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1 Introduction

1.1 Scope

[Normative]

This document is an optional addendum to UNI Signalling 4.0 [1], PNNI 1.0 [2], PNNI 1.0 Errata and PICS [5], and AINI [3]. It contains the signalling specification for the support of the Behavior Class Selector (BCS) with UBR service category calls/connections. The UBR Behavior Class and its use are defined in [4].

This addendum specifies signalling for BCS support across public and private UNIs, PNNIs, and AINIs.

BCS is an optional feature of UNI Signalling 4.0, PNNI 1.0, and AINI.

This addendum does not address the BCS procedures at a PNNI between different administrative domains within the same PNNI routing domain.

A device supporting the BCS feature shall implement these procedures for point-to-point calls/connections, and shall implement these procedures for point-to-multipoint calls/connections if point-to-multipoint calls/connections are supported. A device shall support the BCS procedures for all supported connection types (SVCCs, soft PVCCs, SVPCs, or soft PVPCs).

A switch supporting BCS at the UNI, PNNI or AINI shall be capable of forwarding the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values. A switch supporting BCS at the UNI or AINI may also be capable of generating a network-generated Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values.

The BCS values may be mapped at administrative boundaries. Procedures to map BCS values are beyond the scope of this specification.

1.2 Overview

[Informative]

The BCS procedures are summarized as follows:

- For UBR calls/connections the SETUP message may optionally indicate the forward and backward Behavior Class Selector values in the Optional traffic attributes information element. The indicated Behavior Class is advisory on the part of the user, and does not define a service commitment on the part of the network.
- UBR calls/connections that indicate Behavior Class Selectors will be established across PNNIs and AINIs that do not support this feature. Such interfaces will be requested to pass along the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values unchanged, and will provide traffic management treatment as they would for any other UBR call/connection.
- If the network receives a SETUP message, for a UBR call/connection, that does not indicate a BCS across an administrative boundary, the receiving network can optionally include an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, before forwarding the call/connection across the network. This would allow the network to implement certain policies that utilize the BCS information without requiring users to include the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the SETUP message.
- At administrative boundaries, in the case where there has been a bilateral agreement, the Behavior Class values may be mapped.

Section 2 specifies the Optional traffic attributes information element encoding and formats. Sections 3, 4, and 5 specify the signalling message additions and signalling procedures for UNI, PNNI, and AINI,

respectively. Section 6 contains the references to other documents. Annexes A, B, and C contain the BCS Signalling PICS for UNI, PNNI, and AINI, respectively.

1.3 Acronyms

AINI	ATM Inter-Network Interface
ATM	Asynchronous Transfer Mode
BCS	Behavior Class Selector
B-ISUP	Broadband Integrated Services Digital Network User Part
IUT	Implementation Under Test
MDCR	Minimum Desired Cell Rate
PICS	Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement
PNNI	Private Network-Network Interface
Soft PVCC	Soft Permanent Virtual Channel Connection
Soft PVPC	Soft Permanent Virtual Path Connection
SUT	System Under Test
SVCC	Switched Virtual Channel Connection
SVPC	Switched Virtual Path Connection
UBR	Unspecified Bit Rate
UNI	User-Network Interface

2 Optional Traffic Attributes Information Element Coding

[Normative]

This section defines the Optional traffic attributes information element. The purpose of this information element is to specify traffic attributes for the connection that are optional.

The number of instances of this information element in a message is limited to five. If this information element is received with unrecognized content or exceeds its maximum length it shall be treated as an unrecognized information element.

Bits								Octets
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
Optional traffic attributes								1
1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	
Information element identifier								2
1	Coding	IE Instruction Field					Ext	
		Flag	Reserved	IE Action Indicator				
Length of Optional traffic attributes information element								3
Length of Optional traffic attributes information element (continued)								4
Origin								5
Forward/Backward Behavior Class Selector Identifier								6* (Note 1)
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Forward Behavior Class Selector (BCS) value								6.1*
Forward Behavior Class Selector (BCS) value (continued)								6.2*
Backward Behavior Class Selector (BCS) value								6.3* (Note 2)
Backward Behavior Class Selector (BCS) value (continued)								6.4*

Note 1 - If this octet group is present no other optional octet group may be present.

Note 2 - In the case of a point-to-multipoint call/connection, the Backward BCS value shall be ignored.

Figure 2-1 Optional traffic attributes information element

Coding standard (octet 2)

Bits								Meaning
7	6							
1	1							ATM Forum specific

Origin (octet 5)

Indicates the origin of this information element.

Bits		Meaning
8 7 6 5	4 3 2 1	
0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	Originating user
0 0 0 0	0 0 0 1	Network generated

Forward/Backward Behavior Class Selector (octet group 6)

The forward and backward behavior class selector values are coded as 16-bit binary integers, with bit 8 of the first octet being the most significant bit and bit 1 of the second octet being the least significant bit. A BCS value of '0xFFFF' shall be considered as if the BCS for that direction was not specified.

3 UNI Support of BCS

[Normative]

3.1 Additions to UNI Signalling Messages

3.1.1 Basic Point-to-Point Call

Add the following to section 2.0/SIG 4.0 Basic Point-to-Point Call:

3.1.7/Q.2931 SETUP:

Add the following to Table 3-8/Q.2931:

Information Element name	Reference	Direction	Type	Length
Optional traffic attributes information element	2	both	O (Note)	6-10

Note: This information element may occur up to 5 times. At most one instance may contain a Forward/Backward BCS Identifier.

4.5.1/Q.2931 Coding Rules

Add the following to Table 2-1/SIG 4.0:

Bits		Information Element	Max Length	Max no. of Occurrences	
8	7 6 5	4 3 2 1			
1	1 1 1 1	0 0 0 1	Optional traffic attributes	10	5

3.1.2 Point-to-Multipoint Calls

Add the following to section 5/SIG 4.0 Point-to-Multipoint Calls:

8.1.2.1/Q.2971 ADD PARTY:

Add the following to Table 8-10/Q.2971:

Information Element name	Reference	Direction	Type	Length
Optional traffic attributes information element	2	Both	O (Note)	6-10

Note: This information element may occur up to 5 times. At most one instance may contain a Forward/Backward BCS Identifier.

3.2 BCS Signalling Procedures for UNI

This section describes additional signalling procedures for handling the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values.

