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1 General principles

1.1 Implementation Under Test (IUT) identification

Using the Bluetooth SIG qualification tool, the implementer is expected to declare details about what will be implemented.

1.2 Enforcement of inter-layer dependencies

This ICS includes one or more tables with inter-layer dependencies (ILDs). ILDs are used for specification requirements that are dependent on other supporting specifications. ILDs can refer to an individual ICS item in a separate layer (individual ILD), or it can refer to the full layer (full-layer ILD).

ILDs residing in an X2Core layer will be enforced from the Bluetooth SIG qualification tool in the following conditions, depending on where the referred ILD is residing:

Referred ILD resides in	Individual ILD	Full-layer ILD
Controller layer	Core-Complete configuration, or Referred layer is supported	N/A
Lower HCI layer	HCI is supported	N/A
Upper HCI layer	Core-Host configuration, or UHCI is supported	N/A
Host layer	Core-Host configuration, or Core-Complete configuration, or Referred layer is supported	N/A
X2Core layer	Core-Host configuration, or Core-Complete configuration, or Referred layer is supported	Core-Host configuration, or Core-Complete configuration

Table 1.1: Enforcement of an ILD within the Bluetooth SIG qualification tool

2 ICS declarations

2.1 Versions

Table 0: X.Y Versions

Item	Version	Reference	Status
1	PLXS v1.0	[1]	C.1, C.2

C.1: Mandatory for this Service.

C.2: Can only be supported with an active X.Y.Z version after Deprecation or Withdrawal. Deprecated 2023-02-01. Withdrawn 2025-02-01.

Table 0a: X.Y.Z Versions

Item	Version	Reference	Status
1	PLXS v1.0.1	[3]	C.1

C.1: Mandatory IF PLXS 0/1 “PLXS v1.0”, otherwise Excluded.

2.2 Transports

Table 1: Transport Requirements

Item	Transport	Reference	Status
1	Service supported over BR/EDR	[1] 1.5	C.1, C.3
2	Service supported over LE	[1] 1.5	C.2, C.3

C.1: Excluded for this Service IF CORE 41/2 “LE Core Configuration” OR CORE 40/1 “Core-Controller”.

C.2: Excluded for this Service IF CORE 41/1 “BR/EDR Core Configuration” OR CORE 40/1 “Core-Controller”.

C.3: Mandatory to support at least one.

2.3 Service and feature requirements

Table 2: Feature Requirements

Item	Capability	Reference	Status
1	Measurement Status Support	[1] 3.3.1.1	O
2	Device and Sensor Status Support	[1] 3.3.1.1	O
3	Measurement Storage for Spot-check Measurement Support	[1] 3.3.1.1	O
4	Timestamp for Spot-check measurements is supported	[1] 3.3.1.1	C.1
5	SpO2PR-Fast Metric Supported	[1] 3.3.1.1	O
6	SpO2PR-Slow Metric Supported	[1] 3.3.1.1	O
7	Pulse Amplitude Index Supported	[1] 3.3.1.1	O
8	Multiple Bond Supported	[1] 3.3.1.1	O
9	Indications for changes of supported features	[3] 3, 3.3.1	C.2

C.1: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/3 “Measurement Storage for Spot-check Measurement Support”, otherwise Optional.

C.2: Mandatory IF PLXS 3a/1 “Changeable PLX Features”, otherwise Excluded.



Table 3: Service Requirements

Item	Capability	Reference	Status
1	Pulse Oximeter Service	[1] 2	M
2	PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic	[1] 3.1	C.1
3	Flags field (PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.1.1.1	C.2
4	SpO2PR-Spot-Check field (PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.1.1.2	C.2
5	Timestamp field (PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.1.1.3	C.3
6	Measurement Status field (PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.1.1.4	C.4
7	Device and Sensor Status field (PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.1.1.5	C.11
8	Pulse Amplitude Index (PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.1.1.6	C.6
9	PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic	[1] 3.2	C.1
10	Flags field (PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.2.1.1	C.7
11	SpO2PR-Normal field (PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.2.1.2	C.7
12	SpO2PR-Fast field (PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.2.1.3	C.8
13	SpO2PR-Slow field (PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.2.1.4	C.9
14	Measurement Status field (PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.2.1.5	C.4
15	Device and Sensor Status field (PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.2.1.6	C.12
16	Pulse Amplitude Index field (PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic)	[1] 3.2.1.7	C.6
17	PLX Features Characteristic	[1] 3.3	M
18	Supported Features field (PLX Features Characteristic)	[1] 3.3.1.1	M
19	Measurement Status field (PLX Features Characteristic)	[1] 3.3.1.2	C.4
20	Device and Sensor Status field (PLX Features Characteristic)	[1] 3.3.1.3	C.5
21	Record Access Control Point (RACP) Characteristic	[1] 3.4	C.3
22	Report Stored Records Op Code	[1] 3.4.4	C.10
23	Delete Stored Records Op Code	[1] 3.4.5	O
24	Abort Operation Op Code	[1] 3.4.6	O
25	Report Number of Stored Records Op Code	[1] 3.4.7	O
26	Number of Stored Records Response Op Code	[1] 3.4.7	O
27	Response Code Op Code (RACP)	[1] 3.4.4–3.4.8	C.10

C.1: Mandatory to support at least one.

