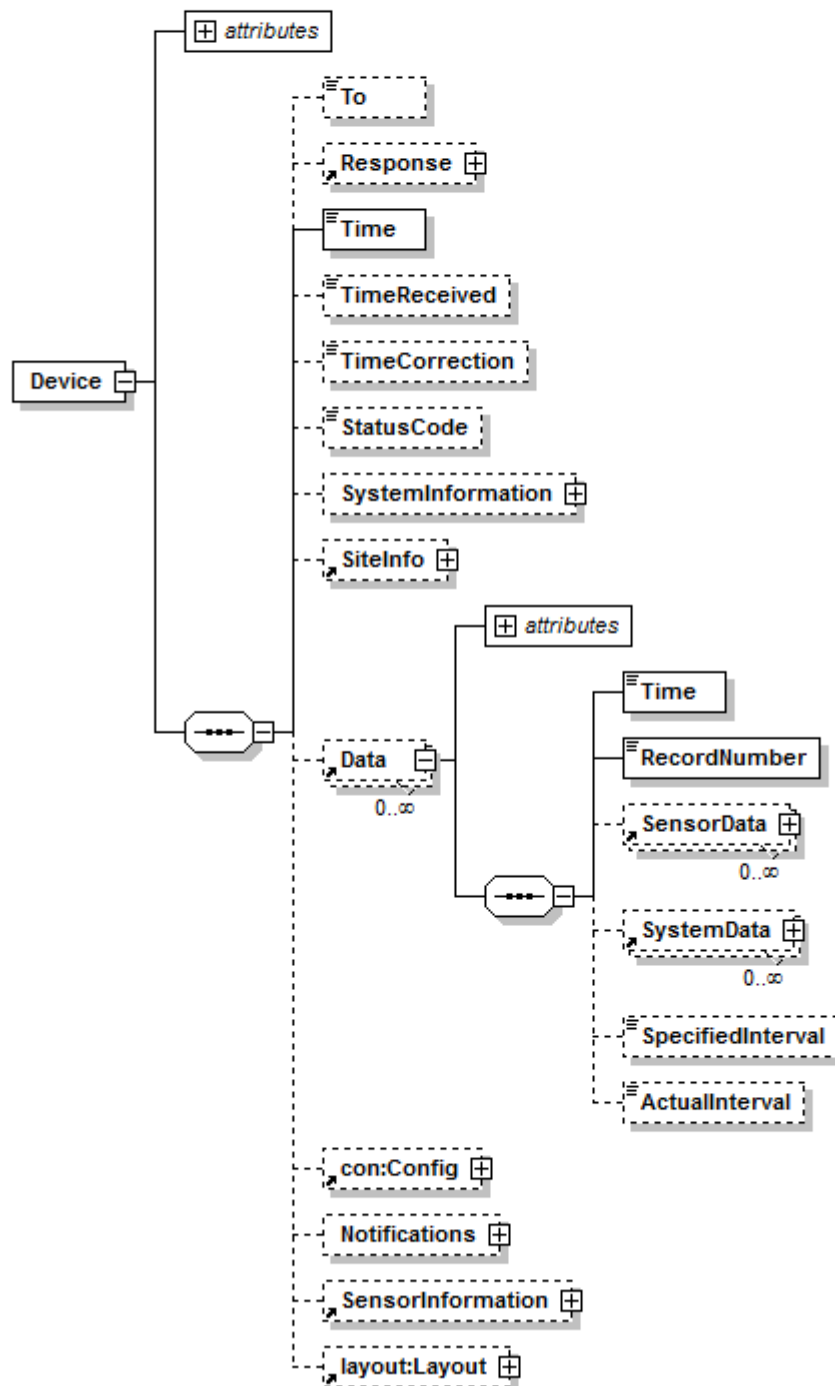




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Introduction

Purpose and scope

The purpose of this document is to describe the AADI Real-Time Output Protocol for

- The application engineer who will use this protocol to obtain and use the data transmitted from compliant AADI devices.
- The manager who needs to know the features and principles of the protocol down to the detail he or she chooses.

Related documents

TD268	AADI Real-Time Collector User's Manual
TD271	AADI Real-Time Communication
TD278	AADI Real-Time Programming Reference

CHAPTER 1 AADI Real-Time Output Protocol overview

The *AADI Real-Time Output Protocol* is used to transmit data from AADI devices in real-time.

The data messages from the device are framed to secure precise synchronisation. The frame includes a CRC16 checksum value which provides integrity control. Refer to CHAPTER 4 and CHAPTER 5 for a detailed description of the frame format.

The data is delivered as an XML formatted message. XML is a markup language designed to describe data and to focus on what data is (<http://w3schools.com/xml/default.asp>). XML is human readable although XML messages are generally read and interpreted by computer applications.

The precise definition of the protocol is given by the XML schema file *RTOutSchema.xsd*, which is available for download on www.aadi.no. Customers can register to get a user name and password required to gain access to manuals, technical notes and software. Please contact aadi.info@xyleminc.com for guidance.

Modern development tools such as *Microsoft Visual Studio* or *Altova XML Spy* provide several ways for quick and easy access to data in XML format using the defining schema file.

1.1 Message Types

There are three main scenarios in which data can be received from a connected device on the *AADI Real-Time Output Protocol*.

1.1.1 Non-pollled data

A device can be set up to automatically transmit data recordings at regular intervals, i.e. non-pollled mode. Each message contains all necessary information to identify the measured parameters and to be fully traceable down to every physical unit involved in the measurement.

The message content automatically adapts to the current configuration of the device.

1.1.2 Response to Control Messages

The *AADI Real-Time Control Protocol* may be used to remotely control supported devices. This includes starting and stopping the recorder, and changing the device configuration. Any response from the device will be formatted using the *AADI Real-Time Output Protocol*, but will usually just contain relevant return values rather than actual measurement data.

1.1.3 Notification Messages

A notification message is an asynchronous message sent by the device to notify about an event on the instrument. This notification message contains a *Notification* element, specifying the notification event, but may also contain associated measurement data, configuration or other information.

1.2 Protocol versioning

AADI reserves the right to update the protocol at any time. The current protocol version can be found in the *ProtocolVer* attribute of the root *Device* element in the schema. As of November 2011, the current protocol version is 6.0.

As a general rule, protocol updates will consist of adding new elements and attributes. Such changes should be considered non-breaking, and any custom protocol parsers should be able to handle those situations.

Breaking changes, such as the renaming or removal of existing elements, are avoided whenever possible.

The protocol version history may be found in CHAPTER 4.

CHAPTER 2 Protocol definition

The message body is a precisely defined XML structure. The primary reference must always be the XML schema file *RTOutSchema.xsd*, which is available for download on www.aadi.no.

Some of the attributes and elements in the Real-Time Output Protocol are optional; these attributes/elements are written inside dotted frames in the schema. Required attributes/elements are written inside solid line frames.

Some elements have the symbol $0..∞$ attached, this indicate that the element can be absent or can occur in one or more parallel instances.

Some elements have the symbol $1..∞$ attached, this indicate that the element will occur in at least one instance and possibly in several parallel instances.

The protocol definition is prepared for messages to be compiled in a full form version including optional content or as a reduced format including only the strictly required content.

A reduced format will consist of the required attributes/elements only, while the full form version also holds optional attributes and elements. Note that depending on the deployment context, not all optional attributes and elements will be present even in the full format version.

Each message starts with the standard XML declaration:

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>

This line defines the XML version (1.0) and the encoding used (UTF-8).

Elements	Complex types	Simple types
<u>Cell</u>	<u>DataNode</u>	<u>DeviceType</u>
<u>CellAttributes</u>	<u>Parameter</u>	
<u>Column</u>		
<u>ConnectionInterface</u>		
<u>Data</u>		
<u>Device</u>		
<u>Notification</u>		
<u>NotificationValue</u>		
<u>Parameters</u>		
<u>Point</u>		
<u>Profile</u>		
<u>Response</u>		
<u>ReturnValue</u>		
<u>SensorData</u>		
<u>SensorDependency</u>		
<u>SensorInfo</u>		
<u>SensorInformation</u>		
<u>ServiceInfo</u>		
<u>SiteInfo</u>		
<u>Spectrum</u>		
<u>SystemData</u>		
<u>SystemInfo</u>		
<u>TimeSeries</u>		
<u>Vector</u>		
<u>VersionInfo</u>		

element **Cell**

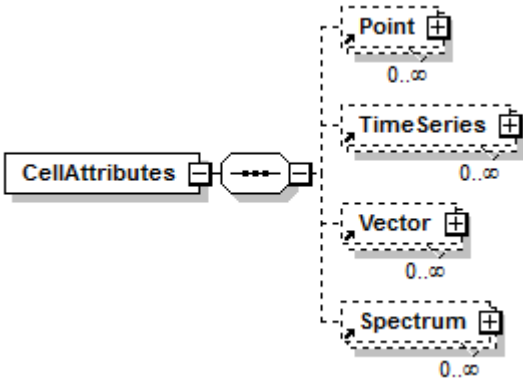
Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>Point</u> <u>TimeSeries</u> <u>Vector</u> <u>Spectrum</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Column</u>				
Attributes	Name <u>Index</u>	Type xs:int	Use required	Default	Fixed	Annotation The cell index in the current column. The index values spans from 0 to Column/NumCells – 1. Index 0 refers to the cell closest to the reference.
Annotation	Represents a single cell in a profiler column. Each cell contains one or more parameters. Each of these parameters are linked to the matching CellAttributes parameter by the parameter ID. The ID is the only attribute used for parameters below the Cell element.					

attribute **Cell/@Index**

Type	xs:int				
Properties	isRef	0			
	use	required			

<i>Annotation</i>	The cell index in the current column. The index values spans from 0 to Column/NumCells – 1. Index 0 refers to the cell closest to the reference.
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element **CellAttributes**

Diagram			
Properties	content	complex	
Children	<u>Point</u> <u>TimeSeries</u> <u>Vector</u> <u>Spectrum</u>		
Used by	element	<u>Column</u>	
Annotation	Represents the metadata for each parameter in each cell in a profiler column.		

element **Column**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>StatusCode</u> <u>CellAttributes</u> <u>Cell</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Profile</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>Index</u>	xs:int	required			Column index (unique in this profile).
	<u>SurfaceReferred</u>	xs:boolean	optional			Surface referred (true/false).
	<u>ColumnStart</u>	xs:double	optional			Distance from reference (surface or device) in [m].
	<u>CellSize</u>	xs:double	optional			Cell size in [m].
	<u>NumCells</u>	xs:int	optional			Number of cells in the column.

