1; ECDSA (ANSI X9.62) with SHA-1.
- (5) Hash generation SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512 (FIPS PUB 180-3).
- (6) Keyed hash generation HMAC using SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512 (FIPS PUB 198).
- (7) Message authentication TDES MAC (FIPS PUB 113) and CMAC (NIST SP 800-38B)
- (8) Random number generation (ANSI X9.31 A2.4)

Table 3-4. Approved and Allowed Security Functions Firmware Implementation

Approved and Allowed Security Functions	Certificate No.
Symmetric Encryption/Decryption	
AES: (ECB, CBC, OFB); Encrypt/Decrypt; Key Size = 128, 192, 256	1785
Triple-DES: (TECB, TCBC); Encrypt/Decrypt KO 1,2	1157
Secure Hash Standard (SHS)	
SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512 (Byte Only)	1567
Message Authentication Code	
HMAC-SHA-1, HMAC-SHA-224, HMAC-SHA-256, HMAC-SHA-384, HMAC-SHA-512	1050
Triple-DES MAC (Vendor Affirmed)	1157
CMAC (Key Sizes Tested: 128 192 256)	1785
Asymmetric	
RSA: FIPS 186-2: [ANSIX9.31]; KEYGEN; SIG (gen); SIG (ver) (MOD: 1024, 1536, 2048, 3072, 4096 PubKey Values: 3, 17, 65,537); [RSASSA-PKCS1_V1_5]; SIG(gen); SIG(ver); (MOD: 1024, 1536, 2048, 3072, 4096); SHA(1, 224, 256, 384, 512); [RSASSA-PSS]; SIG(gen); SIG(ver); (MOD: 1024, 1536, 2048, 3072, 4096) SHA(1, 224, 256, 384, 512)) FIPS 186-3: [ANSIX9.31]; SIG(gen); SIG (ver) (MOD: 1024 SHA(1); 2048 SHA(1); 3072 SHA(1)); [RSASSA-PKCS1_V1_5]; SIG(gen); SIG(ver); (MOD: 1024 SHA(1, 224, 256, 384, 512); (2048 SHA(1, 224, 256, 384, 512); 3072; SHA(1, 224, 256, 384, 512); ALG[RSASSA-PSS]; SIG(gen); SIG(ver); (MOD: 1024 SHA(1, 224, 256, 384, 512), 2048 SHA(1, 224, 256, 384, 512), 3072 SHA(1, 224, 256, 384, 512))	892
DSA: FIPS 186-2: KEYGEN(Y); SIG(gen); SIG(ver) MOD (1024) FIPS 186-3: KEYGEN: [(1024,160)]; SIG(gen): [(1024,160) SHA(1)]; SIG(ver): [(1024,160) SHA(1)]	561

Approved and Allowed Security Functions	Certificate No.
<p>ECDSA: FIPS 186-2: PKG: CURVES(P-192 P-224 P-256 P-384 P-521 K-163 K-233 K-283 K-409 K-571 B-163 B-233 B-283 B-409 B-571) SIG(gen): CURVES(P-192 P-224 P-256 P-384 P-521 K-163 K-233 K-283 K-409 K-571 B-163 B-233 B-283 B-409 B-571) SIG(ver): CURVES(P-192 P-224 P-256 P-384 P-521 K-163 K-233 K-283 K-409 K-571 B-163 B-233 B-283 B-409 B-571) FIPS 186-3: PKG: CURVES(ALL-P ALL-K ALL-B) SIG(gen): CURVES(P-192: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) P-224: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) P-256: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) P-384: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) P-521: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-163: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-233: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-283: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-409: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-571: K-283: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-163: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-233 (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-283: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-409: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-571: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512)) SIG(ver): CURVES(P-192: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) P-224: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) P-256: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) P-384: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) P-521: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-163: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-233: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-283: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-409: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) K-571: K-283: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-163: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-233 (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-283: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-409: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512) B-571: (SHA-1, 224, 256, 384, 512))</p>	<p>241</p>
Key Agreement Scheme	
<p>ECC: SCHEMES [Ephemeral Unified (KARole(s): Initiator / Responder No_KC: (EA: P-192 SHA1 SHA224 SHA256 SHA384 SHA512) (EB: K-233 SHA224 SHA256 SHA384 SHA512) (EC: B-283 SHA256 SHA384 SHA512) (ED: K-409 SHA384 SHA512) (EE: P-521)] [OnePassDH (KARole(s): Initiator / Responder (No_KC: (EA: P-192 SHA1 SHA224 SHA256 SHA384 SHA512) (EB: K-233 SHA224 SHA256 SHA384 SHA512) (EC: B-283 SHA256 SHA384 SHA512) (ED: K-409 SHA384 SHA512) (EE: P-521)]</p>	<p>24</p>
<p>Diffie-Hellman (key agreement; key establishment methodology provides 80 and 112 bits of encryption strength).</p>	
Key Transport	
<p>RSA (key wrapping; key establishment methodology provides between 80 and 128 bits of security strength)</p>	
<p>AES (key wrapping – provides between 128 and 256 bits of security strength)</p>	
<p>TDES (key wrapping – provides 112 bits of security strength with 3-key TDES)</p>	
Key Derivation	
<p>NIST SP 800-108 (Counter Mode) (Vendor Affirmed)</p>	
Random Number Generation (RNG)	
<p>ANSI X9.31 Appendix A, para 2.4 [TDES-3Key]</p>	<p>947</p>



