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## 1 Introduction

#### 1.1 About FIPS 140-2

Federal Information Processing Standards Publication 140-2 — Security Requirements for Cryptographic Modules specifies requirements for cryptographic products to be deployed in a Sensitive but Unclassified environment. The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) and Communications Security Establishment Canada (CSEC) jointly run the Cryptographic Module Validation Program (CMVP). The NIST National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP) accredits independent testing labs to perform FIPS 140-2 testing; the CMVP validates test reports for all cryptographic modules pursuing FIPS 140-2 validation. *Validation* is the term given to a cryptographic module that is documented and tested against the FIPS 140-2 criteria.

More information is available on the CMVP website at http://csrc.nist.gov/groups/STM/cmvp/index.html.

#### 1.2 About this Document

This non-proprietary Cryptographic Module Security Policy for the Acme Packet 4500 from Oracle Communications provides an overview of the product and a high-level description of how it meets the security requirements of FIPS 140-2. This document also contains details on the cryptographic keys and critical security parameters. This Security Policy concludes with instructions and guidance on running the module in a FIPS mode of operation.

The Oracle Communications Acme Packet 4500 may also be referred to as the "module" in this document.

#### 1.3 External Resources

The Oracle Communications website (<a href="http://www.oracle.com">http://www.oracle.com</a>) contains information on the full line of products from Oracle Communications, including a detailed overview of the Acme Packet 4500 solution. The Cryptographic Module Validation Program website contains links to the FIPS 140-2 certificate and Oracle Communications contact information.

#### 1.4 Notices

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# 1.5 Acronyms

The following table defines acronyms found in this document:

Acronym	Term
AES	Advanced Encryption Standard
CBC	Cipher Block Chaining
CSEC	Communications Security
	Establishment of Canada
CSP	Critical Security Parameter
DTR	Derived Testing Requirement
FIPS	Federal Information Processing
	Standard
GPC	General Purpose Computer
GPOS	General Purpose Operating System
HMAC	Hashed Message Authentication Code
KAT	Known Answer Test
NIST	National Institute of Standards and
	Technology
RSA	Rivest Shamir Adelman
SHA	Secure Hashing Algorithm

Table 1 – Acronyms and Terms



#### 2 Oracle Communications Acme Packet 4500

#### 2.1 Product Overview

Oracle Communications session border controllers (SBC) provide critical control functions to deliver trusted, first-class interactive communications—voice, video and multimedia sessions—across IP network borders. They support multiple applications in government, service provider, enterprise and contact center networks—from VoIP trunking to hosted enterprise and residential services to fixed-mobile convergence. Oracle Communications' SBC is configured on Acme Packet OS, which operates on both the Acme Packet 4500 and 3820 platforms.

The Acme Packet 4500 is a carrier-class platform supporting up to 32,000 simultaneous signaled sessions, delivering unmatched capabilities and performance in a 1U form factor. It offers extremely rich functionality, architectural flexibility and signaling protocol breadth, and satisfies all of the performance, capacity, availability and manageability requirements of defense and security–focused government organizations, service providers, enterprises and contact centers.

In government, enterprise and contact center environments, the Acme Packet 4500 secure SIP/H.323 trunking borders to service provider and other 3<sup>rd</sup> party IP networks and the Internet border to remote offices, teleworkers and mobile employees. In extremely security-conscious organizations, they secure the border to the private VPN connecting other sites. SIP and H.323 interworking capabilities ensure interoperability with and between legacy IP PBX equipment and next-generation unified communications platforms. They control session admission, IP PBX or UC server loads and overloads, IP network transport and SIP/H.323 session routing to assure SLAs and minimize costs. Regulatory compliance requirements are also satisfied with encryption ensuring session privacy and call/session replication for recording.

#### 2.2 Validation Level Detail

The following table lists the level of validation for each area in FIPS 140-2:

FIPS 140-2 Section Title	Validation Level
Cryptographic Module Specification	2
Cryptographic Module Ports and Interfaces	2
Roles, Services, and Authentication	2
Finite State Model	2
Physical Security	2
Operational Environment	N/A
Cryptographic Key Management	2
Electromagnetic Interference / Electromagnetic Compatibility	2
Self-Tests	2



FIPS 140-2 Section Title	Validation Level
Design Assurance	3
Mitigation of Other Attacks	N/A

Table 2 - Validation Level by DTR Section

## 2.3 Algorithm Implementations

## 2.3.1 FIPS-Approved Algorithms

The module contains the following algorithm implementations:

- Hifn 8450: bump-in-the-wire, bulk IPSec processing (HMAC-SHA1, AES, TRIPLE-DES)
- Broadcom 5862 (BCM5862): DH, SHA-1, HMAC-SHA1, AES and Triple-DES for SSH and TLS
- Firmware running on Intel Core Duo T2500: random number generation, SHA-1, SHA-256, RSA, HMAC-SHA1, HMAC-SHA256, Hash\_DRBG

These cryptographic algorithm implementations have received the following certificate numbers from the Cryptographic Algorithm Validation Program:

Algorithm Type	Algorithm	Standard	<b>CAVP Certificate</b>	Use
Keyed Hash	HMAC-SHA1	FIPS 198-1	519	Message verification
Hashing	SHA-1	FIPS 180-4	912	Message digest
Symmetric Key	Three key Triple-DES	NIST SP 800-67	745	Data encryption /
	(CBC mode)			decryption
	AES 128 and	FIPS 197	928	Data encryption /
	256(CBC, CTR			decryption
	modes)			

Table 3 – Algorithm Certificates for FIPS-Approved Algorithms in the Hifn 8450

<b>Algorithm Type</b>	Algorithm	Standard	<b>CAVP Certificate</b>	Use
Hashing	SHA-1	FIPS 180-4	1378	Message digest
Keyed Hash	HMAC-SHA1	FIPS 198-1	907	Message verification
Symmetric Key	Three key Triple-DES	NIST SP 800-67	1019	Data encryption /
	(CBC mode)			decryption
	AES 128 and	FIPS 197	1555	Data encryption /
	256(CBC, CTR			decryption
	modes)			

 $Table\ 4-Algorithm\ Certificates\ for\ FIPS-Approved\ Algorithms\ for\ the\ BCM5862$ 



Algorithm Type	Algorithm	Standard	CAVP Certificate for Intel Core Duo T2500	Use
Hashing	SHA-1 SHA-256	FIPS 180-4	1373	Message digest
Keyed Hash	HMAC-SHA1 HMAC-SHA256	FIPS 198-1	900	Message verification and module integrity (via HMAC-SHA256)
Asymmetric Key	RSA	FIPS 186-2	753	Verify operations
Random Number Generation	Hash_DRBG	SP800-90A (hash based)	68	Random Number Generation

Table 5 – Algorithm Certificates for FIPS-Approved Algorithms for Firmware

## 2.3.2 Non-Approved Algorithms

The module implements the following non-approved algorithms:

- DES
- ARC4
- HMAC-MD5
- RSA (allowed for use in FIPS mode of operation)
  - Used in FIPS mode for TLS sessions key establishment in and provides 112-bits of encryption strength
- Diffie-Hellman
  - Used for key agreement in SSH and IPSEC sessions; key establishment methodology provides 112-bits of encryption strength (allowed for use in FIPS Mode of operation).
  - Used for key agreement in SSH and IPSEC sessions; key establishment methodology provides less than 112-bits of encryption strength (non-compliant).
- Hardware-based random number generator
  - This RNG is used in FIPS mode only to generate entropy\_input to the firmware-based FIPS-approved Hash\_DRBG.

Unless otherwise noted, Non-approved algorithms are not used in FIPS mode.

## 2.4 Cryptographic Module Specification

The module is the Oracle Communications Acme Packet 4500 running firmware version C6.3 on hardware version A1. The module is classified as a multi-chip standalone cryptographic module. The physical cryptographic boundary is defined as the module case and all components within the case. No firmware is excluded from validation.



The specific model included in the validation is as follows:

- Acme Packet 4500
  - Running network processor AMCC NP3750 @700 Mhz and host processor Intel Core Duo T2500
  - Running Hifn 8450 and Broadcom 5862 for dedicated, hardware-based cryptographic processing

The physical boundary is pictured in the image below:



Figure 1 – Physical Boundary for Acme Packet 4500

## 2.5 Module Interfaces

The table below describes the main interfaces on the Acme Packet 4500:

Physical Interface	Description / Use		
LCD	Reports real-time status, alarms, and general system information		
LEDs	Indicates if any alarms are active on the module. The LED can be three different colors to indicate the severity of the alarms.  • Unlit—system is fully functional without any faults  • Amber—major alarm has been generated  • Red—critical alarm has been generated.		
Console Ports	Provides console access to the module. The module supports only one active serial console connection at a time. The rear console port is useful for customers who want permanent console access; the front console port provides easy access to the module for a temporary connection.		
	Console port communication is used for administration and maintenance purposes from a central office (CO) location. Tasks conducted over a console port include:  • Creating the initial connection to the module  • Accessing and using all functionality available via the ACLI		
	<ul> <li>Performing in-lab system maintenance (services described below)</li> </ul>		



Physical Interface	Description / Use		
Alarm Port	Closes a circuit when a specific alarm level becomes active. The module		
	features an alarm control signal interface that can be used in a CO location		
	to indicate when internal alarms are generated. The appliances use alarm		
	levels that correspond to three levels of service-disrupting incidents.		
USB Ports	Provides access to external Flash based memory		
Network Management	Used for EMS control, RADIUS accounting, CLI management, SNMP queries		
Ports	and traps, and other management functions		
Signaling and Media	Provide network connectivity for signaling and media traffic.		
Interfaces			

Table 6 - Acme Packet 4500 Interface Descriptions

The module provides a number of physical and logical interfaces to the device, and the physical interfaces provided by the module are mapped to four FIPS 140-2 defined logical interfaces: data input, data output, control input, and status output. The logical interfaces and their mapping are described in the following table:

FIPS 140-2 Logical Interface	Module Physical Interface	Information Input/Output
Data Input	Network Management Ports Signaling and Media Interfaces	Ciphertext (IPSec, SSH, and TLS packets)
Data Output	Network Management Ports Signaling and Media Interfaces	Ciphertext (IPSec, SSH, and TLS packets)
Control Input	Console Port	Plaintext control input (configuration commands, operator passwords)
Status Output	Network Management Ports Console Ports LEDs	Plaintext status output. Plaintext key output during manual key generation and configuration.
Power	Power Plug On/Off Switch	N/A

Table 7 – Logical Interface / Physical Interface Mapping

## 2.6 Roles, Services, and Authentication

As required by FIPS 140-2 Level 2, there are two roles (a Crypto Officer role and User role) in the module that operators may assume. The module supports role-based authentication, and the respective services for each role are described in the following sections.

