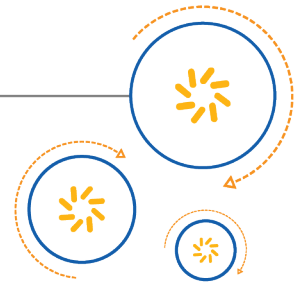




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# 1 Introduction

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## 1.1 Purpose

This specification documents Major Version 1 of the Qualcomm Messaging Interface (QMI) for the Authentication Service (QMI\_AUTH).

QMI\_AUTH provides a command set to interface to a wireless mobile station to access some authentication services. QMI\_AUTH is a QMI service within the QMI framework defined in [80-VB816-1](#).

## 1.2 Scope

This document is intended for QMI clients to perform authentication-related operations with Qualcomm MSM™ devices from a host processor.

This document provides the following details about QMI\_AUTH:

- Theory of operation – Chapter 2 provides the theory of operation of QMI\_AUTH. The chapter includes messaging conventions, assigned QMI service type, fundamental service concepts, and state variables related to the service.
- Message formats, syntax, and semantics – Chapter 3 provides the specific syntax and semantics of messages included in this version of the QMI\_AUTH specification.

## 1.3 Conventions

Function declarations, function names, type declarations, and code samples appear in a different font, for example, `#include`.

## 1.4 Technical Assistance

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## 2 Theory of Operation

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### 2.1 Generalized QMI Service Compliance

The QMI\_AUTH service complies with the generalized QMI service specification, including the rules for messages, indications and responses, byte ordering, arbitration, constants, result, and error code values described in [80-VB816-1](#). Extensions to the generalized QMI service theory of operation are noted in subsequent sections of this chapter.

### 2.2 AUTH Service Type

AUTH is assigned QMI service type 0x07.

### 2.3 Message Definition Template

#### 2.3.1 Response Message Result TLV

This Type-Length-Value (TLV) is present in all Response messages defined in this document. It is not present in the Indication messages.

| Name        | Version introduced                                 | Version last modified                                 |
|-------------|--|---|
| Result Code | Corresponding response's <i>Version introduced</i> | Corresponding response's <i>Version last modified</i> |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter  | Size (byte) | Description   |
|--------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x02        |            |            | 1           | Result Code   |
| Length | 4           |            |            | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | uint16     | qmi_result | 2           | Result code <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• QMI_RESULT_SUCCESS</li><li>• QMI_RESULT_FAILURE</li></ul> |
|        |             | uint16     | qmi_error  | 2           | Error code – Possible error code values are described in the error codes section of each message definition   |



## 2.4 QMI\_AUTH Fundamental Concepts

The QMI\_AUTH service provides authentication and session key distribution using the Extensible Authentication Protocol (EAP) mechanism.

### 2.4.1 EAP-AKA

EAP is a mechanism for authentication and session key distribution that uses the Authentication and Key Agreement (AKA) mechanism. AKA is used in the third generation mobile networks Universal Mobile Telecommunications System (UMTS) and cdma2000®. AKA is based on symmetric keys and typically runs in a Subscriber Identity Module (SIM), which is a UMTS Subscriber Identity Module (USIM) or a Removable User Identity Module (R-UIM), similar to a smart card.

### 2.4.2 EAP-SIM

EAP is also a mechanism for authentication and session key distribution using the Global System for Mobile Communications (GSM) SIM. GSM is a second generation mobile network standard. The EAP-SIM mechanism specifies enhancements to GSM authentication and key agreement whereby multiple authentication triplets can be combined to create authentication responses and session keys of greater strength than the individual GSM triplets. The mechanism also includes network authentication, user anonymity support, result indications, and a fast re-authentication procedure.

### 2.4.3 EAP Support

QMI\_AUTH service enables clients to use the wireless mobile station for EAP authentication. Figure 2-1 illustrates a sample QMI\_AUTH call flow.