Table 3-5. Non-FIPS Approved Security Functions

Encrypt/Decrypt	
•	DES-ECB
•	DES-CBC
•	RC2-ECB
•	RC2-CBC
•	RC4
•	RC5-ECB
•	RC5-CBC
•	CAST5-ECB
•	CAST5-CBC
•	RSA X-509
•	SEED
•	ARIA
Digest	
•	MD2
•	MD5
•	HAS-160
Sign/Verify	
•	AES MAC (non-compliant)
•	DES-MAC
•	RC2-MAC
•	RC5-MAC
•	CAST5-MAC
•	SSL3-MD5-MAC
•	SSL3-SHA1-MAC
•	KCDSA
Generate Key	
•	DES
•	RC2
•	RC4
•	RC5
•	CAST5
•	SEED
•	ARIA
•	GENERIC-SECRET
•	SSL PRE-MASTER
Generate Key Pair	
•	KCDSA
Encrypt Symmetric Key Using Symmetric Algorithm	
•	RC2-ECB
•	CAST5-ECB
Decrypt Symmetric Key With Symmetric Algorithm	
•	RC2-ECB
•	CAST5-ECB

3.8. Self-tests

The module provides self-tests on power-up and on request to confirm the firmware integrity, and to check the random number generator and each of the implemented cryptographic algorithms. The module also performs conditional self-tests in accordance with FIPS 140-2, section 4.9.2.

Table 3-6. Module Self-Tests

Test	When Performed	Indicator
Firmware CRC by boot block prior to firmware start	Power-on	Module halt ¹²
Firmware SHA-1	Power-on	Module halt
TDES Known Answer Test (KAT)	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt ¹³
SHA-1 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
SHA-224 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
SHA-256 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
SHA-384 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
SHA-512 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
HMAC SHA-1 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
HMAC SHA-224 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
HMAC SHA-256 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
HMAC SHA-384 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
HMAC SHA-512 KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
RSA KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
DSA KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
Diffie-Hellman KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
AES KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
ECDH KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
ECDSA KAT	Power-on/Request	Module halt / Error - Halt
RNG continuous tests	Continuous	Error - Halt
RSA – Pair-wise consistency test (asymmetric key pairs)	On generation	Error
DSA – Pair-wise consistency test (asymmetric key pairs)	On generation	Error
ECDSA – Pair-wise consistency test (asymmetric key pairs)	On generation	Error
Firmware load test (4096-bit RSA sig ver)	On firmware update load	Error – module will continue with existing firmware

3.9. Firmware Security

The Firmware Security Policy assumes that any firmware images loaded in conformance with the policy have been verified by SafeNet to ensure that the firmware will function correctly. The policy applies to initial firmware loading and subsequent firmware updates.

¹² Details of the failure can be obtained from the dual-port following a module halt.

¹³ An error message is output, the cryptographic module halts, and data output is inhibited.

The module shall not allow external software¹⁴ to be loaded inside its boundary. Only properly formatted firmware may be loaded. The communication of initial or updated firmware to a target module shall be initiated by a SafeNet module dedicated to that function. Firmware shall be digitally signed using the SafeNet Manufacturing signature key and encrypted using a secret key that may be derived by the receiving module for decryption. The unencrypted firmware must not be visible outside the module before, during and after the loading operation. The target module shall verify the signature on the firmware image before allowing it to be loaded. If the signature does not verify, the module will return an error and not load the image. In the case of an attempted firmware update, the module will continue to operate with the existing installed image.

The firmware shall provide mechanisms to ensure its own integrity and to ensure the integrity of any permanent security-critical data stored within the module.