The table below provides a mapping of default roles in the module to the roles defined by FIPS 140-2:



Operator Role	Summary of Services	FIPS 140-2 Role
User	<ul> <li>View configuration versions and a large amount if statistical data for the system's performance</li> <li>Handle certificate information for IPSec and TLS functions</li> <li>Test pattern rules, local policies, and session translations</li> <li>Display system alarms.</li> <li>Set the display dimensions for the terminal</li> </ul>	Crypto Officer
Superuser	Allowed access to all system commands and configuration privileges	Crypto Officer
LI Admin	Allowed access to all system commands and configuration privileges, including LI features (if available)	Crypto Officer
Remote IT system	Connect to module for data transmission	User
Unauthenticated user	Allowed access to view status and perform self test	Crypto Officer-2

Table 8 – Role Mapping

## 2.6.1 Operator Services and Descriptions

The services available to the User and Crypto Officer roles in the module are as follows:

Service and Description	Service Input	Service Output	Key/CSP Access	Roles
Configure  Initializes the module for FIPS mode of operation, configure manual keys	FIPS License, Image integrity (HMAC) value Manual key value.	None	HMAC 256-bit key, IPSec Session Keys (TRIPLE-DES) IPSec Session Keys (AES128) IPSec Session Keys (AES256) HMAC 160-bit key 1	Crypto Officer



Service and Description	Service Input	Service Output	Key/CSP Access	Roles
	Key Encrypted byte stream	Byte stream	TLS Session Keys (TRIPLE-DES) TLS Session Keys (AES128) TLS Session Keys (AES256) TLS Session Keys (DES, ARC4 in Non-FIPS Mode) IPSec Session Keys (TRIPLE-DES) IPSec Session Keys (AES128)	User
			IPSec Session Keys (AES256) SSH Session Key (TRIPLE-DES) SSH Session Key (AES128) SSH Session Key (AES256) SSH Session Keys (DES, ARC4 in Non-FIPS mode) Private Key 2	



Service and Description	Service Input	Service Output	Key/CSP Access	Roles
Encrypts a block of data Using AES or TRIPLE- DES in FIPS Mode  Encrypts a block of data using DES or ARC-4 in Non-FIPS mode	Key Byte stream	Encrypted byte stream	TLS Session Keys (TRIPLE-DES) TLS Session Keys (AES128) TLS Session Keys (AES256) TLS Session Keys (DES, ARC4 in Non-FIPS Mode) IPSec Session Keys (TRIPLE-DES) IPSec Session Keys (AES128) IPSec Session Keys (AES256) SSH Session Key (TRIPLE-DES) SSH Session Key (AES128) SSH Session Key	User



Service and Description	Service Input	Service Output	Key/CSP Access	Roles
Generate Keys	Key Size	AES-Key TRIPLE-DES-Key in	TLS Session Keys (TRIPLE-DES)	User
Generates AES or		FIPS Mode	TLS Session Keys	
TRIPLE-DES keys for			(AES128)	
encrypt/decrypt		DES-Key	TLS Session Keys	
operations in FIPS		ARC4 Key in Non-	(AES256)	
Mode		FIPS mode	TLS Session Keys	
			(DES, ARC4 in	
Generates DES or			non-FIPS mode)	
ARC4 keys for			IPSec Session	
encrypt/decrypt			Keys (TRIPLE-	
operations in non-FIPS			DES)	
Mode			IPSec Session	
			Keys (AES128)	
			IPSec Session	
			Keys (AES256)	
			SSH Session Key (TRIPLE-DES)	
			SSH Session Key	
			(AES128)	
			SSH Session Key	
			(AES256)	
			SSH Session Keys	
			(DES, ARC4 in	
			Non-FIPS mode)	
			Public Key 2	



Key Establishment	Key Size	AES-Key	IPSec Session	User
		TRIPLE-DES-Key in	Keys (TRIPLE-	
DH public key		FIPS mode	DES)	
for establishing AES			IPSec Session	
or TRIPLE-DES		DES key and ARC4	Keys (AES128)	
session keys in FIPS		Key in Non-FIPS	IPSec Session	
mode		mode	Keys (AES256)	
			SSH Session Key	
DH public key			(TRIPLE-DES)	
for establishing DES or			SSH Session Key	
ARC4 session keys in			(AES128)	
Non-FIPS mode			SSH Session Key	
			(AES256)	
			SSH Session Keys	
			(DES, ARC4 in	
			Non-FIPS mode)	
			Public Key 2	