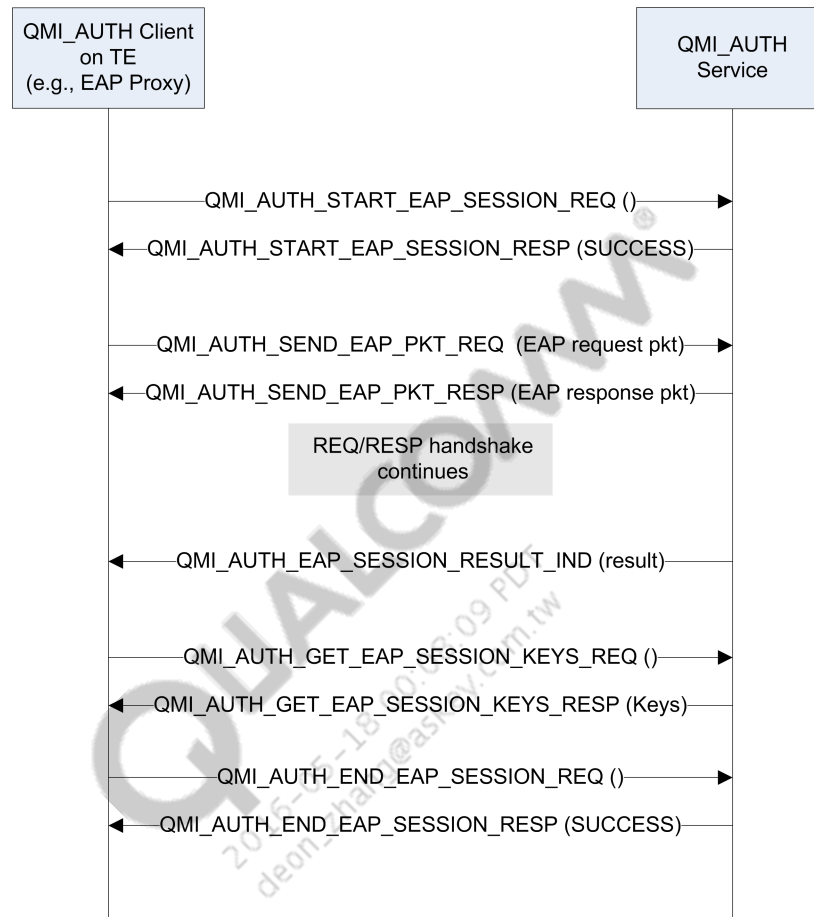


Figure 2-1 QMI AUTH sample call flow

## 2.5 EAP Session Handle

The `QMI_AUTH_START_EAP_SESSION_REQ` message creates an EAP instance and stores the EAP handle. The same handle is used internally when the `QMI_AUTH_SEND_EAP_PACKET` command is issued. The EAP handle is deleted when the `QMI_AUTH_END_EAP_SESSION` command is issued.

## 2.6 Service State Variables

### 2.6.1 Shared State Variables

No QMI\_AUTH state variables are shared across control points.

### 2.6.2 State Variables Per Control Point

| Name                         | Description   | Possible values  | Default value |
|------------------------------|---|--|---------------|
| report_eap_notification_code | Whether an EAP notification code is reported to a control point | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• FALSE</li><li>• TRUE</li></ul> | FALSE         |

### 3 QMI\_AUTH Messages

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**Table 3-1 QMI\_AUTH messages**

| Command                            | ID     | Description   |
|------------------------------------|--------|---|
| QMI_AUTH_RESET                     | 0x0000 | Resets the client.  |
| QMI_AUTH_INDICATION_REGISTER       | 0x0003 | Sets the registration state of the QMI_AUTH indication for the requesting control point.            |
| QMI_AUTH_GET_SUPPORTED_MSGS        | 0x001E | Queries the set of messages implemented by the currently running software.                          |
| QMI_AUTH_GET_SUPPORTED_FIELDS      | 0x001F | Queries the fields supported for a single command as implemented by the currently running software. |
| QMI_AUTH_START_EAP_SESSION         | 0x0020 | Starts the EAP session.   |
| QMI_AUTH_SEND_EAP_PACKET           | 0x0021 | Sends and receives EAP packets.   |
| QMI_AUTH_EAP_SESSION_RESULT_IND    | 0x0022 | Communicates the result of the EAP session.   |
| QMI_AUTH_GET_EAP_SESSION_KEYS      | 0x0023 | Queries the EAP session keys.   |
| QMI_AUTH_END_EAP_SESSION           | 0x0024 | Ends the EAP session.   |
| QMI_AUTH_RUN_AKA_ALGO              | 0x0025 | Runs the AKA algorithm.   |
| QMI_AUTH_AKA_ALGO_RESULT_IND       | 0x0026 | Communicates the result of the AKA algorithm.   |
| QMI_AUTH_SET_SUBSCRIPTION_BINDING  | 0x0027 | Associates the requesting control point with the requested subscription.                            |
| QMI_AUTH_GET_BIND_SUBSCRIPTION     | 0x0028 | Queries the subscription associated with the control point.   |
| QMI_AUTH_EAP_NOTIFICATION_CODE_IND | 0x0029 | Provides a notification code from the EAP server to the requested control point.                    |

## 3.1 QMI\_AUTH\_RESET

Resets the client.

### **AUTH message ID**

0x0000

### **Version introduced**

Major - 1, Minor - 0

### 3.1.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_RESET\_REQ

#### **Message type**

Request

#### **Sender**

Control point

#### **Mandatory TLVs**

None

#### **Optional TLVs**

None

### 3.1.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_RESET\_RESP

#### **Message type**

Response

#### **Sender**

Service

#### **Mandatory TLVs**

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section [2.3.1](#)) is always present in the response.

#### **Optional TLVs**

None

**Error codes**

|              |                         |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| QMI_ERR_NONE | No error in the request |
|--------------|-------------------------|

**3.1.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_RESET REQ/RESP**

This command resets the state of the requesting control point. The command clears all the resources that were set up for the EAP session started by the control point.

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## 3.2 QMI\_AUTH\_INDICATION\_REGISTER

Sets the registration state of the QMI\_AUTH indication for the requesting control point.

### AUTH message ID

0x0003

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 7

### 3.2.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_INDICATION\_REGISTER\_REQ

#### Message type

Request

#### Sender

Control point

#### Mandatory TLVs

None

#### Optional TLVs

| Name                           | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| EAP Session Error Notification | 1.7                | 1.7                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter                    | Size (byte) | Description  |
|--------|-------------|------------|------------------------------|-------------|--|
| Type   | 0x10        |            |                              | 1           | EAP Session Error Notification                           |
| Length | 1           |            |                              | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | boolean    | report_eap_notification_code | 1           | Values:<br>• 0 – Do not report<br>• 1 – Report the error |

### 3.2.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_INDICATION\_REGISTER\_RESP

#### Message type

Response

**Sender**

Service

**Mandatory TLVs**

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section 2.3.1) is always present in the response.