	<u>CellOverlap</u> xs:double optional Cell overlap in [%].
<i>Annotation</i>	Represents a profiler column, containing one or more cells.

attribute **Column/@Index**

<i>Type</i>	xs:int
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>use</i> required
<i>Annotation</i>	Column index (unique in this profile).

attribute **Column/@SurfaceReferred**

<i>Type</i>	xs:boolean
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>use</i> optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Surface referred (true/false).

attribute **Column/@ColumnStart**

<i>Type</i>	xs:double
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>use</i> optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Distance from reference (surface or device) in [m].

attribute **Column/@CellSize**

<i>Type</i>	xs:double
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>use</i> optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Cell size in [m].

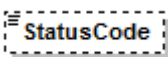
attribute **Column/@NumCells**

<i>Type</i>	xs:int
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>use</i> optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Number of cells in the column.

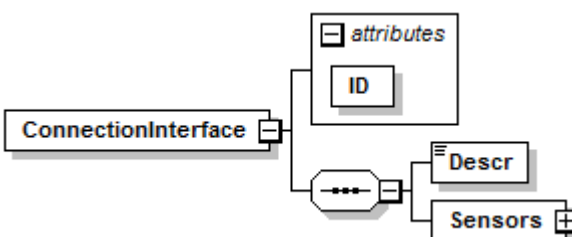
attribute **Column/@CellOverlap**

<i>Type</i>	xs:double
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>use</i> optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Cell overlap in [%].

element **Column/StatusCode**

Diagram										
Type	xs:int									
Properties	<table><tr><td>isRef</td><td>0</td></tr><tr><td>minOcc</td><td>0</td></tr><tr><td>maxOcc</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>content</td><td>simple</td></tr></table>		isRef	0	minOcc	0	maxOcc	1	content	simple
isRef	0									
minOcc	0									
maxOcc	1									
content	simple									
Annotation	Column status code. Usually not present if everything is OK.									

element **ConnectionInterface**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>Descr</u> <u>Sensors</u>					
Used by	element	<u>SensorInformation/ConnectionInterfaces</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:int	required			Connection interface ID.
Annotation	Represents a connection interface and the sensors that belong to it.					

attribute **ConnectionInterface/@ID**

Attribute: ConnectionInterfaceID		
Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Connection interface ID.	

element **ConnectionInterface/Descr**

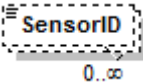
Diagram		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	content	simple
Annotation	Connection interface description.	

element **ConnectionInterface/Sensors**

Diagram		
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Properties	isRef	0
	content	complex
Children	<u>SensorID</u>	
Annotation	List of sensors on this connection interface.	

element **ConnectionInterface/Sensors/SensorID**

Diagram		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	unbounded
	content	simple
Annotation	Sensor ID.	

element **Data**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>Time</u> <u>RecordNumber</u> <u>SensorData</u> <u>SystemData</u> <u>SpecifiedInterval</u> <u>ActualInterval</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Device</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>SessionID</u>	xs:string	required			ID identifying a recorder session. Updated every time the recorder is restarted.
	<u>GroupID</u>	xs:int				Value specifying which recording group that generated this dataset. Only relevant on devices with multi-group recorders.
	<u>GroupDescr</u>					The name/description of the recorder group. Only relevant on devices with multi-group recorders.

<i>Annotation</i>	Represents a dataset with data from one or more sensors and/or system nodes.
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attribute **Data/@SessionID**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>use</i>	required	
<i>Annotation</i>	ID identifying a recorder session. Updated every time the recorder is restarted.		


attribute **Data/@GroupID**

<i>Type</i>	xs:int		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
<i>Annotation</i>	Value specifying which recording group that generated this dataset. Only relevant on devices with multi-group recorders.		

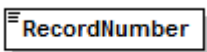
attribute **Data/@GroupDescr**

<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
<i>Annotation</i>	The name/description of the recorder group. Only relevant on devices with multi-group recorders.		

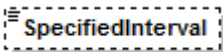
element **Data/Time**

<i>Diagram</i>			
<i>Type</i>	xs:dateTime		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>content</i>	simple	
<i>Annotation</i>	The time when the data were actually collected from the sensors. This may differ from the timestamp in the Device element.		

element **Data/RecordNumber**

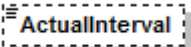
<i>Diagram</i>			
<i>Type</i>	xs:int		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>content</i>	simple	
<i>Annotation</i>	Data record number. The record number starts at 0 and increments by 1 for each new record. The upper limit is 2^31 (signed 32bit integer), at which point the sequence starts from 1 again.		

element **Data/SpecifiedInterval**

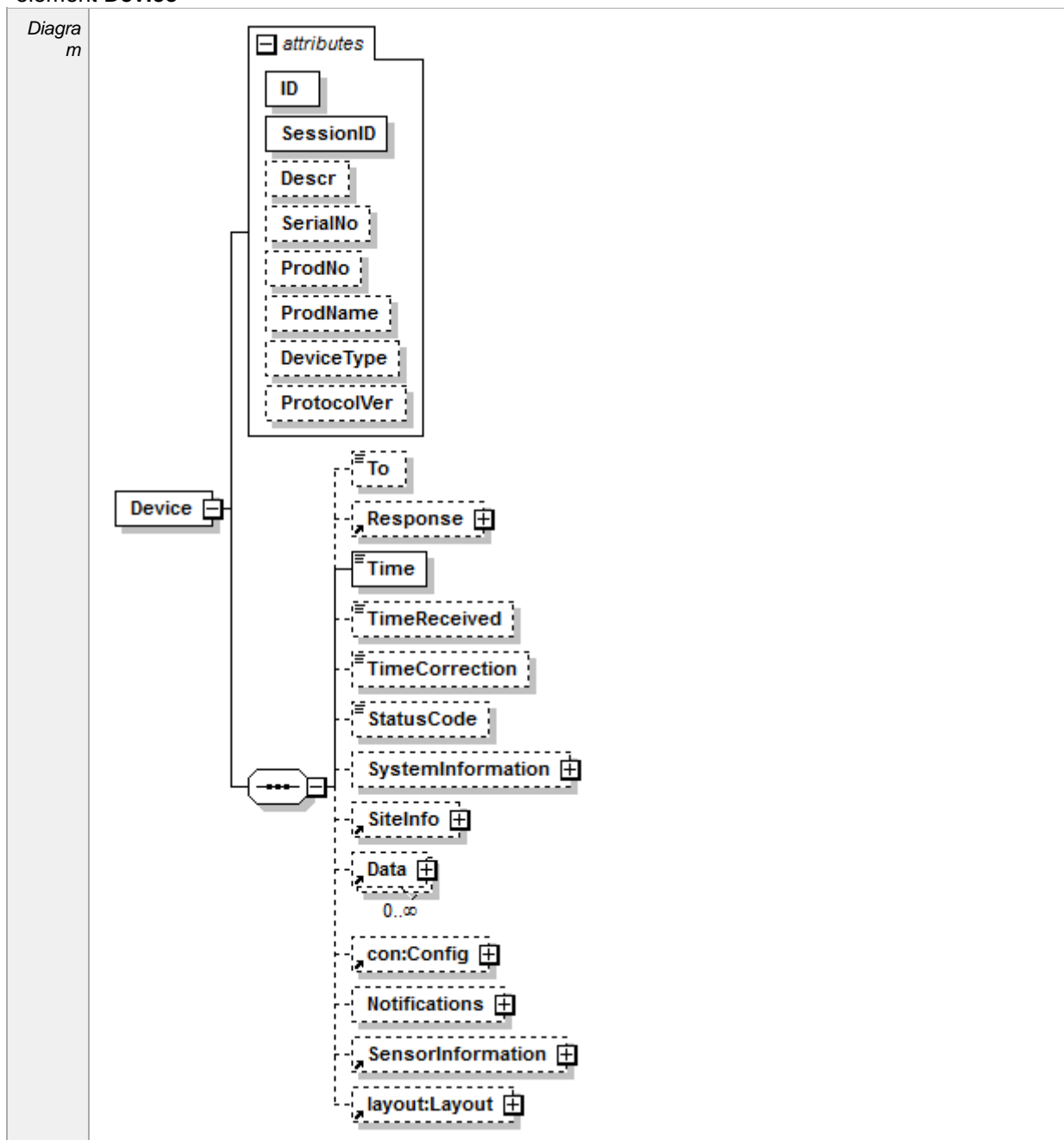
<i>Diagram</i>			
<i>Type</i>	xs:double		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>minOcc</i>	0	
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1	
	<i>content</i>	simple	