3.10. Physical Security

The Luna PCM KE cryptographic module is a multi-chip standalone module as defined by FIPS PUB 140–2 section 4.5. The module is enclosed in a strong enclosure that provides tamper-evidence. Any tampering that might compromise the module's security is detectable by visual inspection of the physical integrity of the module.

A hard opaque epoxy covers the circuitry of the cryptographic module. Attempts to remove this epoxy will cause sufficient damage to the cryptographic module so that it is rendered inoperable.

The module's enclosure is opaque to resist visual inspection of the device design, physical probing of the device and attempts to access sensitive data on individual components of the device.

3.11. EMI / EMC

The module conforms to FCC Part 15 Class B requirements for home use.

3.12. Fault Tolerance

If power is lost to the module for whatever reason, the module shall, at a minimum, maintain itself in a state that it can be placed back into operation when power is restored without compromise of its functionality (including security functionality) or permanently stored data. All requirements of this Security Policy apply when power is restored.

The module shall maintain its secure state¹⁵ in the event of data input/output failures. When data input/output capability is restored, the module will resume operation in the state it was prior to the input/output failure.

3.13. Mitigation of Other Attacks

Timing attacks are mitigated directly by the module through the use of hardware accelerator chips for modular exponentiation operations. The use of hardware acceleration ensures that all RSA signature operations complete in very nearly the same time, therefore making the analysis of timing differences irrelevant. RSA blinding may also be selected as an option to mitigate this type of attack.

¹⁴ External software means any form of executable code that has been generated by anyone other than SafeNet and has not been properly formatted and signed as a legitimate SafeNet firmware image.

¹⁵ A secure state is one in which either the Luna PCM KE is operational and its security policy enforcement is functioning correctly, or it is not operational and all sensitive material is stored in a cryptographically protected form on the Luna PCM KE.

APPENDIX A. SECURITY POLICY CHECKLIST TABLES

Table A-1 Roles and Required Identification and Authentication

Role	Type of Authentication	Authentication Data
Security Officer	Identity-based	Level 3 – Authentication token (PED Key – one per module) plus optional PED PIN
Crypto Officer	Identity-based ¹⁶	Level 3 – Authentication token (PED Key – one per user) plus optional PED PIN, plus optional Challenge Secret for the role ¹⁷
Crypto User	Identity-based	Level 3 – Authentication token (PED Key – one per user) plus optional PED PIN, plus optional Challenge Secret for the role
Public User	Not required	N/A

Table A-2 Strengths of Authentication Mechanisms

Authentication Mechanism	Strength of Mechanism
PED Key (Level 3) plus PIN	48 byte random authentication data stored on PED key plus PIN entered via PED key pad (minimum 4 bytes). The probability of guessing the authentication data in a single attempt is 1 in 2^{384} . With login failure thresholds of 3 for SO and configurable from 1 to 15 (default 10) for users, this ensures the FIPS 140-2 required thresholds can never be reached.
Challenge Secret (Level 3)	Default 16 character random string (minimum 7 character string; maximum 64 character string). The probability of guessing the challenge secret in a single attempt is 1 in 62^7 (approximately 3.5×10^{12}). With login failure thresholds of 3 for SO and configurable from 1 to 15 (default 10) for users, this ensures the FIPS 140-2 required thresholds can never be reached.

Table A-3 Services Authorized for Roles

Role	Authorized Services
Security Officer	Show Status, Self-test, Initialize Module, Configure Module Policy, Create Partition, Configure Partition Policy, Zeroize, Firmware Update
Crypto Officer	Show Status, Self-test, Key and Key Pair Generation, Symmetric Encrypt/Decrypt, Asymmetric Signature/Verification, Symmetric & Asymmetric Key Wrap/Unwrap, Symmetric & Asymmetric Key Mask/Unmask, Store Data Object, Read Data Object, Partition Backup and Restore
Crypto User	Show Status, Self-test, Symmetric Encrypt/Decrypt, Asymmetric Signature/Verification, Store Data Object, Read Data Object
Public User	Show Status, Self-test, Store Public Data Object, Read Public Data Object

¹⁶ The Crypto Officer and Crypto User both apply to the same partition, i.e., identity. They are distinguished by different challenge values representing the two different roles.

