

Options for ECDH handshake using eOAM

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Option 1: 4 attributes / 8 OAMPDUs



- Each attribute is set/get using a separate Request/Response exchange
- Too many messages?
- OLT public key and ONU public key attributes are related, but will be defined in different sub-clauses (attributes vs. actions)
- Message order needs to be enforced via an explicit requirement



Option 2: 4 attributes / 6 OAMPDUs

eOAM Attributes / TLVs List of supported curves (RO) Selected curve (RW) OLT's Pub Key (WO) ONU's Pub Key (RO)

- Can put two TLVs into one OAMPDU
- OLT public key and ONU public key attributes are related, but will be defined in different subclauses (attributes vs. actions)
- Message order needs to be enforced via an explicit requirement

Get_Request	Var. Descriptor	
Get_Response	List of supported curves (RO)	
Set_Request	Selected curve (RW)	OLT's Pub Key (WO)
Set_Response	ACK	ACK
Get_Request	Var. Descriptor	

Option 3: 3 attributes / 6 OAMPDUs



- Related OLT and ONU public keys are grouped together into one compound attribute consisting of two sub-attributes .OLT (write only) .ONU (read-only)
- Full variable container is used in both Set_Request and Set_Response
- Message order needs to be enforced via an explicit requirement



Option 4: 3 attributes / 4 OAMPDUs



Related OLT and ONU public keys are grouped together into one compound attribute consisting of two sub-attributes
.OLT (write only)
.ONU (read-only)

- Set_Request OAMPDU includes two Variable Container TLVs
- Set_Response OAMPDU includes one Response Code TLV and one full Variable Container TLV
- Message order is implicitly enforced by TLV order in the OAMPDU

Option 5: 2 attributes / 4 OAMPDUs



All ECDH negotiation parameters are grouped together into one compound attribute consisting of 3 sub-attributes

.SelectedCurve (read/write) .OLT (write only) .ONU (read-only) TLV includes only Curve_ID and PubKey (identical TLV format in Request and Response)

- Set_Request OAMPDU includes one Variable Container TLVs
- Set_Response OAMPDU includes one Variable Container TLV
- Message order is implicitly enforced by the attribute definition *B/15/23 IEEE 1904 Working Group meeting*



Thank you