**Optional TLVs**

None

**Error codes**

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| QMI_ERR_NONE          | No error in the request   |
| QMI_ERR_MISSING_ARG   | Required TLV was missing from the request   |
| QMI_ERR_MALFORMED_MSG | Message was not formulated correctly by the control point, or the message was corrupted during transmission |
| QMI_ERR_INVALID_ARG   | Value field of one or more TLVs in the request message contains an invalid value                            |

### 3.2.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_INDICATION\_REGISTER REQ/RESP

This command registers/deregisters different QMI\_AUTH indications. The control point's event reporting state variables are modified according to the settings specified in the TLVs included in the request message.

If the EAP Session Error Notification TLV is enabled, the control point receives the EAP server notification codes via the QMI\_AUTH\_EAP\_NOTIFICATION\_CODE\_IND indication.



### 3.3 QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_MSGS

Queries the set of messages implemented by the currently running software.

**AUTH message ID**

0x001E

**Version introduced**

Major - 1, Minor - 5

#### 3.3.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_MSGS\_REQ

**Message type**

Request

**Sender**

Control point

**Mandatory TLVs**

None

**Optional TLVs**

None

#### 3.3.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_MSGS\_RESP

**Message type**

Response

**Sender**

Service

**Mandatory TLVs**

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section [2.3.1](#)) is always present in the response.

| Name        | Common version introduced | Common version last modified |
|-------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Result Code | 1.6                       | 1.7                          |

**Optional TLVs**

| Name                       | Common version introduced | Common version last modified |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| List of Supported Messages | 1.6                       | 1.6                          |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter          | Size (byte) | Description  |
|--------|-------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|--|
| Type   | 0x10        |            |                    | 1           | List of Supported Messages   |
| Length | Var         |            |                    | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | uint16     | supported_msgs_len | 2           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• supported_msgs  |
|        |             | uint8      | supported_msgs     | Var         | This array of uint8 is a bitmask where each bit represents a message ID, i.e., starting with the LSB, bit 0 represents message ID 0, bit 1 represents message ID 1, etc.<br><br>The bit is set to 1 if the message is supported; otherwise, it is set to zero.<br><br>For example, if a service supports exactly four messages with IDs 0, 1, 30, and 31 (decimal), the array (in hexadecimal) is 4 bytes [03 00 00 c0]. |

**Error codes**

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| QMI_ERR_NONE             | No error in the request                                  |
| QMI_ERR_INTERNAL         | Unexpected error occurred during processing              |
| QMI_ERR_NO_MEMORY        | Device could not allocate memory to formulate a response |
| QMI_ERR_INFO_UNAVAILABLE | Information is not available                             |

**3.3.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_MSGS REQ/RESP**

This command queries the set of messages implemented by the currently running software. This may be a subset of the messages defined in this revision of the service.

## 3.4 QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_FIELDS

Queries the fields supported for a single command as implemented by the currently running software.

### AUTH message ID

0x001F

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 5

### 3.4.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_FIELDS\_REQ

#### Message type

Request

#### Sender

Control point

#### Mandatory TLVs

| Name               | Common version introduced | Common version last modified |
|--------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Service Message ID | 1.6                       | 1.6                          |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter | Size (byte) | Description   |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |           | 1           | Service Message ID  |
| Length | 2           |            |           | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | uint16     | msg_id    | 2           | ID of the command for which the supported fields are requested. |

#### Optional TLVs

None

### 3.4.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_FIELDS\_RESP

#### Message type

Response

**Sender**

Service

**Mandatory TLVs**

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section 2.3.1) is always present in the response.

| Name        | Common version introduced | Common version last modified |
|-------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Result Code | 1.6                       | 1.7                          |

**Optional TLVs**

| Name                                | Common version introduced | Common version last modified |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| List of Supported Request Fields    | 1.6                       | 1.6                          |
| List of Supported Response Fields   | 1.6                       | 1.6                          |
| List of Supported Indication Fields | 1.6                       | 1.6                          |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter           | Size (byte) | Description  |
|--------|-------------|------------|---------------------|-------------|--|
| Type   | 0x10        |            |                     | 1           | List of Supported Request Fields   |
| Length | Var         |            |                     | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | request_fields_len  | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• request_fields  |
|        |             | uint8      | request_fields      | Var         | This field describes which optional field IDs are supported in the QMI request. The array of uint8 is a bitmask where each bit represents a field (TLV) ID. Because fields 0 to 15 (decimal) are mandatory by definition, the first bit represents field ID 16. Starting with the LSB, bit 0 represents field ID 16, bit 1 represents field ID 17, etc.<br><br>The bit is set to 1 if the field ID is supported; otherwise, it is set to zero.<br><br>For example, if a service supports exactly four fields with IDs 16, 17, 30, and 31 (decimal), the array (in hexadecimal) is 2 bytes [03 c0]. |
| Type   | 0x11        |            |                     | 1           | List of Supported Response Fields  |
| Length | Var         |            |                     | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | response_fields_len | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• response_fields   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter             | Size (byte) | Description  |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|-------------|--|
|        |             | uint8      | response_fields       | Var         | This field describes which optional field IDs are supported in the QMI response. Its format is the same as request_fields.   |
| Type   | 0x12        |            |                       | 1           | List of Supported Indication Fields  |
| Length | Var         |            |                       | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | indication_fields_len | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• indication_fields   |
|        |             | uint8      | indication_fields     | Var         | This field describes which optional field IDs are supported in the QMI indication. Its format is the same as request_fields. |

