A YANG data model for SDN-based key management with EDHOC and OSCORE (draft-marin-yang-edhoc-oscore-00)

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Introduction

- Software-Defined Networking (SDN) is an architecture that enables users to directly program, orchestrate, control and manage network resources through software.
- This model is being used in IoT networks.
- We have previous work to manage IKE and IPsec with SDN (RFC 9061)
- Idea: SDN-based management of EDHOC and OSCORE.
- Motivation: providing a centralized system for security associations using YANG and CORECONF

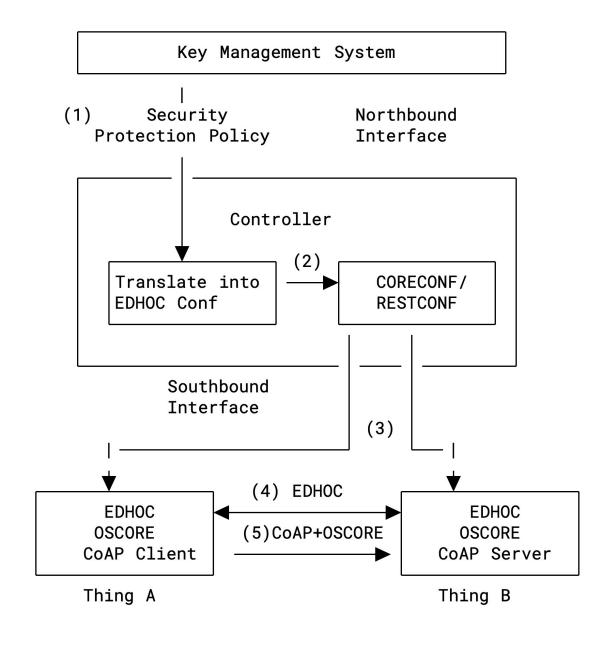
Steps

- Thing registration/onboarding in the SDN controller
- 2. The SDN controller can send configuration information about EDHOC and OSCORE to the Things based on the YANG data model

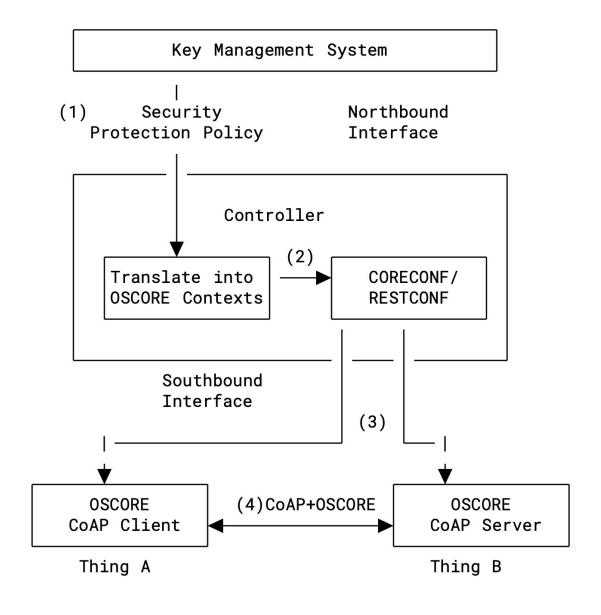
Thing registration/onboarding

- Before starting everything, the Thing needs to be authenticated under the Controller and to establish a security association between the Controller and the Thing to protect the exchanges.
- This is a preliminary step and it is assumed in the operation of SDN-based management for EDHOC and OSCORE.