The procedures for basic call/connection control in section 2/SIG 4.0 and section 5/SIG 4.0 shall apply [1]. Only additional procedures to handle calls/connections that specify Behavior Classes and procedures to handle the insertion of a network generated Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values for UBR calls/connections are described in this section.

3.2.1 Procedures at the originating interface

3.2.1.1 Procedures at the user side

3.2.1.1.1 Procedures at the S_B and Coincident S_B and T_B Reference Points

If the calling user wishes to associate a Behavior Class Selector with a UBR call/connection, it shall include the Optional traffic attributes information element formatted as defined in section 2 in the SETUP or ADD PARTY message sent to the network. The information element shall contain the appropriate BCS values for both the forward and backward direction. The origin field shall be set to “originating user”.

For a point-to-multipoint call/connection, the BCS values for both directions shall be present and the backward BCS value shall be set to unspecified (see section 2).

If the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values was included in the initial SETUP message, all subsequent ADD PARTY messages for the same call/connection shall include the same Optional traffic attributes information element. If no Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values was included in the initial SETUP message, no Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values shall be included in the ADD PARTY message.

3.2.1.1.2 Procedures at the T_B Reference Point

The procedures of section 3.2.2.1 shall apply changing “network” to “user”, except the terms “network specific” and “network generated” shall remain unchanged.

3.2.1.2 Procedures at the network side

If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a SETUP message that does not specify the ATM Service Category UBR, the information element shall be treated as an unexpected recognized information element and the remaining procedures in this section shall be ignored.

If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an ADD PARTY message that does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, the information element shall be treated as an unexpected recognized information element and the remaining procedures in this section shall be ignored.

If the network receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, the network shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication with either:

- the received BCS values, or
- when there is a bilateral agreement, it may map the received BCS values. The origin field shall remain unaltered.

If the network side receives a SETUP or ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, then the network side shall take one of the following actions:

- Discard the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and process the message as if the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values were not present,
- Replace the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values with a new Optional traffic attributes information element with new BCS values (with the the origin field set to “network generated”), or
- Retain the received Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values.

If the network receives a SETUP message for a UBR call/connection that does not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, then if the call/connection is progressed, the network may optionally include an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated” in the forwarded setup indication.

If, for a point-to-multipoint call/connection, the network generated an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the initial setup indication, then the network shall include the same Optional traffic attributes information element in all subsequent add party indications for that call/connection.

If applicable, network specific local actions are taken to process the call/connection according to the requested BCS values.

If the Optional traffic attributes information element contains a BCS value that is not supported, the normal procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error shall apply.

Validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is optional.

When validation is performed, upon reception of an ADD PARTY message, the following procedures shall apply:

- If the forwarded setup indication did not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, then no Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values shall be included in the forwarded add party indication.
- If the forwarded setup indication contained an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, the same Optional traffic attributes information element shall be included in the forwarded add party indication.

When no validation is performed, then if the received ADD PARTY message contains the Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, and the party is progressed, the network shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication with either:

- the received BCS values, or
- when there is a bilateral agreement, it may map the received BCS values. The origin field shall remain unaltered.

3.2.2 Procedures at the destination interface

3.2.2.1 Procedures at the network side

If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a setup request that does not specify the ATM Service Category UBR, the information element shall be treated as an unexpected recognized information element and the remaining procedures in this section shall be ignored.

If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an add party request that does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, the information element shall be treated as an unexpected recognized information element and the remaining procedures in this section shall be ignored.

If applicable, network specific local actions are taken to process the call/connection according to the requested BCS values.

If the Optional traffic attributes information element contains a BCS value that is not supported, the normal procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error shall apply.

If the network receives a setup or add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to "originating user", then if the call/connection or party is progressed the network shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message with either:

- the received BCS values, or
- when there is a bilateral agreement, it may map the received BCS values. The origin field shall remain unaltered.

If the network receives a setup or add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to "network generated", the network may discard the Optional traffic attributes information element.

3.2.2.2 Procedures at the user side

3.2.2.2.1 Procedures at the S_B and Coincident S_B and T_B Reference Points

If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a SETUP message that does not specify the ATM Service Category UBR, the information element shall be treated as an unexpected recognized information element and the remaining procedures in this section shall be ignored.

If applicable, local actions are taken to process the call/connection according to the requested BCS values.

If the Optional traffic attributes information element contains a BCS value that is not supported, the normal procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error shall apply.

3.2.2.2.2 Procedures at the T_B Reference Point

The procedures of section 3.2.1.2 shall apply changing "network" to "user", except the terms "network generated" and "network specific" shall remain unchanged.

3.3 Compatibility with nodes not supporting BCS

Upon receiving a SETUP or ADD PARTY message specifying the UBR service category and containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, nodes not supporting this feature will treat the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values as an unrecognized information element.

Nodes supporting the BCS capability shall set the IE instruction field in the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values as follows:

- The IE instruction flag field (bit 5 of octet 2) shall be set to "follow explicit instructions", and
- The action indicator (bits 1-3 of octet 2) shall be set to "discard information element and proceed" or "discard information element, proceed, and report status".

With these settings, at nodes that do not support the BCS capability, UBR calls/connections that include the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values will be treated the same as UBR calls/connections that do not include the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values.

4 PNNI Support of BCS

[Normative]

4.1 Additions to PNNI 1.0 Signalling Messages

In section 6.4.5.1/PNNI 1.0, add the following to Table 6-5:

Bits		Information Element	Max Length	Max no. of Occurrences
8 7 6 5	4 3 2 1			
1 1 1 1	0 0 0 1	Optional traffic attributes	10	5

4.1.1 SETUP

The following information element is added to Figure 6-8 in section 6.3.1.6/PNNI 1.0:

Information Element	Reference	Type	Length
Optional traffic attributes	2	O (Note)	6-10

Note: This information element may occur up to 5 times. At most one instance may contain a Forward/Backward BCS Identifier.

4.1.2 ADD PARTY

The following information element is added to Figure 6-19 in section 6.4.3.1/PNNI 1.0:

Information Element	Reference	Type	Length
Optional traffic attributes	2	O (Note)	6-10

Note: This information element may occur up to 5 times. At most one instance may contain a Forward/Backward BCS Identifier.

4.2 BCS Signalling Procedures for PNNI

This section describes additional signalling procedures for handling the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values.

The procedures for basic call/connection control in section 6.5/PNNI 1.0 and section 6.6/PNNI 1.0 shall apply [2]. Only additional procedures to handle calls/connections that specify Behavior Classes and procedures to handle the insertion of a network generated Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values for UBR calls/connections are described in this section.

