

Voice Processing Module Cryptographic Module (VPMCM) / Telephone Media Gateway Cryptographic Module (TMGCM) Security Policy Document Version 1.20

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1. Module Overview

The Voice Processing Module Cryptographic Module, otherwise referred to as the VPMCM (HW P/Ns VPMCRYPTO B or VPMCRYPTO C; FW Version R01.01.03, R01.01.04, R01.01.05, R01.02.08, or R01.05.00), with AES256 Encryption Algorithm (FW Version R01.00.00) installed is a FIPS 140-2 validated cryptographic module whose central purpose is to provide cryptographic services to the Voice Processing Module in which it is embedded. The Voice Processing Module provides dispatch console audio routing between a dispatch operator (e.g. 911, dispatcher) and a local network. The VPMCM is a hardware module with a multi-chip embedded physical embodiment as defined by the FIPS 140-2 standard. The boundary is defined as being only the perimeter of the metal enclosure and the PC board within that enclosure (see Figures 1 and 2). There are 64 traces on the board that pass into the boundary and continue out of the boundary, with no connections to any components within the module; therefore they are excluded from the interfaces of the module. The VPMCM (HW P/N VPMCRYPTO B, VPMCRYPTO C; FW Version R01.01.03, R01.01.04, R01.01.05, R01.02.08, or R01.05.00) is referred to as the Telephone Media Gateway Cryptographic Module (TMGCM) when it provides cryptographic services for interconnect calls. In this context, TMGCM is simply another name for VPMCM.

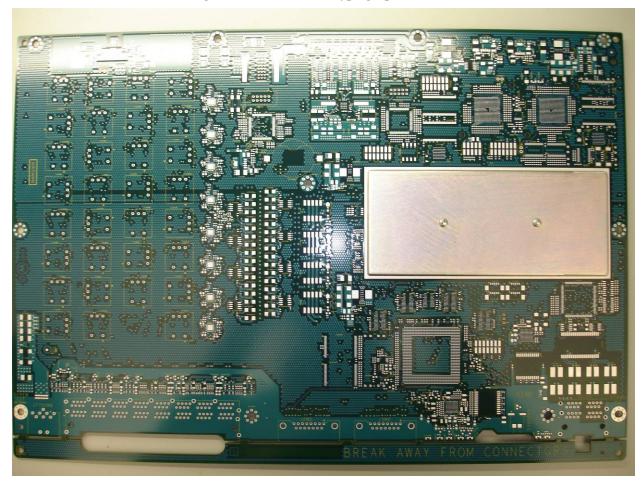


Figure 1 - Front of the Cryptographic Module

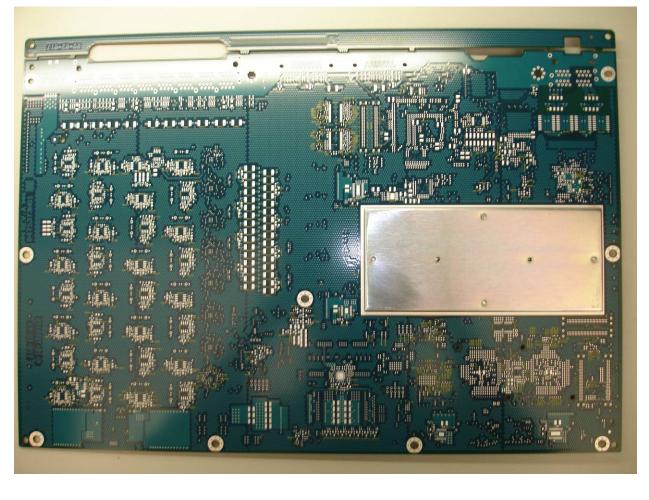


Figure 2 – Back of the Cryptographic Module

2. Security Level

The cryptographic module meets the overall requirements applicable to an overall Level 1 security of FIPS 140-2.

