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1 Introduction

1.1 Purpose

This is a non-proprietary Cryptographic Module Security Policy for Redline Communications, Inc.'s AN-80i Broadband Wireless Infrastructure Radio (running firmware version 4.00.075 or 13.00.135). This Security Policy describes how the AN-80i Broadband Wireless Infrastructure Radio meets the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) and the Communications Security Establishment Canada (CSEC) requirements for cryptographic modules as specified in Federal Information Processing Standards Publication (FIPS) 140-2. This document also describes how to run the module in its Approved FIPS 140-2 mode of operation. This policy was prepared as part of the Level 2 FIPS 140-2 validation of the module.

The AN-80i Broadband Wireless Infrastructure Radio running firmware version 4.00.075 or 13.00.135 is referred to in this document as the AN-80i, the cryptographic module, or the module.

1.2 References

This document deals only with operations and capabilities of the module in the technical terms of a FIPS 140-2 cryptographic module security policy. More information is available on the module from the following sources:

- The Redline website (<http://www.redlinecommunications.com/>) contains information on the full line of products from Redline.
- The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) Cryptographic Module Validation Program (CMVP) website (<http://csrc.nist.gov/groups/STM/cmvp/>) contains information about the FIPS 140-2 standard and validation program. It also lists contact information for answers to technical or sales-related questions for the module.

1.3 Document Organization

The Security Policy document is one document in a FIPS 140-2 Submission Package. In addition to this document, the Submission Package contains:

- Vendor Evidence document
- Finite State Machine
- Submission Summary
- Other supporting documentation as additional references

This Security Policy and the other validation submission documentation were produced by Corsec Security, Inc. under contract to Redline Communications, Inc.. With the exception of this Non-Proprietary Security Policy, the FIPS 140-2 Validation Documentation is proprietary to Redline and is releasable only under appropriate non-disclosure agreements. For access to these documents, please contact Redline.

2 Redline AN-80i Broadband Wireless Infrastructure Radio

2.1 Overview

The AN-80i Broadband Wireless Infrastructure Radio is Redline Communications, Inc.'s point-to-point (PTP) carrier grade broadband wireless infrastructure product. Operating in the licensed or licenced/exempt spectra, the AN-80i acts as a bridge between networks and enables organizations such as schools, hospitals, utilities, and service providers to solve the middle mile challenge and deploy cost effective reliable connections in even the most challenging conditions. The middle mile challenge involves mitigating bottlenecks between a location and the core Internet backbone. It supports advanced applications such as transparent LAN¹, VoIP², and high-quality video.

The AN-80i is an all outdoor hardware platform powered by an industry standard Power over Ethernet (POE) feed. Available with a wide variety of antennas, the system includes an audible antenna alignment indicator and a built-in spectrum analyzer function for quick and simple installation. The product is manageable through the use of a standard Web browser or through Redline's Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP)-based element management system, RMS. Although SNMPv3 can support AES encryption in CFB mode, it does not utilize a FIPS-Approved key generation method; therefore, the module firmware has been designed to block the ability to view or alter critical security parameters (CSPs) through this interface. Also note that the SNMPv3 interface is a management interface for the Redline devices and that no CSPs or user data are transmitted over this interface.

Redline's family of Broadband Wireless Infrastructure (BWI) products consists of both RedCONNEX point-to-point and RedACCESS point-to-multipoint solutions, available through different installations of software. Unlike 802.11 based systems, the core engine of the BWI products is based on the IEEE³ 802.16 family of standards with proprietary extensions designed around achieving high throughput and low latency in order to optimize performance for backhaul and premium access applications. It is this core MAC⁴/PHY⁵ engine, which allows Redline's BWI products to achieve the best latency, highest throughput and greatest line-of-sight and non-line-of-sight range in the industry.



Figure 1 – Redline AN-80i Broadband Wireless Infrastructure Radio

The AN-80i is validated at the FIPS 140-2 section Levels shown in Table 1 below.

