# FIPS 140-2 Level 2 Security Policy

For



# RFS7000 RF Switch

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## 1 Module Description

The Motorola RFS7000 RF Switch is a rack-mountable device that manages all inbound and outbound traffic on the wireless network. It provides security, network services, and system management applications. The switch uses centralized, policy-based management to apply sets of rules or actions to all devices on the wireless network. Management "intelligence" is collected from individual access points, and the collected information is moved into the centralized wireless switch.

The module is used to control operation of multiple wireless access points and to provide secure Wireless Local Area Network (WLAN) connectivity to a set of wireless client devices. The module is installed at a wired network location, and is connected to a set of wireless access point devices over a wired Ethernet network. Wireless access point devices are hardware radio devices, which do not provide security functionalities and are used to tunnel wireless network traffic between the module and wireless client devices. The module protects data exchanged with wireless client devices using IEEE 802.11i wireless security protocol, which provides data protection using the AES-CCM cryptographic algorithm.

For the purposes of FIPS 140-2 the RFS7000 RF Switch is classified as multi-chip standalone module.

FIPS 140-2 conformance testing of the module was performed at Security Level 2, except for Cryptographic Module Specification and Design Assurance sections of the FIPS 140-2 standard, which were tested as Security Level 3. The following configurations were tested:

Module Name and Version	Firmware versions
RFS7000 RF Switch	4.1.0.0-040GR

## 2 Cryptographic Boundary

The complete set of hardware and firmware components of the RFS7000 RF Switch is physically enclosed in a metal and hard plastic enclosure which serves as the cryptographic boundary of the module. The enclosure consists of the following parts: top, front, left, right, rear, and bottom panels of the case. The top panel can be removed by unscrewing screws. The switch enclosure is opaque within the visible spectrum.

For tamper evidence the module requires tamper-evident labels to allow the detection of the opening of the top panel.

An image of the module is provided below:



#### 3 Ports and Interfaces

The module includes the following physical ports and logical interfaces.

Port Name	Count	Interface(s)
Ethernet Port	9 <sup>1</sup>	Data Input, Data Output, Control
		Input, Status Output
Serial Console Port	1	Control Input, Status output, Data
		Output
USB Ports	2	Not used - covered by a tamper
		evident label at the factory
Compact Flash port	1	Not used - covered by a tamper
		evident label at the factory
LEDs	4	Status Output
Power Switch	N/A	N/A
Power Port	1	Power Input

#### 4 Roles, Services and Authentication

The module provides the following roles: a User role, a Crypto Officer role, a System Administrator role, and a Monitor User role.

The Crypto Officers and System Administrators configure the module and manage its cryptographic functionality. The Monitor Users monitor the operation of the module. Users employ the cryptographic services provided by the module.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The out-of-band management port is not used and is covered by a tamper evident label at the factory

The table below provides information on authentication mechanisms employed by each role.

Role	Authentication Mechanism
User	Passwords are used for wireless connection with EAP-PEAP
	and EAP-TTLS authentication. The module uses passwords of
	at least 8 characters, therefore for each random authentication
	attempt the probability of success will be significantly less than
	one in 1,000,000. When a secure network connection is
	established, the possibility of randomly guessing a password in
	60 seconds is less than 1 in 100,000 due to the password length
	and authentication process performance limitation.
	Client Certificates are used for wireless connection with EAP-
	TLS authentication. The module uses client certificates with at
	least 1024 bit RSA key, which corresponds to 80 bits of
	security, therefore for each random authentication attempt the
	probability of success will be significantly less than one in
	1,000,000. The possibility of randomly guessing a password in
	60 seconds is less than 1 in 100,000 due to the authentication
	process performance limitation.
Crypto Officer	Passwords are used for connections via Command Line
System Administrator	Interface (CLI), Web User Interface and SNMP management
Monitor User	interface. The module uses passwords of at least 8 characters,
	therefore for each random authentication attempt the probability of success will be significantly less than one in 1,000,000. Upon
	a command line interface login attempt failure next username
	and password prompt is provided after 1 second interval. This
	ensures that a user can only make 60 or less consecutive
	attempts in a minute. Therefore the possibility of randomly
	guessing a password in 60 seconds is less than 1 in 100,000.
	The possibility of randomly guessing a password in 60 seconds
	using SNMP or GUI interfaces is less than 1 in 100,000 due to
	the password length and authentication process performance
	limitation.