### Error codes

|                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| QMI_ERR_NONE                      | No error in the request  |
| QMI_ERR_INTERNAL                  | Unexpected error occurred during processing  |
| QMI_ERR_NO_MEMORY                 | Device could not allocate memory to formulate a response   |
| QMI_ERR_REQUESTED_NUM_UNSUPPORTED | Requested message ID is not supported by the currently running software                                    |
| QMI_ERR_MALFORMED_MSG             | Message was not formulated correctly by the control point or the message was corrupted during transmission |
| QMI_ERR_INFO_UNAVAILABLE          | Information is not available   |

### 3.4.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_FIELDS REQ/RESP

This command queries the fields supported for a single command as implemented by the currently running software.

If the request, response, or indication is supported for the given message ID, the corresponding optional array is included in QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_SUPPORTED\_FIELDS\_RESP, even if the message does not contain any optional fields. This enables the client to distinguish this case from one where the service does not support the request, response, or indication.

Examples are:

- If the specified message ID is not supported by the service, the response has qmi\_result = QMI\_RESULT\_FAILURE and qmi\_error = QMI\_ERR\_REQUESTED\_NUM\_UNSUPPORTED.
- If the specified message ID is an empty message, the response has qmi\_result = QMI\_RESULT\_SUCCESS and qmi\_error = QMI\_ERR\_NONE. None of the optional arrays are included.
- If the specified message ID supports the request with 0 optional fields, the response with 3 optional fields (16, 17, and 18 decimal), and does not support an indication, the response has the following:
  - qmi\_result = QMI\_RESULT\_SUCCESS
  - qmi\_error = QMI\_ERR\_NONE
  - request\_fields array is included with length zero

- response\_fields array is included with length 1 value [07]
- indication\_fields array is not included

Trailing zero bytes are omitted from the response. For example, if the message defines 20 different fields but the response only contains 16 bits, the client is to assume the last four fields are not supported.

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## 3.5 QMI\_AUTH\_START\_EAP\_SESSION

Starts the EAP session.

### AUTH message ID

0x0020

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 0

### 3.5.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_START\_EAP\_SESSION\_REQ

#### Message type

Request

#### Sender

Control point

#### Mandatory TLVs

None

#### Optional TLVs

| Name                  | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| EAP Method Mask       | 1.0                | 1.4                   |
| User ID               | 1.2                | 1.2                   |
| EAP Meta Identity     | 1.2                | 1.2                   |
| EAP SIM AKA Algorithm | 1.2                | 1.2                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter       | Size (byte) | Description   |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x10        |            |                 | 1           | EAP Method Mask   |
| Length | 4           |            |                 | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | mask32     | eap_method_mask | 4           | Bitmask. The bits corresponding to the methods to be supported must be set to 1. Bit values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0 – EAP-SIM</li> <li>• 1 – EAP-AKA</li> <li>• 2 – EAP-AKA'</li> </ul> |
| Type   | 0x11        |            |                 | 1           | User ID   |
| Length | Var         |            |                 | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | user_id_len     | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• user_id</li> </ul>   |
|        |             | uint8      | user_id         | Var         | Buffer containing the EAP identity.   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter             | Size (byte) | Description   |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x12        |            |                       | 1           | EAP Meta Identity   |
| Length | Var         |            |                       | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | eap_meta_identity_len | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• eap_meta_identity  |
|        |             | uint8      | eap_meta_identity     | Var         | Buffer containing the EAP meta identity.  |
| Type   | 0x13        |            |                       | 1           | EAP SIM AKA Algorithm   |
| Length | 4           |            |                       | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | enum       | eap_sim_aka_algo      | 4           | <p>EAP AKA algorithm. Values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0x0000 – EAP AKA none</li> <li>• 0x0001 – EAP AKA SHA-1</li> <li>• 0x0002 – EAP AKA MILENAGE</li> <li>• 0x0003 – EAP AKA CAVE</li> <li>• 0x0004 – EAP SIM GSM</li> <li>• 0x0005 – EAP SIM USIM GSM</li> </ul> <p>If only the eap_sim_aka_algo parameter is specified, the EAP method type associated with the current EAP session is set as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0x0001, 0x0003 – EAP method is QMI_AUTH_EAP_METHOD_MASK_AKA</li> <li>• 0x0004, 0x0005 – EAP method is QMI_AUTH_EAP_METHOD_MASK_SIM</li> <li>• 0x0002 – EAP method is set to AKA AKA'. Depending on which packets are sent, the EAP module uses either AKA or AKA' at a later time</li> <li>• 0x0000 – All EAP methods are supported</li> </ul> |

### 3.5.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_START\_EAP\_SESSION\_RESP

#### Message type

Response

#### Sender

Service



## Mandatory TLVs

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section 2.3.1) is always present in the response.