Key Establishment  DH private key for establishing AES or TRIPLE-DES session keys in FIPS mode  DH private key for establishing DES or ARC4 session keys in Non-FIPS mode	Key Size	AES-Key TRIPLE-DES-Key in FIPS mode  DES key and ARC4 Key in Non-FIPS mode	IPSec Session Keys (TRIPLE- DES) IPSec Session Keys (AES128) IPSec Session Keys (AES256) SSH Session Key (TRIPLE-DES) SSH Session Key (AES128) SSH Session Key (AES256) SSH Session Key (AES256) SSH Session Keys (DES, ARC4 in Non-FIPS mode) Public Key 2	User
Sign Signs a block with RSA	Data block to sign RSA Private key	RSA Signed data block	Private Key 1 Private Key 2 Public Key 2	User
Verify  Verifies the signature of a RSA-signed block	RSA Signed data block RSA Public key	Verification success/failure	Public Key 1 Public Key 2	User
Hash_Drbg seed  Generate a entropy_input for Hash_Drbg	HWRNG generated random bits.	entropy_input	entropy_input Public Key 2	User
Hash_Drbg  Generate random number.	Working state C and V	Random number	Hash_DRBG V Hash_DRBG Public Key 2	User



Service and Description	Service Input	Service Output	Key/CSP Access	Roles
HMAC	Key, data block	HMAC value	HMAC 160-bit	User
			key 1	
HMAC-SHA Hash-based			HMAC 160-bit	
Message			key 2	
Authentication Code in			HMAC 160-bit	
FIPS mode			key 3	
			HMAC 256-bit	
HMAC-MD5 Hash-			key	
based Message			Public Key 2	
Authentication Code in			HMAC-MD5 Key	
non-FIPS mode			(non-FIPS mode)	
Zeroize CSPs	Key, Key pair,	Invalidated CSP	All CSPs	Crypto
	entropy_input,			Officer
Clears CSPs from	password			
memory				

Table 9 – Operator Services and Descriptions

The module provides for the following unauthenticated services, which do not require authentication as they are not security relevant functions. These services do not affect the security of the module; these services do not create, disclose, or substitute cryptographic keys or CSPs, nor do they utilize any Approved security functions.

Service and Description	Service Input	Service Output	Key/CSP Access	Roles
Show Status Shows status of the module	None	Module status enabled/disabled	None	Crypto Officer-2
Restarting the module provides a way to run the self-tests ondemand	None	Console display of success/failure. Log entry of success/failure.	None	Crypto Officer-2

Table 10 – Unauthenticated Operator Services and Descriptions



#### 2.6.2 Operator Authentication

#### 2.6.2.1 Crypto-Officer: Password-Based Authentication

In FIPS mode of operation, the module is accessed via Command Line Interface over the Console ports or via SSH or SNMP over the Network Management Ports. Other than status functions available by viewing LEDs and the LCD panel, the services described in Table 9 – Operator Services and Descriptions are available only to authenticated operators.

Passwords must be a minimum of 6 characters (see Guidance and Secure Operation section of this document). The password can consist of alphanumeric values,  $\{a-zA-Z0-9\}$ , yielding 62 choices per character. The probability of a successful random attempt is  $1/62^6$ , which is less than 1/1,000,000. Assuming 10 attempts per second via a scripted or automatic attack, the probability of a success with multiple attempts in a one-minute period is  $600/62^6$ , which is less than 1/100,000.

The module will lock an account after 3 failed authentication attempts; thus, the maximum number of attempts in one minute is 3. Therefore, the probability of a success with multiple consecutive attempts in a one-minute period is  $3/62^6$  which is less than 1/100,000.

The module will permit an operator to change roles provided the operator knows both the User password and the Crypto Officer password.

#### 2.6.2.2 Certificate-Based Authentication

The module also supports authentication via digital certificates for the User Role as implemented by the TLS, SSH, and IPSec protocols. The module supports a public key based authentication with 2048-bit RSA keys. A 2048-bit RSA key has at least 112-bits of equivalent strength. The probability of a successful random attempt is  $1/2^{112}$ , which is less than 1/1,000,000. Assuming the module can support 60 authentication attempts in one minute, the probability of a success with multiple consecutive attempts in a one-minute period is  $60/2^{112}$ , which is less than 1/100,000.

#### 2.7 Physical Security

The module is a multiple-chip standalone module and conforms to Level 2 requirements for physical security. For details on tamper evidence, please see Section 3.1.2 – Placement of Tamper Evidence Labels.

## 2.8 Operational Environment

The module operates in a limited operational model and does not implement a General Purpose Operating System.



The module meets Federal Communications Commission (FCC) FCC Electromagnetic Interference (EMI) and Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) requirements for business use as defined by 47 Code of Federal Regulations, Part15, Subpart B.