If the preceding side receives a setup or add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values, then if the call/connection or party is progressed the preceding side shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message.

The following procedures apply at the succeeding side:

If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a SETUP message that does not specify the ATM Service Category UBR, the information element shall be treated as an unexpected recognized information element and the remaining procedures in this section shall be ignored.

If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an ADD PARTY message that does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, the information element shall be treated as an unexpected recognized information element and the remaining procedures in this section shall be ignored.

If the succeeding side receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values, then if the call/connection is progressed, the succeeding side shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication.

If applicable, network specific local actions are taken to process the call/connection according to the requested BCS values.

If the Optional traffic attributes information element contains a BCS value that is not supported, then:

- If the flag (bit 5) in the information element instruction field is set to "IE instruction field not significant", then the information element shall be ignored and the message shall be processed as if the information element was not received. A STATUS message may be returned as specified in Section 6.5.6.8.2/PNNI 1.0.
- If the flag (bit 5) in the information element instruction field is set to "follow explicit instructions", the procedures of Section 6.5.7.2/PNNI 1.0 shall apply based on the value of the action indicator, as if the pass along request (bit 4) in the instruction field were set to "no pass along request".

Validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is optional.

When validation is performed, upon reception of an ADD PARTY message, the following procedures shall apply:

- If the forwarded setup indication did not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, then no Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values shall be included in the forwarded add party indication.
- If the forwarded setup indication contained an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, the same Optional traffic attributes information element shall be included in the forwarded add party indication.

When no validation is performed, then if an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values is present in the ADD PARTY message and the party is progressed, the succeeding side shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication.

4.3 Compatibility with nodes not supporting BCS

Upon receiving a SETUP or ADD PARTY message specifying the UBR service category and containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, nodes not supporting this feature will treat the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values as an unrecognized information element.

Nodes supporting the BCS capability shall set the IE instruction field in the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values as follows:

- The IE instruction flag field (bit 5 of octet 2) shall be set to "follow explicit instructions",
- The action indicator (bits 1-3 of octet 2) shall be set to "discard information element and proceed" or "discard information element, proceed, and report status", and
- The pass along request field (bit 4 of octet 2) shall be set to "pass along request".

With these settings, at nodes that do not support the BCS capability, UBR calls/connections that include the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values will be treated the same as UBR calls/connections that do not include the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values.

5 AINI Support of BCS

[Normative]

5.1 AINI Signalling

5.1.1 Additions to AINI Signalling Messages

The message coding defined in section 4.1 shall apply.

5.1.2 BCS Signalling Procedures for AINI

The procedures specified in Section 4.2 shall apply with the following modifications:

Replace the third paragraph with the following:

If the preceding side receives a setup or add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection or party is progressed, the preceding side shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message with either:

- the received BCS values, or
- when there is a bilateral agreement, it may map the received BCS values. The origin field shall remain unaltered.

Replace the paragraph beginning “If the succeeding side” with the following:

If the succeeding side receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, the succeeding side shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication with either:

- the received BCS values, or
- when there is a bilateral agreement, it may map the received BCS values. The origin field shall remain unaltered.

Replace the last paragraph with the following:

When no validation is performed, then if an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user” is present in the ADD PARTY message and the party is progressed, the succeeding side shall include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication with either:

- the received BCS values, or
- when there is a bilateral agreement, it may map the received BCS values. The origin field shall remain unaltered.

The following procedures apply in addition to those specified in Section 4.2:

If the preceding side receives a setup or add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, then the preceding side may discard the Optional traffic attributes information element before forwarding the SETUP or ADD PARTY message.

If the succeeding side receives a SETUP or ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, then the

succeeding side shall take one of the following actions:

- Discard the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and process the message as if the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values were not present,
- Replace the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values with a new Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values (with the origin field set to “network generated”), or
- Retain the received Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values.

At the succeeding side of an AINI, if the received SETUP message for a UBR call/connection does not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, then if the call/connection is progressed, the succeeding side may include an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated” before forwarding the call/connection across the network.

If, for a point-to-multipoint call/connection, the succeeding side generated an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the initial setup indication, then the succeeding side shall also include the same Optional traffic attributes information element in all subsequent add party indications for that call/connection.

5.1.3 Compatibility with nodes not supporting BCS

Upon receiving a SETUP or ADD PARTY message specifying the UBR service category and containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, nodes not supporting this feature will treat the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values as an unrecognized information element.

Nodes supporting the BCS capability shall set the IE instruction field in the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values as follows:

- The IE instruction flag field (bit 5 of octet 2) shall be set to "follow explicit instructions",
- The action indicator (bits 1-3 of octet 2) shall be set to "discard information element and proceed" or "discard information element, proceed, and report status", and
- The pass along request field (bit 4 of octet 2) shall be set to "pass along request".

With these settings, at nodes that do not support the BCS capability, UBR calls/connections that include the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values will be treated the same as UBR calls/connections that do not include the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values.

5.2 Interworking between AINI and B-ISUP

Add the following to section 4.1.1.2.1.1/AINI:

AINI	to	B-ISUP
SETUP		IAM
Optional traffic attributes		Not carried (Note 1)

Note 1: Actions to be performed are specified in the action indicator of this information element except that no status need be returned.

Add the following to section 4.1.4.2.1.1/AINI:

AINI	—————▶	B-ISUP
SETUP		IAM
Optional traffic attributes		Not carried (Note 1)

Note 1: Actions to be performed are specified in the action indicator of this information element except that no status need be returned.

Add the following to section 4.1.4.2.1.2/AINI:

AINI	—————▶	B-ISUP
ADD PARTY		IAM
Optional traffic attributes		Not carried (Note 1)

Note 1: Actions to be performed are specified in the action indicator of this information element except that no status need be returned.

5.3 Interworking between AINI and PNNI

The procedures of section 4.2/AINI apply (i.e. information elements and messages are mapped to their equivalent counterparts).

6 References

- [1] *ATM User-Network Interface (UNI) Signalling Specification Version 4.0*, af-sig-0061.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, July 1996.
- [2] *Private Network-Network Interface Specification Version 1.0 (PNNI 1.0)*, af-pnni-0055.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, March 1996.
- [3] *ATM Inter-Network Interface (AINI) Specification*, af-cs-0125.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, July 1999.
- [4] *Addendum to TM 4.1: Differentiated UBR*, af-tm-0149.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, July 2000.
- [5] *PNNI V1.0 Errata and PICS*, af-pnni-0081.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, July 1997.
- [6] *UBR with MDCR Addendum to UNI Signalling 4.0, PNNI 1.0, and AINI*, af-cs-0147.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, July 2000.

