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1. Overview

This document describes the data structures and the methods used in the EZSrv that implement a complete home/building automation client/server architecture. EZSrv uses xml files to represent its data structures, and xml functions to perform all the required operations on those data structures. EZSrv acts on the physical world and interacts with its clients via the xml structures and functions. The description of the data structures follows, and the xml Application Programming Interface (API) is detailed subsequently. The API also includes numerous functions that help manage the EZSrv and allow direct access to the devices.

2. Devices.xml

This file maintains all information needed to control and monitor devices. As such, it contains the instantiation of device objects with all their attributes represented as nodes in xml. The main interaction between the EZSrv and clients is via API functions that manipulate this file. The format of this file is as follows:

File Template	
<pre><?xml version="1.0"?> <Devices> <Device Rec="" Name="" ID="" DevCat="" MSB="" PollInt="" Pic=""> <Clusters> <Cluster CID="" Attribute_1="" Attribute_n="" /> </Clusters> <Links> <Link Rec="" ID="" Grp="" Cntrlr="" LD="" SCR=""> </Links> </Device> <Scenes> <Scene SCR="1" Name="" /> <Scene SCR="2" Name="" /> </Scenes> </Devices></pre>	
Nodes/Tags	Description
<Device>	Holds the top level attributes of the device record
Rec	The device record number – value: 0-9999
Name	String of up to 16 characters with the device name.
DevCat	Device/Category code – value: 0x0000-0xFFFF
MSB	If Insteon, this is the size of the links db – 0 if small, 1 if large.
PollInt	Polling interval for main cluster – value: 0-99 (in 5 sec. int.)
Pic	String of up to 16 characters, usually the name of a picture.
<Clusters>	Holds the Cluster nodes
<Cluster>	Holds the attributes of a cluster
CID	ID of the cluster – value: 1-255
<Links>	Holds the link records
<Link>	Holds the attributes of a link record
Rec	Link record number – value: 0-9999
ID	ID of the device affected by this link. Form: 01.FE.3E
Grp	Group number – value 1-254
Cntrlr	Flag to indicate type of link – 0 if Responder, 1 if Controller
LD	Link data of the form 01-FE-ID
SCR	Scene record number this link is a member of. Values: 0-255
<Scenes>	Holds the scene records
<Scene>	Holds the attributes for a scene record
SCR	Record number – Value: 0-255
Name	String of up to 16 characters with the Scene name.
Pic	String of up to 16 characters, usually the name of a picture.
Method Examples	
Retrieve entire file: <Command Name = "Read" File = "Devices"/>	
Retrieve device record through record number: <Command Name = "Read" File = "Devices"> <Device Rec = "01"/> </Command>	
Retrieve device record through device name: <Command Name = "Read" File = "Devices">	

<pre><Device Name ="Dimmer 1"> </Command></pre>
<p>Retrieve device record through device ID:</p> <pre><Command Name = "Read" File ="Devices"> <Device ID="06.00.71"> </Command></pre>
<p>Retrieve complete device links table (by device name shown):</p> <pre><Command Name = "Read" File ="Devices"> <Device Name=Dimmer 1"> <Links /> </Command></pre>
<p>Retrieve specific link record by device ID:</p> <pre><Command Name = "Read" File ="Devices"> <Device ID ="06.00.71"> <Link Rec="25"> </Command></pre>
<p>Retrieve all clusters through Device ID:</p> <pre><Command Name="Read" File =" Devices"> <Device ID="06.00.71"> <Clusters /> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Retrieve a specific cluster through Device ID:</p> <pre><Command Name="Read" File ="Devices"> <Device ID="06.00.71"> <Cluster CID="250"> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Retrieve all clusters through Device ID:</p> <pre><Command Name="Read" File ="Devices"> <Device ID="06.00.71"> <Clusters /> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Retrieve complete device scenes table:</p> <pre><Command Name = "Read" File =" Devices "> <Scenes /> </Command></pre>
<p>Add a complete file:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <valid device file/> </Command></pre>
<p>Add a device by providing all the details:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="Dimmer1" ID="06.00.91" DevCat="0x0107" PollInt="1" Pic="Dimmer.jpeg"/> </Command></pre>
<p>Add a device by providing Name and ID:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="Dimmer2" ID="06.00.71" /> </Command></pre>
<p>Add a device by providing just the name (Push Button Method):</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="Dimmer3" /> </Command></pre>
<p><i>Please note in the above format that if the device name already exists, the application deletes the device from Devices.xml. This is because there is no difference in the XML format to delete a device from the file, and to add new device.</i></p>
<p>In all the above 3 methods providing PollInt and Pic attribute is optional</p>
<p>Modify device name:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Rec="1" Name="New Name"> </Device> </Command></pre>