# 2.9 Cryptographic Key Management

The table below provides a complete list of Critical Security Parameters used within the module:

Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
TLS Session	TRIPLE-DES CBC	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Keys (TRIPLE-	168-bit key	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	
DES)		FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
	For encryption /	Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral			
	decryption of TLS	in firmware		Output: None		
	session traffic		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
	Source:		Relationship is maintained by			
	Broadcom		the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			
TLS Session	AES CBC 128-bit	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Keys (AES128)	key	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	
		FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
	For encryption /	Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral			
	decryption of TLS	in firmware		Output: None		
	session traffic		Association: The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
	Source:		Relationship is maintained by			
	Broadcom		the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
TLS Session	AES CBC 256-bit	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Keys (AES256)	key	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	
		FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
		Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral			
	For encryption /	in firmware		Output: None		
	decryption of TLS		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
	session traffic		one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
	Source:		the operating system via			
	Broadcom		protected memory for the			
			respective session.			
IPSec Session	TRIPLE-DES CBC	Manually	Storage: Non-Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Manually entering a new	Crypto Officer
Keys (TRIPLE-	168-bit key	entered	plaintext		value and overwriting the	
DES)				Entry: Manual	old value	R W D
	Source: HIFN		Type: Static			
				Output: None		
			<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
IPSec Session	AES CBC, CTR	Manually	Storage: Non-Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Manually entering a new	Crypto Officer
Keys (AES128)	128-bit key	entered	plaintext		value and overwriting the	
				Entry: Manual	old value	R W D
	Source: HIFN		Type: Static			
				Output: None		
			<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			
IPSec Session	AES CBC, CTR	Manually	Storage: Non-Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Manually entering a new	Crypto Officer
Keys (AES256)	256-bit key	entered	plaintext		value and overwriting the	
				Entry: Manual	old value	R W D
	Source: HIFN		Type: Static			
				Output: None		
			Association: The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
SSH Session	TRIPLE-DES CBC	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Key (TRIPLE-	168-bit key	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	
DES)		FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
	For encryption /	Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral			
	decryption of SSH	in firmware		Output: None		
	session traffic		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
	Source:		Relationship is maintained by			
	Broadcom		the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			
SSH Session	AES CBC 128-bit	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Key (AES128)		generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	
	For encryption /	FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
	decryption of SSH	Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral			
	session traffic	in firmware		Output: None		
			<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
	Source:		one and only owner.			
	Broadcom		Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
SSH Session	AES CBC 256-bit	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Key (AES256)	key	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	
		FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
		Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral			
	For encryption /	in firmware		Output: None		
	decryption of SSH		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
	session traffic		one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
	Source:		the operating system via			
	Broadcom		protected memory for the			
			respective session.			
Diffie Hellman	y=g^x mod p	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Public Key	component;	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	
	Generator g is 2	FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
	and p is 1024 bits	Hash_DRBG	<b>Type</b> : y is ephemeral / p is			
	(group-2), 1536	in firmware	static	Output: None		
	(group-5) and					
	2048 (group-14)		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
	Source: Host		Relationship is maintained by			
	Processor		the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
Diffie Hellman	x component of	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Private Key	DH; x is 1024 bits	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	
	(group-2), 1536	FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
	(group-5) and	Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral			
	2048 (group-14)	in firmware		Output: None		
			<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
	Source: Host		one and only owner.			
	Processor		Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			
HMAC 160-bit	160-bit HMAC-	Manually	Storage: Flash RAM in	Agreement: NA	Re-formatting flash	Crypto Officer
key 1	SHA1 for	entered	plaintext		memory	
	message			Entry: Manual		R W D
	verification		Type: Static			
				Output: None		
	Source: HIFN		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
HMAC 160-bit	160-bit HMAC-	Internal	Storage: Flash RAM in	Agreement: NA	Re-formatting flash	Crypto Officer
key 2	SHA1 for	generation by	plaintext		memory	
	message	FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
	verification	Hash_DRBG	Type: Static			
		in firmware		Output: None		
	Source:		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
	Broadcom		one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			
HMAC 160-bit	160-bit HMAC-	Internal	Storage: Flash RAM in	Agreement: NA	Re-formatting flash	Crypto Officer
key 3	SHA1 for	generation by	plaintext		memory	
	message	FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		R W D
	verification	Hash_DRBG	Type: Static			
		in firmware		Output: None		
	Source: Host		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
	Processor		one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
HMAC 256-bit	80-bit HMAC-	Hard coded	Storage: RAM plaintext	Agreement: NA	Update firmware	Crypto Officer
key	SHA256 for					
	integrity check		Type: Static	Entry: NA		R W D
	Source: Host		<b>Association</b> : The system is the	Output: None		
	Processor		one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory for the			
			respective session.			
Operator	Alphanumeric	Not generated	Storage: Non-Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Issue command	Crypto Officer
passwords	passwords	by the	plaintext		secure_pwd_reset()	
	externally	module;		Entry: Manual entry via		R W D
	generated by a	defined by the	Type: Static	console or SSH		User
	human user for	human user of		management session		
	authentication to	the module	Association: controlled by the			R W D
	the module.		operating system	Output: In encrypted		
				form only if using		
	Source: Host			RADIUS authentication		
	Processor					



