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i. Abstract

OGC API standards define modular API building blocks to spatially enable Web APIs in a consistent way. The OpenAPI specification is used to define the API building blocks.

OGC API Features provides API building blocks to create, modify and query features on the Web. OGC API Features is comprised of multiple parts, each of them is a separate standard.

This part extends the core capabilities specified in Part 1: Core with the ability to use coordinate reference system identifiers other than the defaults defined in the core.

ii. Keywords

The following are keywords to be used by search engines and document catalogues.

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Chapter 1. Scope

This document specifies an extension to the OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core standard that defines the behavior of a server that supports the ability to present geometry valued properties in a response document in one from a list of supported Coordinates Reference Systems (CRS).

This document assumes that each supported CRS can be referenced by a uniform resource identifier (i.e., a URI) such as http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/4326.

This document specifies:

- How, for each offered feature collection, a server advertises the list of supported CRS identifiers;
- How the coordinates of geometry valued feature properties can be accessed in one of the supported CRSs;
- How features can be accessed from the server using a bounding box specified in one of the supported CRSs; and
- How a server can declare the coordinate reference system used to present feature resources.

Chapter 2. Conformance

This standard defines one requirements class Coordinate Reference Systems by Reference. The standardization target is "Web APIs".

The URI of the associated conformance class is http://www.opengis.net/spec/ogcapi-features-2/1.0/conf/crs.

Conformance with this standard shall be checked using all the relevant tests specified in Annex A of this document. The framework, concepts, and methodology for testing, and the criteria to be achieved to claim conformance are specified in the OGC Compliance Testing Policies and Procedures and the OGC Compliance Testing web site.

Chapter 3. References

The following normative documents contain provisions that, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this document. For dated references, subsequent amendments to, or revisions of, any of these publications do not apply. For undated references, the latest edition of the normative document referred to applies.

• Open Geospatial Consortium (OGC). **OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core 1.0** [online]. Edited by C. Portele, P. Vretanos, C. Heazel. 2019 [viewed 2020-05-24]. Available at http://www.opengis.net/doc/IS/ogcapi-features-1/1.0

Chapter 4. Terms and Definitions

This document uses the terms defined in Sub-clause 5.3 of [OGC 06-121r9], which is based on the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2, Rules for the structure and drafting of International Standards. In particular, the word "shall" (not "must") is the verb form used to indicate a requirement to be strictly followed to conform to this standard.

For the purposes of this document, the following additional terms and definitions apply in addition to the terms defined in OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core.

coordinate

one of a sequence of numbers designating the position of a point [ISO 19111:2019, definition 3.1.5]

NOTE

In a spatial coordinate reference system, the coordinate numbers are qualified by units.

coordinate reference system (CRS)

coordinate system that is related to an object by a datum [ISO 19111:2019, definition 3.1.9]

coordinate system

set of mathematical rules for specifying how **coordinates** are to be assigned to points [ISO 19111:2019, definition 3.1.11]

feature

abstraction of real world phenomena [ISO 19101-1:2014]

NOTE

More details about the term 'feature' may be found in the W3C/OGC Spatial Data on the Web Best Practice in the section 'Spatial Things, Features and Geometry'.

feature collection; collection

a set of **features** from a dataset

spatial feature collection; spatial collection

a feature collection that includes one or more geometry-valued properties

Chapter 5. Conventions and background

See OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core, Clauses 5 and 6.

Chapter 6. Requirements Class Coordinate Reference Systems by Reference

6.1. Overview

Requirements Class	
http://www.opengis.net/spec/ogcapi-features-2/1.0/req/crs	
Target type	Web API
Dependency	OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core, Requirements Class 'core'

The OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core standard defines support for only two coordinate reference systems:

- WGS 84 longitude, latitude
- WGS 84 longitude, latitude, ellipsoidal height

This extension defines the behavior of a server that supports additional coordinate reference systems.

Requirement 1	/req/crs/crs-uri
Each CRS supported by a server SHALL be referenceable by a uniform resource	
identifier (i.e. a URI).	