C.2: Mandatory IF PLXS 3/2 “PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic”, otherwise Excluded.

C.3: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/3 “Measurement Storage for Spot-check Measurement Support”, otherwise Optional.



- C.4: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/1 “Measurement Status Support”, otherwise Excluded.
- C.5: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/2 “Device and Sensor Status Support”, otherwise Excluded.
- C.6: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/7 “Pulse Amplitude Index Supported”, otherwise Excluded.
- C.7: Mandatory IF PLXS 3/9 “PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic”, otherwise Excluded.
- C.8: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/5 “SpO2PR-Fast Metric Supported”, otherwise Excluded.
- C.9: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/6 “SpO2PR-Slow Metric Supported”, otherwise Excluded.
- C.10: Mandatory IF PLXS 3/21 “Record Access Control Point (RACP) Characteristic”, otherwise Excluded.
- C.11: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/2 “Device and Sensor Status Support” AND PLXS 3/2 “PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic”, otherwise Excluded.
- C.12: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/2 “Device and Sensor Status Support” AND PLXS 3/9 “PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic”, otherwise Excluded.

Table 3a: Indications for changes of supported features

Item	Capability	Reference	Status
1	Changeable PLX Features	[3] 3	O
2	PLX Features characteristic indication	[3] 3, 3.3.1	C.1

- C.1: Mandatory IF PLXS 3a/1 “Changeable PLX Features”, otherwise Excluded.

Table 4: Report Stored Records Filter Parameters

Prerequisite: PLXS 3/22 “Report Stored Records Op Code”

Item	Feature	Reference	Status
1	All Records Operator	[1] 3.4.4	M

Table 5: Delete Stored Records Filter Parameters

Prerequisite: PLXS 3/23 “Delete Stored Records Op Code”

Item	Feature	Reference	Status
1	All Records Operator	[1] 3.4.5	O

Table 6: Abort Operation Filter Parameters

Prerequisite: PLXS 3/24 “Abort Operation Op Code”

Item	Feature	Reference	Status
1	Null Operator	[1] 3.4.6	O

Table 7: Report Number of Stored Records Filter Parameters

Prerequisite: PLXS 3/25 “Report Number of Stored Records Op Code”

Item	Feature	Reference	Status
1	All Records Operator	[1] 3.4.7	O



Table 8: Number of Stored Records Response Filter Parameters*Prerequisite: PLXS 3/26 “Number of Stored Records Response Op Code”*

Item	Feature	Reference	Status
1	Null Operator	[1] 3.4.7	M

Table 9: Response Code Filter Parameters*Prerequisite: PLXS 3/27 “Response Code Op Code (RACP)”*

Item	Feature	Reference	Status
1	Null Operator	[1] 3.4.4–7	M

2.4 GATT requirements

Table 10: GATT Requirements

Item	Feature	Reference	Status	Inter-Layer Dependency
1	No longer used	N/A	N/A	N/A
2	GATT Server over LE	[1] 1.5	C.4	[2] GATT 1a/3
3	GATT Server over BR/EDR	[1] 1.5	C.5	[2] GATT 1a/4
4	Read Characteristic Value	[1] 1.4	M	[2] GATT 4/8
5	Write Characteristic Value	[1] 1.4	C.1	[2] GATT 4/14
6	Single Notification	[1] 1.4	C.2	[2] GATT 4/17
7	Indication	[1] 1.4	C.3	[2] GATT 4/18
8	Read Characteristic Descriptor	[1] 1.4	M	[2] GATT 4/19
9	Write Characteristic Descriptor	[1] 1.4	M	[2] GATT 4/21

C.1: Mandatory IF PLXS 2/3 “Measurement Storage for Spot-check Measurement Support”, otherwise not defined.

C.2: Mandatory IF PLXS 3/9 “PLX Continuous Measurement Characteristic”, otherwise not defined.

C.3: Mandatory IF PLXS 3/2 “PLX Spot-check Measurement Characteristic” OR PLXS 3a/2 “PLX Features characteristic indication”, otherwise not defined.

C.4: Mandatory IF PLXS 1/2 “Service supported over LE”, otherwise not defined.

C.5: Mandatory IF PLXS 1/1 “Service supported over BR/EDR”, otherwise not defined.

2.5 SDP requirements

Table 11: SDP Requirements*Prerequisite: PLXS 1/1 “Service supported over BR/EDR”*

Item	Feature	Reference	Status
1	SDP record present for PLXS	[1] 4	M
2–3	No longer used	N/A	N/A

Table 12: No longer used

3 References

- [1] Pulse Oximeter Service Specification, Version 1.0 or later
- [2] ICS Proforma for Generic Attribute Profile (GATT)
- [3] Pulse Oximeter Service Specification, Version 1.0.1

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