¹ LAN – local area network

² VoIP – Voice-over-Internet Protocol

³ IEEE – Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

⁴ MAC – Media Access Controller

⁵ PHY – Physical Interface

Table 1 – Security Level Per FIPS 140-2 Section

Section	Section Title	Level
1	Cryptographic Module Specification	2
2	Cryptographic Module Ports and Interfaces	2
3	Roles, Services, and Authentication	2
4	Finite State Model	2
5	Physical Security	2
6	Operational Environment	N/A
7	Cryptographic Key Management	2
8	Electromagnetic Interference / Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMI/EMC)	3
9	Self-tests	2
10	Design Assurance	2
11	Mitigation of Other Attacks	N/A
14	Cryptographic Module Security Policy	2

2.2 Module Interfaces

The AN-80i is a multi-chip standalone cryptographic module that meets overall Level 2 FIPS 140-2 requirements. The cryptographic boundary of the AN-80i is defined by the aluminum case, which surrounds all the hardware and software components. Interfaces on the module can be categorized into the following FIPS 140-2 logical interfaces:

- Data Input Interface
- Data Output Interface
- Control Input interface
- Status Output Interface
- Power Interface

Ports on the module can be categorized into the following physical interfaces:

- Ethernet port
- RF port
- Buzzer

All of these physical interfaces are separated into logical interfaces defined by FIPS 140-2, as described in the following table:

Table 2 – FIPS 140-2 Logical Interfaces

FIPS 140-2 Logical Interface	Redline Broadband Radio AN-80i Port/Interface
Data Input	Ethernet port, RF port
Data Output	Ethernet port, RF port
Control Input	Ethernet port, RF port
Status Output	Ethernet port, buzzer
Power	Ethernet port

2.3 Roles and Services

The module supports role-based authentication. There are two roles in the module that operators may assume: a Crypto-Officer role and a User role.

2.3.1 Crypto-Officer Role

The Crypto-Officer (CO) performs administrative services for the module, such as initialization, configuration, and monitoring of the module. Before accessing the module for any administrative service, the operator must authenticate to the module. The module offers two management interfaces:

- Web Interface
- Command Line Interface (CLI)
- SNMPv3 (Non-FIPS Mode)

The Web Interface is Redline's proprietary web-based GUI⁶ that can be accessed via the local network using a web browser. The Web Interface serves as the primary management tool for the module. All Web Interface sessions with the module are protected over a secure Transport Layer Security (TLS) channel. Authentication of the CO requires the input of a username and password which is checked against a local password database.

The CLI is accessed via the Ethernet port using a Secure Shell (SSH) session. Authentication of the CO on the CLI requires the input of a username and password and/or radius server.

Descriptions of the services available to the Crypto-Officer role are provided in the table below. The services listed for the Crypto-Officer role are mapped to relevant CSPs and the type of access required to CSPs associated with the service (Execute, Read, or Write).

Table 3 – Mapping of Crypto-Officer Role's Services to CSPs and Type of Access

Service	Description	CSP	Type of Access
Key Agreement	Used to establish keys for setting up a secure communications tunnel	Authentication Keys, TLS Key Agreement Keys, TLS Session Authentication Key, TLS Session Key, SSH Key Agreement Keys, SSH Session Authentication Key, SSH Session Key	Execute
Authenticate	Used to log in to the module	Administrator Password	Execute
Enable FIPS Mode	Allows Crypto-Officer to configure the module for FIPS Mode.	None	None
Configure Bypass Mode	Allows Crypto-Officer to turn off encryption and go into bypass mode.	None	None
Encryption	Allows Crypto Officer to enable encryption	TLS Session Authentication Key, TLS Session Key, SSH Session Authentication Key, SSH Session Key	Execute

⁶ GUI – Graphical User Interface

Service	Description	CSP	Type of Access
Get FIPS Status	Allows Crypto-Officer to view general system identification and Configuration Settings.	None	None
Perform Self Tests	Allows the Crypto-Officer to run on-demand self tests.	None	None
System Status	Allows Crypto-Officer to view system, Ethernet, and wireless statistics.	None	None
System Log	Allows Crypto-Officer to view the system status messages.	None	None
Configure System	Allows Crypto-Officer to view and adjust configuration system, IP address, management, and wireless settings.	None	None
Upload Firmware	Allows Crypto-Officer to upload new software binary file	Redline Firmware Update Public Key	Execute
Add/Delete Operators	Allows Crypto-Officer to add/delete users	Administrator Passwords, User Passwords	Read/Write
Change Password	Modify existing login passwords	Administrator Passwords, User Passwords	Read/Write
Spectrum Sweep	Allows Crypto-Officer to scan radio frequencies to detect additional RF sources which could be a source of interference	None	None
Zeroize	Zeroize all keys and CSPs. When the command is issued all keys and CSPs will be erased from memory and replaced with "1"s.	All keys and CSPs	Write
Clear	Clears frequency list and log messages	None	None
Del	Deletes a specified key/certificate	Any specified key/certificate	Write
Freq	Used to enter the frequency ranges for autoscan and dynamic frequency selection	None	None
Generate	Creates new Diffie Hellman keys or DSA keys for use with SSH	Authentication Keys, Key Agreement Key	Write
Get	Displays statistic and parameter values	None	None
Load Cert	Loads new certificates	CA public keys	Execute
Load Script	Loads a script for backup. The config script contains a string of CLI commands that can be used to restore a previously exported configuration of the AN-80i.	None	None
Ping	Ping utility	None	None
Reboot	Restarts the module	None	None
Reset Statistics	Resets the statistical values stored in the module	None	None
Save	Saves the selected configuration settings	None	None