¹⁷ If activation or auto-activation is enabled, challenge secret is required in FIPS mode



Table A-4 Access Rights within Services

Service	Cryptographic Keys and CSPs	Role	Type(s) of Access
Show Status ¹⁸	N/A	All	N/A
Self-test	N/A	All	N/A
Initialize Module	Authentication data via trusted path	SO	Write – SO authentication data
Configure Module Policy	Authentication data via trusted path	SO	Use ¹⁹
Create Partition	Authentication data via trusted path	SO	Write – User authentication data
Configure Partition Policy	Authentication data via trusted path	SO	Use
Zeroize	Authentication data, symmetric keys, asymmetric key pairs	SO	Write, Erase
Firmware Update	MVK ²⁰	SO	Use, Write (firmware only)
Key and Key Pair Generation	Symmetric keys, asymmetric key pairs	Crypto Officer	Write
Symmetric Key Wrap/ Unwrap	Symmetric with RSA Symmetric with Symmetric ECB mode	Crypto Officer	Use, Write
Asymmetric Key Wrap/ Unwrap	Asymmetric with Symmetric CBC mode	Crypto Officer	Use, Write
Symmetric Key Mask/ Unmask	Symmetric with AES 256	Crypto Officer	Use, Write
Asymmetric Key Mask/ Unmask	Symmetric with AES 256	Crypto Officer	Use, Write
Symmetric Key Cloning	Symmetric keys	Crypto Officer	Transfer ²¹
Symmetric Encrypt/Decrypt	Symmetric keys	Crypto Officer, Crypto User	Use
Asymmetric Signature	RSA, DSA private keys	Crypto Officer, Crypto User	Use
Asymmetric Verification	RSA, DSA public keys	Crypto Officer, Crypto User	Use
Store Data Object	Non-cryptographic data	Crypto Officer, Crypto User, Public User ²²	Write
Read Data Object	Non-cryptographic data	Crypto Officer, Crypto User, Public User ²³	Read

¹⁸ Show status is provided by invoking the “hsm showinfo” command from the administrative interface. It will display identifying information about the module such as label, serial number, firmware version, etc., and state whether the module is in FIPS-approved mode.

¹⁹ Use means access to key material for use in performing a cryptographic operation. The key material is never visible.

²⁰ Public key value. See Table A-5 for its description.

²¹ Transfer means moving a key using the cloning protocol from one crypto module to another.

²² The Public User has access to Public Data Objects only.

²³ The Public User has access to Public Data Objects only.



Table A-5 Keys and Critical Security Parameters Used in the Module

Key/CSP Name	Description
Challenge Secret	Used in Trusted Path Authentication configuration only. 16 character random string generated by the HSM and output via the PED display when the user is created. It is input by the operator as the authentication data for a client application login. Stored in flash encrypted by the SGSK.
Random challenge	Used in Trusted Path Authentication configuration only. A one-time random number generated by the HSM and sent to the calling application for each login. It is combined with the input Challenge Secret to compute the one-time response that is returned to the HSM. Stored in RAM as plaintext.
Challenge Response	A 20-byte value used for authentication in the challenge response scheme. It is generated using the challenge secret and the one-time random challenge value. Stored in RAM as plaintext.
SIM authorization values	These user-supplied M of N secret values are used to authorize the insertion of a masked key blob previously extracted using the SIM II feature.
RNG Seed Value (V)	The 64 bit intermediate value of the X9.31 Annex A2.4 TDES-based PRNG algorithm. It is used as one of the initial seed values for the algorithm. It is stored in flash encrypted with the GSK.
RNG Key Value (*K)	The triple-length TDES key used for the X9.31 Annex A2.4 TDES-based PRNG algorithm. It is used as one of the initial seed values for the algorithm. It is stored in flash encrypted with the GSK.
PED Key (or iKey) Authentication Data	Used in Trusted Path Authentication configuration. A 48-byte random value that is generated by the module when the SO or User is created. It is written out to the serial memory device (PED Key or iKey) via the Trusted Path. Stored on the PED Key or iKey as plaintext.
Optional PIN	An optional PIN value used for authentication along with the PED key. It must be a minimum of 4-bytes long
Cloning Domain Vector	24-byte value that is used to control the module's ability to participate in the cloning protocol. It is either generated by the module or imprinted onto the module at the time the module is initialized. It is stored encrypted (using the SGSK) in the module. The value is output from the original module in the domain onto a PED Key or iKey to enable initializing additional modules into the same domain.
User Storage Key (USK)	24-byte TDES key that is randomly generated for each user on a Luna PCM KE. This key is used to encrypt all sensitive attributes of all private objects owned by the user. Encrypted, as part of the UAV, by the key taken from the PED key data.
Security Officer Master Key (SMK)	The storage key for the SO; a 24-byte TDES key that is randomly generated for the SO on the module. This key is used to encrypt all sensitive attributes of all private objects owned by the SO. The USK/SMK is stored encrypted using an AES key, which is the first 32 bytes of the User/SO PED Key Authentication data (plus optional PIN).



