**Title: EPR Clarifications** 

# **Applied to: USB Power Delivery Specification Revision 3.1**

Version 1.0

Brief description of the functional changes proposed:
Editorial updates to May 2021 release.
Benefits as a result of the proposed changes:
Make the spec requirements easier to understand.
An assessment of the impact to the existing revision and systems that currently conform to the USB specification:
None.
An analysis of the hardware implications:
None.
An analysis of the software implications:
None.
An analysis of the compliance testing implications:
None.

# **Actual Change Requested**

# (a). Page 358, Table 7-24

## From Text:

vAvsValid	The range in addition to vAvsNew which the			Section 7.1.8.2
	Adjustable Voltage			
	Supply output is			
	considered Valid in			
	response to a load step.			

## To Text:

vAvsValid	The range in addition to	-0.5	0.5	Section 7.1.8.2
	<i>vAvsNew</i> which the			
	Adjustable Voltage			
	Supply output is			
	considered <i>Valid</i> during			
	and after a transition as			
	well as in response to a			
	transient load			
	condition.			

# (b). Page 359, Table 7-24

## From Text:

vSrcValid	The range in addition to	-0.5	0.5	V	Figure 7-2
	<i>vSrcNew</i> which a newly				Figure 7-3
	negotiated Voltage is				-
	considered <i>Valid</i> during				
	and after a transition.				
	This range also applies to				
	vSafe5V.				

vSrcValid	The range in addition to vSrcNew which a newly negotiated Voltage is considered Valid during and after a transition as well as in response to a transient load condition.	-0.5	0.5	V	Figure 7-2 Figure 7-3 Section 7.1.8
	transient load condition. This range also applies to vSafe5V.				

## (c). Section 6.5.14.1, Page 222

#### From Text:

The *EPR\_Get\_Source\_Cap* (EPR Get Source Capabilities) Message *Shall* only be sent by a Sink Port that supports EPR Mode to request the Source Capabilities and Dual-Role Power capability of its Port Partner (e.g., Dual-Role Power capable). A Port that can operate as an EPR Source *Shall* respond by returning an *EPR\_Source\_Capabilities* Message (see Section 6.5.15.2). A port that does not support EPR Mode as a Source *Shall* return the *Not\_Supported* Message.

#### To Text:

The *EPR\_Get\_Source\_Cap* (EPR Get Source Capabilities) Message *Shall* only be sent by a Port capable of operating as a Sink and that supports EPR Mode to request the Source Capabilities and Dual-Role Power capability of its Port Partner. A Port that can operate as an EPR Source *Shall* respond by returning an *EPR\_Source\_Capabilities* Message (see Section 6.5.15.2). A port that does not support EPR Mode as a Source *Shall* return the *Not\_Supported* Message.

#### (d). Section 6.5.14.2, Page 222

#### From Text:

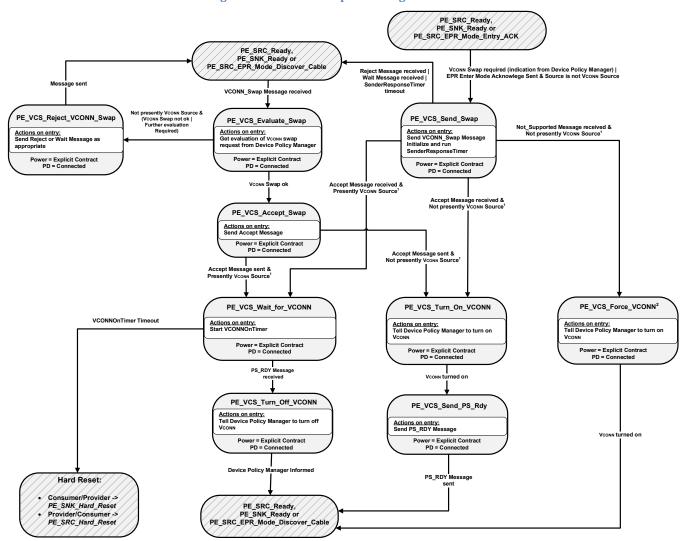
The *EPR\_Get\_Sink\_Cap* (EPR Get Sink Capabilities) Message *Shall* only be sent by a Source Port that supports EPR Mode to request the Sink Capabilities and Dual-Role Power capability of its Port Partner (e.g., Dual-Role Power capable). A Port that is EPR Mode capable operating as a Sink *Shall* respond by returning an *EPR\_Sink\_Capabilities* Message (see Section 6.5.15.3). A Port that does not support EPR Mode as a Sink *Shall* return the *Not\_Supported* Message.