## Optional TLVs

None

## Error codes

|                           |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| QMI_ERR_NONE              | No error in the request   |
| QMI_ERR_INTERNAL          | Unexpected error occurred during processing   |
| QMI_ERR_MALFORMED_MSG     | Message was not formulated correctly by the control point, or the message was corrupted during transmission |
| QMI_ERR_NO_MEMORY         | Device could not allocate memory to formulate a response  |
| QMI_ERR_INVALID_ARG       | Value field of one or more TLVs in the request message contains an invalid value                            |
| QMI_ERR_INVALID_OPERATION | Operation is invalid in the current state   |

### 3.5.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_START\_EAP\_SESSION REQ/RESP

This command starts an Extensible Authentication Protocol (EAP) session, after which control points can send EAP packets using the QMI\_AUTH\_SEND\_EAP\_PACKET command. The optional EAP Method Mask TLV can be used to set the EAP authentication method to either SIM (Subscriber Identity Module) or AKA (Authentication and Key Agreement).

This command creates the required handle with the required authentication method to allow control points to send the EAP packets using the QMI\_AUTH\_SEND\_EAP\_PACKET\_REQ message.

If both the EAP Method Mask and EAP SIM AKA Algorithm TLVs are provided, the values must be consistent (e.g., an eap\_method\_mask value of 0x01 with an eap\_sim\_aka\_algo value of 0x0001 results in QMI\_ERR\_INVALID\_ARG. Also, an eap\_method\_mask value of 0x04 is to have an eap\_sim\_aka\_algo value of 0x0002 or 0x0000; otherwise, the value results in QMI\_ERR\_INVALID\_ARG).

All EAP methods are supported if neither eap\_method\_mask nor eap\_sim\_aka\_algo is provided.

In multiple SIM scenarios, the subscription bound by QMI\_AUTH\_SET\_SUBSCRIPTION\_BINDING tells the authenticating layer the subscription on which this authentication is to occur.

After starting the EAP session, the client is not to assume a change in binding subscription until it stops the existing session and starts another, even if the client issued a set binding subscription request.

## 3.6 QMI\_AUTH\_SEND\_EAP\_PACKET

Sends and receives EAP packets.

### AUTH message ID

0x0021

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 0

### 3.6.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_SEND\_EAP\_PACKET\_REQ

#### Message type

Request

#### Sender

Control point

#### Mandatory TLVs

| Name               | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| EAP Request Packet | 1.0                | 1.0                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter       | Size (byte) | Description                               |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |                 | 1           | EAP Request Packet                        |
| Length | Var         |            |                 | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | eap_request_pkt | Var         | Buffer containing the EAP request packet. |

#### Optional TLVs

None

### 3.6.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_SEND\_EAP\_PACKET\_RESP

#### Message type

Response

**Sender**

Service

**Mandatory TLVs**

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section 2.3.1) is always present in the response. The following mandatory TLV is present if the result code is QMI\_RESULT\_SUCCESS.

| Name                | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| EAP Response Packet | 1.0                | 1.0                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter        | Size (byte) | Description                                |
|--------|-------------|------------|------------------|-------------|--|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |                  | 1           | EAP Response Packet                        |
| Length | Var         |            |                  | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | eap_response_pkt | Var         | Buffer containing the EAP response packet. |

**Optional TLVs**

None

**Error codes**

|                           |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| QMI_ERR_NONE              | No error in the request   |
| QMI_ERR_INTERNAL          | Unexpected error occurred during processing   |
| QMI_ERR_MALFORMED_MSG     | Message was not formulated correctly by the control point, or the message was corrupted during transmission |
| QMI_ERR_NO_MEMORY         | Device could not allocate memory to formulate a response  |
| QMI_ERR_MISSING_ARG       | TLV was missing in the request  |
| QMI_ERR_INVALID_OPERATION | Operation is invalid in the current state   |

**3.6.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_SEND\_EAP\_PACKET REQ/RESP**

This command is used by a control point to send an EAP packet after an EAP session is started. The response EAP packet for the request packet is returned in the QMI\_AUTH\_SEND\_EAP\_PACKET\_RESP message. The EAP packet details are found in [RFC 4187](#) and [RFC 4186](#).

## 3.7 QMI\_AUTH\_EAP\_SESSION\_RESULT\_IND

Communicates the result of the EAP session.

### AUTH message ID

0x0022

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 0

### 3.7.1 Indication - QMI\_AUTH\_SESSION\_RESULT\_IND

#### Message type

Indication

#### Sender

Service

#### Indication scope

Per control point (unicast)

#### Mandatory TLVs

| Name       | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| EAP Result | 1.0                | 1.0                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter  | Size (byte) | Description                               |
|--------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |            | 1           | EAP Result                                |
| Length | 1           |            |            | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | boolean    | eap_result | 1           | Values:<br>• 0 – SUCCESS<br>• 1 – FAILURE |

#### Optional TLVs

None

### 3.7.2 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_EAP\_SESSION\_RESULT\_IND

This indication communicates the result of the current EAP session to the control point that started the EAP session.

If the result is SUCCESS, the keys are available and the client must use the QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_EAP\_SESSION\_KEYS command to query the keys.