The module provides the following services to the operators:

Service	Role	Access to Cryptographic Keys and CSPs R- read; W – write or generate; E-execute
Installation of the Module	Crypto Officer System Administrator	Password: W 802.11i pre-shared key: W SSH RSA key pair: W TLS server certificate: W TLS/EAP Certificate: W SSH keys: E ANSI X9.31 seed and key: E
Login	Crypto Officer System Administrator Monitor User	Password: E SNMP secret: E SSH Keys: E TLS Keys: E ANSI X9.31 seed and key: E
Run self-test	Crypto Officer System Administrator Monitor User	N/A
Show status	Crypto Officer System Administrator Monitor User	N/A
Reboot	Crypto Officer System Administrator Monitor User	N/A
Update firmware	Crypto Officer System Administrator	Firmware load verification RSA Public Key: E
Zeroize/Restore factory settings	Crypto Officer System Administrator	All keys: W
IPSec/VPN configuration	Crypto Officer	IPSec/IKE pre-shared key: W SSH Keys: E ANSI X9.31 seed and key: E
802.11i configuration	Crypto Officer	802.11i pre-shared key: W SSH Keys: E ANSI X9.31 seed and key: E
Password protection	Crypto Officer	Password: E
Establishment of secure network connection	System Administrator User	SNMP secret: W  TLS keys: E  IPSec/IKE keys: E  TLS/EAP Certificate: E  802.11i keys: E  ANSI X9.31 seed and key: E

# **5 Security Functions**

The table below lists approved cryptographic algorithms employed by the module.

Algorithm	Certificate Number
SHS	742, 744, 745
HMAC	390, 392, 393
Triple DES	646, 648, 649
$AES^2$	724, 726, 727, 773
RSA Sign/verify	341
ANSI X9.31 PRNG	423, 424
DSA	274

The table below lists non-Approved cryptographic algorithms employed by the module

Algorithm	Usage	
MD5	Used by EAP-TLS, EAP-TTL and PEAP protocols	
	Used during TLS handshake	
	Used by the SNMP protocol	
HMAC-MD5	Used by the SNMP protocol	
DES	Used by the SNMP protocol	
Diffie-Hellman	Used for key establishment in TLS, IPSec/IKE, and SSH <sup>3</sup>	
	handshake. Provides between 80 and 112 bits of encryption	
	strength.	
RSA encrypt/decrypt	Used for key establishment in TLS handshake. Provides 80 bits	
	of encryption strength.	

## **6 Key Management**

The module uses ANSI X9.31 PRNG to generate random data.

The module provides a key zeroization command, which zeroizes all private and secret cryptographic keys and CSPs stored in flash memory. The command is followed by a reboot which zeroizes keys and CSPs stored in RAM.

The following cryptographic keys and CSPs are supported by the module.

Name and type	Usage	Storage
TLS master secret	Used to derive TLS data encryption key and TLS HMAC key	Plaintext in RAM

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  The maximum effective AES key length is 232 bits.  $^3$  SSH version 2 is used.