Service	Description	CSP	Type of Access
Export Script	Generates and outputs a config script. The config script contains a string of CLI commands that can be used to restore the current (active) configuration of the AN-80i.	None	None
Set	Displays system parameter values and allows modification to the displayed values	None	None
Show	Displays configuration objects and additional system compound objects	None	None
Test Config	Allows configuration changes to be run for a five minute test period. During the test period the configuration changes can be saved. If they are not saved by the end of the test period the previously saved settings are reloaded.	None	None

2.3.2 User Role

The User has the ability to view general status information about the module, and utilize the module's data transmitting functionalities via the Ethernet port. Descriptions of the services available to the User role are provided in the table below. The services listed for the User role are mapped to relevant CSPs and the type of access required to CSPs associated with the service (Execute, Read, or Write).

Table 4 – Mapping of User Role's Services to CSPs and Type of Access

Service	Description	CSP	Type of Access
Key Agreement	Used to establish keys for setting up a secure communications tunnel	Authentication Keys, TLS Key Agreement Keys, TLS Session Authentication Key, TLS Session Key, SSH Key Agreement Keys, SSH Session Authentication Key, SSH Session Key	Execute
Authenticate	Used to log in to the module	User Password	Execute
General Information	Allows Users to view general system identification and Configuration Settings.	None	None
System Status	Allows Users to view system, Ethernet, and wireless statistics.	None	None
System Log	Allows Users to view the system status messages.	None	None
Change Password	Allows Users to change login password	User Password	Read/Write

2.3.3 Bypass Mode

The cryptographic module supports an exclusive bypass capability by allowing the encryption type configuration parameter to be set to NONE, AES⁷ 128, AES 192, and AES 256. When encryption is enabled, no Ethernet packets are allowed to be transferred over-the-air in plaintext. The Crypto-Officer can determine the bypass status by

⁷ AES – Advanced Encryption Standard

examining the wireless encryption status with the web interface and CLI. If wireless encryption is enabled, then bypass capability is not activated; if wireless encryption is disabled, then bypass is activated.

2.3.4 Authentication Mechanisms

The module employs the following authentication methods to authenticate Crypto-Officers and Users. Passwords are used for authenticating with the AN-80i and certificates are used when establishing a TLS session.

Table 5 – Authentication Mechanisms Employed by the Module

Type of Authentication	Authentication Strength
Password	<p>Passwords are required to be at least 8 characters long. Alpha (uppercase and lowercase) and numeric characters can be used, which gives a total of 62 characters to choose from. With the possibility of repeating characters, the chance of a random attempt falsely succeeding is 1 in 62^8, or 1 in 218,340,105,584,896.</p> <p>MD5 hashes are used for authentication via RADIUS. MD5 hashes are typically represented as 32-digit hexadecimal values. The chance of a random authentication attempt falsely succeeding is 1 in 16^{32}, or 1 in 3.4028×10^{38}.</p>
Certificate	<p>Certificates used as part of TLS are (at a minimum) 1024 bits. The chance of a random attempt falsely succeeding is 1 in 2^{80}, or 1 in 1.2089×10^{24}.</p>

2.4 Physical Security

The Redline AN-80i is a multi-chip standalone cryptographic module. The module is enclosed in a weatherproof aluminum alloy case, which is defined as the cryptographic boundary of the module. The module's enclosure is opaque within the visible spectrum. The module's enclosure is sealed using tamper-evident labels, which prevent the case covers from being removed without signs of tampering.

It is the responsibility of the Crypto-Officer to ensure that both tamper-evident labels are properly placed on the module before use. The location of tamper-evident labels is indicated with the red circles in Figure 2 below. Two tamper labels on opposite sides of the module will prevent unauthorized users from gaining undetected access, even if screws not covered by tamper labels are removed.



