

# OSDP Capture Format

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## Introduction

This specification describes the OSDP protocol capture format used with libosdp-conformance. It uses the file extension (and simplified name) “OSDPCAP”. This documents format version 1. Hyphens were removed and switched to ‘camelcase’ to be more parser-friendly. This version is implemented in libosdp-conformance 0.9 forward.

## Purpose

To capture an OSDP byte stream for analysis.

## Format

This is “JSONL” - JSON formed as a one line text JSON object, in a stream.

## Fields

### Field ‘data’

data

bytes, in hex, with interspersed spaces. These are the bytes right off the wire. Usually but not always a whole OSDP message. Might include the marking bytes (ff) in front of the SOM.

### Field ‘io’

io

form of trace source, values are “input”, “output”, and “trace”.

### Field ‘osdpSource’

osdpSource

the tool that created this record.

### Field ‘osdpTraceVersion’

osdpTraceVersion

what version of the format this record was written to follow. This document describes version “1” (one.)

### Fields ‘timeSec’ and ‘timeNano’

timeSec, timeNano

In Linux, the ‘struct timespec’ time returned by clock\_gettime.

## Example

```
{ “timeSec” : “1580342115”, “timeNano” : “984691851”, “io” : “trace”, “data” :  
  ” ff ff 53 80 08 00 01 4b 01 d8”, “osdpTraceVersion”:“1”, “osdpSource”:“libosdp-  
  conformance 0.91-5” }
```