Annex A Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS) for the UNI Signalling 4.0 Component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0

A.1 Introduction

To evaluate conformance of a particular implementation, it is necessary to have a statement of which capabilities and options have been implemented. Such a statement is called a Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS).

A.1.1 Scope

This document provides the PICS proforma for the UNI Signalling 4.0 component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, defined in [1] in compliance with the relevant requirements, and in accordance with the relevant guidelines, given in ISO/IEC 9646-7. In most cases, statements contained in notes in the specification, which were intended as information, are not included in the PICS.

A.1.2 Normative References

- [1] Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, af-cs-0159.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, September 2000.
- [2] ISO/IEC 9646-1:1994, Information technology – Open systems interconnection – Conformance testing methodology and framework – Part 1: General Concepts (See also ITU Recommendation X.290 (1995)).
- [3] ISO/IEC 9646-7:1995, Information technology – Open systems interconnection – Conformance testing methodology and interconnection – Part 7: Implementation Conformance Statements (See also ITU telecommunication X.296 (1995)).
- [4] ISO/IEC 9646-3:1998, Information technology – Open systems interconnection – Conformance testing methodology and interconnection – Part 3: The Tree and Tabular Combined Notation (TTCN) (See also ITU telecommunication X.292 (1998)).

A.1.3 Definitions

Terms defined in [1]

Terms defined in ISO/IEC 9646-1 and in ISO/IEC 9646-7

In particular, the following terms defined in ISO/IEC 9646-1 apply:

Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS): A statement made by the supplier of an implementation or system, stating which capabilities have been implemented for a given protocol.

PICS proforma: A document, in the form of a questionnaire, designed by the protocol specifier or conformance test suite specifier, which when completed for an implementation or system becomes the PICS.

A.1.4 Acronyms

ASN.1	Abstract Syntax Notation One
ATS	Abstract Test Suite
IUT	Implementation Under Test
PICS	Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement

SUT System Under Test

A.1.5 Conformance

The PICS does not modify any of the requirements detailed in Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0. In case of apparent conflict between the statements in the base specification and in the annotations of “M” (mandatory) and “O” (optional) in the PICS, the text of the base specification takes precedence.

The supplier of a protocol implementation, which is claimed to conform to the UNI Signalling 4.0 component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, is required to complete a copy of the PICS proforma provided in this document and is required to provide the information necessary to identify both the supplier and the implementation.

A.2 Identification of the Implementation

Identification of the Implementation Under Test (IUT) and system in which it resides (the System Under Test (SUT)) should be filled in so as to provide as much detail as possible regarding version numbers and configuration options.

The product supplier information and client information should both be filled in if they are different.

A person who can answer queries regarding information supplied in the PICS should be named as the contact person.

A.2.1 Date of Statement

A.2.2 Implementation Under Test (IUT) Identification

IUT Name: _____

IUT Version: _____

A.2.3 System Under Test (IUT) Identification

SUT Name: _____

Hardware Configuration: _____

Operating System: _____

A.2.4 Product Supplier

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

A.2.5 Client

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

A.2.6 PICS Contact Person

(A person to contact if there are any queries concerning the content of the PICS)

Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

Identification of the Protocol Specification

This PICS proforma applies to the following specification:

- [1] Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, af-cs-0159.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, September 2000.

A.3 PICS Proforma

A.3.1 Global statement of conformance

The implementation described in this PICS meets all of the mandatory requirements of the reference protocol.

YES

NO

Note: Answering "No" indicates non-conformance to the specified protocol. Non-supported mandatory capabilities are to be identified in the following tables, with an explanation by the implementor explaining why the implementation is non-conforming.

A.3.2 Instructions for Completing the PICS Proforma

The PICS Proforma is a fixed-format questionnaire. Answers to the questionnaire should be provided in the rightmost columns, either by simply indicating a restricted choice (such as Yes or No), or by entering a value or a set of range of values.

The following notations, defined in ISO/IEC 9647-7, are used for the support column:

Yes supported by the implementation

No not supported by the implementation

The following notations, defined in ISO/IEC 9647-7, are used for the status column:

M mandatory – the capability is required to be supported.

O optional – the capability may be supported or not.

O.i qualified optional – for mutually exclusive or selectable options from a set. “i” is an integer which

identifies a unique group of related optional items and the logic of their selection is defined immediately following the table.

A supplier may also provide additional information, categorized as exceptional or supplementary information. These additional information should be provided as items labeled X.<i> for exceptional information, or S.<i> for supplemental information, respectively, for cross reference purposes, where <i> is any unambiguous identification for the item. The exception and supplementary information are not mandatory and the PICS is complete without such information. The presence of optional supplementary or exception information should not affect test execution, and will in no way affect interoperability verification. The column labeled 'Reference' gives a pointer to sections of the protocol specification for which the PICS Proforma is being written.

A.4 PICS for the support of BCS at the UNI

A.4.1 Major Capability at UNI (MCU)

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for Status	Reference	Support
MCU 1	Does the IUT support BCS at the user side?	O.1		3.2.1.1, 3.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
MCU 1.1	Does the IUT support BCS for point-to-multipoint calls/connections at the user side?	M	MCU 1 AND Note 1	1.1, 3	Yes__ No__
MCU 1.2	Does the IUT support BCS at the user side of the S_B or coincident S_B and T_B reference point?	O.2	MCU 1	3.2.1.1.1, 3.2.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
MCU 1.3	Does the IUT support BCS at the user side of the T_B reference point?	O.2	MCU 1	3.2.1.1.2, 3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
MCU 2	Does the IUT support BCS at the network side?	O.1		3.2.1.2, 3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
MCU 3	Is the IUT capable of generating an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to "network generated"?	O	MCU 1.3 OR MCU 2	1.1, 3.2	Yes__ No__
MCU 4	Does the IUT support validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection?	O	MCU 1.1 OR MCU 2	3.2	Yes__ No__
<p>Comments:</p> <p>O.1: At least one of MCU 1 or MCU 2 must be supported</p> <p>O.2: At least one of MCU 1.2 or MCU 1.3 must be supported</p> <p>Note 1: If point-to-multipoint is supported at the UNI</p>					