Figure 2 – Tamper-Evident Label Locations for Redline AN-80i

2.5 Operational Environment

The module does not provide a general purpose operating system nor does it allow operators to load untrusted software. The operating system (OS) employed by the module is the Wind River VxWorks version 6.5 OS. The OS is not modifiable by the operators of the module, and only the module’s custom written image can be run in the system. The module provides a method to update the firmware in the module with a new version. This method involves uploading a digitally-signed firmware update to the module. If the signature test fails, the new firmware will be ignored, and the current firmware will remain loaded. If the signature test passes the new firmware will be loaded and the Crypto-Officer is responsible to following the steps listed in Secure Operation to place the module in FIPS-approved mode of operation.

NOTE: In order to maintain validation for the module, only FIPS-validated firmware may be loaded, and it must be configured to execute in its defined FIPS mode of operation.

2.6 Cryptographic Key Management

The module implements the FIPS-approved algorithms shown in Table 6 below.

Table 6 – Certificate Numbers for Cryptographic Algorithm Implementations

Approved Function	Certificate Number
Symmetric Key Algorithm	
Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) 128-, 192-, 256-bit in CBC ⁸ , ECB ⁹ , CFB ¹⁰ modes	997
AES 128-, 192-, 256-bit in ECB, CCM ¹¹ modes	944
Triple-DES ¹² in CBC mode (2- and 3-key)	777
Secure Hashing Algorithm (SHA)	
SHA-1, SHA-256, SHA-384, and SHA-512	962
Message Authentication Code (MAC) Function	

⁸ CBC – Cipher-Block Chaining

⁹ ECB – Electronic Codebook

¹⁰ CFB – Cipher Feedback

¹¹ CCM – Counter with CBC-MAC

¹² DES – Data Encryption Standard

Approved Function	Certificate Number
HMAC ¹³ using SHA-1, SHA-256, SHA-384, and SHA-512	562
Deterministic Random Bit Generator (DRBG)	
NIST ¹⁴ SP 800-90 DRBG ¹⁵ : Hash SHA-1 and Hash SHA-256	9
Asymmetric Key Algorithm	
RSA ¹⁶ PKCS ¹⁷ #1 sign/verify 1024, 1536, 2048-bit	480
Digital Signature Algorithm (DSA) sign/verify – 1024-bit	343

The module implements the following non-FIPS-Approved algorithm implementations:

- Redline 64-bit proprietary encryption (in non-FIPS mode only)
- Diffie-Hellman (DH) 1024- and 2048-bits key (key agreement; key establishment methodology provides 80 and 112 bits of encryption strength, respectively)
- RSA 2048-bits key (key wrapping, key establishment methodology provides 112 bits of encryption strength)
- MD5

The module supports the following critical security parameters:

Table 7 – List of Cryptographic Keys, Cryptographic Key Components, and CSPs

Key	Key Type	Generation / Input	Output	Storage	Zeroization	Use
SNMPv3 Session Key	AES 128-, 192-, 256-bit CFB key	Internally generated but not FIPS Compliant	Never exits the module	Stored in volatile memory	Upon reboot or session termination	Provides secured channel for SNMPv3 management that is not FIPS-Approved.
Authentication public/private keys	RSA 1024-, 1536-, 2048-bit keys or DSA 1024-bit key	DSA keys are Internally generated and RSA keys are externally generated and imported in encrypted form	Public key exported electronically in plaintext via Ethernet port	Stored in non-volatile memory	By Zeroize command	Peer Authentication of SSH/TLS sessions
Peer RSA/DSA public keys	RSA/DSA 1024-, 1536-, 2048-bit keys or DSA 1024-bit key	Imported electronically during handshake protocol	Never exits the module	Stored in volatile memory	Upon reboot or session termination	Peer Authentication for SSH sessions