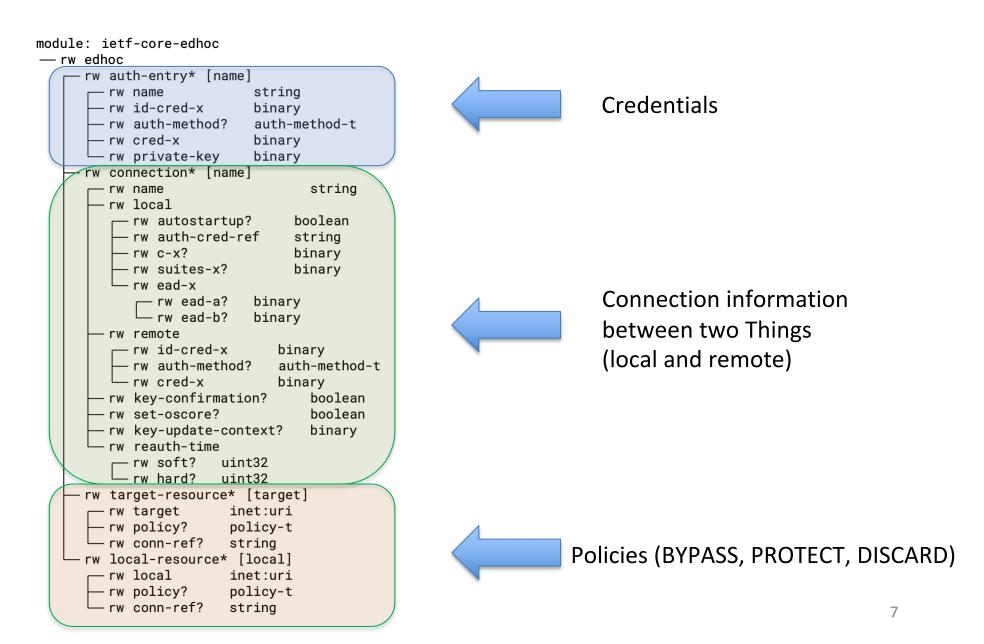
Case 1: EDHOC+OSCORE in the Thing



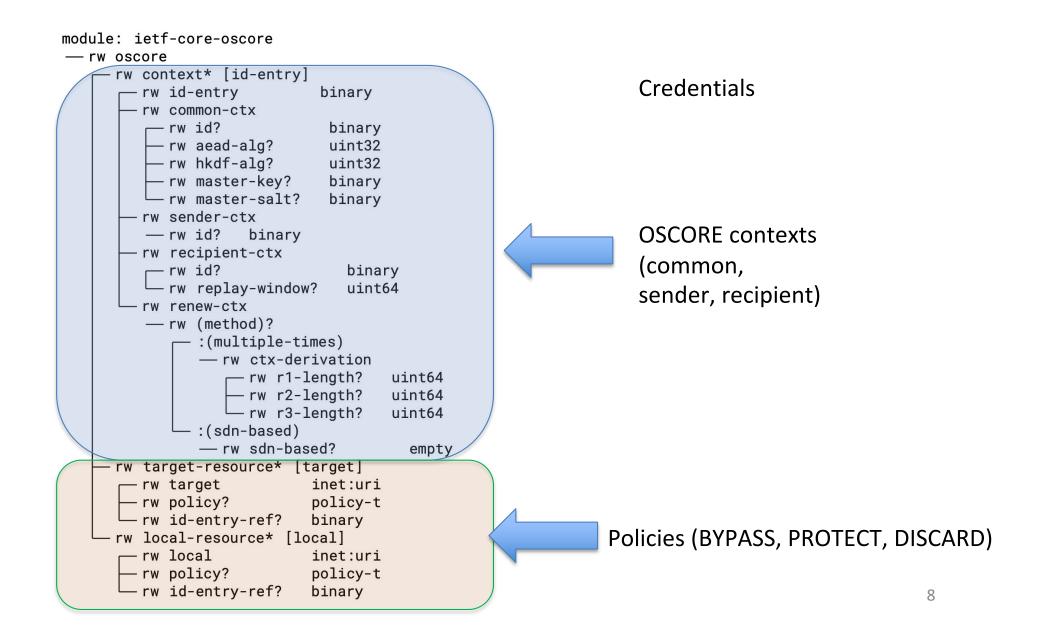
Case 2: OSCORE in the Thing



YANG Data Model - EDHOC

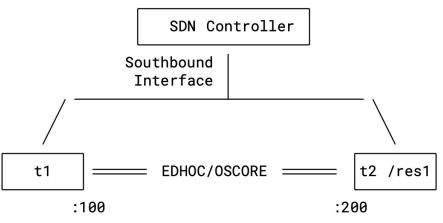


YANG Data Model - OSCORE



Example: EDHOC

```
<edhoc xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-core-edhoc"</pre>
    xmlns:nc="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:netconf:base:1.0">
    <auth-entry>
         <name>auth entry t1</name>
      <id-cred-x>base64encodedvalue==</id-cred-x>
      <private-key>base64encodedvalue==</private-key>
      <auth-method>signature-key</auth-method>
       <cred-x>base64encodedvalue==</cred-x>
    </auth-entry>
    <connection>
         <name>edhoc conn t1 t2</name>
         <local>
             <autostartup>true</autostartup>
           <auth-cred-ref>auth entry t1</auth-cred-ref>
             <c-x>Mzc=</c-x><!--37-->
             <suites-x>MDT=</suites-x><!--02-->
             <ead-x>\
                   \langle ead-a \rangle MDE = \langle /ead-a \rangle \langle !--01-- \rangle
                   \langle ead-b \rangle MDI = \langle /ead-b \rangle \langle !--02-- \rangle
             </ead-x>
         </local>
         <remote>
             <id-cred-x>base64encodedvalue==</id-cred-x>
             <cred-x>base64encodedvalue==</cred-x>
         </remote>
         <key-confirmation>true</key-confirmation>
         <set-oscore>true</set-oscore>
         <key-update-context/>
         <reauth-time/>
    </connection>
    <target-resource>
         <target>coap://2001:db8:cafe:123::200/res1</target>
         <policy>protect</policy>
         <conn-ref>edhoc conn t1 t2</conn-ref>
    </target-resource>
</edhoc>
```



(2001:db8:cafe:123:/64)

Example: OSCORE

```
<oscore
    xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-core-oscore"
    xmlns:nc="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:netconf:base:1.0">
    <context>
        <name>ctx-t1 t2</name>
                                                                                  SDN Controller
        <common-ctx>
            <id>Mzc6Y2I6ZjM6MjE6MDA6MTc6YTI6ZDM=</id>
                                                                             Southbound
