EMV Application Specification :: Application selection **Ahmed Hemdan Farghaly**

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Check out the previous article for overview about EMV transaction flow:

The first step in EMV transaction flow is Application selection.

https://www.linkedin.com/pulse/emv-application-specification-closer-look-

An EMV card may have several applications [Credit, ATM, Loyalty...]

And every terminal have a list of supported applications of it's own. [terminal support local & international card schemes like Meeza, visa, and MasterCard].

card, this is done using one of 2 methods:

The goal in this step is to select one application that is supported by terminal and

<u>Using a list of AIDs [terminal supported AIDs]:</u>

The terminal shall maintain a list of applications supported by the terminal identified

In this method, the terminal will try to select all the supported AIDs and build a list of applications [candidate list].

This is done by issuing a select command using every AID file name that it supports. Below is an example of a terminal tried to select several local and international card schemes but only succeed to select local card scheme (meeza):

CMD: 00 A4 04 00 07 A000000031010 00

CMD: 00 A4 04 00 07 A000000031020 00

RSP: 6A82 [response means selected file not found]

CMD: 00 A4 04 00 07 A000000032010 00

RSP: 6A82

by their AIDs.

RSP: 6A82

CMD: 00 A4 04 00 07 A000000044010 00

RSP: 6A82

CMD: 00 A4 04 00 07 A000000041010 00

CMD: 00 A4 04 00 07 A000000046000 00

CMD: 00 A4 04 00 07 A000000043060 00

RSP: 6A82

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CMD: 00 A4 04 00 08 A000000732100123 00

6F318408A000000732100123A52550056D65657A615F2D046172656E9F110106

9F12056D65657A61870101BF0C059F4D02151E 9000

RSP:

candidate list.

only when select command is successful (SW1 SW2 = 9000), the AID is added to the

PSE contains a list of applications available on the card.

In that case terminal will choose to select from the PSE list not all the supported AIDs

that it knows, this is much faster as the terminal will already know the AIDs supported

<u>Payment System Environment (PSE) method:</u>

by the card beforehand.

This is done by issuing a select command using a special application name (1PAY.SYS.DDF01): 00 A4 04 00 0E 315041592E5359532E4444463031 00

6F20840E315041592E5359532E4444463031A50E8801015F2D046172656E9F11 0106 9000

Only when select command is successful (SW1 SW2 = 9000), that means card

From the data returned in response to select command, terminal extract the short file identifier (SFI) [tag 88]

Terminal will use SFI to issue read commands (starting from 0x01 in our example) to

CMD: 00B2010C00

701E611C4F08A00000073210012350056D65657A619F12056D65657A61870101 9000 CMD: 00B2020C00

read all PSE information available.

the terminal will select this application.

then the terminal will have 2 options.

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support PSE.

RSP:

Only terminal supported AIDs retrieved in the above read command responses will be added to the candidate list.

1- there was no mutually support applications added to the candidate list [which

RSP: 6A83 [indicates that the record number requested does not exist]

The final step would be the final selection, which is of 3 cases:

means that none of the applications availble on the card are matched with one of the AIDs supported by the terminal], then the terminal will terminate the card session, and this concludes our journey with that card.

[only if Application Priority Indicator "tag 87" is present and bit8 of it's value = '1', the terminal shall requests confirmation and selects the application if the cardholder approves]. 3- there were several mutually supported applications added to the candidate list,

2- there was only one mutually support application added to the candidate list, then

selection. [preferred method] - or the terminal makes the selection based on the Application Priority Indicator.

[this option should not be used if one or more of the mutually supported applications'

Application Priority Indicator is present and bit8 of it's value = '1']

- either present all the supported applications to the cardholder to make the final

Next step will be initiating and Reading the selected application data.

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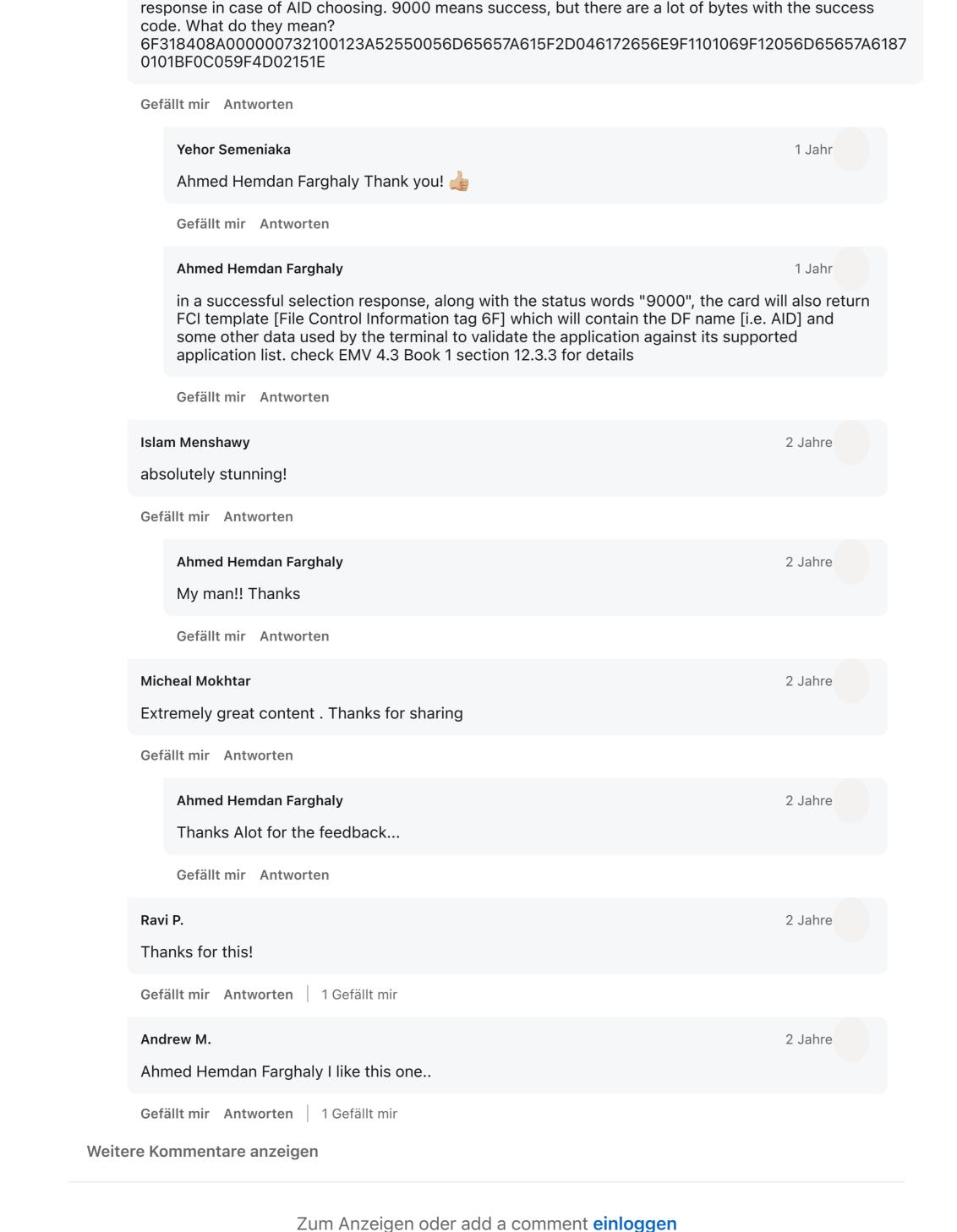
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