Protocol Implementation eXtra Information for Testing (PIXIT) for the IEC 61850 interface in SEL-710

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Introduction

This document specifies the protocol implementation extra information for testing (PIXIT) of the IEC 61850 interface in SEL-710 with firmware version R406.

Together with the PICS and the MICS the PIXIT forms the basis for a conformance test according to IEC 61850-10.

Contents of this document

Each chapter specifies the PIXIT for each applicable ACSI service model as structured in IEC 61850-10.

PIXIT for Association model

Description	Value / Clarification
Maximum number of clients that can set-up	6
an association simultaneously	
TCP_KEEPALIVE value	1-20 seconds
Lost connection detection time	1-20 seconds
Is authentication supported	N
What association parameters are	Transport selector Y
necessary for successful association	Session selector Y
	Presentation selector Y
	These parameters must be 00 01, 00 01, and 00 00 00 01, respectively, for successful association. AP Title Y
	AE Qualifier Y
	These parameters may exist, but they are
	not validated to allow successful
	association.
If association parameters are necessary	Transport selector 0001
for association, describe the correct values	Session selector 0001
e.g.	Presentation selector 00000001
	AP Title NA
	AE Qualifier NA
What is the maximum and minimum MMS	Max MMS PDU size 12kbytes
PDU size	Min MMS PDU size

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Description	Value / Clarification
What is the maximum startup time after a	Approximately 1.5 minutes.
power supply interrupt	

PIXIT for Server model

Description	Value / Clarification
Which analogue value (MX) quality bits are	Validity:
supported (can be set by server)	Y Good,
	Y Invalid,
	N Reserved,
	N Questionable
	N Overflow
	N OutofRange
	N BadReference
	N Oscillatory
	Y Failure
	N OldData
	N Inconsistent
	N Inaccurate
	Source:
	N Process
	N Substituted
	N Test
	N OperatorBlocked
Which status value (ST) quality bits are	Validity:
supported (can be set by server)	Y Good,
	Y Invalid,
	N Reserved,
	N Questionable
	N BadReference
	N Oscillatory
	Y Failure
	N OldData
	N Inconsistent
	N Inaccurate
	Source:
	N Process
	N Substituted
	N Test
	N OperatorBlocked

Description	Value / Clarification
What is the maximum number of data	Not restricted; depends on the maximum
values in one GetDataValues request	PDU size of 12K bytes.
What is the maximum number of data	Not restricted; depends on the maximum
values in one SetDataValues request	PDU size of 12k bytes.

PIXIT for Data set model

Description	Value / Clarification
What is the maximum number of data	500 FCDAs
elements in one data set (compare ICD	
setting)	
How many persistent data sets can be	Clients cannot create data sets. There is
created by one or more clients	no dynamic data set creation.
How many non-persistent data sets can be	Clients cannot create data sets. There is
created by one or more clients	no dynamic data set creation.

PIXIT for Substitution model

This service is not supported.

Description	Value / Clarification
<additional items=""></additional>	

PIXIT for Setting group control model

This service is not supported.

Description	Value / Clarification
What is the number of supported setting	
groups for each logical device (compare	
NumSG in the SGCB)	
What is the effect of when and how the	
non-volatile storage is updated	
(compare IEC 61850-8-1 \$16.2.4)	
Can multiple clients edit the same setting	Y/N
group	
What happens if the association is lost	Y/N

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Description	Value / Clarification
while editing a setting group	
Is EditSG value 0 allowed?	Y/N
<additional items=""></additional>	

PIXIT for Reporting model

Description	Value / Clarification
The supported trigger conditions are	integrity Y
(compare PICS)	data change Y
	quality change Y
	data update N – This trigger
	condition is supported, but no data objects
	exist with this trigger option.
	general interrogation Y
The supported optional fields are	sequence-number Y
	report-time-stamp Y
	reason-for-inclusion Y
	data-set-name Y
	data-reference Y
	buffer-overflow Y
	entryID Y
	conf-rev Y
	segmentation Y
Can the server send segmented reports	Υ
Mechanism on second internal data	Send report immediately.
change notification of the same analogue	
data value within buffer period (Compare	
IEC 61850-7-2 \$14.2.2.9)	
Multi client URCB approach	Each URCB is visible to one client only.
(compare IEC 61850-7-2 \$14.2.1)	
What is the format of EntryID	Octetstring8
What is the buffer size for each BRCB or	120k bytes
how many reports can be buffered	
Pre-configured RCB attributes that cannot	
be changed online when RptEna = FALSE	cbName datSet
(see also the ICD report settings)	ualSel
May the reported data set contain:	
- structured data objects?	Υ

- data attributes?	Υ
- timestamp data attributes?	Υ
What is the scan cycle for binary events?	0.5seconds
Is this fixed, configurable	Fixed
BRCB enable behavior with respect to	If a client negotiated a smaller PDU size
negotiated PDU size.	than the last client that enabled a BRCB,
	that client will not be able to enable the
	BRCB.