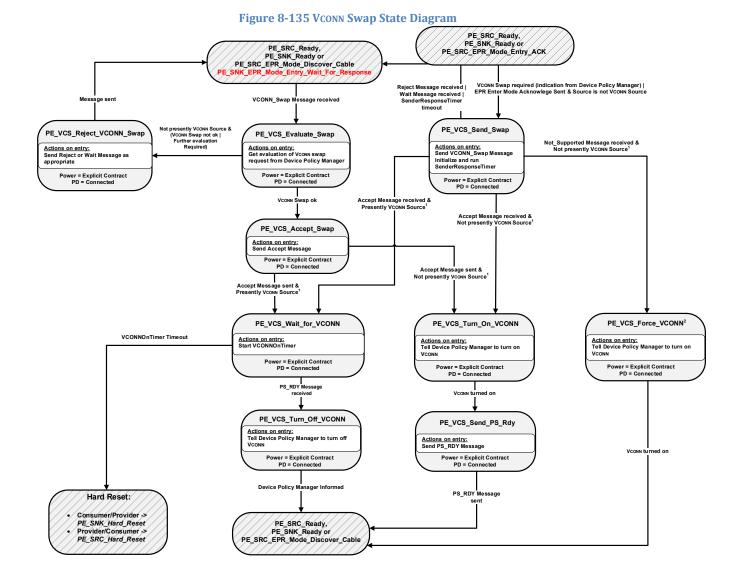
#### To Text:

The *EPR\_Get\_Sink\_Cap* (EPR Get Sink Capabilities) Message *Shall* only be sent by a Port capable of operating as a Source and that supports EPR Mode to request the Sink Capabilities and Dual-Role Power capability of its Port Partner. A Port that is EPR Mode capable operating as a Sink *Shall* respond by returning an *EPR\_Sink\_Capabilities* Message (see Section 6.5.15.3). A Port that does not support EPR Mode as a Sink *Shall* return the *Not\_Supported* Message.

## (e). Page 626, Figure 8-135

Figure 8-135 VCONN Swap State Diagram





## (f). Section 8.3.3.19.1, Page 826

#### From Text:

The **PE\_VCS\_Send\_Swap** state is entered from either the **PE\_SRC\_Ready** or **PE\_SNK\_Ready** state when the Policy Engine receives a request from the Device Policy Manager to perform a VCONN Swap.

The **PE\_VCS\_Send\_Swap** state is entered from the **PE\_SRC\_EPR\_Mode\_Discover\_Cable** state when:

- The Source is not the VCONN Source and
- The EPR\_Mode (Enter Acknowledged) Message has been sent.

On entry to the **PE\_VCS\_Send\_Swap** state the Policy Engine **Shall** send a **VCONN\_Swap** Message and start the **SenderResponseTimer**.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_VCS\_Wait\_For\_VCONN* state when:

- An Accept Message is received and
- The Port is presently the VCONN Source.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_VCS\_Turn\_On\_VCONN* state when:

- An Accept Message is received and
- The Port is not presently the VCONN Source.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition back to either the *PE\_SRC\_Ready*, *PE\_SNK\_Ready* or *PE\_SRC\_EPR\_Mode\_Discover\_Cable* state when:

- A Reject Message is received or
- A Wait Message is received or
- The **SenderResponseTimer** times out.