A.4.2 Supported Information Elements at UNI (SIEU)

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for status	Reference	Support
SIEU 1	For a UBR call/connection with BCS, does the IUT include a forward and backward BCS value in the Optional traffic attributes information element in the SETUP message as coded in section 2?	M		2	Yes__ No__
SIEU 2	For a UBR call/connection with BCS, does the IUT include a forward and backward BCS value in the Optional traffic attributes information element in the ADD PARTY message as coded in section 2?	M	MCU 1.1 OR MCU 2	2	Yes__ No__
SIEU 3	Does the IUT set the action indicator (bits 1-3 of octet 2) of the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values to "discard information element and proceed" or "discard information element, proceed, and report status", and the IE instruction flag field (bit 5 of octet 2) to "follow explicit instructions"?	M		3.3	Yes__ No__
SIEU 4	If the IUT receives an Optional traffic attributes information element with unrecognized content, does the IUT treat the information element as an unrecognized information element?	M		2	Yes__ No__
SIEU 5	If the IUT receives an Optional traffic attributes information element that exceeds its maximum length, does the IUT treat the information element as an unrecognized information element?	M		2	Yes__ No__
Comments:					

A.4.3 Signalling Procedures at the Originating Interface (SPOI)

A.4.3.1 Signalling Procedures at the User Side of the S_B and Coincident S_B and T_B Reference Points

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for status	Reference	Support
SPOI 1	If a UBR call/connection with BCS is requested, does the IUT send a SETUP message to the network side that includes the Optional traffic attributes information element containing a forward and backward BCS value and the origin field set to "originating user"?	M	MCU 1.2	3.2.1.1.1	Yes__ No__
SPOI 2	For UBR point-to-multipoint calls/connections with BCS, does the IUT include forward and backward BCS values in the Optional traffic attributes information element, with the backward BCS value set to unspecified?	M	MCU 1.1 AND MCU 1.2	3.2.1.1.1	Yes__ No__
SPOI 3	Does the IUT set the forward and backward BCS value in the Optional traffic attributes information element in the ADD PARTY message to be the same as those signalled in the initial SETUP message?	M	MCU 1.1 AND MCU 1.2	3.2.1.1.1	Yes__ No__
Comments:					

A.4.3.2 Signalling Procedures at the User Side of the T_B Reference Point

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for Status	Reference	Support
SPOI 4	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a setup request that does not specify the UBR ATM service category, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 1.3	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 5	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an add party request which does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 1.1 AND MCU 1.3	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__

SPOI 6	If the IUT when acting as the user receives an Optional traffic attributes information element containing a BCS value that is not supported, does the IUT apply the normal procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error?	M	MCU 1.3	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 7	If the IUT receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	M	MCU 1.3	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 8	If the IUT receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	O	SPOI 7	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 9	If the IUT receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the party is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	M	MCU 1.1 AND MCU 1.3	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 10	If the IUT receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the party is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	O	SPOI 9	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 11	If the IUT when acting as the user receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of	O	MCU 1.3	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__

	discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element?				
SPOI 12	If the IUT when acting as the user receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element?	M	MCU 1.1 AND SPOI 11	3.2.1.1.2	Yes__ No__
Comments:					

A.4.3.3 Signalling Procedures at the Network Side

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for Status	Reference	Support
SPOI 13	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a SETUP message that does not specify the UBR ATM service category, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 2	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 14	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an ADD PARTY message that does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 2	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 15	If the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication?	M	MCU 2	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 16	If the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values	O	SPOI 15	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__

	before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication?				
SPOI 17	If the network side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and processing the message as if the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values were not present?	O	MCU 2	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 18	If the network side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of replacing the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values with a new Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values (with the origin field set to “network generated”)?	M	MCU 2 AND MCU 3	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 19	If the network side of the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and processing the message as if the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values were not present?	M	SPOI 17	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 20	If the network side of the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of replacing the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values with a new Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values (with the origin field set to “network generated”)?	M	SPOI 18	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 21	If the IUT receives a SETUP message for a UBR call/connection that does not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values,	M	MCU 2 AND MCU 3	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__

	then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of including an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated” in the forwarded setup indication?				
SPOI 22	If, for a point-to-multipoint call/connection, the IUT generated an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the initial setup indication, does the IUT include the same Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in all subsequent add party indications for that call/connection?	M	SPOI 21	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 23	If the IUT when acting as the network receives an Optional traffic attributes information element containing a BCS value that is not supported, does the IUT apply the normal procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error?	M	MCU 2	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 24	When validating to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection, if the forwarded setup indication did not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, does the IUT not include any Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the forwarded add party indication?	M	MCU 2 AND MCU 4	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 25	When validating to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection, if the forwarded setup indication contained an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, does the IUT include the same Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?	M	MCU 2 AND MCU 4	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPOI 26	When no validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is performed, then if the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, and if the party is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional	M	MCU 2 AND (NOT MCU 4)	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__

	traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?				
SPOI 27	When no validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is performed, then if the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, and if the party is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?	O	SPOI 26	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
Comments:					

A.4.4 Signalling Procedures at the Destination Interface (SPDI)

A.4.4.1 Signalling Procedures at the Network Side

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for Status	Reference	Support
SPDI 1	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a setup request that does not specify the UBR ATM service category, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 2	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
SPDI 2	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an add party request which does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 2	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
SPDI 3	If the IUT when acting as the network receives an Optional traffic attributes information element containing a BCS value that is not supported, does the IUT apply the normal procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error?	M	MCU 2	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__

SPDI 4	If the IUT receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	M	MCU 2	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
SPDI 5	If the IUT receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	O	SPDI 4	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
SPDI 6	If the IUT receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the party is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	M	MCU 2	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
SPDI 7	If the IUT receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the party is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	O	SPDI 6	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
SPDI 8	If the IUT when acting as the network receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element?	O	MCU 2	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
SPDI 9	If the IUT when acting as the network receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “network	M	SPDI 8	3.2.2.1	Yes__ No__

	generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element?				
Comments:					

A.4.4.2 Signalling Procedures at the User Side of the S_B and Coincident S_B and T_B Reference Points

SPDI 10	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a SETUP message that does not specify the UBR ATM service category, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 1.2	3.2.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
SPDI 11	If the IUT when acting as the user receives an Optional traffic attributes information element containing a BCS value that is not supported, does the IUT apply the normal procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error?	M	MCU 1.2	3.2.2.2.1	Yes__ No__
Comments:					