Table A-5 Keys and Critical Security Parameters Used in the Module

Key/CSP Name	Description
Global Storage Key (GSK)	24-byte TDES key that is the same for all users on a specific Luna PCM KE. It is used to encrypt permanent parameters within the non-volatile memory area reserved for use by the module. Encrypted, as part of the UAV and SOV, by the key taken from the PED key data.
Secondary Global Storage Key (SGSK)	24-byte TDES key that is the same for all users on a specific Luna PCM KE. It is used to encrypt non-permanent parameters (parameters re-generated for every module initialization) within the non-volatile memory area reserved for use by the module. Encrypted, as part of the UAV and SOV, by the key taken from the PED key data.
Token or Module Wrapping Key (TWK)	A 2048-bit RSA private key used in the cloning protocol. Stored in the Param area; encrypted with the GSK.
Token or Module Wrapping Certificate (TWC) 3	Based on the Hardware Origin Certificate (HOC). The TWC3 is a 2048-bit RSA with SHA-256 certificate. The TWC3 is signed by the private key corresponding to the HOC. Used in exchange of session encryption key as part of the handshake during the cloning protocol. Stored as plaintext in the Param area.
Hardware Origin Key (HOK)	A 4096 bit RSA private key used to sign certificates for other device key pairs, such as the TWC3. It is generated at the time the device is manufactured. Encrypted using the GSK and stored in the Param area.
Hardware Origin Certificate (HOC)	A 4096-bit RSA with SHA-256 certificate. The X.509 public key certificate corresponding to the HOK. It is signed by the Manufacturing Integrity Key (MIK) at the time the device is manufactured.
U Key	24-byte TDES key used in conjunction with the auth code for a firmware update to derive a key used to decrypt the firmware update image when it is loaded into the module. Used for backwards compatibility purposes with earlier firmware versions. Stored in the Param area.
Token or Module Variable Key (TVK)	24-byte TDES key stored in a dedicated non-volatile RAM. It is used to encrypt authentication data stored for auto-activation purposes. The non-volatile RAM is actively zeroized in response to a tamper event. This setting is not used in a standalone configuration.
Masking Key	AES 256-bit key stored in the Param area. It is generated on the HSM at initialization time. It is used during masking operations
Manufacturer's Integrity Certificate (MIC)	4096-bit RSA public key certificate corresponding to the Manufacturer's Integrity Key (MIK) held at SafeNet. Used in verifying Hardware Origin Certificates (HOCs), which are generated in response to a customer function call to provide proof of hardware origin. Stored as plaintext in flash.
Manufacturers Verification Key (MVK)	4096-bit Public key counterpart to the Manufacturer's Signature Key (MSK) held at SafeNet. Used to verify the digital signature on a firmware update image. Stored in flash as plaintext.
Device Authentication Key (DAK)	2048-bit RSA private key used for a specific PKI implementation requiring assurance that a key or a specific action originated within the hardware crypto module.



APPENDIX B. LIST OF TERMS, ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

Term	Definition
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
CA	Certification Authority
Chrysalis-ITS	Former name of SafeNet Canada, Inc.
CRT	Chinese Remainder Theorem
CRC	Cyclic Redundancy Check
CSP	Critical Security Parameter
DAK	Device Authentication Key
ECC	Elliptic Curve Cryptography
FIPS	Federal Information Processing Standard
GSK	Global Storage Key
HA	High Availability
HOC	Hardware Origin Certificate
HOK	Hardware Origin Key
HRNG	Hardware Random Number Generator
HSM	Hardware Security Module
KAT	Known Answer Test
MAC	Message Authentication Code
Masking	A SafeNet term to describe the encryption of a key for use only within a SafeNet cryptographic module.
MIC	Manufacturer's Integrity Certificate
MIK	Manufacturer's Integrity Key
MSK	Manufacturer's Signature Key
MVK	Manufacturers Verification Key
PCMCIA	Personal Computer Memory Card Industry Association
PED	PIN Entry Device
PKCS	Public-Key Cryptography Standards
PRNG	Pseudo-Random Number Generator
RA	Registration Authority
RNG	Random Number Generator
SGSK	Secondary Global Storage Key
SIM	Secure Information Management
SMK	Security Officer Master Key
SO	Security Officer
TWC3	Token or Module Wrapping Certificate (Revised format 3).
TWK	Token or Module Wrapping Key
USK	User's Storage Key

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