Recommendation 1	/rec/crs/crs-format-model

Servers that implement this extension SHOULD be able to recognize and generate CRS identifiers with the following format model:

http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/{authority}/{version}/{code}

In this format model, the token {authority} is a placeholder for a value that designates to authority responsible for the definition of this CRS. Typical values include "EPSG" and "OGC".

The token {version} is a placeholder for the specific version of the CRS definition or 0 for un-versioned CRS definitions.

The token {code} is a placeholder for the authority's code for the CRS.

For more information, see section 6.2 in OGC Name Type Specification, Part 1.

Note that while the EPSG register itself is versioned, the registered items are not versioned and the "version" is always "0" in URIs of the authority "EPSG".

6.2. Discovery

6.2.1. CRS identifier list

Requirement 2	/req/crs/fc-md-crs-list
A	The crs property in the collection object of a spatial feature collection SHALL contain the identifiers for the list of CRSs supported by the server for that collection.
В	This list SHALL include the default(s) defined in OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core.

The list has to include the default CRS—that is the CRS used unless something else is explicitly requested—is defined in OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core as:

- http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84 (for coordinates without height)
- http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/0/CRS84h (for coordinates with height)

6.2.2. Storage CRS

The storage CRS for a spatial feature collection is the CRS identifier that may be used to retrieve features from that collection without the need to apply a CRS transformation.

Note that coordinates referenced to a dynamic coordinate reference system are ambiguous, if the coordinate epoch is unknown. It is therefore recommended to also provide the coordinate epoch when the storage CRS is dynamic, such as an ITRF realization or WGS 84. For more information on dynamic coordinate reference systems and coordinate epoch, please see OGC Abstract Specification Topic 2: Referencing by coordinates.

Requirement 3	/req/crs/fc-md-storageCrs

If all features in a spatial feature collection are stored using a particular CRS then the property storageCrs SHALL be specified in the collection object of the spatial feature collection to indicate the identifier for this storage CRS.

Recommendation 2	/rec/crs/fc-md-coordinateEpoch

If the storage CRS of the spatial feature collection is a dynamic coordinate reference system, the property storageCrsCoordinateEpoch in the collection object of the spatial feature collection SHOULD provide the coordinate epoch of the coordinates.

This document does not provide a mechanism to associate different coordinate epochs with feature geometries in a collection. If data with different coordinate epochs is merged in a collection, one option is to perform point motion operations (PMO) to convert all geometries to the same coordinate epoch. See OGC Abstract Specification Topic 2 for more information.

Requirement 4

/req/crs/fc-md-storageCrs-valid-value

The value of the storageCrs property SHALL be one of the CRS identifiers from the list of supported CRS identifiers found in the collection object using the crs property.

The following schema fragment extends the collection object to add the storageCrs and storageCrsCoordinateEpoch properties.

```
type: object
required:
 - id
 - links
properties:
 id:
    description: identifier of the collection used, for example, in URIs
    type: string
    example: address
 title:
    description: human readable title of the collection
    type: string
    example: address
 description:
    description: a description of the features in the collection
    type: string
    example: An address.
 links:
    type: array
    items:
      $ref: link.yaml
    example:
      - href: http://data.example.com/buildings
        rel: item
      - href: http://example.com/concepts/buildings.html
        rel: describedby
        type: text/html
 extent:
    $ref: extent.yaml
 itemType:
    description: indicator about the type of the items in the collection (the default
value is 'feature').
    type: string
    default: feature
    description: the list of CRS identifiers supported by the service
    type: array
    items:
      type: string
    default:
      - http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84
    example:
```

- http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84
- http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/4326

storageCrs:

description: the CRS identifier, from the list of supported CRS identifiers, that may be used to retrieve features from a collection without the need to apply a CRS transformation

type: string
format: uri

storageCrsCoordinateEpoch:

description: point in time at which coordinates in the spatial feature collection are referenced to the dynamic coordinate reference system in 'storageCrs', that may be used to retrieve features from a collection without the need to apply a change of coordinate epoch. It is expressed as a decimal year in the Gregorian calendar

type: number

example: '2017-03-25 in the Gregorian calendar is epoch 2017.23'

6.2.3. Global list of CRS identifiers

To prevent unnecessary duplication of lists of supported CRS identifiers in the collection object, a global list of supported CRS identifiers may be provided as part of the collections object.