            <aead-alg>10</aead-alg>
                                                                              Interface
              <hkdf-alg>1</hkdf-alg>
              <master-key>base64encodedvalue==</master-key>
              <master-salt>base64encodedvalue==</master-salt>
        </common-ctx>
        <sender-ctx>
                                                                                    OSCORE =
                                                                                                       t2/res1
                                                                   t1
            <id>MEY=</id><!-- OF -->
          </sender-ctx>
                                                                       :100
                                                                                                    :200
        <recipient-ctx>
            <id>MDE=</id>
                                                                            (2001:db8:cafe:123:/64)
        </recipient-ctx>
    </context>
    <target-resource>
        <target>coap://2001:db8:cafe:123::200/res1</target>
        <policy>protect</policy>
        <name-ref>ctx-t1 t2</name-ref>
    </target-resource>
</oscore>
```

Proof-of-concept

- Case 2 : OSCORE
 - YANG to CBOR library (pycoreconf)
 - AIOCOAP implementation for the Controller (CoAP client) and Things (CoAP server)
 - uedhoc-uoscore (modified to accept a config file with the oscore context generated from CBOR outcome)

Next steps

- Extending YANG data models
 - To include different extensions to OSCORE (e.g. KUDOS)
- Improving implementation
- Should we standardize these YANG data models?

Backup

Procedure (Python implementation)

- 1. XML or JSON to Python Dictionary
 - yanglint converts XML to JSON
 - Parse with xmltodict or json Python modules.

- 2. Get identifier : SID pairs (and data types) from model's SID file.
 - pyang --sid-generate-file \$START:\$NUM --sid-list --sid-extention \$YANG -p \$MODULES

Procedure (Python implementation)

3. Match identifiers & SIDs.

4. Encode in CBOR.

```
# map(1)

19 EA61  # unsigned(60001)

A2  # map(2)

01  # unsigned(1)

81  # array(1)

A4  # map(4)

01  # unsigned(1)
```