Table 1 – VPMCM/TMGCM Cryptographic Module Security Level Specification

| Security Requirements Section | Level |
|------------------------------------|-------|
| Cryptographic Module Specification | 1 |
| Module Ports and Interfaces | 1 |
| Roles, Services and Authentication | 3 |
| Finite State Model | 1 |
| Physical Security | 1 |
| Operational Environment | N/A |
| Cryptographic Key Management | 1 |
| EMI/EMC | 2 |

| Security Requirements Section | Level |
|-------------------------------|-------|
| Self-Tests | 1 |
| Design Assurance | 3 |
| Mitigation of Other Attacks | N/A |

3. Mode of Operation

The VPMCM can operate in a FIPS Approved mode of operation. Documented below are the configuration settings that are required for the module to be used in a FIPS 140-2 Approved mode of operation at overall Security Level 1. At any given time, the FIPS Status service can be used to confirm that the module is operating in FIPS Approved mode.

3.1 FIPS Approved Mode Configuration

The following procedure shall be followed by an authorized operator during the initialization of the VPMCM/TMGCM upon first use:

Use the Program Update service to install only the AES algorithm. AES is the only Approved algorithm which is configurable using the Program Update service. For a full list of algorithms used in FIPS Approved Mode, please see Tables 2 and 3.

3.2 Approved Mode

Approved mode is a mode of operation in which only Approved or Allowed algorithms are able to be utilized.

The cryptographic module supports the following FIPS Approved algorithms.

Table 2 – FIPS Approved Algorithms

| FIPS Approved Algorithm | CAVP Cert. # | Description of Use |
|--|--------------|--|
| AES-256 encrypt/decrypt (OFB, CBC, ECB, and CFB8) | 819 | When installed, used for Encryption/Decryption within APCO OTAR to provide secure key establishment and data confidentiality. Key Establishment methodology provides 256 bits of strength. |
| SHA-256 | 817 | Used for password hashing for internal password storage and digital signature verification during software/firmware integrity test and software/firmware load test. |
| RSA-2048 PKCS #1 V1.5 (signature verification) | 396 | Used for digital signature verification during software/firmware integrity test and software/firmware load test. |
| ANSI X9.31 Appendix 2.4 (2-key TDES) Deterministic Random Number Generator (RNG) | 471 | Used for IV and KPK generation. |

 $Table\ 3-FIPS\ Allowed\ Algorithms$

| FIPS Allowed Algorithm | CAVP Cert. # | Description of Use |
|--|--------------|--|
| AES MAC | 819 | Used to provide authentication within APCO OTAR. AES MAC as used within APCO OTAR has been vendor affirmed and is approved when used for Project 25 APCO OTAR. |
| Non-Deterministic Hardware Random Number Generator (NDRNG) | N/A | Used to provide Initialization Vectors (IV) and seeds to the FIPS Approved Deterministic Random Number Generator (RNG). |
| 64 bit Linear Feedback Shift Register (LFSR) | N/A | Used to provide IVs used during encryption and decryption. |

In the non-Approved mode of operation the module implements the following non-Approved cryptographic algorithms: DVP-XL, DVI-XL, DES-XL, and ADP.

4. Ports and Interfaces

Table 4 below provides a listing and description of all VPM physical ports and logical interfaces.

Table 4 – Ports and Interfaces Description

| Physical Port | Qty | Logical interface definition | Technical Specification |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---|--|
| Synchronous Serial Interface (SSI) | 1 | Data input Data output Status output Control input | The SSI interface provided by the module provides the central control interfaces accessible by an operator. It directly interfaces with a QUICC Ethernet controller. |
| Key Variable Loader (KVL) | 1 | Data inputStatus outputControl input | This interface provides the input and output to a Key Variable Loader (KVL). |
| FPGA | 1 | Data input Data output Status output Control input | The FPGA interface is used for audio and control data between the MACE Ics and the DSPs |
| Power Input | 1 | - 3.3v Power input | This port is the only power input port supported by the module. |

5. Identification and Authentication Policy

Assumption of roles

The VPMCM/TMGCM supports two distinct operator roles (User and Cryptographic-Officer). The VPMCM/TMGCM uses a 10-digit password to authenticate the User and a digital signature to authenticate the Cryptographic Officer. The operator roles are uniquely identified by the specific service that they have requested.