<i>Annotation</i>	The interval specified in the device configuration (decimal seconds). This may differ from the actual interval.
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element **Data/ActualInterval**

<i>Diagram</i>			
<i>Type</i>	xs:double		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>minOcc</i>	0	
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1	
	<i>content</i>	simple	
<i>Annotation</i>	The actual interval since the previous recording (decimal seconds).		

element **Device**



Properties	content complex					
Children	<u>To</u> <u>Response</u> <u>Time</u> <u>TimeReceived</u> <u>TimeCorrection</u> <u>StatusCode</u> <u>SystemInformation</u> <u>SiteInfo</u> <u>Data</u> <u>Config</u> <u>Notifications</u> <u>SensorInformation</u> <u>Layout</u>					
Attributes	<u>Name</u> <u>ID</u> <u>SessionID</u> <u>Descr</u> <u>SerialNo</u> <u>ProdNo</u> <u>ProdName</u> <u>DeviceType</u> <u>ProtocolVer</u>	Type xs:string xs:string xs:string xs:string xs:string xs:string DeviceType xs:double	Use required required optional optional optional optional optional optional	Default 	Fixed 	Annotation Globally unique device ID, usually built from the device product number and serial number. Session ID. updated when the device config changes. User-defined device description. Device serial number. Device product number. Device product name. Device type (Instrument or Sensor). Version number of the AADI Real-Time Output Protocol.
Annotation	Represents the root element in any device message.					

attribute **Device/@ID**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Globally unique device ID, usually built from the device product number and serial number.	

attribute **Device/@SessionID**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Session ID. updated when the device config changes.	

attribute **Device/@Descr**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	User-defined device description.	

attribute **Device/@SerialNo**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Device serial number.	

attribute **Device/@ProdNo**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0

	<i>use</i> optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Device product number.

attribute **Device/@ProdName**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Device product name.	


attribute **Device/@DeviceType**

<i>Type</i>	DeviceType		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>use</i>	optional	
<i>Facets</i>	<i>Kind</i>	<i>Value</i>	<i>Annotation</i>
	enumeration	Instrument	
	enumeration	Sensor	
<i>Annotation</i>	Device type (Instrument or Sensor).		

attribute **Device/@ProtocolVer**

<i>Type</i>	xs:double	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Version number of the AADI Real-Time Output Protocol.	

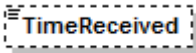
element **Device/To**

Diagram			
Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	minOcc	0	
	maxOcc	1	
	content	simple	
Annotation	The specific recipient of this message (if any). Typically used when the device sends a response to a control message.		

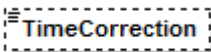
element **Device/Time**

Diagram			
Type	xs:dateTime		
Properties	isRef	0	
	content	simple	
Annotation	The UTC timestamp when the current message was compiled for transmission.		

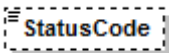
element **Device/TimeReceived**

Diagram			
Type	xs:dateTime		
Properties	isRef	0	
	minOcc	0	
	maxOcc	1	
	content	simple	
Annotation	UTC timestamp for when received by PC software such as the AADI RT Collector.		

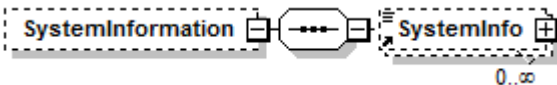
element **Device/TimeCorrection**

Diagram			
Type	xs:double		
Properties	isRef	0	
	minOcc	0	
	maxOcc	1	
	content	simple	
Annotation	Accumulated time correction applied to device since last power-up (decimal seconds). Only relevant for devices that support time adjustment commands.		

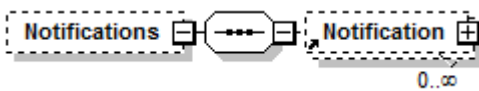
element **Device/StatusCode**

Diagram			
Type	xs:int		
Properties	isRef	0	
	minOcc	0	
	maxOcc	1	
	content	simple	
Annotation	Device status code. Usually not present if everything is OK.		

element **Device/SystemInformation**

Diagram			
Properties	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>minOcc</i>	0	
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1	
	<i>content</i>	complex	
Children	<u>SystemInfo</u>		
Annotation	List of static system parameters, such as location of vertical position.		

element **Device/Notifications**

Diagram			
Properties	isRef	0	
	minOcc	0	
	maxOcc	1	
	content	complex	
Children	<u>Notification</u>		
Annotation	Notifications or alarms from the device.		

element **Notification**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>Info</u> <u>Level</u> <u>NotificationValues</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Device/Notifications</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>Time</u>	xs:dateTime	required			Notification timestamp.
	<u>ID</u>	xs:int	required			Notification ID.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Notification description (always same for the same ID).
Annotation	Represents a notification of some kind from the device.					

attribute **Notification/@Time**

Attributes Notification/Offline		
Type	xs:dateTime	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Notification timestamp.	

attribute **Notification/@ID**

Attribute Notification ID		
Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Notification ID.	

attribute **Notification/@Descr**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Notification description (always same for the same ID).	

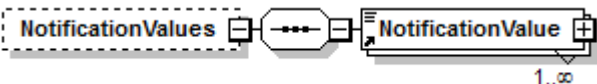
element **Notification/Info**

Diagram		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	1
	content	simple
Annotation	A text describing this particular notification.	

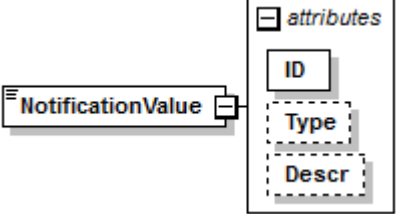
element **Notification/Level**

Diagram		
Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	1
	content	simple
Annotation	Notification level (0=System, 10=Information, 20=Warning, 30=Error).	

element **Notification/NotificationValues**

Diagram		
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	1
	content	complex
Children	<u>NotificationValue</u>	
Annotation	List of additional notification data.	

element **NotificationValue**

Diagram						
Type	extension of xs:string					
Properties	content	complex				
Used by	element	<u>Notification/NotificationValues</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:int	required			Notification value ID.
	<u>Type</u>	xs:string	optional			Data type.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Notification value description.
Annotation	Represents additional information or values in a device notification.					

attribute **NotificationValue/@ID**

Type	xs:int		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	required	
Annotation	Notification value ID.		

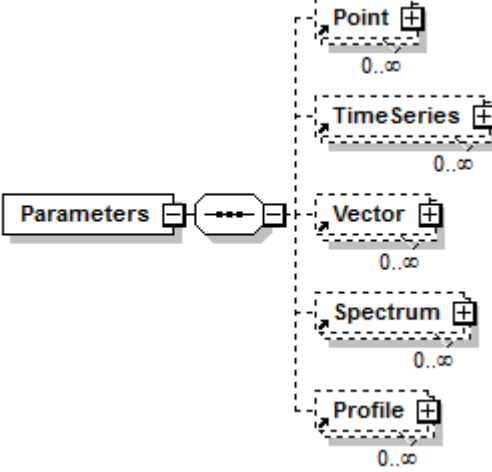
attribute **NotificationValue/@Type**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Data type.	

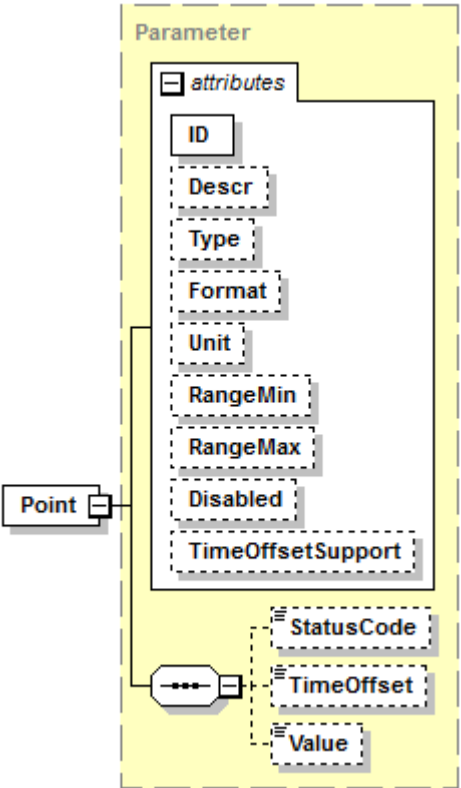
attribute **NotificationValue/@Descr**

Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	optional	
Annotation	Notification value description.		

element **Parameters**

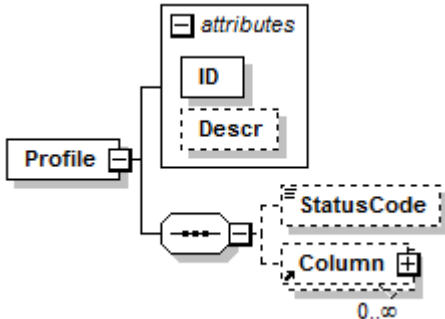
Diagram		
Properties	content	complex
Children	<u>Point</u> <u>TimeSeries</u> <u>Vector</u> <u>Spectrum</u> <u>Profile</u>	
Used by	element	<u>SensorInfo</u>
	complexType	<u>DataNode</u>
Annotation	Represents a list of measurement parameters (values).	

element **Point**

Diagram		
Type	<u>Parameter</u>	
Properties	content	complex
Children	<u>StatusCode</u> <u>TimeOffset</u> <u>Value</u>	
Used by	element	<u>Cell</u> <u>CellAttributes</u> <u>Parameters</u>

Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			A unique ID (within the sensor) for this specific parameter.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Parameter description, e.g. pressure or temperature.
	<u>Type</u>	xs:string	optional			The data type of the parameter value.
	<u>Format</u>	xs:string	optional			The number format of the parameter value.
	<u>Unit</u>	xs:string	optional			The physical unit of the parameter value, e.g. kPa or DegC.
	<u>RangeMin</u>	xs:string	optional			The minimum parameter value.
	<u>RangeMax</u>	xs:string	optional			The maximum parameter value.
	<u>Disabled</u>	xs:boolean	optional			Value indicating if the parameter is disabled (value not recorded).
	<u>TimeOffsetSupport</u>	xs:boolean	optional			Value indicating if time offset information is supported on this parameter (default is false).
Annotation	Represents a point parameter (single value measurement).					

element Profile

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>StatusCode</u> <u>Column</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Parameters</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			A unique ID (within the sensor) for this specific parameter.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Parameter description.
Annotation	Represents data from a profiler, containing one or more columns.					