This global list of CRS identifiers is not automatically inherited by each collection offered by the service. Rather the global list of CRS identifiers must be explicitly referenced in the crs property of the collection object using a JSON Pointer (RFC 6901).

Requirement 5 /req/crs/fc-md-crs-list-global

If the crs property in the collection object of a spatial feature collection includes a JSON Pointer to the global list of CRS identifiers (#/crs), then all CRS identifiers in the global list SHALL be valid for the referencing collection.

Note that only a local JSON Pointer within the same document is supported.

The following schema fragment extends the collections object to add the crs property which contains the global list of CRS identifiers.

The following example illustrates the used of a global list of CRS identifiers.

```
{
  "links": [
    { "href": "http://data.example.org/collections.json",
      "rel": "self", "type": "application/json", "title": "this document" },
    { "href": "http://data.example.org/collections.html",
      "rel": "alternate", "type": "text/html", "title": "this document as HTML" },
    { "href": "http://schemas.example.org/1.0/buildings.xsd",
      "rel": "describedby", "type": "application/xml", "title": "GML application
schema for Acme Corporation building data" },
    { "href": "http://download.example.org/buildings.gpkg",
      "rel": "enclosure", "type": "application/geopackage+sqlite3", "title": "Bulk
download (GeoPackage)", "length": 472546 }
  "crs": [
     "http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84",
     "http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/4326",
     "http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/3857",
     "http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/3395"
  ],
  "collections": [
       "id": "bonn buildings",
       "title": "Bonn Buildings",
       "description": "Buildings in the city of Bonn.",
       "extent": {
         "spatial": {
           "bbox": [ [ 7.01, 50.63, 7.22, 50.78 ] ]
         "temporal": {
           "interval": [ [ "2010-02-15T12:34:56Z", null ] ]
         }
       },
       "links": [
         { "href": "http://data.example.org/collections/bonn_buildings/items",
           "rel": "items", "type": "application/geo+json",
           "title": "Bonn Buildings" },
         { "href": "https://creativecommons.org/publicdomain/zero/1.0/",
           "rel": "license", "type": "text/html",
           "title": "CCO-1.0" },
         { "href": "https://creativecommons.org/publicdomain/zero/1.0/rdf",
           "rel": "license", "type": "application/rdf+xml",
           "title": "CCO-1.0" }
       ],
       "crs": [
          "#/crs",
          "http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/4258",
          "http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/25831",
          "http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/25832"
```

```
},
{
  "id": "tor buildings",
  "title": "Toronto Buildings",
  "description": "Buildings in the city of Toronto.",
  "extent": {
    "spatial": {
      "bbox": [ [ -79.62, 43.58, -79.12, 43.87 ] ]
    },
    "temporal": {
      "interval": [ [ "2010-02-15T12:34:56Z", null ] ]
    }
  },
  "links": [
    { "href": "http://data.example.org/collections/tor_buildings/items",
      "rel": "items", "type": "application/geo+json",
      "title": "Toronto Buildings" },
    { "href": "https://creativecommons.org/publicdomain/zero/1.0/",
      "rel": "license", "type": "text/html",
      "title": "CCO-1.0" },
    { "href": "https://creativecommons.org/publicdomain/zero/1.0/rdf",
      "rel": "license", "type": "application/rdf+xml",
      "title": "CC0-1.0" }
  ],
  "crs": [
     "#/crs"
  ]
},
{
  "id": "dc_buildings",
  "title": "Washington DC Buildings",
  "description": "Buildings in the city of Washington DC.",
  "extent": {
    "spatial": {
      "bbox": [ [ -77.12, 38.80, -76.89, 39.01 ] ]
    },
    "temporal": {
      "interval": [ [ "2010-02-15T12:34:56Z", null ] ]
    }
  },
  "links": [
    { "href": "http://data.example.org/collections/dc_buildings/items",
      "rel": "items", "type": "application/geo+json",
      "title": "DC Buildings" },
    { "href": "https://creativecommons.org/publicdomain/zero/1.0/",
      "rel": "license", "type": "text/html",
      "title": "CCO-1.0" },
    { "href": "https://creativecommons.org/publicdomain/zero/1.0/rdf",
      "rel": "license", "type": "application/rdf+xml",
      "title": "CCO-1.0" }
```

```
],
    "crs": [
        "http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84"
    ]
    }
]
```

