M2UA Protocol Modules for TTCN-3 Toolset with TITAN, Function Specification

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# Introduction

## Revision History

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## How to Read this Document

This is the Function Specification for the M2UA protocol module. M2UA protocol module is developed for the TTCN-3 Toolset with TITAN. This document should be read together with the Product Revision Information [3].

## Scope

The purpose of this document is to specify the content of the M2UA protocol module.

## References

[1] IETF RFC 3331  
Signaling System 7 (SS7) Message Transfer Part 2 (MTP2) – User Adaptation Layer

[2] ETSI ES 201 873-1 v.3.1.1 (06/2005)  
The Testing and Test Control Notation version 3. Part 1: Core Language

[3] 109 21-CNL 113 465-1 Uen  
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[4] 1095-CRL 113 200 Uen  
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## Abbreviations

ISDN Integrated Services Digital Network

M2UA Message Transfer Part 2 User Application Layer Protocol

PDU Protocol Data Unit

TTCN-3 Testing and Test Control Notation version 3

## Terminology

TITAN TTCN-3 Test Executor (see [4]).

# General

Protocol modules implement the message structures of the related protocol in a formalized way, using the standard specification language TTCN-3. This allows defining of test data (templates) in the TTCN-3 language [2] and correctly encoding/decoding messages when executing test suites using the Titan TTCN-3 test environment.

Protocol modules are using Titan’s RAW encoding attributes [4] and hence are usable with the Titan test toolset only.

# Functional Specification

## Protocol Version Implemented

This set of protocol modules implements protocol messages and constants of M2UA protocol (see [1]).

## Modifications/deviations Related to the Protocol Specification

### Implemented messages

All M2UA message types of message classes 0, 3, 4, 6 and 10 as listed in chapter 3.1.4 of [1] will be implemented.

All M2UA parameters as listed in chapter 3.1.6 of [1] will be implemented.

### Protocol Modifications/Deviations

Although the interface identifier parameters 0x0001, 0x0008 (integer) and 0x0003 (text) are mutually exclusive (see e.g. chapter 3.3.2.7 in [1]), this restriction has not been implemented.

## Encoding/Decoding and Other Related Functions

This product also contains encoding/decoding functions that assure correct encoding of messages when sent from Titan and correct decoding of messages when received by Titan. Implemented encoding/decoding functions:

Name Type of formal parameters Type of return value  
**enc\_PDU\_M2UA PDU\_M2UA octetstring  
dec\_PDU\_M2UA octetstring PDU\_M2UA**

## Limitations

Debug log generation is not supported when this revision of this product is used with TITAN version R7A (1.7pl0), because the encoder/decoder functions, automatically generated by TITAN version R7A (1.7pl0) doesn't contain logging functions. Newer versions of TITAN supports the debug logging within the automatically generated encoder/decoder functions that can be activated by allowing the DEBUG\_ENCDEC (see TITAN TTCN-3 Test Executor Technical Reference, clause 7.2.3.2) in TITAN runtime configuration files.