PIXIT for Logging model

This service is not supported.

Description	Value / Clarification
What is the default value of LogEna	TRUE/FALSE
(Compare IEC 61850-8-1 \$17.3.3.2.1, the	
default value should be FALSE)	
What is the format of EntryID	
(Compare IEC 61850-8-1 \$17.3.3.3.1)	
If there are multiple Log Control Blocks	Single Journal Entry (specify the event
that specify the Journaling of the same	condition)
MMS NamedVariable and TrgOps and the	or
Event Condition	Multiple Journal Entries
(Compare IEC 61850-8-1 \$17.3.3.3.2)	
Pre-configured LCB attributes that cannot	
be changed online	
<additional items=""></additional>	

PIXIT for Generic substation events model

Description	Value / Clarification
What elements of a subscribed GOOSE	N source MAC address
header are checked to decide the	Y destination MAC address = as
message is valid and the allData values	configured in the CID file.
are accepted? If yes, describe the	N APPID
conditions.	Y Ethertype = 0x88B8
Note: the VLAN tag may be removed by a	Y gocbRef = as configured in the CID
ethernet switch and should not be checked	file.
	N timeAllowedtoLive

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Y datSet = as configured in the CID file. Y goID = as configured in the CID file N t Y stNum Y sqNum Y test = false Y confRev = as configured in the CID file. Y ndsCom = false Y numDatSetEntries = as configured in CID file. N The whole 61850 configuration fails and no	
The whole 61850 configuration fails and no	
GOOSE messages are transmitted.	
Message does not arrive prior to TAL. If a GOOSE message exceeds the TAL, the GOOSE subscriber will issue a TAL error and wait for the next message.	
If GOOSE messages are skipped for any	
reason, the GOOSE subscriber will issue an error message and wait for the next message. For syntax errors, the GOOSE subscriber sets the appropriate error and waits for the next message.	
Treated as an insignificant error. The GOOSE subscriber sends an out-of-sequence error, and processes the received GOOSE message as normal.	
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Y, with the VLAN tag	
Y, without the VLAN tag	
Subscribed Published Y Y Y Y Y Y	

Description	Value / Clarification	
What is the slow retransmission time?	1000 mseconds with TAL = 2000	
Is it fixed or configurable?	Configurable in CID file.	
What is the fast retransmission scheme?	1) 10 mseconds with TAL = 30	
Is it fixed or configurable?	2) 20 mseconds with TAL = 60	
	3) 40 mseconds with TAL = 120	
	4) 80 mseconds with TAL = 240	
	5) 160 mseconds with TAL = 480	
	6) 320 mseconds with TAL = 960, etc	
	The TAL is twice the retransmission time at	
	the maximum retransmission interval.	
	Fixed	
Can the Goose publish be turned on / off	N Enabling and disabling of GOOSE is	
by using SetGoCBValues(GoEna)	done via IED configuration. GoEna cannot	
	be set to TRUE or FALSE by a client.	
What is the stNum and sqNum of the initial	stNum = 1 and sqNum = 0	
GOOSE message?		

TAL = Time Allowed to Live

PIXIT for Control model

Description	Value / Clarification
What control modes are supported	Y status-only
(compare PICS)	Y direct-with-normal-security
	N sbo-with-normal-security
	Y direct-with-enhanced-security
	Y sbo-with-enhanced-security
Is the control model fixed, configurable	Configurable
and/or online changeable?	= as defined in the CID
Is Time activated operate (operTm)	N
supported	
Is "operate-many" supported	N
What is the behavior of the DUT when the	DUT accepts the control command but
test attribute is set in the SelectWithValue	does not actually execute it to cause a
and/or Operate request	status change.
What are the conditions for the time (T)	DUT ignores the time value and executes
attribute in the SelectWithValue and/or	the command as usual.
Operate request	
Is pulse configuration supported	N
What is the behavior of the DUT when the	N synchrocheck
check conditions are set	N interlock-check