The Policy Engine *May* transition to the *PE\_VCS\_Force\_VCONN* state when:

- A *Not\_Supported* Message is received and
- The Port is not presently the VCONN Source.

#### To Text:

The **PE\_VCS\_Send\_Swap** state is entered from either the **PE\_SRC\_Ready** or **PE\_SNK\_Ready** state when the Policy Engine receives a request from the Device Policy Manager to perform a VCONN Swap.

The **PE\_VCS\_Send\_Swap** state is entered from the **PE\_SRC\_EPR\_Mode\_Discover\_Cable** state when:

- The Source is not the VCONN Source and
- The **EPR\_Mode** (Enter Acknowledged) Message has been sent.

The **PE\_VCS\_Evaluate\_Swap** state is entered from the **PE\_SNK\_EPR\_Mode\_Wait\_For\_Response** State when:

- The Sink is the VCONN Source and
- The EPR\_Mode (Enter Acknowledged) Message has been received.

On entry to the **PE\_VCS\_Send\_Swap** state the Policy Engine **Shall** send a **VCONN\_Swap** Message and start the **SenderResponseTimer**.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_VCS\_Wait\_For\_VCONN* state when:

- An Accept Message is received and
- The Port is presently the VCONN Source.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_VCS\_Turn\_On\_VCONN* state when:

- An Accept Message is received and
- The Port is not presently the VCONN Source.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition back to either the *PE\_SRC\_Ready*, *PE\_SNK\_Ready* or *PE\_SRC\_EPR\_Mode\_Discover\_Cable* state when:

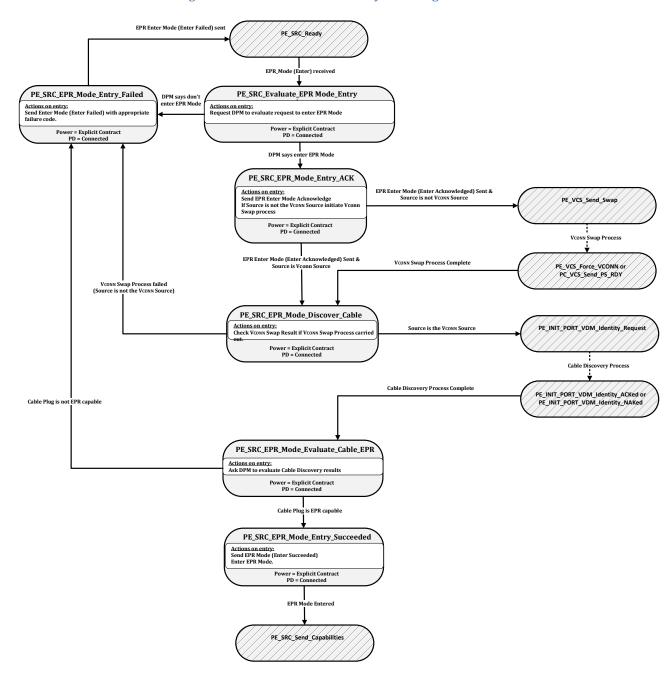
- A Reject Message is received or
- A Wait Message is received or
- The **SenderResponseTimer** times out.