Table 5 - Roles and Required Identification and Authentication

| Role | Type of Authentication | Authentication Data | Description |
|-------------------------------|---|---|--|
| Cryptographic Officer Role | Identity-based operator authentication. | Digital Signature: Knowledge of the RSA Private key which corresponds to the Firmware Signature Key. | The Cryptographic Officer role is authorized to perform the program update service provided by the module. |
| User Role | Identity-based operator authentication. | Password: Knowledge of a 10 character password string. | The User role is the day to day user of the module. |

Table 6 – Strengths of Authentication Mechanisms

| Authentication Mechanism | Strength of Mechanism |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Cryptographic Officer Role | 2048-bit Digital RSA Signature: |
| | The probability that a random attempt will succeed or a false acceptance will occur is no greater than 1/2^112, which is less than 1/1,000,000. |
| | The VPMCM/TMGCM will allow fewer than 30 program update attempts in a one minute period; therefore the random success rate for multiple retries is 30/2^112, which is less than 1/100,000. |
| User Role | The probability that a random attempt will succeed or a false acceptance will occur is no greater than 1/10^10, which is less than 1/1,000,000. |
| | The VPMCM/TMGCM will allow fewer than 15 authentication attempts in a one minute period; therefore the random success rate for multiple retries is 10/10^10, which is less than 1/100,000. |

6. Access Control Policy

User Services

Table 7 – User Services

| Name of Service | Service Description |
|-----------------------|---|
| Transfer Key Variable | The Transfer Key Variable Service is used to manually establish keys to the module Key Database via a Key Variable Loader (KVL). |
| Privileged APCO OTAR | Modify and query the Key Database via APCO OTAR Key Management Messages. |
| Change Active Keyset | This service modifies the currently active keyset used for selecting keys for encryption / decryption services. An active keyset is used to store a group of keys for current use, while inactive keysets are used to store keys for future use. |
| Encrypt Digital | The Encrypt Digital service is used to configure and encrypt voice transmissions or other data. |
| Decrypt Digital | The Decrypt Digital service is used configure and decrypt voice transmissions or other data. |
| Keyset Check | Obtain status information about a specific keyset. |
| Validate Password | Validate the current password used to identify and authenticate the User role. Fifteen consecutive failed attempts causes the KPK to be zeroized, a new KPK to be generated, all TEKs and KEKs to be invalidated (key status is marked invalid), and the password to be reset to the factory default. |
| Zeroize Selected Keys | Zeroize selected key variables from the Key Database by Physical ID (PID) or Common Key Reference (CKR). |
| Bypass | Configure a voice call in plaintext. |

Cryptographic Officer Services

Table 8 – Cryptographic Officer Services

| Name of Service | Service Description |
|-----------------|---|
| Program Update | The Program Update service is used to modify module firmware. Firmware upgrades are authenticated using a digital signature. The Program Update Public Signature Key (a 2048 bit public RSA key) is used to validate the signature of the firmware image being loaded before it is allowed to be executed. All keys and CSPs are zeroized during a Program Update. Note: To maintain FIPS 140-2 validation, only validated firmware can be loaded. |

Services Available to Unauthenticated Operators

Table 9 – Services Available to Unauthenticated Operators

| Name of Service | Service Description |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| FIPS Status | Provides current FIPS status. |
| Initiate Self Tests | Performs module Power-On Self-Tests which are comprised of cryptographic algorithms test and firmware integrity and load tests. Initiated by module reset or transition from power off state to power on state. |
| Zeroize All keys | Zeroize all keys from the Key Database. Available without a Role. (Module can be reinitialized using a Key Variable Loader) |
| Non-Privileged APCO OTAR | Status and Capabilities Key Management Messages (KMM) used to determine system compatibility and connectivity. |
| Reset Crypto Module | Soft reset of module to remove module from error states or a transition from power off to power on state. |
| Extract Error Log | Status Request. Provides detailed history of error events. Available without a Role. |
| Clear Error Log | Clears history of error events. |
| FIPS Diagnostic Status | Display the current number of calls, clear vs. secure. |
| Download Configuration Parameters | Download configuration parameters used to specify module behavior. |

6. 1 Definition of Critical Security Parameters (CSPs)

The following CSPs and keys are contained within the module:

Table 10 - CSPs and Keys

| CSP | Description/Usage |
|----------------------------|---|
| ANSI X9.31 seed | A 64-bit seed value used within the ANSI X9.31 RNG. The seed is not stored |
| | but temporarily exists in volatile memory and is zeroized by power cycling the |
| | module. |
| ANSI X9.31 seed key | Key used to seed the ANSI X9.31 RNG during initialization. The seed key is |
| | not stored but temporarily exists in volatile memory and is zeroized by power |
| | cycling the module. |
| Image Decryption Key (IDK) | A 256-bit AES key used to decrypt downloaded images. Stored in plaintext in |
| | non-volatile memory and zeroized through the Program Update service. |
| Key Encryption Keys (KEKs) | Keys used for encryption of other keys in OTAR. Stored encrypted on KPK in |
| | non-volatile memory. |
| Key Protection Key (KPK) | Key used to encrypt TEKs and KEKs stored in non-volatile memory. |
| Password | The 10-digit password is entered encrypted on the PEK. After decryption the |
| | plaintext password is not stored but temporarily exists in volatile memory. The |
| | SHA-256 hash of the decrypted password is compared with the hash value |
| | stored in non-volatile memory during password validation. |

| CSP | Description/Usage |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Password Encryption Key (PEK) | Key used for decrypting password during password validation. Stored in plaintext in non-volatile memory and zeroized through the Program Update service. |
| Traffic Encryption Keys (TEKs) | Keys used for voice and data encryption. Stored encrypted on KPK in non-volatile memory. |
| Programmed Signature Key | 2048 bit RSA public key used to validate the signature of the firmware image before it is allowed to be executed. |

6. 2 CSP Modes of Access

The following tables describe the various methods in which keys are accessed in the VPMCM/TMGCM as well as how access is controlled per operator and service.

Table 11 – CSP Access Types

| CSP Access Type | Description |
|-------------------------|---|
| c – Check CSP | Checks status and key identifier information of key. |
| D – Decrypt CSP | Decrypts TEK or KEK retrieved from non-volatile memory using the |
| | KPK. |
| | Decrypts entered password with PEK during password validation. |
| E – Encrypt CSP | Encrypts TEK or KEK with KPK prior to storage in non-volatile memory. |
| G – Generate CSP | Generates KPK, ANSI X9.31 seed, or ANSI X9.31 seed key. |
| I – Invalidate CSP | Marks encrypted TEKs or KEKs stored in non-volatile memory as |
| | invalid. TEKs or KEKs marked invalid can then be over-written when new TEKs or KEKs are stored. |
| S – Store CSP | Stores KPK in volatile and non-volatile memory. |
| | Stores encrypted TEKs or KEKs in non-volatile memory, over-writing |
| | any previously invalidated TEK or KEK in that location. |
| | Stores plaintext PEK or IDK in non-volatile memory. |
| U – Use CSP | Uses CSP internally for encryption / decryption services. |
| Z – Zeroize CSP | Zeroizes key. |

Table 12 – CSP versus CSP Access

| | CSP | | | | | | | Role | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|------------------|
| Operator Service | ANSI X9.31 seed | ANSI X9.31 seed key | IDK (Image Decryption Key) | KEK (Key Encryption Key) | KPK (Key Protection Key) | Password | PEK (Password Encryption Key) | TEK (Traffic Encryption Key) | User Role | Crypto Officer Role | No Role Required |
| 1. Program Update | | | u, z, s | Z | Z | | z, s | Z | | 1 | |
| 2. Transfer Key Variable | | | | i, e, z, s | u | | | i, e, z, | √ | | |
| 3. Privileged APCO OTAR | | | | d, u, i, e, z, s | u | | | d, u, i, e, z, s | √ | | |
| 4. Change Active Keyset | | | | | | | | | √ | | |
| 5. Bypass | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Encrypt Digital | | | | | | | | d, u | | | |
| 7. Decrypt Digital | | | | | | | | d, u | V | | |
| 8. Zeroize Selected Keys | | | | i | | | | i | √ | | |
| 9. Keyset Check | | | | С | | | | С | V | | |
| 10. FIPS Status | | | | с | | | | С | | V | V |
| 11. Initiate Self Tests | | | | | | | | | | $\sqrt{}$ | $\sqrt{}$ |
| 12. Validate Password | | | | i | z, g, s | d, u, z | u | i | V | | |
| 13. Zeroize All Keys | | | | i | | | | i | V | V | V |

| | | CSP | | | | | Role | | | |
|--|---------|---------|--|---|---------|--|------|--------------|--------------|-----------|
| 14. Non-Privileged APCO OTAR (not for key entry) | | | | | | | | √ | | V |
| 15. Reset Crypto Module | g, u, z | g, u, z | | | g, s | | | \checkmark | \checkmark | $\sqrt{}$ |
| 16. Extract Error Log | | | | | | | | \checkmark | \checkmark | V |
| 17. Clear Error Log | | | | | | | | \checkmark | $\sqrt{}$ | V |
| 18. Download Configuration Parameters | | | | i | z, g, s | | i | √ | √ | V |
| 19. FIPS Diagnostic Status | | | | | | | | √ | $\sqrt{}$ | V |

7. Operational Environment

The FIPS 140-2 Area 6 Operational Environment requirements are not applicable because the VPMCM/TMGCM supports a non-modifiable operational environment.