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
Premaster	RSA-Encrypted	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Secret (48	Premaster Secret	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	None
Bytes)	Message	FIPS-approved		Entry: Input during TLS		
		Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral	negotiation		User
	Source: Host	in firmware				None
	Processor		<b>Association</b> : The system is the	Output: Output to peer		
			one and only owner.	encrypted by Public Key		
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory.			
Master Secret	Used for	Internal	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
(48 Bytes)	computing the	generation by	plaintext		module or power cycling	None
	Session Key	FIPS-approved		Entry: NA		
		Hash_DRBG	Type: Ephemeral			User
	Source: Host	in firmware		Output: NA		None
	Processor		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
			one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
Hash_DRBG V	440 bits long	Generated as	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
	value V used for	per section	plaintext		module or power cycling	None
	generating	10.1.1.2 of SP		Entry: NA		
	Hash_DRBG	800-90	Type: Ephemeral			User
				Output: NA		None
	Source: Host		<b>Association</b> : The system is the			
	Processor		one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory.			
Hash_DRBG C	440 bits long	Generated as	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
	constant C used	per section	plaintext		module or power cycling	None
	for generating	10.1.1.2 of SP		Entry: NA		
	Hash_DRBG	800-90	Type: Ephemeral			User
				Output: NA		None
	Source: Host		Association: The operating			None
	Processor		environment is the one and			
			only owner. Relationship is			
			maintained by the operating			
			environment via protected			
			memory.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
Hash_DRBG	Input string for	Generated as	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Entropy Input	DRBG	per section	plaintext		module or power cycling	None
String		10.1.1.2 of SP		Entry: NA		
	Source: Host	800-90	Type: Ephemeral			User
	Processor			Output: NA		None
			Association: The operating			None
			environment is the one and			
			only owner. Relationship is			
			maintained by the operating			
			environment via protected			
			memory.			
Hash_DRBG	Seed value for	Generated as	Storage: Volatile RAM in	Agreement: NA	Resetting / rebooting the	Crypto Officer
Seed Value	DRBG	per section	plaintext		module or power cycling	None
		10.1.1.2 of SP		Entry: NA		
	Source: Host	800-90	Type: Ephemeral			User
	Processor			Output: NA		None
			Association: The operating			None
			environment is the one and			
			only owner. Relationship is			
			maintained by the operating			
			environment via protected			
			memory.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
Public Key 1	RSA Public 2048-	Internal	Storage: Flash in plaintext	Agreement: NA	As this key is public, it does	Crypto Officer
	bit for verify	generation by			not need to be destroyed	R W D
	operations.	FIPS-approved	Type: Static	Entry: NA		
		Hash_DRBG				User
	Source: Host	in firmware	<b>Association</b> : The system is the	Output: NA		R
	Processor		one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			certificates.			
Public Key 2	RSA Public 2048-	Internal	Storage: Flash in plaintext	Agreement: NA	As this key is public, it does	Crypto Officer
	bit for	generation by			not need to be destroyed.	R W D
	key	FIPS-approved	Type: Static	Entry: NA		
	establishment for	Hash_DRBG				User
	TLS sessions.	in firmware	<b>Association</b> : The system is the	Output: NA		R
			one and only owner.			
	Source: Host		Relationship is maintained by			
	Processor		the operating system via			
			certificates.			
Private Key 1	RSA Private 2048-	Internal	Storage: Flash in plaintext	Agreement: NA	Re-formatting flash	Crypto Officer
	bit for sign	generation by			memory	R W D
	operations.	FIPS-approved	Type: Static	Entry: NA		
		Hash_DRBG				User
	Source: Host	in firmware	<b>Association</b> : The system is the	Output: NA		R
	Processor		one and only owner.			
			Relationship is maintained by			
			the operating system via			
			protected memory.			



Key/CSP Name	Description / Use	Generation	Storage	Establishment / Export	Destruction	Privileges
Private Key 2	RSA Private 2048-	Internal	Storage: Flash in plaintext	Agreement: NA	Re-formatting flash	Crypto Officer
	bit for	generation by			memory	R W D
	key	FIPS-approved	Type: Static	Entry: NA		
	establishment <sup>1</sup>	Hash_DRBG				User
	for TLS sessions	in firmware	<b>Association</b> : The system is the	Output: NA		R
			one and only owner.			
	Source: Host		Relationship is maintained by			
	Processor		the operating system via			
			protected memory.			

R = Read W = Write D = Delete

#### Table 11 - Key/CSP Management Details

Public keys are protected from unauthorized modification and substitution. The module ensures only authenticated operators have access to keys and functions that can generate keys. Unauthenticated operators do not have write access to modify, change, or delete a public key. For the session certificate, the module generates a PKCS10 certificate request (PKCS 10), and a standard Certificate Authority (CA) generates the certificate.

All keys can be zeroized by the Crypto Officer using the Zeroize CSPs service. The Crypto Officer can also return the module to Oracle Communications, where it can be reimaged. The reimaging process at Oracle also zeroizes all CSPs but is a different feature than the Zeroize CSPs service that is available to the Crypto Officer.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Key establishment methodology provides at least 112-bits of encryption strength



#### 2.10 Self-Tests

The module includes an array of self-tests that are run during startup and periodically during operations to prevent any secure data from being released and to ensure all components are functioning correctly. In the event of any self-test failure, the module will output an error dialog and will shutdown. When the module is in an error state, no keys or CSPs will be output and the module will not perform cryptographic functions.