<p>Modify device ID (replace a device):</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Rec="1" ID="New ID"> </Device> </Command></pre> <p><i>After this operation, EZSrv automatically attempts to load all the parameters from the new device.</i></p>
<p>Modify device Poll Int:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Rec="1" PollInt="5"> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Modify device Pic:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Rec="1" Pic="NewImage.jpeg"> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Modify device links:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="Dimmer"> <Links> <Link Rec="1" ID="06.00.5D" Grp="01" Cntrlr="1" LD="FF-FF-00" SCR="1"/> <Link Rec="2" ID="06.00.5E" Grp="01" Cntrlr="1" LD="FF-FF-00" SCR="2"/> </Links> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Modify device scenes:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Scenes> <Scene SCR="01" Name="Default_01"/> <Scene SCR="02" Name="Scene_01"/> </Scenes> </Command></pre>
<p>Modify device clusters:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="EZServe"> <Clusters> <Cluster CID="1" PLM="0D.FD.02" Rev="63"/> <Cluster CID="2" Lat="40.714630" Lon="-74.005806" TimeZone="EST"/> <Cluster CID="3" IP="192.168.1.118" NetMask="255.255.255.0" GateWay="192.168.1.0"/> </Clusters> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Modify device Names:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="lamp2"> <Names N1="harshaOne" N2="harshaTwo" N3="harshaThree" N4="Name4" N5="Name5" N6="Name6" N7="Name7" N8="Name8" N9="Name9" N10="Name10" N11="Name11" N12="Name12" N13="Name13" N14="Name14" N15="Name15" N16="Name16" /> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Delete device links:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="dimmer"> <Links/> </Device> </Command></pre>
<p>Delete device clusters:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="dimmer"> <Clusters/></pre>

<pre></Device> </Command></pre>
Delete device Names: <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="dimmer"> <Names/> </Device> </Command></pre>
Delete a device by name: <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"> <Device Name="dimmer"/> </Command></pre>

3. Areas.xml

This file maintains the logical grouping of devices as specified by the user. An example follows:

File Template	
<pre><?xml version="1.0"?> <Areas> <Area Rec="" Name="" Pic=""> <Devices> <Device Name=""/> </Devices> </Area> </Areas></pre>	
Nodes/Tags	Description
<Area>	Holds the top level attributes of the area record
Rec	The device record number – value: 0-999
Name	String of up to 16 characters with the area name.
Pic	String of up to 16 characters, usually the name of a picture.
<Devices>	Holds the device records contained in the area.
<Device>	Holds the attributes of a device contained in an area.
Name	Name of the device contained in the area
Method Examples	
Retrieve an entire file: <pre><Command Name="Read" File="Areas"/></pre>	
Retrieve a specific Area by name: <pre><Command Name="Read" File="Areas"> <Area Name="Living Room" > <Devices/> </Area> </Command></pre>	
Retrieve a specific Area by record number: <pre><Command Name="Read" File="Areas"> <Area Rec="1"> <Devices/> </Area> </Command></pre>	
Clear the entire file (delete all area records): <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Areas"></pre>	
Add a complete file: <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Areas"> <Areas> <Area Rec="1" Name="house"> <Devices> <Device Name="Dimmer"/> <Device Name="Sprinkler"/> <Device Name="Icon Lamp Linc"/> </Devices> </Area> <Area Rec="2" Name="House"></pre>	

<pre><Devices> <Device Name="Dimmer"/> </Devices> </Area> </Areas> </Command></pre>
<p>Add an area with several devices:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Areas"> <Area Name="New Living Room"> <Devices> <Device Name="Garage door"/> <Device Name="Garage light"/> </Devices> </Area> </Command></pre>
<p>Modify the device list of an area:</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Areas"> <Area Name="Living Room"> <Devices> <Device Name="Hallway"/> <Device Name="Gateway"/> </Devices> </Area> </Command></pre>
<p>Modify an area name</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Areas"> <Area Rec="10" Name="newname"/> </Command></pre>
<p>Delete device list of an area</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Areas"> <Area Name="Living Room"> <Devices/> </Area> </Command></pre>
<p>Delete an area</p> <pre><Command Name="Write" File="Areas"> <Area Name="Living Room"/> </Command></pre>

4. Actions.xml

Actions are events triggered by the EZSrv on up to 6 devices in response to up to 6 specified time and/or device status conditions. The system allows for 255 actions that are stored in the Actions.xml database. Conditions may be AND'ed or OR'ed, however the system will not handle more than 1 level of nesting.

Each of the specified effects can be either immediate, or delayed by a preset time. Time conditions include an absolute time and Sunrise or Sunset plus or minus (+/-) an offset of HH:MM:SS, or triggered at a set interval (e.g. event triggers every 10 minutes), with the first trigger occurring on system startup or when the event is first added. The day interval can be every day, specified days of the week (Sun-Sat), specified days known as "holidays", every other day or every even or odd day.

Actions may be simple or complex. A complex one may allow for up to 6 set conditions, with each condition an AND / OR. For example, IF (A AND B) OR (C AND D) OR E THEN Y. A simple action could just define an effect happening at a preset time of the week such as IF A THEN Y. The format of the Actions file is explained below.