In the above example, the bonn_buildings collection is offered in all the CRSs specified in the global list plus three other CRSs.

The tor_buildings collection is offered in the CRSs specified in the global list.

The dc_buildings collection is only offered in the default CRS (i.e., WGS 84 longitude, latitude).

6.3. Query

6.3.1. Parameter bbox-crs

The bbox-crs parameter may be used to assert the CRS used for the coordinate values of the bbox parameter.

```
Requirement 7 /req/crs/fc-bbox-crs-definition

Each GET request on a 'features' resource SHALL support a query parameter bbox-crs with the following characteristics:

name: bbox-crs
in: query
required: false
schema:
    type: string
    format: uri
style: form
explode: false
```

Requirement 8	/req/crs/fc-bbox-crs-valid-value
A	If the value of the bbox-crs parameter is not one of the CRS identifiers from the list of supported CRS identifiers, then the server SHALL respond with the HTTP status code 400.
В	The list of supported CRS identifiers is found in the collection object using the crs property.

As usual, it is good practice to include a message about the reason for the error in the response.

Requirement 9 /req/crs/fc-bbox-crs-valid-defaultValue

If the bbox-crs parameter is not specified then the coordinate values of the bbox parameter SHALL be assumed to be in the default CRS specified in OGC API - Feature - Part 1: Core; that is http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84 for coordinates without height and http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/0/CRS84h for coordinates with height.

Requirement 10 /req/crs/fc-bbox-crs-action

If the bbox-crs parameter is specified, then the values of the bbox parameter SHALL be assumed to be in the specified CRS and the server SHALL perform the necessary internal transformations to properly fetch data from within the specified bounding box.

The following fragment illustrates the use of the bbox-crs parameter (reserved characters have to be encoded):

Example 2. Specifying a bounding box in one of the supported coordinate reference systems

```
...&bbox=32507317%2C5224265%2C33427450%2C5603836&bbox-
crs=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.opengis.net%2Fdef%2Fcrs%2FEPSG%2F0%2F25832
```

6.3.2. Parameter crs

Requirement 12 /req/crs/fc-crs-definition

Each GET request on a 'features' or 'feature' resource SHALL support a query parameter named crs with the following characteristics:

name: crs
in: query
required: false
schema:

type: string
format: uri
style: form
explode: false

Requirement 13	/req/crs/fc-crs-valid-value	

A	If the value of the crs parameter is not one of the CRS identifiers from the list of supported CRS identifiers, then the server SHALL respond with the HTTP status code 400.
В	The list of supported CRS identifiers is found in the collection object using the crs property.

As usual, it is good practice to include a message about the reason for the error in the response.

Requirement 14	/req/crs/fc-crs-default-value

If the crs parameter is not specified the geometry coordinates SHALL be presented in the default CRS specified in OGC API - Feature - Part 1: Core; that is http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84 for coordinates without ellipsoidal height and http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/0/CRS84h for coordinates with ellipsoidal height.

Requirement 15	/req/crs/fc-crs-action
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If the crs parameter is specified, then the coordinates of all geometry-valued properties in the response document SHALL be presented in the requested CRS.