Description	Value / Clarification	
Is this behavior fixed, configurable, online	DUT ignores the check conditions.	
changeable?	This behavior is fixed.	
What additional cause diagnosis are	Y Blocked-by-switching-hierarchy	
supported	Y Select-failed	
	Y Invalid-position	
	Y Position-reached	
	Y Parameter-change-in-execution	
	N Step-limit	
	Y Blocked-by-Mode	
	Y Blocked-by-process	
	N Blocked-by-interlocking	
	N Blocked-by-synchrocheck	
	Y Command-already-in-execution	
	N Blocked-by-health	
	N 1-of-n-control	
	N Abortion-by-cancel	
	Y Time-limit-over	
	N Abortion-by-trip	
	Y OBJECT-NOT-SELECTED	
How to force a "test-not-ok" respond with	Operate a single attribute instead of the	
SelectWithValue request?	entire SBOw structure	
How to force a "test-not-ok" respond with	Operate a single attribute instead of the	
Select request?	entire SBOw structure	
How to force a "test-not-ok" respond with	DOns:	
Operate request?	SBOns: not supported	
	DOes:	
	SBOes:	
	Operate a single attribute instead of the	
	entire Oper structure.	
Which origin categories are supported?	All	
What happens if the orCat is not	All originator categories are supported by	
supported?	default. However, if an orCat is	
	unsupported by configuration, the IED will	
	respond with an MMS write failure.	
Does the IED accept an	DOns: Y	
selectwithvalue/operate with the same	SBOns: NA	
ctlVal as the current status value?	DOes: N	
	SBOes: N	
Does the IED accept a select/operate on	DOns: Y	
the same control object from 2 different	SBOns: NA	

Description	Value / Clari	fication
clients at the same time?	DOes:	N
	SBOES:	N
Does the IED accept a	SBOns:	NA
select/selectwithvalue from the same client	SBOES:	Υ
when the control object is already selected		
(tissue 334)		
For SBOes is the internal validation		
performed during the SelectWithValue	SelectWithValue and Operate	
and/or Operate step?		
Can a control operation be blocked by	Y, Mod is limited to ON and OFF.	
Mod=Off or Blocked		
Does the IED support local / remote	Υ	
operation?		

PIXIT for Time and time synchronisation model

Description	Value / Clarification	
What quality bits are supported?	Y LeapSecondsKnown (always set)	
	Y ClockFailure	
	Y ClockNotSynchronized	
Describe the behavior of the IED when the	The IED sets ClockNotSynchronized.	
time synchronization signal/messages are		
lost		
When is the time quality bit "Clock failure"	The IED sets ClockFailure when the relay	
set?	is in a "Disabled" state.	
When is the time quality bit "Clock not	The IED sets ClockNotSynchronized when	
synchronised" set?	there is a loss of IRIG or SNTP time	
	synchronization.	
Is the timestamp of a binary event adjusted	Υ	
to the configured scan cycle?		
Does the device support time zone and	Υ	
daylight saving?		
Which attributes of the SNTP response	Y Leap indicator not equal to 3?	
packet are validated?	Y Mode is equal to SERVER	
	Y OriginateTimestamp is equal to	
	value sent by the SNTP client as	
	Transmit Timestamp	
	N RX/TX timestamp fields are	
	checked for reasonableness	
	Y SNTP version 3 and/or 4	

	N other (describe)
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PIXIT for File transfer model

The SEL-700series IEDs support the FTP protocol, not MMS file services.

Description	Value / Clarification
What is structure of files and directories?	Directory tree structure.
Is the IETF FTP protocol also implemented	Υ
Directory names are separated from the	"/" or "\"
file name by	
The maximum file name size including	64 chars
path (recommended 64 chars)	
Are directory/file name case sensitive	Not case sensitive.
Maximum file size	Not limited. Depends on available memory.
Is the requested file path included in the	NA
file name of the MMS fileDirectory	
respond?	
Is the wild char supported MMS	NA
fileDirectory request?	
Is it allowed that 2 client get a file at the	NA
same time?	
File Compression	The SEL-700 series devices use the ZLIB
	compression format to compress the CID
	(Configured IED Description) files for
	transmission and storage. Internally, the
	SEL-700 series devices inflate
	(decompress) and read the CID file with
	ZLIB as needed. You must use ZLIB to
	decompress a CID file transferred via FTP
	from an SEL-700series device in order to
	read it. For more information about ZLIB,
	see http://www.zlib.net by Greg Roelofs.