Name and type	Usage	Storage
TLS Triple-DES or AES	Used to encrypt data in TLS	Plaintext in RAM
encryption key	protocol	
TLS HMAC key	Used to protect integrity of	Plaintext in RAM
-	data in TLS protocol	
TLS/EAP server RSA	Used to encrypt the TLS	Plaintext in RAM
certificate <sup>4</sup> (including the	master secret during the	Plaintext in flash
private key)	TLS handshake	
TLS and IPSec/IKE, and	Used for key establishment	Plaintext in RAM
SSH Diffie-Hellman keys	during the handshake	
EAP-TLS Certification	Used to verify client	Plaintext in RAM
Authority RSA Certificate	certificate during the EAP-	Plaintext in flash
	TLS handshake	
SSH RSA key pair	Used to authenticate the	Plaintext in RAM
	module to the SSH client	Plaintext in flash
	during the SSH handshake	
SSH master secret	Used to derive SSH	Plaintext in RAM
	encryption key and SSH	
	HMAC key	
SSH Triple-DES or AES	Used to encrypt SSH data	Plaintext in RAM
encryption keys		
SSH HMAC keys	Used to protect integrity of	Plaintext in RAM
	SSH data	
IPSec/IKE pre-shared key	Used to derive IPSec/IKE	Plaintext in RAM
	encryption keys and	Plaintext in flash
	IPSec/IKE HMAC keys	
IPSec/IKE Triple-DES or	Used to encrypt IPSec/IKE	Plaintext in RAM
AES encryption keys	data	
IPSec/IKE HMAC keys	Used to protect integrity of	Plaintext in RAM
	IPSec/IKE data	
ANSI X9.31 PRNG1 Seed	Used to initialize the PRNG	Plaintext in RAM
and Seed Key	to a random state	
ANSI X9.31 PRNG2 Seed	Used to initialize the PRNG	Plaintext in RAM
and Seed Key	to a random state	
802.11i AES-CCM	Used to secure unicast	Plaintext in RAM
Temporal Key	wireless data	
802.11i AES-CCM Group	Used to secure multicast	Plaintext in RAM
Temporal Key	wireless data	
802.11i pre-shared key	Used to derive 802.11i	Plaintext in RAM
	Temporal Key and 802.11i	Plaintext in flash
	Group Temporal Key	
Firmware load verification	Used to verify firmware	Plaintext in RAM
RSA Public Key	components	Plaintext in flash

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The same certificate is shared by EAP-TLS, EAP-PEAP and EAP-TTLS protocols.

Name and type	Usage	Storage
Passwords	Used to authenticate users	Plaintext in RAM
		Plaintext in flash
SNMP Secret	Used to authenticate Crypto	Plaintext in RAM
	Officers accessing SNMP	Plaintext in flash
	management interface	

#### 7 Self Tests

The module runs a set of self-tests on power-up. If one of the self-tests fails, the module transitions into an error state where all data output and cryptographic operations are disabled.

The module runs power-up self-tests for the following algorithms:

Algorithm	Test
AES	Known Answer Test
TDES	Known Answer Test
SHS	Known Answer Test
HMAC	Known Answer Test
ANSI X9.31 PRNG	Known Answer Test
RSA	Pairwise Consistency Check (Sign/Verify)
DSA	Pairwise Consistency Check (Sign/Verify)
Firmware integrity	SHA-1 of the firmware image

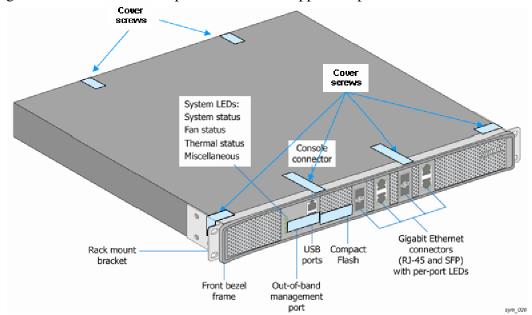
During the module operation the following conditional self-tests are performed:

Condition	Test
Random Number Generation	Continuous PRNG Test
Firmware Load	Firmware Load Test
RSA Key Pair generation	Pairwise Consistency Check (Sign/Verify,
	Encrypt/Decrypt)
Bypass	Bypass Test

## 8 Physical Security

The module consists of production-grade components enclosed in a metal and hard plastic enclosure. The enclosure is opaque within the visible spectrum. The top panel of the enclosure can be removed by unscrewing screws.

The module is protected by tamper evident labels in accordance with FIPS 140-2 Level 2 Physical Security requirements. The tamper evident labels are applied over the top panel and sides of the module at the factory to provide evidence of tampering if the top panel is removed.



An image of the module with tamper evident labels applied is provided below:

# 9 Secure Operation

#### 9.1 Approved Mode of Operation

The module always operates in the Approved Mode of Operation and does not support a non-Approved mode of Operation. Module documentation provides detailed guidance for the module users and administrators.

The Crypto Officer periodically inspects the module and the tamper evident labels. If an evidence of tampering is detected, the Crypto Officer shall immediately disable the module and notify the management.

Module users and administrators shall keep all authentication data confidential and shall not allow access to the module to unauthorized persons.