Permission 1	/per/crs/fc-crs-action

Notwithstanding the requirement /req/crs/crs-action, if the requested feature representation is subject to any limitations for supporting coordinate reference systems, the Web API MAY return a response with a status code 400.

For example, OGC KML only supports the default CRS (WGS84 longitude and latitude, optionally with ellipsoidal height).

The following fragment illustrates the use of the crs parameter:

Example 3. Retrieving features from a collection in one of the supported CRSs

.../collections/buildings/items?crs=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.opengis.net%2Fdef%2Fcrs%2FEPS G%2F0%2F267038...

6.3.3. Output format considerations

OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core defines three conformance classes related to the output formats:

- GML/XML
- GeoJSON/JSON

6.3.3.1. Collections and Collection resources

This document specifies extensions to the Collections resource (the global list of coordinate reference systems) and the Collection resource (the storage CRS including the associated coordinate epoch).

How these extensions are reflected in each encoding is not fully specified by this standard, except for JSON-based or YAML-based encodings where the extensions are fully specified by the OpenAPI schema components.

For HTML, the requirement http://www.opengis.net/spec/ogcapi-features-1/1.0/req/html/content applies and the additional information has to be included in the body of the HTML document.

For XML, the content model of the of the complex types core:CollectionsType and core:CollectionType would have to be extended with additional information. This document does not specify the details for such extensions due to a lack of demand.

6.3.3.2. Features and Feature resources

GML has full CRS support and no further conventions are imposed by this standard.

NOTE

The CRS model in GML is based on ISO 19111:2007, but GML geometries reference CRSs by their URI identifier in the srsName attribute. These can resolve to a CRS that is defined based on the CRS model specified by ISO 19111:2019 (same as OGC Abstract Specification Topic 2: Referencing by coordinates), or a future edition.

HTML does not have any provisions for spatial geometries and coordinate reference systems. However, note that schema.org that is embedded in HTML only supports WGS 84 in the axis order latitude/longitude, so any coordinates in schema.org markup will have to be in that coordinate reference system, independent of the requested coordinate reference system.

GeoJSON normatively supports WGS 84 (without height: CRS84; with height: CRS84h), but the "prior arrangement" provision allows other coordinate systems to be used.

Requirement 16	/req/crs/geojson	
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Servers that implement this extension plus the GeoJSON requriements class and clients that use this extension SHALL be subject to the prior arrangement provision in the second paragraph of section 4 of the GeoJSON standard.

An explicit request by a client with a query parameter crs establishes a prior arrangement. It is the responsibility of the client that submits the request to handle the coordinates in the response correctly. In particular, clients should not make the GeoJSON document available to others unless they are aware of the prior arrangement.

This standard does not specify any standardized approach to encoding coordinate reference system information in a GeoJSON document.

The first paragraph of section 4 in GeoJSON also states:

An OPTIONAL third-position element SHALL be the height in meters above or below the WGS 84 reference ellipsoid. In the absence of elevation values, applications sensitive to height or depth SHOULD interpret positions as being at local ground or sea level.

If the requested coordinate reference system includes the vertical axis, the third-position element has to be interpreted according to that coordinate reference system, not as if it would be relative to the WGS 84 reference ellipsoid.

6.3.4. Coordinate reference system information independent of the feature encoding

Because of the inconsistent provision of CRS metadata in geospatial encodings and the continued confusion caused by the axis order of coordinates, this standard defines a mechanism for a server to clearly and unambiguously assert the CRS and axis order being used in a response document independent of the requested output format.

Requirement 17 /req/crs/ogc-crs-header

An HTTP header named Content-Crs SHALL be used to assert the coordinate reference system used in the body of a response.

Requirement 18 /req/crs/ogc-crs-header-value

The value of the Content-Crs header SHALL be a URI identifying the coordinate reference system used in the response document according to the following grammar for CRS-header.

```
CRS-header = "Content-Crs" ":" CRS-value
CRS-value = "<" URI-reference ">"
```

NOTE

The header is consistent with the draft "content negotiation by coordinate reference system" specification.