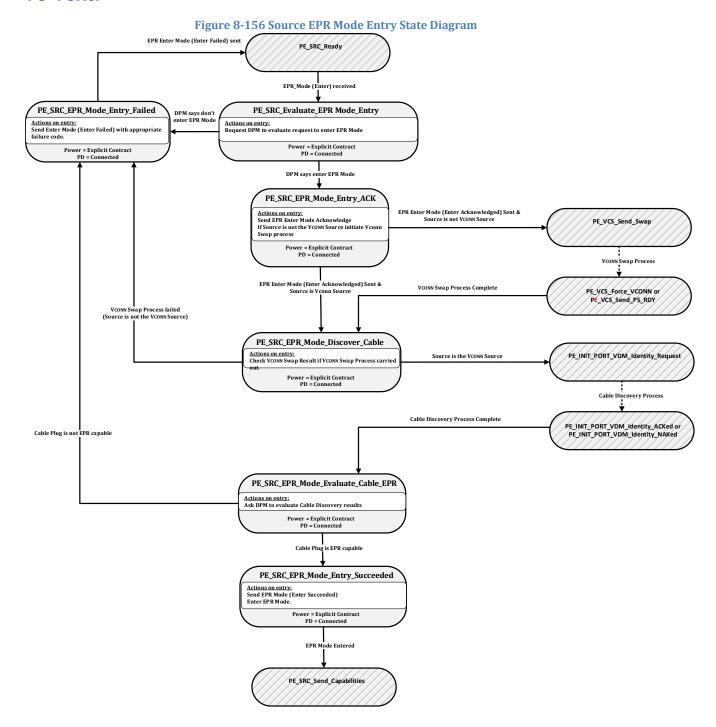
The Policy Engine *May* transition to the *PE\_VCS\_Force\_VCONN* state when:

- A Not\_Supported Message is received and
- The Port is not presently the VCONN Source.

## (g). Page 650, Figure 8-156

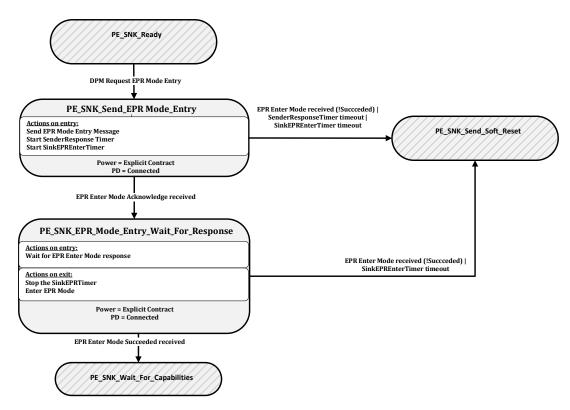
Figure 8-156 Source EPR Mode Entry State Diagram

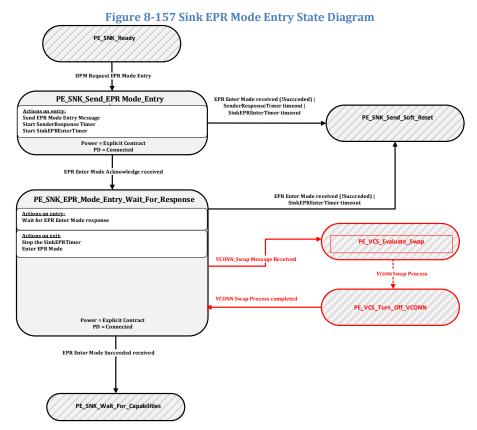




# (h). Page 652, Figure 8-157

Figure 8-157 Sink EPR Mode Entry State Diagram





## (i). Section 8.3.3.25.2.2, Page 653

#### From Text:

In the State the Policy Engine waits for a confirmation that the EPR Mode entry request has succeeded.

On exit from the **PE\_SNK\_EPR\_Mode\_Wait\_For\_Response** state the Policy Engine **Shall** stop the **SinkEPREnterTimer** and enter EPR Mode.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_SNK\_Wait\_for\_Capabilities* state when:

• An *EPR\_Mode* (Enter Succeeded) Message has been received.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_SNK\_Send\_Soft\_Reset* state when:

- An EPR\_Mode Message is received which is not Enter Succeeded or
- The SinkEPREnterTimer times out.

#### To Text:

In the State the Policy Engine waits for a confirmation that the EPR Mode entry request has succeeded.

On exit from the **PE\_SNK\_EPR\_Mode\_Wait\_For\_Response** state the Policy Engine **Shall** stop the **SinkEPREnterTimer** and enter EPR Mode.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_SNK\_Wait\_for\_Capabilities* state when:

• An *EPR\_Mode* (Enter Succeeded) Message has been received.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_SNK\_Send\_Soft\_Reset* state when:

- An *EPR\_Mode* Message is received which is not Enter Succeeded or
- The SinkEPREnterTimer times out.