The module does not support a bypass function.

The following sections discuss the module's self-tests in more detail.

#### 2.10.1 Power-On Self-Tests

Power-on self-tests are run upon every initialization of the module and if any of the tests fail, the module will not initialize. The module will enter an error state and no services can be accessed by the users. The module implements the following power-on self-tests:

Implementation	Self Tests Run
Hifn 8450	TRIPLE-DES known answer test
	AES known answer test
	HMAC-SHA1 known answer test <sup>2</sup>
BCM5862	TRIPLE-DES known answer test
	AES known answer test
	SHA1 known answer test
	HMAC-SHA1 known answer test
Intel Core Duo T2500	SHA1 and SHA256 known answer test
	<ul> <li>HMAC-SHA1 and HMAC-SHA256 known answer test</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Hash_DRBG test</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>DRBG Health Test as specified in SP 800-90 Section 11.3</li> </ul>
	Module integrity check using HMAC-SHA256
	RSA known answer test

Table 12 - Power-On Self-Tests

The module performs all power-on self-tests automatically when the module is initialized. All power-on self-tests must be passed before a User/Crypto Officer can perform services. The Power-on self-tests can be run on demand by rebooting the module in FIPS Mode of Operation.

#### **2.10.1.1 Status Output**

An operator can discern that all power-on self-tests have passed via normal operation of the module and the following log message.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Note: According to the CMVPFAQ p.57 "If a KAT is implemented for the HMAC-SHA-1, a KAT is not needed for the underlying SHA-1."



FIPS: KAT self test completed successfully.

FIPS: System is currently operating in FIPS 140-2

compatible mode.

In the event a POST fails, the module will output the following log message:

FIPS: ERROR - System is not in FIPS 140-2 compatible mode

FIPS: ERROR - <Test Name> failed.

#### For example:

FIPS: ERROR - RSA pair wise consistency test failed.

Note that data output will be inhibited while the module is in an error state (i.e., when a POST fails). No keys or CSPs will be output when the module is in an error state.

#### 2.10.2 Conditional Self-Tests

Conditional self-tests are test that run continuously during operation of the module. If any of these tests fail, the module will enter an error state. The module can be re-initialized to clear the error and resume FIPS mode of operation. No services can be accessed by the operators. The module performs the following conditional self-tests:

Implementation	Self Tests Run
Hifn 8450	None (not applicable)
BCM5862	Continuous HWRNG test
Intel Core Duo	Manual key entry test on manually-entered IPSec hash
T2500	authentication and data encryption keys via duplicate entry
	verification
	Continuous Hash_DRBG test
	Continuous test on output of seed mechanism
	RSA pairwise consistency test for sign/verify and encrypt/decrypt

Table 13 - Conditional Self-Tests

The module does not perform a firmware load test because no additional firmware can be loaded in the module while operating in FIPS mode.

## 2.10.2.1 Status Output

In the event a conditional self-test fails, the module will output the following log message:

FIPS: ERROR - System is not in FIPS 140-2 compatible mode

FIPS: ERROR - <Conditional Test Name> failed.

#### For example:

FIPS: ERROR - Continuous RNG test failed.



Note that data output will be inhibited while the module is in this error state. The module will self-correct this use case as follows:

Test	Remediation
Pairwise consistency test for RSA implementations	Generate a new RSA keypair and rerun test
Continuous test run on output of FIPS-approved	Generate a new value and rerun test
Hash_DRBG in firmware	
Continuous test on output of FIPS-approved	Generate a new value and rerun test
Hash_DRBG in firmware seed mechanism	
Manual key entry test on manually-entered IPSec hash	Prompt operator to re-enter value
authentication and data encryption keys	

Table 14 - Conditional Self Tests and Module Remediation

No keys or CSPs will be output when the module is in an error state.

# 2.11 Mitigation of Other Attacks

The module does not mitigate attacks.



## 3 Guidance and Secure Operation

This section describes how to configure the module for FIPS mode of operation. Operating the module without maintaining the following settings will remove the module from the FIPS mode of operation.

## 3.1 Crypto Officer Guidance

## 3.1.1 Enabling FIPS Mode and General Guidance

FIPS Mode is enabled by a license key installed by Oracle, which will open/lock down features where appropriate.

Additionally, the Crypto Officer must configure and enforce the following initialization procedures in order to operate in FIPS mode of operation<sup>3</sup>:

- Verify that the firmware version of the module is Version C6.3. No other version can be loaded or used in FIPS mode of operation.
- Ensure all media traffic is encapsulated in an IPSec or TLS tunnel as appropriate.
- Ensure all management traffic is encapsulated within an SSH session (i.e., Telnet should not be used in FIPS mode of operation).
- Ensure USB ports are not used in FIPS mode of operation.
- Ensure that the tamper evidence labels are applied by Oracle as specified in Section 3.1.2 Placement of Tamper Evidence Labels. The tamper evident labels shall be installed for the module to operate in a FIPS mode of operation.
- Inspect the tamper evident labels periodically to verify they are intact and the serial numbers on the applied tamper evident labels match the records in the security log.
- All operator passwords must be a minimum of 6 characters in length.
- When using RADIUS for authentication, ensure a secure tunnel (via IPSec or TLS) is established between the module and the RADIUS server.
- Booting from an external device is not allowed in FIPS mode of operation. The image must be booted from flash memory, which is configured with the following command:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The licensing may ensure most of these are met. The Crypto Officer should verify all details prior to operation in FIPS mode.



```
ACMEPACKET# configure terminal ACMEPACKET# bootparam
```