A.4.4.3 Signalling Procedures at the User Side of the T_B Reference Point

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for Status	Reference	Support
SPDI 12	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a SETUP message that does not specify the UBR ATM service category, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 1.3	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 13	If an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an ADD PARTY message that does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCU 1.1 AND MCU 1.3	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__

SPDI 14	If the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication?	M	MCU 1.3	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 15	If the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication?	O	SPDI 14	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 16	If the user side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and processing the message as if the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values were not present?	O	MCU 1.3	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 17	If the user side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of replacing the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values with a new Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values (with the origin field set to “network generated”)?	M	MCU 1.3 AND MCU 3	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 18	If the user side of the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and processing the message as if the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS	M	MCU 1.1 AND SPDI 16	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__

	values were not present?				
SPDI 19	If the user side of the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of replacing the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values with a new Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values (with the origin field set to “network generated”)?	M	MCU 1.1 AND SPDI 17	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 20	If the IUT receives a SETUP message for a UBR call/connection that does not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of including an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated” in the forwarded setup indication?	M	MCU 1.3 AND MCU 3	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 21	If, for a point-to-multipoint call/connection, the IUT generated an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the initial setup indication, does the IUT include the same Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in all subsequent add party indications for that call/connection?	M	MCU 1.1 AND SPDI 20	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 22	If the IUT when acting as the user side receives an Optional traffic attributes information element containing a BCS value that is not supported, does the IUT apply the normal procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error?	M	MCU 1.3	3.2.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 23	When validating to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection, if the forwarded setup indication did not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, does the IUT not include any Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the forwarded add party indication?	M	MCU 1.1 AND MCU 1.3 AND MCU 4	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 24	When validating to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party	M	MCU 1.1 AND	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__

	indications for the same call/connection, if the forwarded setup indication contained an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, does the IUT include the same Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?		MCU 1.3 AND MCU 4		
SPDI 25	When no validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is performed, then if the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, and if the party is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?	M	MCU 1.1 AND MCU 1.3 AND (NOT MCU 4)	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
SPDI 26	When no validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is performed, then if the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, and if the party is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?	O	SPDI 25	3.2.2.2.2	Yes__ No__
Comments:					

Annex B Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS) for the PNNI 1.0 Component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0

B.1 Introduction

To evaluate conformance of a particular implementation, it is necessary to have a statement of which capabilities and options have been implemented. Such a statement is called a Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS).

B.1.1 Scope

This document provides the PICS proforma for the PNNI 1.0 component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, defined in [1] in compliance with the relevant requirements, and in accordance with the relevant guidelines, given in ISO/IEC 9646-7. In most cases, statements contained in notes in the specification, which were intended as information, are not included in the PICS.

B.1.2 Normative References

- [1] Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, af-cs-0159.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, September 2000.
- [2] ISO/IEC 9646-1: 1994, Information technology – Open systems interconnection – Conformance testing methodology and framework – Part 1: General Concepts (See also ITU Recommendation X.290 (1995)).
- [3] ISO/IEC 9646-7: 1995, Information technology – Open systems interconnection – Conformance testing methodology and framework – Part 7: Implementation Conformance Statements (See also ITU Recommendation X.296 (1995)).
- [4] ISO/IEC 9646-3:1998, Information technology – Open systems interconnection – Conformance testing methodology and interconnection – Part 3: The Tree and Tabular Combined Notation (TTCN) (See also ITU telecommunication X.292 (1998)).

B.1.3 Definitions

Terms defined in [1]

Terms defined in ISO/IEC 9646-1 and in ISO/IEC 9646-7

In particular, the following terms defined in ISO/IEC 9646-1 apply:

Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS): A statement made by the supplier of an implementation or system, stating which capabilities have been implemented for a given protocol.

PICS proforma: A document, in the form of a questionnaire, designed by the protocol specifier or conformance test suite specifier, which when completed for an implementation or system becomes the PICS.

B.1.4 Acronyms

ASN.1	Abstract Syntax Notation One
ATS	Abstract Test Suite
IUT	Implementation Under Test
PICS	Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement

SUT System Under Test

B.1.5 Conformance

The PICS does not modify any of the requirements detailed in Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0. In case of apparent conflict between the statements in the base specification and in the annotations of “M” (mandatory) and “O” (optional) in the PICS, the text of the base specification takes precedence.

The supplier of a protocol implementation, which is claimed to conform to the PNNI 1.0 component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, is required to complete a copy of the PICS proforma provided in this document and is required to provide the information necessary to identify both the supplier and the implementation.

B.2 Identification of the Implementation

Identification of the Implementation Under Test (IUT) and system in which it resides (the System Under Test (SUT)) should be filled in so as to provide as much detail as possible regarding version numbers and configuration options.

The product supplier information and client information should both be filled in if they are different.

A person who can answer queries regarding information supplied in the PICS should be named as the contact person.

B.2.1 Date of Statement

B.2.2 Implementation Under Test (IUT) Identification

IUT Name: _____

IUT Version: _____

B.2.3 System Under Test (SUT) Identification

SUT Name: _____

Hardware Configuration: _____

Operating System: _____

B.2.4 Product Supplier

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

B.2.5 Client

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

B.2.6 PICS Contact Person

(A person to contact if there are any queries concerning the content of the PICS)

Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

Identification of the Protocol Specification

This PICS proforma applies to the following specification:

- [1] Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, af-cs-0159.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, September 2000.

B.3 PICS Proforma

B.3.1 Global statement of conformance

The implementation described in this PICS meets all of the mandatory requirements of the reference protocol.

YES

NO

Note: Answering "No" indicates non-conformance to the specified protocol. Non-supported mandatory capabilities are to be identified in the following tables, with an explanation by the implementor explaining why the implementation is non-conforming.

B.3.2 Instructions for Completing the PICS Proforma

The PICS Proforma is a fixed-format questionnaire. Answers to the questionnaire should be provided in the rightmost columns, either by simply indicating a restricted choice (such as Yes or No), or by entering a value or a set of range of values.

The following notations, defined in ISO/IEC 9647-7, are used for the support column:

Yes supported by the implementation

No not supported by the implementation

The following notations, defined in ISO/IEC 9647-7, are used for the status column:

M mandatory – the capability is required to be supported.

O optional – the capability may be supported or not.

O.i qualified optional – for mutually exclusive or selectable options from a set. “i” is an integer which

identifies a unique group of related optional items and the logic of their selection is defined immediately following the table.

