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# **Standard ECMA-219**

# **Authentication and Privilege Attribute Security Application with related Key Distribution Functions - Part 1, 2 and 3**

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This Standard ECMA-219 defines three applications:

- an Authentication Application,
- a Privilege Attributes Application,
- a Key Distribution Application.

These are distributed Security Applications that provide services concerned with authentication and access control, along with related key distribution information. This definition includes:

- data elements for authentication and access control purposes,
- services for the authentication of human users of computer based systems as well as other active entities,
- services for the provision of Privilege Attributes for purposes of access control in distributed open systems,
- the means of protecting authentication information and Privilege Attributes in interchange between open systems,

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• key distribution information for establishing the keys used in this protection,

The last two of these facilities requires that the above applications support a Key Distribution Service, which can either be provided integrally, or as a separate application.

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