The client can later end the current EAP session using the QMI\_AUTH\_END\_EAP\_SESSION command.

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## 3.8 QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_EAP\_SESSION\_KEYS

Queries the EAP session keys.

### AUTH message ID

0x0023

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 0

### 3.8.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_EAP\_SESSION\_KEYS\_REQ

#### Message type

Request

#### Sender

Control point

#### Mandatory TLVs

None

#### Optional TLVs

None

### 3.8.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_EAP\_SESSION\_KEYS\_RESP

#### Message type

Response

#### Sender

Service

#### Mandatory TLVs

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section [2.3.1](#)) is always present in the response. The following mandatory TLV is present if the result code is QMI\_RESULT\_SUCCESS.

| Name | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Key  | 1.0                | 1.0                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter   | Size (byte) | Description  |
|--------|-------------|------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |             | 1           | Key          |
| Length | Var         |            |             | 2           |              |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | session_key | Var         | Session key. |

### Optional TLVs

None

### Error codes

|                           |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| QMI_ERR_NONE              | No error in the request   |
| QMI_ERR_INTERNAL          | Unexpected error occurred during processing   |
| QMI_ERR_MALFORMED_MSG     | Message was not formulated correctly by the control point, or the message was corrupted during transmission |
| QMI_ERR_NO_MEMORY         | Device could not allocate memory to formulate a response  |
| QMI_ERR_INVALID_OPERATION | Operation is invalid in the current state   |

## 3.8.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_EAP\_SESSION\_KEYS\_REQ/RESP

To extract the session keys:

1. The control point issues the QMI\_AUTH\_START\_EAP\_SESSION\_REQ message.
2. If the start EAP session is successful, a QMI\_AUTH\_EAP\_SESSION\_RESULT\_IND indication is sent to the control point to communicate that the session keys are available.
3. The control point uses the QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_EAP\_SESSION\_KEYS\_REQ message to retrieve the session keys.

## 3.9 QMI\_AUTH\_END\_EAP\_SESSION

Ends the EAP session.

### **AUTH message ID**

0x0024

### **Version introduced**

Major - 1, Minor - 0

### 3.9.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_END\_EAP\_SESSION\_REQ

#### **Message type**

Request

#### **Sender**

Control point

#### **Mandatory TLVs**

None

#### **Optional TLVs**

None

### 3.9.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_END\_EAP\_SESSION\_RESP

#### **Message type**

Response

#### **Sender**

Service

#### **Mandatory TLVs**

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section [2.3.1](#)) is always present in the response.

#### **Optional TLVs**

None



**Error codes**

|                           |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| QMI_ERR_NONE              | No error in the request   |
| QMI_ERR_INTERNAL          | Unexpected error occurred during processing   |
| QMI_ERR_MALFORMED_MSG     | Message was not formulated correctly by the control point, or the message was corrupted during transmission |
| QMI_ERR_NO_MEMORY         | Device could not allocate memory to formulate a response  |
| QMI_ERR_INVALID_OPERATION | Operation is invalid in the current state   |

**3.9.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_END\_EAP\_SESSION REQ/RESP**

This command is used by a control point to end an EAP session that it started. The EAP session must be ended after the authentication process.

## 3.10 QMI\_AUTH\_RUN\_AKA\_ALGO

Runs the AKA algorithm.

### AUTH message ID

0x0025

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 1

### 3.10.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_RUN\_AKA\_ALGO\_REQ

#### Message type

Request

#### Sender

Control point

#### Mandatory TLVs

| Name        | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|-------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| AKA Version | 1.1                | 1.1                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter | Size (byte) | Description   |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |           | 1           | AKA Version   |
| Length | 1           |            |           | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | enum8      | aka_ver   | 1           | AKA version the algorithm must use:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0 – AKA_V1</li> <li>• 1 – AKA_V2</li> </ul> All other values are reserved for future use. |

#### Optional TLVs

| Name                                | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| AKA_V1/V2 Authentication Parameters | 1.1                | 1.1                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter | Size (byte) | Description                         |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| Type   | 0x10        |            |           | 1           | AKA_V1/V2 Authentication Parameters |
| Length | Var         |            |           | 2           |                                     |

| Field | Field value | Field type | Parameter | Size (byte) | Description   |
|-------|-------------|------------|-----------|-------------|---|
| Value | →           | uint8      | rand_len  | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• rand |
|       |             | uint8      | rand      | Var         | Buffer containing the random challenge value.       |
|       |             | uint8      | autn_len  | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• autn |
|       |             | uint8      | autn      | Var         | Buffer containing the authentication token.         |

### 3.10.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_RUN\_AKA\_ALGO\_RESP

#### Message type

Response

#### Sender

Service

#### Mandatory TLVs

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section 2.3.1) is always present in the response. The following mandatory TLV is present if the result code is QMI\_RESULT\_SUCCESS.

| Name       | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| AKA Handle | 1.1                | 1.1                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter  | Size (byte) | Description                             |
|--------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |            | 1           | AKA Handle                              |
| Length | 4           |            |            | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | uint32     | aka_handle | 4           | AKA handle to identify the AKA request. |

#### Optional TLVs

None

**Error codes**

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| QMI_ERR_NONE          | No error in the request   |
| QMI_ERR_INTERNAL      | Unexpected error occurred during processing   |
| QMI_ERR_MALFORMED_MSG | Message was not formulated correctly by the control point, or the message was corrupted during transmission |
| QMI_ERR_NO_MEMORY     | Device could not allocate memory to formulate a response  |
| QMI_ERR_INVALID_ARG   | Value field of one or more TLVs in the request message contains an invalid value                            |
| QMI_ERR_MISSING_ARG   | TLV was missing in the request  |

**3.10.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_RUN\_AKA\_ALGO REQ/RESP**

The control point uses this command to initiate the AKA algorithm (refer to [RFC 4187](#) and [RFC 4186](#)) to generate the digest and AKA data.