The following example illustrates the Content-Crs header in a response.

```
$ curl -i
"https://example.com/api/v1/collections/poi/items/1?crs=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.opengis.n
et%2Fdef%2Fcrs%2FEPSG%2F0%2F3395"
    HTTP/1.1 200 OK
    Date: Sun, 24 May 2020 15:30:56 GMT
    Content-Type: application/geo+json
    Content-Language: en
    Content-Crs: <http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/EPSG/0/3395>
<a href="https://example.com/api/v1/collections/poi/items/1?crs=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.opengis.n">https://example.com/api/v1/collections/poi/items/1?crs=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.opengis.n</a>
et%2Fdef%2Fcrs%2FEPSG%2F0%2F3395&f=json>; rel="self"; title="This document";
type="application/geo+json"
    Link:
<a href="https://example.com/api/v1/collections/poi/items/1?crs=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.opengis.n">https://example.com/api/v1/collections/poi/items/1?crs=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.opengis.n</a>
et%2Fdef%2Fcrs%2FEPSG%2F0%2F3395&f=html>; rel="alternate"; title="This document as
HTML"; type="text/html"
    Link: <https://example.com/api/v1/collections/poi>; rel="collection";
title="The collection the feature belongs to"
    Vary: Accept-Language, Accept-Encoding
    Content-Length: 1064
```

Annex A: Abstract Test Suite (Normative)

Conformance Class	
http://www.opengis.net/spec/ogcapi-features-2/1.0/conf/crs	
Target type	Web API
Requirements class	Requirements Class 'Coordinate Reference Systems by Reference'
Dependency	OGC API - Features - Part 1: Core, Conformance Class 'core'

A.1. Discovery

Abstract Test 1	/conf/crs/crs-uri
Test Purpose	Verify that each CRS identifier is a valid value
Requirement	/req/crs/crs-uri, /req/crs/fc-md-crs-list A, /req/crs/fc-md-storageCrs, /req/crs/fc-md-crs-list-global
Test Method	For each string value in a crs or storageCrs property in the collections and collection objects in the paths /collections and /collections/{collectionId}, validate that the string conforms to the generic URI syntax as specified by RFC 3986, section 3. In addition, accept a single value of #/crs in each collection object at path /collections, if the collections object has a crs property.
	1. For http-URIs (starting with http:) validate that the string conforms to the syntax specified by RFC 7230, section 2.7.1.
	2. For https-URIs (starting with https:) validate that the string conforms to the syntax specified by RFC 7230, section 2.7.2.
	3. For URNs (starting with urn:) validate that the string conforms to the syntax specified by RFC 8141, section 2.
	4. For OGC URNs (starting with urn:ogc:def:crs:) and OGC http-URIs (starting with http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/) validate that the string conforms to the syntax specified by OGC Name Type Specification - definitions - part 1 – basic name.

Abstract Test 2	/conf/crs/default-crs
Test Purpose	Verify that the list of supported CRSs includes the default CRS.
Requirement	/req/crs/fc-md-crs-list B

Test Method	For each string value in a crs property in a collection object (for
	<pre>each path /collections and /collections/{collectionId}) validate</pre>
	that either http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/0GC/1.3/CRS84 or
	http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84h is included in the
	array, if the collection has a spatial extent, i.e., is a spatial feature
	collection.

Abstract Test 3	/conf/crs/storageCrs
Test Purpose	Verify that the storage CRS identifier is a valid value
Requirement	/req/crs/fc-md-storageCrs-valid-value
Test Method	For each collection object that includes a storageCrs property in the paths /collections and /collections/{collectionId}, validate that the string is also found in the crs property of the collection or, in case the crs property includes a value #/crs, in the global list of CRSs.