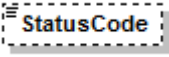
attribute Profile/@ID

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	A unique ID (within the sensor) for this specific parameter.	

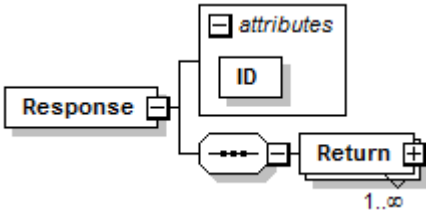
attribute Profile/@Descr

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Type	xs:string
Properties	isRef0
	useoptional
Annotation	Parameter description.

element **Profile/StatusCode**

Diagram		
Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	1
	content	simple
Annotation	Profile status code. Usually not present if everything is OK.	

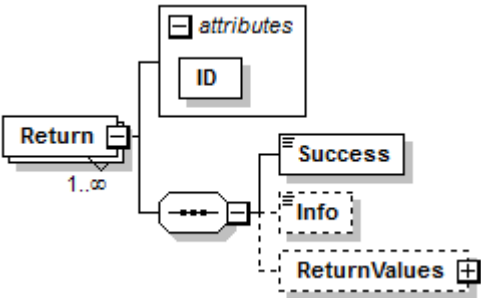
element **Response**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>Return</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Device</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			Response message ID. Always equal to the Control message ID which triggered this response.
Annotation	Represents a response to a control message.					

attribute **Response/@ID**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Response message ID. Always equal to the Control message ID which triggered this response.	

element **Response/Return**

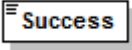
Diagram		
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	1

	<i>maxOcc</i>	unbounded				
	<i>content</i>	complex				
<i>Children</i>	<u>Success</u> <u>Info</u> <u>ReturnValues</u>					
<i>Attributes</i>	<i>Name</i> <u>ID</u>	<i>Type</i> xs:int	<i>Use</i> required	<i>Default</i>	<i>Fixed</i>	<i>Annotation</i> Control command ID.
<i>Annotation</i>	List of responses to individual control commands in the response.					


attribute **Response/Return/@ID**

<i>Type</i>	xs:int					
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0				
	<i>use</i>	required				
<i>Annotation</i>	Control command ID.					

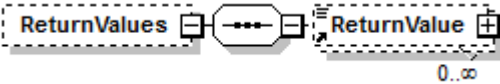
element **Response/Return/Success**

<i>Diagram</i>						
<i>Type</i>	xs:boolean					
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0				
	<i>content</i>	simple				
<i>Annotation</i>	Value indicating if the control command was successfully executed.					

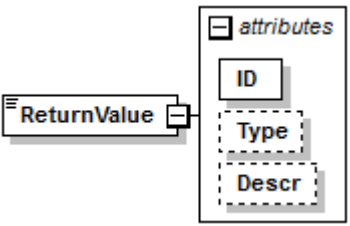
element **Response/Return/Info**

<i>Diagram</i>						
<i>Type</i>	xs:string					
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0				
	<i>minOcc</i>	0				
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1				
	<i>content</i>	simple				
<i>Annotation</i>	More info about the success status. May be empty if the command was successful.					

element **Response/Return/ReturnValues**

<i>Diagram</i>						
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0				
	<i>minOcc</i>	0				
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1				
	<i>content</i>	complex				
<i>Children</i>	<u>ReturnValue</u>					
<i>Annotation</i>	List of return values.					

element **ReturnValue**

Diagram						
Type	extension of xs:string					
Properties	content	complex				
Used by	element	<u>Response/Return/ReturnValues</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:int	required			Return value ID.
	<u>Type</u>	xs:string	optional			Data type.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Return value description.
Annotation	Represents a single return value in a response to a control message.					

attribute **ReturnValue/@ID**

Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Return value ID.	

attribute **ReturnValue/@Type**

Attributes: <i>Return Value: 0</i> <i>Type</i>		
<i>Type</i>	xs:string	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Data type.	

attribute **ReturnValue/@Descr**

Attributes: Return Value, Q1000:		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Return value description.	

element **SensorData**

Diagram	<p>The diagram illustrates the structure of the SensorData element, which is an extension of DataNode. It is shown as a yellow box containing two main parts: a top section for attributes and a bottom section for parameters. The top section, labeled attributes, includes ID, Descr, and NodeTypeID. The bottom section, labeled Parameters, includes StatusCode, TimeOffset, and Parameters. Below the yellow box, there is another attributes group containing SerialNo, ProdNo, ProdName, Adr, ProtocolVer, VerticalPosition, GeoPosition, and IsVirtual.</p>																																																																								
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attribute **SensorData/@SerialNo**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Sensor serial number.	

attribute **SensorData/@ProdNo**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Sensor product number.	

attribute **SensorData/@ProdName**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Sensor product name.	

attribute **SensorData/@Adr**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Internal AiCaP address.	

attribute **SensorData/@ProtocolVer**

Type	xs:double	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Protocol version.	

attribute **SensorData/@VerticalPosition**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	The deployment depth (negative value) or altitude (positive value) of this particular sensor.	

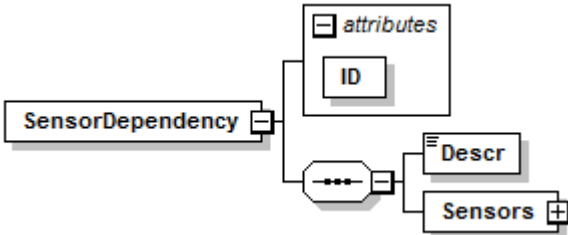
attribute **SensorData/@GeoPosition**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	WGS-84 coordinates in Lat/Lon decimal degrees format (DD).	

attribute **SensorData/@IsVirtual**

Type	xs:boolean	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	True if the sensor is virtual, otherwise false.	

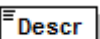
element **SensorDependency**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>Descr</u> <u>Sensors</u>					
Used by	element	<u>SensorInformation/SensorDependencies</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:int	required			Dependency group ID.
Annotation	Represents a sensor dependency group (a group of sensors that must be in the same recorder group).					


attribute **SensorDependency/@ID**

Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Dependency group ID.	

element **SensorDependency/Descr**

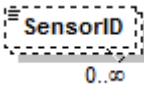
Diagram		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	content	simple
Annotation	Dependency group description.	

element **SensorDependency/Sensors**

Diagram			
Properties	isRef	0	
	content	complex	
Children	<u>SensorID</u>		

<i>Annotation</i>	List of sensors in this dependency group.
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element **SensorDependency/Sensors/SensorID**

Diagram		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	unbounded
	content	simple
Annotation	Sensor ID.	

element **SensorInfo**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>ProcessingTime</u> <u>Parameters</u> <u>VersionInformation</u> <u>ServiceInfo</u>					
Used by	element	<u>SensorInformation</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			Sensor ID.
	<u>SerialNo</u>	xs:string	optional			Sensor serial number.
	<u>ProdNo</u>	xs:string	optional			Sensor product number.
	<u>ProdName</u>	xs:string	optional			Sensor product name.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Sensor description.

	<u>Adr</u>	xs:string	optional	Internal AiCaP address.
	<u>ProtocolVer</u>	xs:double	optional	Protocol version.
	<u>IsVirtual</u>	xs:boolean	optional	Value indicating if the sensor is virtual.
	<u>GeoPosition</u>	xs:string	optional	WGS-84 coordinates in Lat/Lon decimal degrees format (DD).
	<u>VerticalPosition</u>	xs:string	optional	Height (positive) or depth (negative) of sensor location.
	<u>NodeTypeID</u>	xs:int	optional	AADI node type (category) ID.
<i>Annotation</i>	Represents the metadata from a single sensor.			

attribute **SensorInfo/@ID**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string			
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0		
	<i>use</i>	required		
<i>Annotation</i>	Sensor ID.			

attribute **SensorInfo/@SerialNo**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string			
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0		
	<i>use</i>	optional		
<i>Annotation</i>	Sensor serial number.			

attribute **SensorInfo/@ProdNo**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string			
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0		
	<i>use</i>	optional		
<i>Annotation</i>	Sensor product number.			

attribute **SensorInfo/@ProdName**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string			
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0		
	<i>use</i>	optional		
<i>Annotation</i>	Sensor product name.			

attribute **SensorInfo/@Descr**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string			
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0		
	<i>use</i>	optional		
<i>Annotation</i>	Sensor description.			

attribute **SensorInfo/@Adr**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string			
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0		

	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Internal AiCaP address.	

attribute **SensorInfo/@ProtocolVer**

<i>Type</i>	xs:double	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Protocol version.	

attribute **SensorInfo/@IsVirtual**

<i>Type</i>	xs:boolean	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Value indicating if the sensor is virtual.	

attribute **SensorInfo/@GeoPosition**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	WGS-84 coordinates in Lat/Lon decimal degrees format (DD).	