8. Security Rules

The VPMCM/TMGCM module's design corresponds to the cryptographic module's security rules. This section documents the security rules enforced by the cryptographic module to implement the security requirements of this FIPS 140-2 Level 1 module.

- 1. The cryptographic module shall provide two distinct operator roles. These are the User role and the Cryptographic Officer role.
- 2. When the module has not been placed in a valid role, the operator does not have access to any cryptographic services.
- 3. The cryptographic module shall perform the following tests:
 - A. Power up Self-Tests
 - i. Cryptographic algorithm test:
 - 1. SHA-256 Known Answer Test (KAT)
 - 2. AES-256 KAT for each mode in the OFB, CBC, ECB, and 8-bit CFB.
 - 3. ANSI X9.31 RNG KAT
 - 4. RSA 2048 is tested as part of the Firmware integrity test. RSA is only used to perform signature verification.
 - ii. Firmware integrity test: A digital signature is generated over the code when it is built using SHA-256 and RSA-2048 and is stored with the code upon download into the module. When the module is powered, up the digital signature is verified.

B. Conditional Tests

- i. Firmware load test: A digital signature is generated over the code when it is built using SHA-256 and RSA-2048. Upon download into the module, the digital signature is verified. If the digital signature matches the test passes, otherwise it fails.
- ii. Continuous Random Number Generator test
 - 1. ANSI X9.31 Continuous Test
 - 2. NDRNG Continuous Test
 - 3. 64-bit LFSR Continuous Test
- iii. Alternating Bypass Test
- iv. At any time the operator shall be capable of commanding the module to perform the power-up self-test by using the Reset service or by Power-cycling the module.
- 8. Data output shall be inhibited during self-tests, zeroization, and error states.
- 9. Status information shall not contain CSPs or sensitive data that if misused could lead to a compromise of the module.

This section documents the security rules imposed by the vendor:

- 1. The VPMCM/TMGCM does not support multiple concurrent operators.
- 2. After a sufficient number (15) of consecutive unsuccessful user login attempts, the module will zeroize all keys from the Key Database.
- 3. The module does not support the output of plaintext or encrypted keys.

9. Physical Security

The VPMCM/TMGCM module is a multi-chip embedded cryptographic module which includes the following physical security mechanisms:

Production-grade components.

10. Mitigation of Other Attacks Policy

The VPMCM/TMGCM has not been designed to mitigate any specific attacks.

11. Glossary

| Ket Database | A database containing KEKs and TEKs. |
|--------------|--|
| KeySet | Logical grouping of keys. KeySets can be active (available for use) or inactive (not available for use). |

12. Acronyms

| ALGID | Algorithm Identifier |
|-------|---------------------------------|
| CBC | Cipher Block Chaining |
| CFB | Cipher Feedback |
| CKR | Common Key Reference |
| СО | Crypto Officer |
| CPS | Customer Programming Software |
| CSP | Critical Security Parameter |
| DES | Data Encryption Standard |
| ECB | Electronic Code Book |
| IV | Initialization Vector |
| KEK | Key Encryption Key |
| KID | Key Identifier |
| KLK | Key Loss Key |
| KMM | Key Management Message |
| KPK | Key Protection Key |
| KVL | Key Variable Loader |
| LFSR | Linear Feedback Shift Register |
| MAC | Message Authentication Code |
| MACE | Motorola Advanced Crypto Engine |
| OFB | Output Feedback |
| OTAR | Over The Air Rekeying |

| PRNG | Pseudo Random Number Generator |
|-------|--|
| RNG | Random Number Generator |
| TEK | Traffic Encryption Key |
| TMGCM | Telephone Media Gateway Cryptographic Module |
| VPMCM | Voice Processing Module Cryptographic Module |