When AKA\_V1 or AKA\_V2 is specified in the AKA Version TLV, the optional AKA\_V1/V2 Authentication Parameters TLV must be present.

A success in the QMI\_AUTH\_RUN\_AKA\_ALGO\_RESP message does not imply the algorithm completed successfully. The control point must process the QMI\_AUTH\_AKA\_RESULT\_IND indication to determine the outcome.

## 3.11 QMI\_AUTH\_AKA\_ALGO\_RESULT\_IND

Communicates the result of the AKA algorithm.

### AUTH message ID

0x0026

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 1

### 3.11.1 Indication - QMI\_AUTH\_AKA\_ALGO\_RESULT\_IND

#### Message type

Indication

#### Sender

Service

#### Indication scope

Per control point (unicast)

#### Mandatory TLVs

| Name                            | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| AKA Algorithm Result Indication | 1.1                | 1.1                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter  | Size (byte) | Description  |
|--------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|--|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |            | 1           | AKA Algorithm Result Indication  |
| Length | 5           |            |            | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | uint32     | aka_handle | 4           | AKA handle to identify the AKA request.  |
|        |             | enum8      | aka_status | 1           | Result of the AKA Request algorithm:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0 – AKA_SUCCESS</li> <li>• 1 – AKA_SYNC_FAILURE</li> <li>• 2 – AKA_FAILURE</li> </ul> All other values are reserved for future use. |

## Optional TLVs

The following TLV is present only if the mandatory status parameter is returned as AKA\_SUCCESS.

| Name                    | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|-------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| AKA_V1/V2 Response Data | 1.1                | 1.1                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter    | Size (byte) | Description   |
|--------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|---|
| Type   | 0x10        |            |              | 1           | AKA_V1/V2 Response Data                                 |
| Length | Var         |            |              | 2           |   |
| Value  | →           | uint8      | digest_len   | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• digest   |
|        |             | uint8      | digest       | Var         | Buffer containing the digest response.                  |
|        |             | uint8      | aka_data_len | 1           | Number of sets of the following elements:<br>• aka_data |
|        |             | uint8      | aka_data     | Var         | Buffer containing the AKA response data.                |

### 3.11.2 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_AKA\_ALGO\_RESULT\_IND

This indication communicates the result of the AKA algorithm request sent as part of the QMI\_AUTH\_RUN\_AKA\_ALGO\_REQ message. If the result is AKA\_SUCCESS, the message also contains the optional AKA\_V1/V2 Response Data TLV.

## 3.12 QMI\_AUTH\_SET\_SUBSCRIPTION\_BINDING

Associates the requesting control point with the requested subscription.

### AUTH message ID

0x0027

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 6

### 3.12.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_SET\_SUBSCRIPTION\_BINDING\_REQ

#### Message type

Request

#### Sender

Control point

#### Mandatory TLVs

| Name              | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Bind Subscription | 1.6                | 1.6                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter | Size (byte) | Description  |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------|-------------|--|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |           | 1           | Bind Subscription  |
| Length | 4           |            |           | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | enum       | bind_subs | 4           | Subscription to which to bind. Values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AUTH_PRIMARY_SUBS (0x0001) – Primary subscription</li> <li>• AUTH_SECONDARY_SUBS (0x0002) – Secondary subscription</li> <li>• AUTH_TERTIARY_SUBS (0x0003) – Tertiary subscription</li> </ul> |

#### Optional TLVs

None

### 3.12.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_SET\_SUBSCRIPTION\_BINDING\_RESP

#### Message type

Response

#### Sender

Service

#### Mandatory TLVs

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section 2.3.1) is always present in the response.

#### Optional TLVs

None

#### Error codes

|                               |   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| QMI_ERR_NONE                  | No error in the request   |
| QMI_ERR_MISSING_ARG           | Required TLV was missing in the request   |
| QMI_ERR_MALFORMED_MSG         | Message was not formulated correctly by the control point, or the message was corrupted during transmission |
| QMI_ERR_INVALID_ARG           | Value field of one or more TLVs in the request message contains an invalid value                            |
| QMI_ERR_OP_DEVICE_UNSUPPORTED | Message is not valid for this device  |

### 3.12.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_SET\_SUBSCRIPTION\_BINDING REQ/RESP

This command binds the current control point to a specific subscription. If a control point does not invoke this command to specify its binding, by default the control point is bound to the primary subscription. The control point uses this command to perform an operation or get information for a specific subscription.

For a primary subscription, bind\_subs in TLV 0x01 must be set to “Primary subscription”.