The Policy Engine *Shall* transition to the *PE\_VCS\_Evaluate\_Swap* state when:

• A VCONN\_Swap Message is received.

The Policy Engine **Shall** transition back from the **PE\_VCS\_Turn\_Off\_VCONN** State to the **PE\_SNK\_EPR\_Mode\_Wait\_For\_Response** State when:

• The Vconn Swap process has completed.

## (j). Table 6-67, Page 667

tEnterEPR		500	ms	Section 6.6.21.1
To Text:				

tEnterEPR	<mark>450</mark>	<mark>500</mark>	<mark>550</mark>	ms	Section 6.6.21.1

# (k). Figure 6-34, Page 196

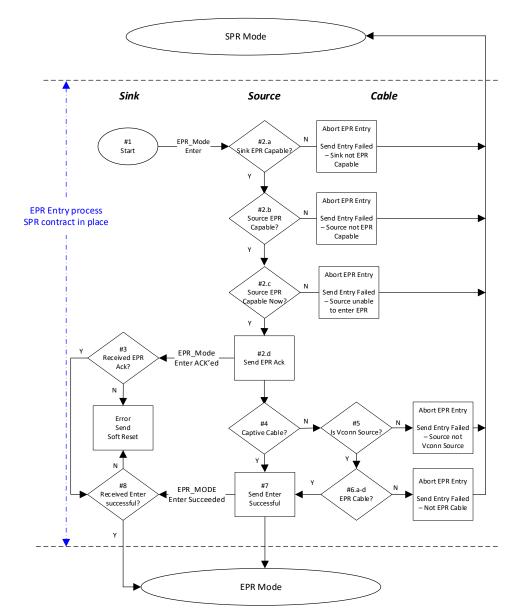


Figure 6-1 Illustration of process to enter EPR Mode

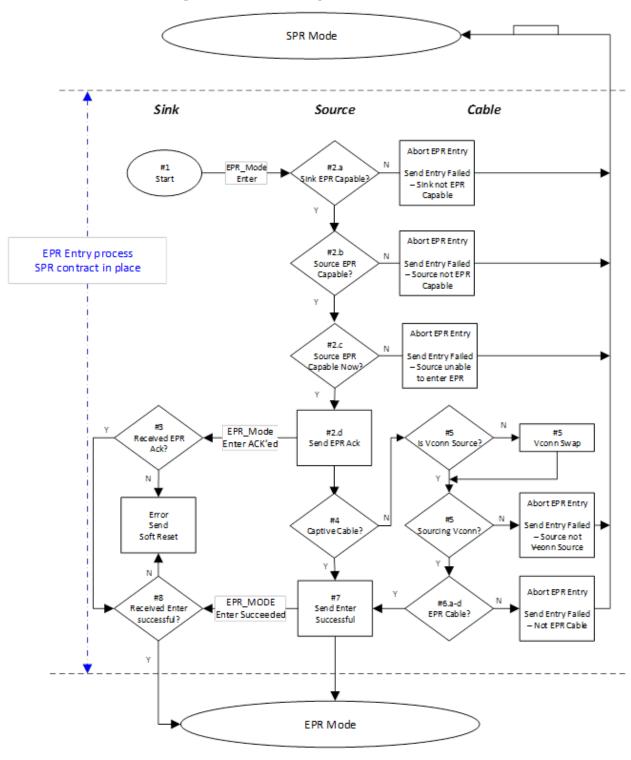


Figure 6-34 Illustration of process to enter EPR Mode

# (I). Section 1.6, Page 64

# From Text:

PD Power (PDP)	The output power of a Source, as specified by the manufacturer and expressed in Fixed
	Supply PDOs as defined in Section 10.

PD Power (PDP)	The output power in Watts of a Source, as specified by the manufacturer and expressed
	in Fixed Supply PDOs as defined in Section 10.