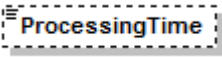
attribute **SensorInfo/@VerticalPosition**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	Height (positive) or depth (negative) of sensor location.	

attribute **SensorInfo/@NodeTypeID**

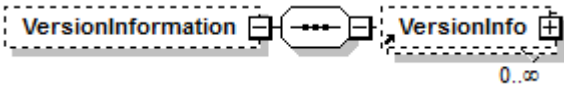
<i>Type</i>	xs:int	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>use</i>	optional
<i>Annotation</i>	AADI node type (category) ID.	

element **SensorInfo/ProcessingTime**

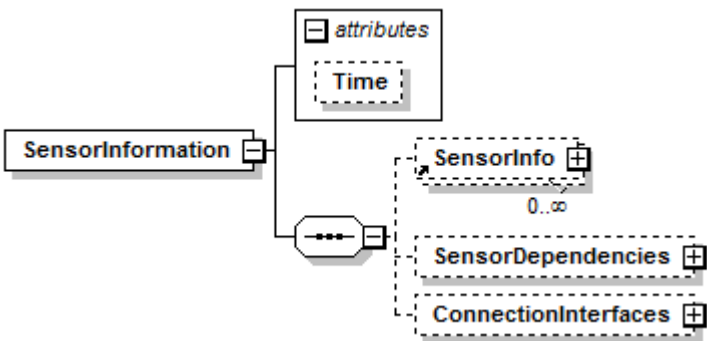
<i>Diagram</i>		
<i>Type</i>	xs:int	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>minOcc</i>	0
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1
	<i>content</i>	simple

<i>Annotation</i>	Processing time in ms.
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element **SensorInfo/VersionInformation**

Diagram		
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	1
	content	complex
Children	<u>VersionInfo</u>	
Annotation	List of version information for software and hardware components.	

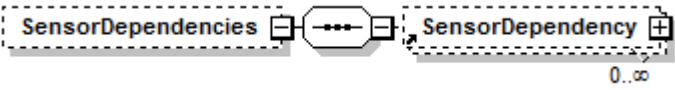
element **SensorInformation**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>SensorInfo</u> <u>SensorDependencies</u> <u>ConnectionInterfaces</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Device</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>Time</u>	xs:dateTime				Sensor information timestamp.
Annotation	Represents a collection of sensor metadata.					

attribute **SensorInformation/@Time**

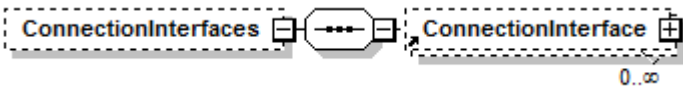
Type	xs:dateTime		
Properties	isRef	0	
Annotation	Sensor information timestamp.		

element **SensorInformation/SensorDependencies**

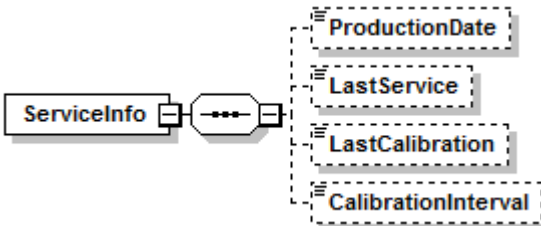
<i>Diagram</i>					
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0			
	<i>minOcc</i>	0			
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1			
	<i>content</i>	complex			

Children	<u>SensorDependency</u>
Annotation	List of sensor dependency groups.

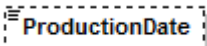
element **SensorInformation/ConnectionInterfaces**

Diagram										
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minOcc	0									
maxOcc	1									
content	complex									
Children	<u>ConnectionInterface</u>									
Annotation	List of connection interfaces.									

element **ServiceInfo**

Diagram		
Properties	content	complex
Children	<u>ProductionDate</u> <u>LastService</u> <u>LastCalibration</u> <u>CalibrationInterval</u>	
Used by	element	<u>SensorInfo</u>
Annotation	Represents service and calibration information for a sensor.	

element **ServiceInfo/ProductionDate**

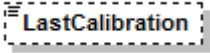
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minOcc	0									
maxOcc	1									
content	simple									
Annotation	Sensor production date.									

element **ServiceInfo/LastService**

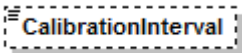
Element ServiceInfo/LastService		
Diagram		
Type	xs:date	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0

	<i>maxOcc</i> 1 <i>content</i> simple
<i>Annotation</i>	Date of last service.

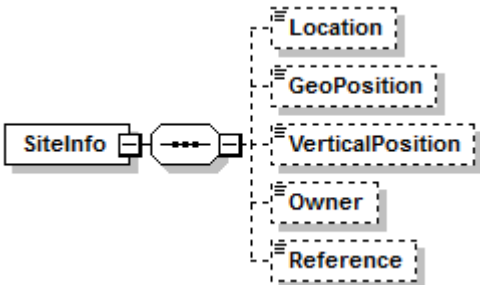
element **ServiceInfo/LastCalibration**

<i>Diagram</i>	
<i>Type</i>	xs:date
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>minOcc</i> 0 <i>maxOcc</i> 1 <i>content</i> simple
<i>Annotation</i>	Date of last sensor calibration.

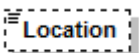
element **ServiceInfo/CalibrationInterval**

<i>Diagram</i>	
<i>Type</i>	xs:int
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>minOcc</i> 0 <i>maxOcc</i> 1 <i>content</i> simple
<i>Annotation</i>	Recommended calibration interval in days.

element **SiteInfo**

<i>Diagram</i>	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>content</i> complex
<i>Children</i>	<u>Location</u> <u>GeoPosition</u> <u>VerticalPosition</u> <u>Owner</u> <u>Reference</u>
<i>Used by</i>	element <u>Device</u>
<i>Annotation</i>	OBSOLETE (replaced by the more general SystemInfo element).

element **SiteInfo/Location**

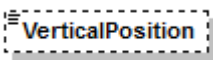
<i>Diagram</i>	
<i>Type</i>	xs:string

<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>minOcc</i>	0
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1
	<i>content</i>	simple
<i>Annotation</i>	OBSOLETE	

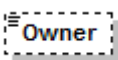
element **SiteInfo/GeoPosition**

<i>Diagram</i>		
<i>Type</i>	xs:string	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>minOcc</i>	0
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1
	<i>content</i>	simple
<i>Annotation</i>	OBSOLETE	

element **SiteInfo/VerticalPosition**

<i>Diagram</i>		
<i>Type</i>	xs:double	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>minOcc</i>	0
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1
	<i>content</i>	simple
<i>Annotation</i>	OBSOLETE	

element **SiteInfo/Owner**

<i>Diagram</i>		
<i>Type</i>	xs:string	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>minOcc</i>	0
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1
	<i>content</i>	simple
<i>Annotation</i>	OBSOLETE	

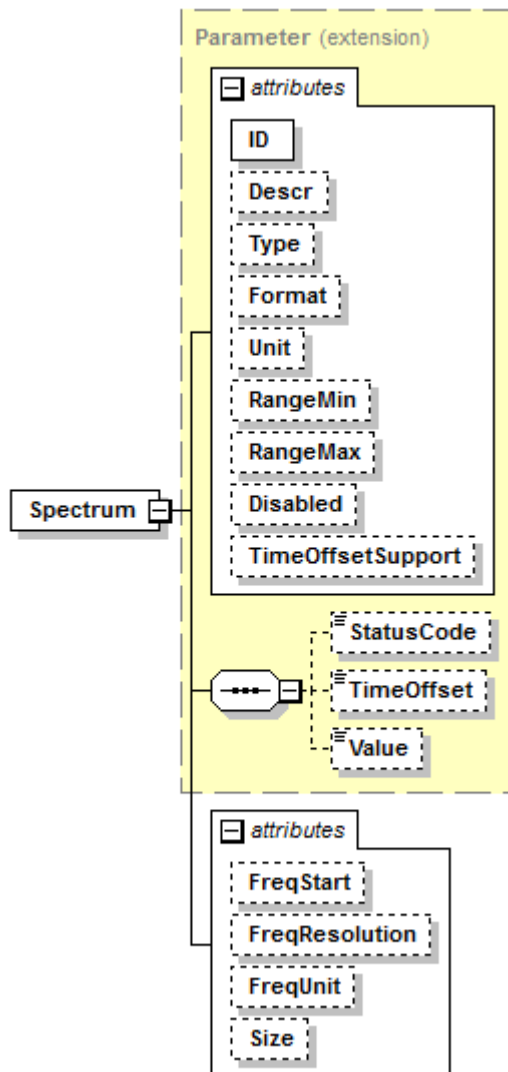
element **SiteInfo/Reference**

<i>Diagram</i>		
<i>Type</i>	xs:string	
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0
	<i>minOcc</i>	0
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1