For a secondary subscription, bind\_subs in TLV 0x01 must be set to “Secondary subscription”. If the modem does not support the dual SIM dual standby feature, a QMI\_ERR\_OP\_DEVICE\_UNSUPPORTED error is returned.

For a tertiary subscription, bind\_subs in TLV 0x01 must be set to “Tertiary subscription”. If the modem does not support the triple SIM triple standby feature, a QMI\_ERR\_OP\_DEVICE\_UNSUPPORTED error is returned.

**Note:** The control point binding is only relevant to certain messages and its specific effect is documented in the description of those messages.



### 3.13 QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_BIND\_SUBSCRIPTION

Queries the subscription associated with the control point.

#### **AUTH message ID**

0x0028

#### **Version introduced**

Major - 1, Minor - 6

#### 3.13.1 Request - QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_BIND\_SUBSCRIPTION\_REQ

##### **Message type**

Request

##### **Sender**

Control point

##### **Mandatory TLVs**

None

##### **Optional TLVs**

None

#### 3.13.2 Response - QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_BIND\_SUBSCRIPTION\_RESP

##### **Message type**

Response

##### **Sender**

Service

##### **Mandatory TLVs**

The Result Code TLV (defined in Section [2.3.1](#)) is always present in the response.

##### **Optional TLVs**

| Name               | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Bound Subscription | 1.6                | 1.6                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter         | Size (byte) | Description  |
|--------|-------------|------------|-------------------|-------------|--|
| Type   | 0x10        |            |                   | 1           | Bound Subscription   |
| Length | 4           |            |                   | 2           |  |
| Value  | →           | enum       | bind_subscription | 4           | Values:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AUTH_PRIMARY_SUBS (0x0001) – Primary subscription</li> <li>• AUTH_SECONDARY_SUBS (0x0002) – Secondary subscription</li> <li>• AUTH_TERTIARY_SUBS (0x0003) – Tertiary subscription</li> </ul> |

#### Error codes

|                               |  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| QMI_ERR_NONE                  | No error in the request                                  |
| QMI_ERR_NO_MEMORY             | Device could not allocate memory to formulate a response |
| QMI_ERR_INTERNAL              | Unexpected error occurred during processing              |
| QMI_ERR_OP_DEVICE_UNSUPPORTED | Message is not valid for this device                     |

### 3.13.3 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_GET\_BIND\_SUBSCRIPTION REQ/RESP

This command queries the current subscription to which the control point is bound. If a set binding subscription request was not previously sent by this control point, by default AUTH\_PRIMARY\_SUBS is returned.

If this message is sent on a device that does not have support for multiple SIMs, a QMI\_ERR\_OP\_DEVICE\_UNSUPPORTED error is returned.

## 3.14 QMI\_AUTH\_EAP\_NOTIFICATION\_CODE\_IND

Provides a notification code from the EAP server to the requested control point.

### AUTH message ID

0x0029

### Version introduced

Major - 1, Minor - 7

### 3.14.1 Indication - QMI\_AUTH\_EAP\_NOTIFICATION\_CODE\_IND

#### Message type

Indication

#### Sender

Service

#### Indication scope

Per control point (unicast)

#### Mandatory TLVs

| Name              | Version introduced | Version last modified |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Notification Code | 1.7                | 1.7                   |

| Field  | Field value | Field type | Parameter             | Size (byte) | Description        |
|--------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Type   | 0x01        |            |                       | 1           | Notification Code  |
| Length | 2           |            |                       | 2           |                    |
| Value  | →           | uint16     | eap_notification_code | 2           | Notification code. |

#### Optional TLVs

None

### 3.14.2 Description of QMI\_AUTH\_EAP\_NOTIFICATION\_CODE\_IND

The Notification Code TLV indicates when a notification code is received from the EAP server after the EAP session has started. The eap\_notification\_code TLV indicates the corresponding notification code from the EAP server.

The control point must explicitly register for this indication by enabling the EAP Session Error Notification TLV in QMI\_AUTH\_INDICATION\_REGISTER\_REQ.

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# A References

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## A.1 Related Documents

| Title  | Number                 |
|--|------------------------|
| <b>Qualcomm Technologies</b>   |                        |
| <i>QMI Client API Interface Specification</i>  | 80-N1123-1             |
| <i>QMI Common Service Interface API Interface Specification</i>  | 80-N1123-2             |
| <i>Qualcomm Messaging Interface (QMI) Architecture</i>   | 80-VB816-1             |
| <b>Standards</b>   |                        |
| <i>Standard title</i>  | Number (optional date) |
| <i>Extensible Authentication Protocol Method for 3rd Generation Authentication and Key Agreement (EAP-AKA)</i>                           | RFC 4187               |
| <i>Extensible Authentication Protocol Method for Global System for Mobile Communications (GSM) Subscriber Identity Modules (EAP-SIM)</i> | RFC 4186               |

## A.2 Acronyms and Terms

| Acronym or term | Definition                                 |
|-----------------|--|
| AKA             | Authentication and Key Agreement           |
| EAP             | Extensible Authentication Protocol         |
| GSM             | global system for mobile communications    |
| QMI             | Qualcomm messaging interface               |
| R-UIM           | removable user identity module             |
| SIM             | subscriber identity module                 |
| TLV             | type-length-value                          |
| UMTS            | universal mobile telecommunications system |
| USIM            | UMTS SIM                                   |