A supplier may also provide additional information, categorized as exceptional or supplementary information. These additional information should be provided as items labeled X.<i> for exceptional information, or S.<i> for supplemental information, respectively, for cross reference purposes, where <i> is any unambiguous identification for the item. The exception and supplementary information are not mandatory and the PICS is complete without such information. The presence of optional supplementary or exception information should not affect test execution, and will in no way affect interoperability verification. The column labeled 'Reference' gives a pointer to sections of the protocol specification for which the PICS Proforma is being written.

B.4 PICS for the support of BCS at the PNNI

B.4.1 Major Capability at PNNI (MCP)

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for status	Reference	Support
MCP 1	Does the IUT support validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection?	O		4.2	Yes__ No__
Comments:					

B.4.2 Supported Information Elements at PNNI (SIEP)

Item	Item Description	Status	Condition for status	Reference	Support
SIEP 1	For a UBR call/connection with BCS, does the IUT include a forward and backward BCS value in the Optional traffic attributes information element in the SETUP message as coded in section 2?	M		2	Yes__ No__
SIEP 2	For a UBR call/connection with BCS, does the IUT include a forward and backward BCS value in the Optional traffic attributes information element in the ADD PARTY message as coded in section 2?	M		2	Yes__ No__
SIEP 3	If the IUT receives an Optional traffic attributes information element with unrecognized content, does the IUT treat the information element as an unrecognized information element?	M		2	Yes__ No__
SIEP 4	If the IUT receives an Optional traffic attributes information element that exceeds its maximum length, does the IUT treat the information element as an unrecognized information element?	M		2	Yes__ No__
Comments					

B.4.3 Signalling Procedures for BCS at PNNI (SPBP)

Item	Item Description	Status	Condition for status	Reference	Support
SPBP 1	If the preceding side of the IUT receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values, then if the call/connection is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	M		4.2	Yes__ No__
SPBP 2	If the preceding side of the IUT receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values, then if the party is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	M		4.2	Yes__ No__
SPBP 3	If the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a SETUP message that does not specify the UBR ATM service category, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M		4.2	Yes__ No__
SPBP 4	If the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an ADD PARTY message that does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M		4.2	Yes__ No__
SPBP 5	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values, then if the call/connection is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication?	M		4.2	Yes__ No__
SPBP 6	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives an Optional traffic attributes information element containing a BCS value that is not supported, does the	M		4.2	Yes__ No__

	IUT apply the procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error as if the pass along request (bit 4) in the instruction field were set to "no pass along request"?				
SPBP 7	When validating to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection, if the forwarded setup indication did not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, does the IUT not include any Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the forwarded add party indication?	M	MCP 1	4.2	Yes__ No__
SPBP 8	When validating to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection, if the forwarded setup indication contained an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, does the IUT include the same Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?	M	MCP 1	4.2	Yes__ No__
SPBP 9	When no validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is performed, then if the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and the party is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the forwarded add party indication?	M	NOT MCP 1	4.2	Yes__ No__
SPBP 10	Does the IUT set the action indicator (bits 1-3 of octet 2) of the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values to "discard information element and proceed" or "discard information element, proceed, and report status", the IE instruction flag field (bit 5 of octet 2) to "follow explicit instructions" and the pass along request field (bit 4 of octet 2) to "pass along request"?	M		4.3	Yes__ No__
Comments					

Annex C Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS) for the AINI Component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0

C.1 Introduction

To evaluate conformance of a particular implementation, it is necessary to have a statement of which capabilities and options have been implemented. Such a statement is called a Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS).

C.1.1 Scope

This document provides the PICS proforma for the AINI component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, defined in [1] in compliance with the relevant requirements, and in accordance with the relevant guidelines, given in ISO/IEC 9646-7. In most cases, statements contained in notes in the specification, which were intended as information, are not included in the PICS.

C.1.2 Normative References

- [1] Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, af-cs-0159.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, September 2000.
- [2] ISO/IEC 9646-1: 1994, Information technology – Open systems interconnection – Conformance testing methodology and framework – Part 1: General Concepts (See also ITU Recommendation X.290 (1995)).
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C.1.3 Definitions

Terms defined in [1]

Terms defined in ISO/IEC 9646-1 and in ISO/IEC 9646-7

In particular, the following terms defined in ISO/IEC 9646-1 apply:

Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS): A statement made by the supplier of an implementation or system, stating which capabilities have been implemented for a given protocol.

PICS proforma: A document, in the form of a questionnaire, designed by the protocol specifier or conformance test suite specifier, which when completed for an implementation or system becomes the PICS.

C.1.4 Acronyms

ASN.1	Abstract Syntax Notation One
ATS	Abstract Test Suite
IUT	Implementation Under Test
PICS	Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement

SUT System Under Test

C.1.5 Conformance

The PICS does not modify any of the requirements detailed in Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0. In case of apparent conflict between the statements in the base specification and in the annotations of “M” (mandatory) and “O” (optional) in the PICS, the text of the base specification takes precedence.

The supplier of a protocol implementation, which is claimed to conform to the AINI component of Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, is required to complete a copy of the PICS proforma provided in this document and is required to provide the information necessary to identify both the supplier and the implementation.

C.2 Identification of the Implementation

Identification of the Implementation Under Test (IUT) and system in which it resides (the System Under Test (SUT)) should be filled in so as to provide as much detail as possible regarding version numbers and configuration options.

The product supplier information and client information should both be filled in if they are different.

A person who can answer queries regarding information supplied in the PICS should be named as the contact person.

C.2.1 Date of Statement

C.2.2 Implementation Under Test (IUT) Identification

IUT Name: _____

IUT Version: _____

C.2.3 System Under Test (SUT) Identification

SUT Name: _____

Hardware Configuration: _____

Operating System: _____

C.2.4 Product Supplier

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

C.2.5 Client

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

C.2.6 PICS Contact Person

(A person to contact if there are any queries concerning the content of the PICS)

Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Facsimile Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Additional Information: _____

Identification of the Protocol Specification

This PICS proforma applies to the following specification:

- [1] Behavior Class Selector Signalling Version 1.0, af-cs-0159.000, ATM Forum Technical Committee, September 2000.

C.3 PICS Proforma

C.3.1 Global statement of conformance

The implementation described in this PICS meets all of the mandatory requirements of the reference protocol.