A.2. Query

A.2.1. Parameter crs

Abstract Test 4	/conf/crs/crs-parameter
Test Purpose	Verify that the parameter crs has been implemented correctly
Requirement	/req/crs/fc-crs-definition, /req/crs/fc-crs-valid-value B, /req/crs/ogc-crs-header, /req/crs/ogc-crs-header-value, /req/crs/geojson

Test Method	For
	 each spatial feature collection collectionId,
	 every GML or GeoJSON feature representation supported by the Web API, and
	 every CRS supported for the collection (every CRS listed in the crs property of the collection plus those in the global CRS list, if #/crs is included in the crs property)
	send a request with CRS identifier in the parameter crs to
	/collections/{collectionId}/items and
	 /collections/{collectionId}/items/{featureId} (with a valid featureId for the collection).
	Verify that
	• every response is a valid Features or Feature response,
	 has the status code 200 and
	• includes a Content-Crs http header with the value of the requested CRS identifier.

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Abstract Test 6	/conf/crs/crs-parameter-default
Test Purpose	Verify that the default value for parameter crs has been implemented correctly
Requirement	/req/crs/fc-crs-default-value, /req/crs/ogc-crs-header, /req/crs/ogc-crs-header-value
Test Method	For each spatial feature collection, send a request without the crs parameter and verify that the response includes a Content-Crs http header with the value of the default CRS identifier of the collection.

Abstract Test 7	/conf/crs/crs-parameter-transform			
Test Purpose	Verify that the geometries are transformed			
Requirement	/req/crs/crs-action			
Test Method	For every CRS identifier advertized by the Web API that is known to the test engine and for which the test engine can convert geometries between the CRS and the default CRS of the Web API ("known CRS") execute the following test. Skip the test for unknown CRSs. 1. For each spatial feature collection collectionId, send a request with the parameter crs to /collections/{collectionId}/items and /collections/{collectionId}/items/{featureId} (with a valid featureId for the collection) for every known CRS listed. In addition, send the same request, but without the crs parameter.			
	2. Convert the response for the known CRS to the default CRS and verify that the responses match. Due to the use of different coordinate conversions in the test engine and by the API, there will not be an exact match and the test engine will have to allow for reasonable differences when assessing whether the geometries match.			

A.2.2. Parameter bbox-crs

Abstract Test 8	/conf/crs/bbox-crs-parameter

Test Purpose	Verify that the parameter bbox-crs has been implemented correctly
Requirement	/req/crs/fc-bbox-crs-definition, /req/crs/bbox-crs-action
Test Method	For every CRS identifier advertized by the Web API that is known to the test engine and for which the test engine can convert geometries between the CRS and the default CRS of the Web API ("known CRS") execute the following test. Skip the test for unknown CRSs. 1. For each spatial feature collection collectionId and every GML or GeoJSON feature representation supported by the Web API, send a request with the parameters bbox and bboxcrs to /collections/{collectionId}/items for every known CRS. Use a bbox value in the spatial extent of the collection, converted to the known CRS. Send the same request, but with no bbox-crs parameter and a bbox value in the default CRS. Do not include a crs parameter in the requests. Verify that the responses include the same features.

Abstract Test 9	/conf/crs/bbox-crs-parameter-invalid			
Test Purpose	Verify that the parameter bbox-crs has been implemented correctly			
Requirement	/req/crs/fc-bbox-crs-valid-value			
Test Method	For each spatial feature collection collectionId, send a request with the parameters bbox and bbox-crs to /collections/{collectionId}/items with a value for bbox-crs that is not included in the list of CRSs and verify that the response has status code 400.			

Abstract Test 10	/conf/crs/bbox-crs-parameter-default			
Test Purpose	Verify that the parameter bbox-crs has been implemented correctly			
Requirement	/req/crs/fc-bbox-crs-default-value			

Test Method

For each spatial feature collection collectionId and every GML or GeoJSON feature representation supported by the Web API, send a request with the parameters bbox and bbox-crs to /collections/{collectionId}/items for the default CRS of the collection. Use a bbox value in the spatial extent of the collection. Send the same request, but with no bbox-crs parameter. Do not include a crs parameter in the requests. Verify that the responses include the same features.

Annex B: Revision History

Date	Release	Editor	Primary clauses modified	Description
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