	<i>content</i>	simple
<i>Annotation</i>	OBSOLETE	

element **Spectrum**

Diagram



Type	extension of <u>Parameter</u>					
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>StatusCode</u> <u>TimeOffset</u> <u>Value</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Cell</u>	<u>CellAttributes</u>	<u>Parameters</u>		
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			A unique ID (within the sensor) for this specific parameter.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Parameter description, e.g. pressure or temperature.
	<u>Type</u>	xs:string	optional			The data type of the parameter value.
	<u>Format</u>	xs:string	optional			The number format of the parameter value.
	<u>Unit</u>	xs:string	optional			The physical unit of the parameter value, e.g. kPa or DegC.
	<u>RangeMin</u>	xs:string	optional			The minimum parameter value.
	<u>RangeMax</u>	xs:string	optional			The maximum parameter value.
	<u>Disabled</u>	xs:boolean	optional			Value indicating if the parameter is

	<u>TimeOffsetSupport</u>	xs:boolean	optional	disabled (value not recorded). Value indicating if time offset information is supported on this parameter (default is false).
	<u>FreqStart</u>	xs:double	optional	Absolute frequency of the first value in the spectrum.
	<u>FreqResolution</u>	xs:double	optional	Absolute difference in frequency between each value in the spectrum.
	<u>FreqUnit</u>	xs:string	optional	Frequency unit, e.g. Hz.
	<u>Size</u>	xs:int	optional	Number of values in the spectrum.
<i>Annotation</i>	Represents a spectrum parameter (multiple value spectrum measurement).			

attribute **Spectrum/@FreqStart**

<i>Type</i>	xs:double		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>use</i>	optional	
<i>Annotation</i>	Absolute frequency of the first value in the spectrum.		

attribute **Spectrum/@FreqResolution**

<i>Type</i>	xs:double		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>use</i>	optional	
<i>Annotation</i>	Absolute difference in frequency between each value in the spectrum.		

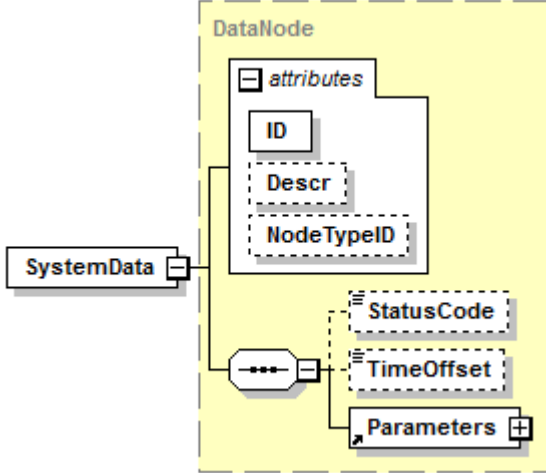
attribute **Spectrum/@FreqUnit**

<i>Type</i>	xs:string		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>use</i>	optional	
<i>Annotation</i>	Frequency unit, e.g. Hz.		

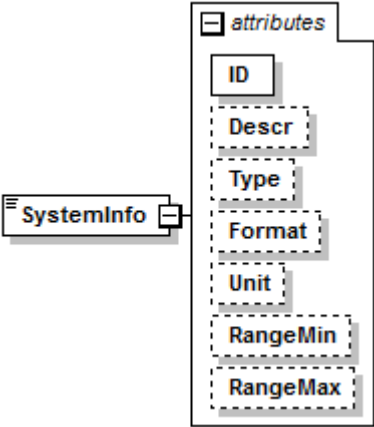
attribute **Spectrum/@Size**

<i>Type</i>	xs:int		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>use</i>	optional	
<i>Annotation</i>	Number of values in the spectrum.		

element **SystemData**

Diagram						
Type	DataNode					
Properties	content	complex				
Children	StatusCode TimeOffset Parameters					
Used by	element	Data				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			Unique node ID. Usually built from the sensor product number and serial number.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Node description.
	<u>NodeTypeID</u>	xs:int	optional			AADI node type (category) ID.
Annotation	Represents the data from a single system node (internal device "sensor"), i.e. one or more parameters.					

element **SystemInfo**

Diagram						
Type	extension of xs:string					
Properties	content	complex				
Used by	element	Device/SystemInformation				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:int	required			System parameter ID.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			System parameter description.
	<u>Type</u>	xs:string	optional			Value data type.
	<u>Format</u>	xs:string	optional			Value format.
	<u>Unit</u>	xs:string	optional			Physical unit of parameter.

	<u>RangeMin</u>	xs:string	optional	Minimum valid value.
	<u>RangeMax</u>	xs:string	optional	Maximum valid value.
<i>Annotation</i>	Represents a static system parameter, such as deployment position or project name.			

attribute **SystemInfo/@ID**

Type	xs:int		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	required	
Annotation	System parameter ID.		

attribute **SystemInfo/@Descr**

Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	optional	
Annotation	System parameter description.		

attribute **SystemInfo/@Type**

Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	optional	
Annotation	Value data type.		

attribute **SystemInfo/@Format**

Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	optional	
Annotation	Value format.		

attribute **SystemInfo/@Unit**

Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	optional	
Annotation	Physical unit of parameter.		

attribute **SystemInfo/@RangeMin**

Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	optional	
Annotation	Minimum valid value.		

attribute **SystemInfo/@RangeMax**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Maximum valid value.	

element **TimeSeries**

Diagram	<p>The diagram illustrates the structure of the TimeSeries element, which is an extension of the Parameter element. The TimeSeries element is shown as a box with a small square icon on its left side. It is connected to a larger box labeled Parameter (extension). This box contains two groups of attributes, each labeled attributes with a small square icon. The first group of attributes includes ID, Descr, Type, Format, Unit, RangeMin, RangeMax, Disabled, and TimeOffsetSupport. The second group of attributes includes StatusCode, TimeOffset, and Value. Below these groups are SamplingInterval and NumSamples. The TimeSeries element is also connected to a small circle with a horizontal line through it, which is connected to the TimeOffset attribute.</p>					
Type	extension of Parameter					
Properties	content	complex				
Children	StatusCode TimeOffset Value					
Used by	element	Cell CellAttributes Parameters				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			A unique ID (within the sensor) for this specific parameter.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Parameter description, e.g. pressure or temperature.
	<u>Type</u>	xs:string	optional			The data type of the parameter value.
	<u>Format</u>	xs:string	optional			The number format of the parameter value.
	<u>Unit</u>	xs:string	optional			The physical unit of the parameter value, e.g. kPa or DegC.
	<u>RangeMin</u>	xs:string	optional			The minimum parameter value.
	<u>RangeMax</u>	xs:string	optional			The maximum parameter value.
	<u>Disabled</u>	xs:boolean	optional			Value indicating if the parameter is disabled (value not recorded).

	<u>TimeOffsetSupport</u>	xs:boolean	optional	Value indicating if time offset information is supported on this parameter (default is false).
	<u>SamplingInterval</u>	xs:double	optional	Sampling interval (decimal seconds).
	<u>NumSamples</u>	xs:int	optional	Number of samples in the time series.
<i>Annotation</i>	Represents a timeseries parameter (multiple value time series measurement).			

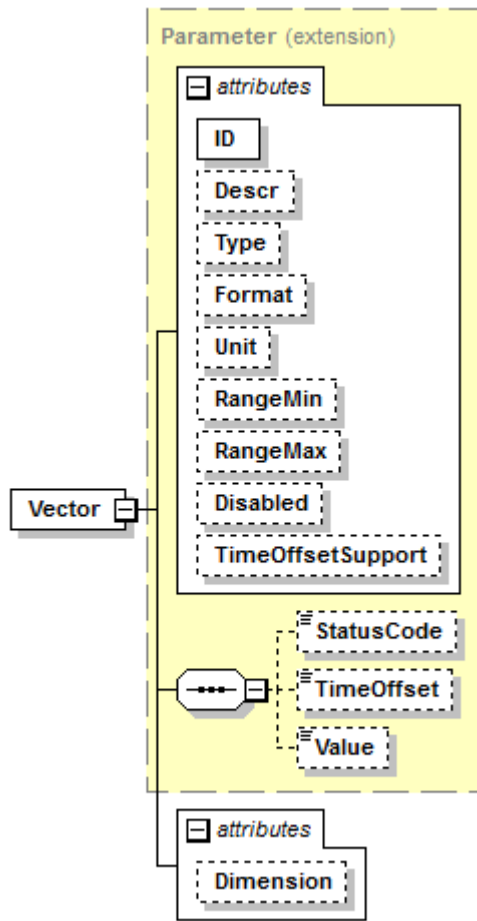
attribute **TimeSeries/@SamplingInterval**

Type	xs:double		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	optional	
Annotation	Sampling interval (decimal seconds).		

attribute **TimeSeries/@NumSamples**

Attributes: TimeSeries , NumSamples	
Type	xs:int
Properties	isRef 0
	use optional
Annotation	Number of samples in the time series.

element **Vector**

<i>Diagram</i>	 <p>The diagram illustrates the structure of the Vector element. It is an extension of the Parameter element. The Vector element contains the following attributes and elements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attributes: ID, Descr, Type, Format, Unit, RangeMin, RangeMax, Disabled, TimeOffsetSupport. Elements: StatusCode, TimeOffset, Value. Extension: The Vector element extends the Parameter element, inheriting its structure and adding the TimeOffsetSupport attribute and the TimeOffset and Value elements. 			
<i>Type</i>	extension of Parameter			

Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>StatusCode</u> <u>TimeOffset</u> <u>Value</u>					
Used by	element	<u>Cell</u>	<u>CellAttributes</u>	<u>Parameters</u>		
Attributes	<i>Name</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Use</i>	<i>Default</i>	<i>Fixed</i>	<i>Annotation</i>
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			A unique ID (within the sensor) for this specific parameter.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Parameter description, e.g. pressure or temperature.
	<u>Type</u>	xs:string	optional			The data type of the parameter value.
	<u>Format</u>	xs:string	optional			The number format of the parameter value.
	<u>Unit</u>	xs:string	optional			The physical unit of the parameter value, e.g. kPa or DegC.
	<u>RangeMin</u>	xs:string	optional			The minimum parameter value.
	<u>RangeMax</u>	xs:string	optional			The maximum parameter value.
	<u>Disabled</u>	xs:boolean	optional			Value indicating if the parameter is disabled (value not recorded).
	<u>TimeOffsetSupport</u>	xs:boolean	optional			Value indicating if time offset information is supported on this parameter (default is false).
	<u>Dimension</u>	xs:int	optional			Vector dimension (number of values).
Annotation	Represents a vector parameter (multiple value vector measurement).					

attribute **Vector/@Dimension**

Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation n	Vector dimension (number of values).	

element **VersionInfo**

Diagram						
Properties	content	complex				
Children	<u>ComponentID</u> <u>Version</u> <u>Descr</u>					
Used by	element	<u>SensorInfo/VersionInformation</u>				
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>CategoryID</u>	xs:int	required			Component category, e.g. software or hardware.
	<u>IsPrimary</u>	xs:boolean	optional			Value indicating if this is the primary version for a given category.
Annotation	Represents version information for a software of hardware component.					

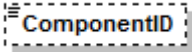
attribute **VersionInfo/@CategoryID**

Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Component category, e.g. software or hardware.	

attribute **VersionInfo/@IsPrimary**

Type	xs:boolean	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Value indicating if this is the primary version for a given category.	


element **VersionInfo/ComponentID**

Diagram		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	1
	content	simple
Annotation	Component ID.	

element **VersionInfo/Version**

Diagram		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	content	simple
Annotation	Component version.	

element **VersionInfo/Descr**

Diagram		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	content	simple
Annotation	Component description.	

complexType **DataNode**

Diagram						
Children	<u>StatusCode</u> <u>TimeOffset</u> <u>Parameters</u>					
Used by	element <u>SensorData</u> <u>SystemData</u>					
Attributes	Name	Type	Use	Default	Fixed	Annotation
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			Unique node ID. Usually built from the sensor product number and serial number.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Node description.
	<u>NodeTypeID</u>	xs:int	optional			AADI node type (category) ID.
Annotation	Represents the common base class for data from a single sensor or system node.					

attribute **DataNode/@ID**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	required
Annotation	Unique node ID. Usually built from the sensor product number and serial number.	

attribute **DataNode/@Descr**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Node description.	

attribute **DataNode/@NodeTypeID**

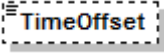
Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	AADI node type (category) ID.	

element **DataNode/StatusCode**

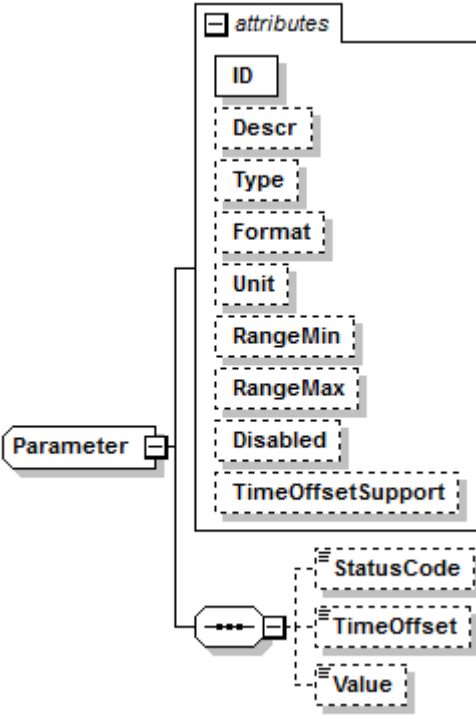
Diagram		
Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0

	<i>minOcc</i> 0 <i>maxOcc</i> 1 <i>content</i> simple
<i>Annotation</i>	Status code. Usually not present if everything is OK.

element **DataNode/TimeOffset**

<i>Diagram</i>	
<i>Type</i>	xs:double
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i> 0 <i>minOcc</i> 0 <i>maxOcc</i> 1 <i>content</i> simple
<i>Annotation</i>	Time offset in relation to the data element timestamp (decimal seconds).

complexType **Parameter**

<i>Diagram</i>						
<i>Children</i>	<u>StatusCode</u> <u>TimeOffset</u> <u>Value</u>					
<i>Used by</i>	<i>element</i>	<u>Point</u> <u>Spectrum</u> <u>TimeSeries</u> <u>Vector</u>				
<i>Attributes</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Use</i>	<i>Default</i>	<i>Fixed</i>	<i>Annotation</i>
	<u>ID</u>	xs:string	required			A unique ID (within the sensor) for this specific parameter.
	<u>Descr</u>	xs:string	optional			Parameter description, e.g. pressure or temperature.
	<u>Type</u>	xs:string	optional			The data type of the parameter value.
	<u>Format</u>	xs:string	optional			The number format of the parameter value.
	<u>Unit</u>	xs:string	optional			The physical unit of the parameter value, e.g. kPa or DegC.
	<u>RangeMin</u>	xs:string	optional			The minimum parameter value.
	<u>RangeMax</u>	xs:string	optional			The maximum parameter value.

	<u>Disabled</u>	xs:boolean	optional	Value indicating if the parameter is disabled (value not recorded). Value indicating if time offset information is supported on this parameter (default is false).
	<u>TimeOffsetSupport</u>	xs:boolean	optional	
Annotation	Represents the base class for all basic parameter types (Point, Vector, Spectrum and TimeSeries).			

attribute **Parameter/@ID**

Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	required	
Annotation	A unique ID (within the sensor) for this specific parameter.		

attribute **Parameter/@Descr**

Attributes Parameter: Q1000		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Parameter description, e.g. pressure or temperature.	

attribute **Parameter/@Type**

Attribute	Parameter	Q	Type
Type	xs:string		
Properties	isRef	0	
	use	optional	
Annotation	The data type of the parameter value.		

attribute **Parameter/@Format**

Attribute	Parameter	Format
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	The number format of the parameter value.	

attribute **Parameter/@Unit**

Attribute Parameter @Unit		
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	The physical unit of the parameter value, e.g. kPa or DegC.	

attribute **Parameter/@RangeMin**

Attribute	Parameter @rangeMin	
Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	The minimum parameter value.	

attribute **Parameter/@RangeMax**

Type	xs:string	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	The maximum parameter value.	

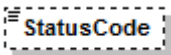
attribute **Parameter/@Disabled**

Type	xs:boolean	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Value indicating if the parameter is disabled (value not recorded).	

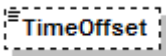
attribute **Parameter/@TimeOffsetSupport**

Type	xs:boolean	
Properties	isRef	0
	use	optional
Annotation	Value indicating if time offset information is supported on this parameter (default is false).	

element **Parameter/StatusCode**

Diagram		
Type	xs:int	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	1
	content	simple
Annotation	Parameter status code. Usually not present if everything is OK.	

element **Parameter/TimeOffset**

Diagram		
Type	xs:double	
Properties	isRef	0
	minOcc	0
	maxOcc	1
	content	simple
Annotation	Time offset in relation to the parent Data element timestamp, and possibly also the SensorData element timestamp (decimal seconds).	

element **Parameter/Value**

Diagram		
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<i>Type</i>	xs:string		
<i>Properties</i>	<i>isRef</i>	0	
	<i>minOcc</i>	0	
	<i>maxOcc</i>	1	
	<i>content</i>	simple	
<i>Annotation</i>	The actual parameter value (measurement). The value may be missing or empty, depending on the device configuration and context.		

simpleType **DeviceType**

Type	restriction of xs:string		
Properties	base	xs:string	
Used by	<u>Device/@DeviceType</u>		
Facets	Kind	Value	Annotation
	enumeration	Instrument	
	enumeration	Sensor	
Annotation	Device type enumeration.		

CHAPTER 3 Frame Format

In the AADI Real-Time Protocol, a *packet* is the primary or outer envelope for the transmitted information. The packet uses ASCII characters in all fields, except the actual message which is encoded using UTF-8.

Each packet is framed by a *Start Sync* and an *End Sync*.

Start Sync tag = { ++ ! !

End Sync tag = ! ! -- }

Following the Start Sync tag is the *Packet Number* which locates each packet in the sequence of all packets transmitted from a particular device. 4 bytes are used to specify a 4 digit hexadecimal number (0000 through FFFF). Packet number 0000 is a special case, and is only used for the very first message the device transmits after a power-up. When 65 536 packets have been sent, the sequence start again from 0001 (*not* 0000).

The *Type* field denotes the type of message contained in the Message field (1 byte):

- Type 0 is reserved for low level system control messages.
- Type 1 is used for normal XML messages (*AADI Real-Time Output/Control Protocol*).
- Type 2 is used for compressed messages.
- Type 3 is used for file transfer messages.
- Type 4 is used for internal tests and calibration.

The *Message size* is the number of bytes actually contained in the *Message* field. 5 bytes for a hexadecimal number between 00001 and FFFFF allows UTF-8 messages up to 1 048 576 bytes to be transferred in one packet. A *Message size* = 0 is an error.