¹³ HMAC – Hash Message Authentication Code

¹⁴ NIST – National Institute of Standards and Technology

¹⁵ DRBG – Deterministic Random Bit Generator

¹⁶ RSA – Rivest, Shamir, and Adleman

¹⁷ PKCS – Public Key Cryptography Standard

Key	Key Type	Generation / Input	Output	Storage	Zeroization	Use
Local and CA RSA public/private (local unit only) keys	RSA 1024-, 1536-, 2048-bit keys	Externally generated and imported in encrypted form	Public key certificate exported electronically in plaintext via Wireless port; private component not exported	Stored in non-volatile memory	By Zeroize command	Establish trusted point in peer entity
SSH Key Agreement keys	Diffie-Hellman 1024-, 2048-bit exponents	Internally generated	Public exponent electronically in plaintext; private component not exported	Stored in volatile memory	Upon reboot or session termination	Key agreement/establishment for SSH sessions as defined above in Section 2.6
TLS Key Agreement Keys	RSA 2048-bit key	Externally generated	Public exponent electronically in plaintext; private component not exported	Stored in volatile memory	Upon reboot or session termination	Key wrapping/establishment for TLS sessions as defined above in Section 2.6
TLS Session Authentication Key	HMAC SHA-1 key	Internally generated	Never exits the module	Stored in volatile memory	Upon reboot or session termination	Data authentication for TLS sessions
TLS Session Key	Triple-DES, AES-128, AES-192, AES-256	Internally generated	Never exits the module	Stored in volatile memory	Upon reboot or session termination	Data encryption for TLS sessions
SSH Session Authentication Key	HMAC-SHA1 key	Internally generated	Never exits the module	Stored in volatile memory	Upon reboot or session termination	Data authentication for SSH sessions
SSH Session Key	Triple-DES, AES-128, AES-192, AES-256	Internally generated	Never exits the module	Stored in volatile memory	Upon reboot or session termination	Data encryption for SSH sessions
Redline Firmware Update Public Key	RSA 2048-bit public key	Externally generated and hard coded in the image	Never exits the module	Stored in non-volatile memory	Hard-coded	Verifies the signature associated with a broadband radio firmware update package
Administrator Passwords	8-character ASCII ¹⁸ string	Entered in plaintext	Never exits the module	Stored in non-volatile memory in plaintext	By Zeroize command	Authentication for administrator login

¹⁸ ASCII – American Standard Code for Information Interchange

Key	Key Type	Generation / Input	Output	Storage	Zeroization	Use
User Passwords	8-character ASCII string	Entered in plaintext	Never exits the module	Stored in non-volatile memory in plaintext	By Zeroize command	Authentication for user login
NIST SP 800-90 DRBG seed	256-byte random value	Internally generated	Never exits the module	Generated after reset. Stored in non-volatile memory	Overwritten (as a circular buffer) by random value	Used during FIPS-approved random number generation

2.7 Electromagnetic Interference / Electromagnetic Compatibility

The Redline AN-80i was tested and found to be conformant to the Electromagnetic Interference/Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMI/EMC) requirements specified by *Federal Communications Commission 47 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 15, Subpart B, Unintentional Radiators, Digital Devices, Class B* (i.e., for home use).

2.8 Self-Tests

The AN-80i performs the following self-tests at power-up:

- Firmware integrity check using an Error Detection Code (16-bit CRC¹⁹)
- Known Answer Tests (KATs) for the following FIPS-Approved algorithms:
 - AES
 - DSA
 - HMAC SHA-1, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512
 - NIST SP 800-90 DRBG
 - RSA (2048 bit sign/verify)
 - SHA-1, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512
 - Triple-DES

If any of the power-up tests fail, the module enters into a critical error state. An error message is logged in the System Log for the Crypto-Officer to review, and a CO must power cycle the module or reload the module image to clear the error state. A CO may initiate on demand self-tests by power cycling the module.

The AN-80i also performs the following conditional self-tests:

- Continuous RNG Test for the NIST SP 800-90 DRBG
- DSA Pair-wise Consistency Test
- Bypass Test
- Firmware Load Test

If any of the above tests fail, the module enters a soft error state and logs an error message in the System Log.

2.9 Mitigation of Other Attacks

In a FIPS Mode of operation, the module does not claim to mitigate any additional attacks.

¹⁹ CRC – Cyclic Redundancy Check

3 Secure Operation

The AN-80i meets the Level 2 requirements for FIPS 140-2. The sections below describe how to place and keep the module in FIPS-approved mode of operation.

3.1 Crypto-Officer Guidance

The Crypto-Officer is responsible for the initialization and management of the module. Please view the AN-80i User Manual for additional information on configuring and maintaining the module. The Crypto-Officer can receive the module from the vendor via trusted delivery couriers including UPS, FedEx, and Roadway. The Crypto-Officer can also arrange for pick up directly from Redline.