• Ensure use of FIPS-approved algorithms for TLS v1.0:

```
TLS_RSA_WITH_Triple-DES_EDE_CBC_SHA
TLS_DHE_RSA_WITH_Triple-DES_EDE_CBC_SHA
TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA
TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
TLS_DHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA
TLS_DHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
```

- Ensure RSA keys are at least 2048-bit keys. No 512-bit or 1024-bit keys can be used in FIPS mode of operation.
- Ensure only FIPS-approved algorithms are used for IPSec sessions:

```
Triple-DES
AES128CBC
AES256CBC
AES128CTR
AES256CTR
HMAC-SHA1
```

- Ensure the console windows used while manually entering keys are closed immediately after the configuration is complete.
- Do not disclose passwords and store passwords in a safe location and according to his/her organization's systems security policies for password storage.

## 3.1.2 Placement of Tamper Evidence Labels

To meet Physical Security Requirements for Level 2, the module enclosure must be protected with tamper evidence labels. The tamper evident labels shall be installed for the module to operate in a FIPS mode of operation. Oracle Communications applies the labels at time of manufacture; the Crypto Officer is responsible for ensuring the labels are applied as shown below. Once applied, the Crypto Officer shall not remove or replace the labels unless the module has shown signs of tampering. In the event of tampering or wear and tear on the labels, the Crypto Officer shall return the module to Oracle Communications, where it will be reimaged and returned with a new set of labels.

The Crypto Officer is responsible for

• Verifying the five labels are attached to the appliance as shown in the diagrams below,



• Maintaining the direct control and observation of any changes to the module such as reconfigurations to ensure the security of the module is maintained during such changes.

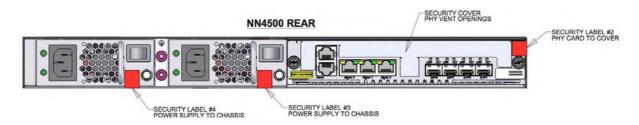
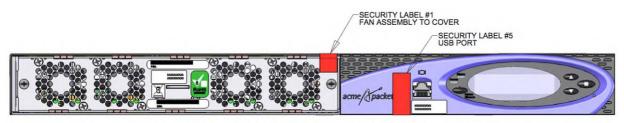


Figure 2 – Tamper Evidence Label Placement Rear



NN4500 FRONT (BEZEL AND AIR FILTER REMOVED)

Figure 3 – Tamper Evidence Label Placement Front



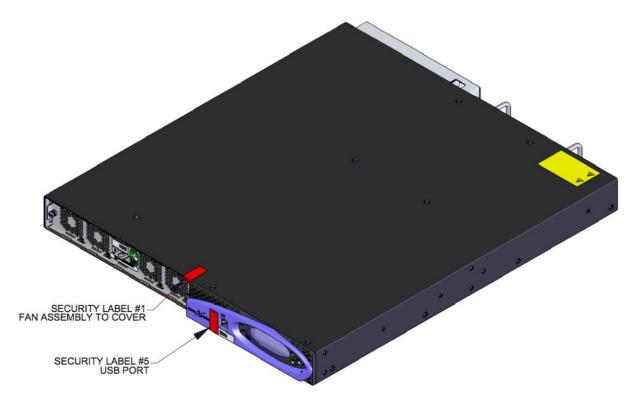


Figure 4 – Tamper Evidence Label Placement Top/Front



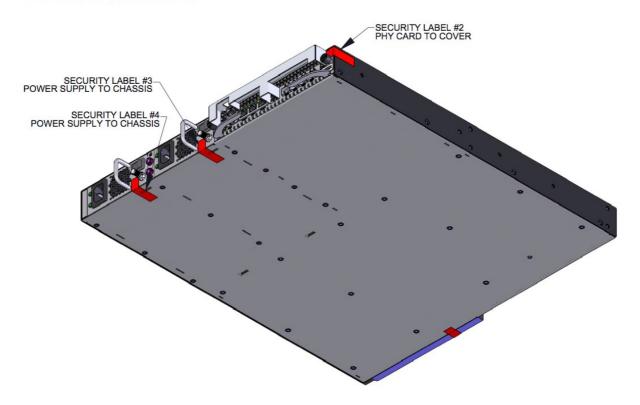


Figure 5 – Tamper Evidence Label Placement Rear Bottom

Note that Oracle Communications does offer the purchase of additional labels. If labels need to be replaced, please contact Oracle Communications to return the module for reimaging, and Oracle Communications will reimage the module and provide additional label (internal part number LBL-0140-60). To apply replacement labels, see instructions at the beginning of this section.

## 3.2 User Guidance

## 3.2.1 General Guidance

The User must not disclose passwords and must store passwords in a safe location and according to his/her organization's systems security policies for password storage.

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