The *Message* field contains the message to be transferred (1 - 1 048 576 bytes), encoded using UTF-8.

The *CRC* field contains a CRC16 value spanning the *Packet No*, *Type*, *Message size* and *Message fields*. The CRC is 4 bytes and is positioned immediately before the End Sync tag.

The source code (C++ and C#) for the CRC16 algorithm is listed in the next section.

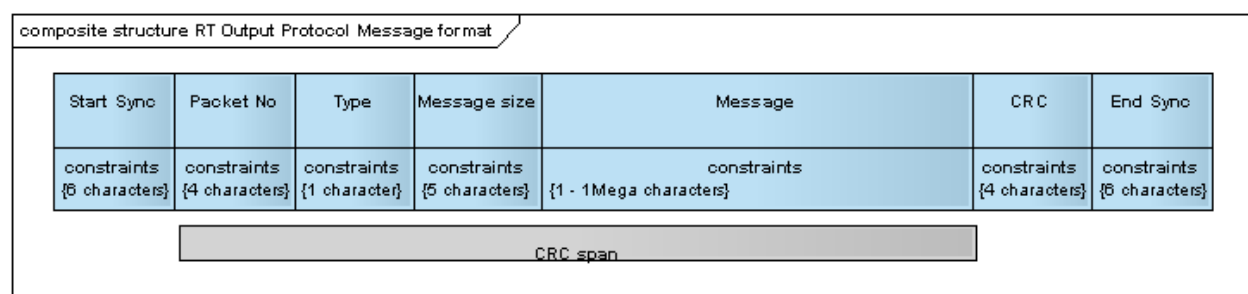


Figure 3-1 The frame format.

3.1 CRC16 Source Code

3.1.1 C++

```

unsigned short CCRC16_CCITT::GenCRC(unsigned char* pData, long lSize)
{
    unsigned short ccitt_h[] = {
        0x0000, 0x1081, 0x2102, 0x3183, 0x4204, 0x5285, 0x6306, 0x7387,
        0x8408, 0x9489, 0xa50a, 0xb58b, 0xc60c, 0xd68d, 0xe70e, 0xf78f};

    unsigned short ccitt_l[] = {
        0x0000, 0x1189, 0x2312, 0x329b, 0x4624, 0x57ad, 0x6536, 0x74bf,
        0x8c48, 0x9dc1, 0xaf5a, 0xbed3, 0xca6c, 0xdbe5, 0xe97e, 0xf8f7};

    unsigned short n, unCRC;

    unCRC = 0xFFFF;
    while(lSize-- > 0)
    {
        n = *pData++ ^ unCRC;
        unCRC = ccitt_l[n&0x0f] ^ ccitt_h[(n>>4)&0x0f] ^ (unCRC>>8);
    };

    return unCRC;
}

```

3.1.2 C# (CLS compliant)

```

int GenerateCrc(char[] buffer, int offset, int count)
{
    int[] ccitt_h = {
        0x0000, 0x1081, 0x2102, 0x3183, 0x4204, 0x5285, 0x6306, 0x7387,
        0x8408, 0x9489, 0xa50a, 0xb58b, 0xc60c, 0xd68d, 0xe70e, 0xf78f};

    int[] ccitt_l = {
        0x0000, 0x1189, 0x2312, 0x329b, 0x4624, 0x57ad, 0x6536, 0x74bf,
        0x8c48, 0x9dc1, 0xaf5a, 0xbed3, 0xca6c, 0xdbe5, 0xe97e, 0xf8f7};

    int crc = 0xFFFF;

    for (int i = offset; i < (offset + count); i++)
    {
        int n = buffer[i] ^ crc;
        crc = ccitt_l[n & 0x0f] ^ ccitt_h[(n >> 4) & 0x0f] ^ (crc >> 8);
    }

    return crc;
}

```

CHAPTER 4 Protocol version history

Changes in protocol version 6

- Added elements SpecifiedInterval and ActualInterval to the Data element.
- [Semi-breaking] Added element SystemInformation to the Device element. This renders the SiteInformation element obsolete.
- [Breaking] Removed the Status element (with code, level and description) and replaced it with element StatusCode (int). Applies to several places in the schema.
- Expanded the SensorInformation structure with various new elements and attributes. Removed some that was never in use (marked “reserved for future use”).
- Added element SystemData to the Data element.
- Extracted common base type NodeData for the SensorData and SystemData elements.
- Added attribute Descr to the Notification element.
- Added element Level to the Notification element.
- Added attribute GeoPosition to the SensorData element.
- Removed attribute Fixed from the Parameter base type (it was never in use).
- Added attribute TimeOffsetSupport to the Parameter base type.

Changes in protocol version 5

- [Breaking] In the Data element; changed the Time and RecordNumber members from attributes to elements.
- [Breaking] Changed the Status element from type string to an element containing status code, level and description.
- Added element Layout to the Device element.
- Added GroupID and GroupDescr attributes to the Data element.
- Added TimeOffset element to the SensorData and Parameter elements.
- Added TimeReceived element to the Device element.
- Added TimeCorrection element to the Device element.
- Added attribute NodeTypeID to the SensorData element.

Changes in protocol version 4

N/A

Changes in protocol version 3

N/A

Changes in protocol version 2

N/A

CHAPTER 5 Example Message (protocol version 6)

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<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<Device ID="4430-13" ProdName="Seaguard RCM SW" ProdNo="4430" SerialNo="13" Descr="Platform" DeviceType="Instrument" SessionID="4430-13-2011-06-29T11:53:59Z"
xmlns="http://www.aadi.no/RTOutSchema" ProtocolVer="6">
  <Time>2011-06-29T11:54:16Z</Time>
  <TimeReceived>2011-06-29T11:54:16.46754Z</TimeReceived>
  <SystemInformation>
    <SystemInfo ID="13" Descr="Location" Type="VT_BSTR">Nesttun</SystemInfo>
    <SystemInfo ID="21" Descr="GeoPosition" Type="VT_BSTR">60.311048, 5.349331</SystemInfo>
    <SystemInfo ID="30" Descr="VerticalPosition" Type="VT_BSTR">24 m</SystemInfo>
  </SystemInformation>
  <Data SessionID="2011-06-29T11:54:02Z">
    <Time>2011-06-29T11:54:16Z</Time>
    <RecordNumber>3</RecordNumber>
    <SensorData ID="SN100-0" Descr="System Parameters" ProdName="System Node" ProdNo="SN100" SerialNo="0" Adr="-4" ProtocolVer="5">
      <Parameters>
        <Point ID="0" Descr="Battery Voltage" Type="VT_R4" Unit="V" RangeMin="0" RangeMax="15">
          <Value>2.142</Value>
        </Point>
        <Point ID="1" Descr="Memory Used" Type="VT_I4" Unit="Bytes" RangeMin="0" RangeMax="14213120">
          <Value>8372224</Value>
        </Point>
        <Point ID="2" Descr="Last Interval" Type="VT_I4" Unit="ms">
          <Value>4993</Value>
        </Point>
        <Point ID="3" Descr="Time Correction" Type="VT_R8" Unit="ms">
          <Value>0</Value>
        </Point>
      </Parameters>
    </SensorData>
    <SensorData ID="AN100-0" Descr="Analog Sensors" ProdName="Analog Sensors" ProdNo="AN100" SerialNo="0" Adr="-3" ProtocolVer="5">
      <StatusCode>18</StatusCode>
      <Parameters>
        <Point ID="0" Descr="Channel 1" Type="VT_R8" Unit="V" RangeMin="4" RangeMax="5">
          <StatusCode>81</StatusCode>
          <Value>-0.00146151</Value>
        </Point>
        <Point ID="1" Descr="Channel 2" Type="VT_R8" Unit="V" RangeMin="0" RangeMax="5">
          <StatusCode>81</StatusCode>
          <Value>-9.47714e-005</Value>
        </Point>
        <Point ID="2" Descr="Channel 3" Type="VT_R8" Unit="V" RangeMin="0" RangeMax="5">
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        <Value>0.00273228</Value>
      </Point>
      <Point ID="3" Descr="Channel 4" Type="VT_R8" Unit="V" RangeMin="0" RangeMax="5">
        <Value>-0.000724197</Value>
      </Point>
    </Parameters>
  </SensorData>
  <SensorData ID="4060-43" SerialNo="43" ProdNo="4060" ProdName="Temperature Sensor" Descr="Temperature Sensor" ProtocolVer="4">
    <Parameters>
      <Point ID="0" Descr="Temperature" Type="VT_R4" Format="%0.3f" Unit="DegC" RangeMin="-5" RangeMax="40">
        <Value>19.119710</Value>
      </Point>
    </Parameters>
  </SensorData>
  <SensorData ID="4319-62" SerialNo="62" ProdNo="4319" ProdName="Conductivity Sensor" Descr="Conductivity Sensor" ProtocolVer="4">
    <Parameters>
      <Point ID="0" Descr="Conductivity" Type="VT_R4" Format="%0.3f" Unit="mS/cm" RangeMin="0" RangeMax="75">
        <Value>30.072829</Value>
      </Point>
      <Point ID="1" Descr="Temperature" Type="VT_R4" Format="%0.3f" Unit="Deg.C" RangeMin="-5" RangeMax="35">
        <Value>19.122464</Value>
      </Point>
    </Parameters>
  </SensorData>
</Data>
</Device>
```