Upon receipt of the module, the Crypto-Officer should check the package for any irregular tears or openings. Upon opening the package the Crypto-Officer should inspect the tamper-evident labels. If the Crypto-Officer suspects tampering, he/she should immediately contact Redline.

3.1.1 Initialization

The Crypto-Officer is responsible for the initialization of the module through the Web interface. The Crypto-Officer must login to the module using the default username and password. Once initial authentication has completed, the Crypto-Officer must setup all Crypto-Officer and User accounts with passwords (eight characters minimum) and verify via the System Configuration window that FIPS Mode is enabled. If FIPS Mode is disabled, the Crypto-Officer can enable it by performing the following steps:

1. Change the default Crypto-Officer password and default User password
2. Set the Encryption Type to None
3. Disable HTTP²⁰, SNMP, and Telnet
4. Enable HTTPS²¹ and SSH
5. Turn FIPS Mode Flag to ON
6. Reboot
7. Load the Local RSA public/private keys and Authentication (RSA) public/private keys
8. Load the Certificate Authority's public key
9. Reboot
10. Set the Encryption Type to AES 128, AES 192 or AES 256
11. Enable wireless authentication and encryption

For additional initialization guidance, please reference the *Redline AN-80i User Manual*.

3.1.2 Management

The module can run in two different modes: FIPS-Approved for Point-to-Point (PTP) connections and FIPS-Approved for Point-to-Multipoint (PMP) connections. In FIPS-Approved mode only FIPS approved algorithms listed in Table 6 are used.

The Crypto-Officer is able to configure and monitor the module via the Web Interface over TLS and CLI over SSH. The Crypto-Officer should check the System Status and System Logs frequently for errors. If the same errors reoccur or the module ceases to function normally, then Redline customer support should be contacted.

The Crypto-Officer is able to switch between FIPS Mode and non-FIPS mode by changing the FIPS Mode Flag between ON and OFF. When the mode is changed to or from FIPS mode of operation, the files in memory are replaced with "0"s and a reboot is forced. To prevent sharing of the FIPS mode keys in non FIPS mode or vice-

²⁰ HTTP – Hypertext Transfer Protocol

²¹ HTTPS – Secure Hypertext Transfer Protocol

versa there exists two different set of files, one for each mode. The one set that is not being used is not accessible to the user in any way.

3.2 User Guidance

The User role is able to access the module over the Ethernet port and perform basic services including: viewing general system status information and changing their own password. A list of commands available to the User role is found in Table 4. A user should check the system status information to confirm the FIPS mode flag is set to ON.

4 Acronyms

This section defines the acronyms used throughout this document.

Table 8 – Acronyms

Acronym	Definition
AES	Advanced Encryption Standard
ASCII	American Standard Code for Information Interchange
BOM	Bill of Materials
BWI	Broadband Wireless Infrastructure
CAPA	Corrective and Preventive Action
CBC	Cipher-Block Chaining
CCM	Counter with CBC-MAC
CFB	Cipher Feedback
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CLI	Command Line Interface
CM	Configuration Management
CMVP	Cryptographic Module Validation Program
CO	Crypto-Officer
CRC	Cyclic Redundancy Check
CSEC	Communications Security Establishment Canada
CSP	Critical Security Parameter
DES	Digital Encryption Standard
DH	Diffie-Hellman
DRBG	Deterministic Random Bit Generator
DSA	Digital Signature Algorithm
ECB	Electronic Codebook
EMC	Electromagnetic Compatibility
EMI	Electromagnetic Interference
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FIPS	Federal Information Processing Standard
GUI	Graphical User Interface
HALT	Highly-Accelerated Life Testing
HMAC	(Keyed-) Hash Message Authentication Code
HTTP	Hypertext Transfer Protocol
HTTPS	Secure Hypertext Transfer Protocol
ID	Identification
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
KAT	Known Answer Test

Acronym	Definition
LAN	Local Area Network
MAC	Media Access Controller
MAC	Message Authentication Code
MTBF	Mean Time Between Failures
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology
OS	Operating System
PHY	Physical Interface
PKCS	Public Key Cryptography Standard
PMP	Point-to-Multipoint
POE	Power Over Ethernet
PTP	Point-to-Point
RNG	Random Number Generator
RSA	Rivest Shamir and Adleman
SHA	Secure Hash Algorithm
SNMP	Simple Network Management Protocol
SSH	Secure Shell
TLS	Transport Layer Security
VoIP	Voice-over-Internet Protocol
VSS	Visual SourceSafe