YES

NO

Note: Answering "No" indicates non-conformance to the specified protocol. Non-supported mandatory capabilities are to be identified in the following tables, with an explanation by the implementor explaining why the implementation is non-conforming.

C.3.2 Instructions for Completing the PICS Proforma

The PICS Proforma is a fixed-format questionnaire. Answers to the questionnaire should be provided in the rightmost columns, either by simply indicating a restricted choice (such as Yes or No), or by entering a value or a set of range of values.

The following notations, defined in ISO/IEC 9647-7, are used for the support column:

Yes supported by the implementation

No not supported by the implementation

The following notations, defined in ISO/IEC 9647-7, are used for the status column:

M mandatory – the capability is required to be supported.

O optional – the capability may be supported or not.

O.i qualified optional – for mutually exclusive or selectable options from a set. “i” is an integer which

identifies a unique group of related optional items and the logic of their selection is defined immediately following the table.

A supplier may also provide additional information, categorized as exceptional or supplementary information. These additional information should be provided as items labeled X.<i> for exceptional information, or S.<i> for supplemental information, respectively, for cross reference purposes, where <i> is any unambiguous identification for the item. The exception and supplementary information are not mandatory and the PICS is complete without such information. The presence of optional supplementary or exception information should not affect test execution, and will in no way affect interoperability verification. The column labeled 'Reference' gives a pointer to sections of the protocol specification for which the PICS Proforma is being written.

C.4 PICS for the support of BCS at the AINI

C.4.1 Major Capability at AINI (MCA)

Item Number	Item Description	Status	Condition for status	Reference	Support
MCA 1	Does the IUT support BCS for point-to-multipoint calls/connections at the AINI?	M	Note 1	1.1, 5	Yes__ No__
MCA 2	Is the IUT capable of generating an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”?	O		1.1, 5.1.2	Yes__ No__
MCA 3	Does the IUT support validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection?	O	MCA 1	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
Comments:					
Note 1: If point-to-multipoint is supported at the AINI					

C.4.2 Supported Information Elements at AINI (SIEA)

Item	Item Description	Status	Condition for status	Reference	Support
SIEA 1	For a UBR call/connection with BCS, does the IUT include a forward and backward BCS value in the Optional traffic attributes information element in the SETUP message as coded in section 2?	M		2	Yes__ No__
SIEA 2	For a UBR call/connection with BCS, does the IUT include a forward and backward BCS value in the Optional traffic attributes information element in the ADD PARTY message as coded in section 2?	M	MCA 1	2	Yes__ No__
SIEA 3	If the IUT receives an Optional traffic attributes information element with unrecognized content, does the IUT treat the information element as an unrecognized information element?	M		2	Yes__ No__
SIEA 4	If the IUT receives an Optional traffic attributes information element that exceeds its maximum length, does the IUT treat the information element as an unrecognized information element?	M		2	Yes__ No__

Comments

C.4.3 Signalling Procedures for BCS at AINI (SPBA)

Item	Item Description	Status	Condition for status	Reference	Support
SPBA 1	If the preceding side of the IUT receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	M		5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 2	If the preceding side of the IUT receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	O	SPBA 1	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 3	If the preceding side of the IUT receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the party is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	M	MCA 1	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 4	If the preceding side of the IUT receives an add party request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the party is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded message?	O	SPBA 3	5.1.2	Yes__ No__

SPBA 5	If the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in a SETUP message that does not specify the UBR ATM service category, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M		4.2, 5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 6	If the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values is received in an ADD PARTY message that does not correspond to a UBR call/connection, does the IUT treat the information element as an unexpected recognized information element?	M	MCA 1	4.2, 5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 7	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication?	M		5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 8	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded setup indication?	O	SPBA 7	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 9	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives an Optional traffic attributes information element containing a BCS value that is not supported, does the IUT apply the procedures for non-mandatory information element with content error as if the pass along request (bit 4) in the instruction field were set to “no pass along request”?	M		4.2, 5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 10	When validating to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection, if the forwarded setup indication did not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element	M	MCA 3	4.2, 5.1.2	Yes__ No__

	with BCS values, does the IUT not include any Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the forwarded add party indication?				
SPBA 11	When validating to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection, if the forwarded setup indication contained an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, does the IUT include the same Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?	M	MCA 3	4.2, 5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 12	When no validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is performed, then if the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, and if the party is progressed, does the IUT include the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?	M	MCA 1 AND (NOT MCA 3)	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 13	When no validation to ensure consistency between forwarded setup and add party indications for the same call/connection is performed, then if the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with supported BCS values and with the origin field set to “originating user”, and if the party is progressed, is the IUT capable of mapping the BCS values before including the received Optional traffic attributes information element in the forwarded add party indication?	O	SPBA 12	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 14	If the preceding side of the IUT receives a setup request containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element?	O		5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 15	If the preceding side of the IUT receives an add party request containing	M	MCA1 and	5.1.2	Yes__ No__

	an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element?		SPBA 14		
SPBA 16	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and processing the message as if the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values were not present?	O		5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 17	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives a SETUP message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of replacing the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values with a new Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values (with the origin field set to “network generated”)?	M	MCA 2	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 18	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of discarding the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and processing the message as if the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values were not present?	M	MCA 1 AND SPBA 16	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 19	If the succeeding side of the IUT receives an ADD PARTY message containing an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to “network generated”, is the IUT capable of replacing the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values with a new Optional traffic attributes	M	MCA 1 AND SPBA 17	5.1.2	Yes__ No__

	information element with BCS values (with the origin field set to "network generated")?				
SPBA 20	If the received SETUP message at the succeeding side of the IUT for a UBR call/connection does not contain an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values, then if the call/connection is progressed, is the IUT capable of including an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values and with the origin field set to "network generated" before forwarding the call/connection?	M	MCA 2	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 21	If, for a point-to-multipoint call/connection, the succeeding side of the IUT generated an Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values in the initial setup indication, does the IUT include the same Optional traffic attributes information element in all subsequent add party indications for that call/connection?	M	MCA 1 AND MCA 2	5.1.2	Yes__ No__
SPBA 22	Does the IUT set the action indicator (bits 1-3 of octet 2) of the Optional traffic attributes information element with BCS values to "discard information element and proceed" or "discard information element, proceed, and report status", the IE instruction flag field (bit 5 of octet 2) to "follow explicit instructions" and the pass along request field (bit 4 of octet 2) to "pass along request"?	M		5.1.3	Yes__ No__
Comments					