File Template
<pre><?xml version="1.0"?> <Actions> <Action Rec="" Name="" Active=""> <Conditions> <Condition Time="09:00" Days=""/> </Conditions> <Effects> <Effect Device="Pool Pump" DevAct="1300" Time="14:00:00"/> </Effects></pre>

<code></Action></code> <code></Actions></code>	
Nodes/Tags	Description
<code><Action></code>	Top level of an action record containing the global attributes of the action record
Rec	The action record number – value: 0-9999
Name	String of up to 16 characters with the name of the Action
Active	Indicates whether the Action is active (enabled)
<code><Conditions></code>	Holds the Conditions nodes
<code><Condition></code>	Holds the attributes of a Condition
Logic	“OR” or “AND” in combination with a preceding condition. Invalid for the first condition in the list.
Device	A given device if a device event match is to occur.
AttrName	The attribute of the device to match
AttrVal	The value of the attribute to match
AtTime	The time to delay the effect
StartTime	A starting time for repeating conditions (when using intervals)
Days	The days pattern
Active	Indicates whether the condition is enabled.
<code><Effects></code>	Holds the Effects nodes
<code><Effect></code>	Holds the attributes of Effect
Device	The device to be affected
AttrName	The name of the device attribute to change
AttrVal	The value to set the attribute to
Time	A delay to apply to the effect
Method Examples	
Retrieve entire file: <code><Command Name="Read" File="Actions"/></code>	
Retrieve a specific Action by record #: <code><Command Name="Read" File="Actions"></code> <code><Action Rec="01"/></code> <code></Command></code>	
Retrieve a specific Action by name: <code><Command Name="Read" File="Actions"></code> <code><Action Name="Outside Timer"/></code> <code></Command></code>	
Retrieve a specific Action Condition by name: <code><Command Name="Read" File="Actions"></code> <code><Action Name="Outside Timer"/></code> <code><Conditions/></code> <code></Command></code>	
Retrieve a specific Action Effect by name: <code><Command Name="Read" File="Actions"></code> <code><Action Name="Outside Timer"/></code> <code><Effects/></code> <code></Command></code>	
Clear the file: <code><Command Name="Write" File="Actions"/></code>	
Add complete file: <code><Command Name="Write" File="Actions"></code> <code><Actions></code> <code><Action Rec="0" Name="action1" Active="1"></code> <code><Conditions></code> <code><Condition Logic="OR" AtTime="Absolute"</code> <code>StartTime="05:00:00" Days="SMT" Active="1" /></code> <code></Conditions></code> <code><Effects></code> <code><Effect Device="keypadlinc" AttrName="Status"</code> <code>AttrVal="0x00" /></code> <code></Effects></code> <code></Action></code> <code></Actions></code> <code></Command></code>	
Add an action: <code><Command Name="Write" File="Actions"></code>	

<pre> <Action Rec="0" Name="action1" Active="1"> <Conditions> <Condition Logic="OR" AtTime="Absolute" StartTime="05:00:00" Days="SMT" Active="1" /> </Conditions> <Effects> <Effect Device="keypadlinc" AttrName="Status" AttrVal="0x00" /> </Effects> </Action> </Command> </pre>
<p>Modify the name of an action:</p> <pre> <Command Name="Write" File="Actions"> <Action Rec="1" Name="New action name"> </Action> </Command> </pre>
<p>Modify a condition:</p> <pre> <Command Name="Write" File="Actions"> <Action Name="Pool Pump Timer"> <Conditions> <Condition Logic="OR" AtTime="Absolute" StartTime="05:00:00" Active="1" /> </Conditions> </Action> </Command> </pre> <p style="text-align: right;">Days="SMT"</p>
<p>Modify an effect:</p> <pre> <Command Name="Write" File="Actions"> <Action Name="Pool Pump Timer"> <Effects> <Effect Device="keypadlinc" AttrName="Status" AttrVal="0x00" /> </Effects> </Action> </Command> </pre>
<p>Delete a condition:</p> <pre> <Command Name="Write" File="Actions"> <Action Name="Pool Pump Timer"> <Conditions/> </Action> </Command> </pre>
<p>Delete an effect:</p> <pre> <Command Name="Write" File="Actions"> <Action Name="Pool Pump Timer"> <Effects/> </Action> </Command> </pre>
<p>Delete an action:</p> <pre> <Command Name="Write" File="Actions"> <Action Name="harsha" /> </Command> </pre>

5. Holidays.xml

This file maintains the list of holidays. These are days when the timer function will ignore its timer setting (won't run.) Its format follows:

File Template	
<pre> <?xml version="1.0"?> <Holidays> <Holiday Rec="1" Date="03Mar08"/> <Holiday Rec="2" Date="10Mar08"/> <Holiday Rec="3" Date="25Dec08"/> </Holidays> </pre>	
Nodes/Tags	Description
<Holiday>	Holds the attributes of a holiday record
Rec	The action record number – value: 0-9999

Date	String representing date formatted as: 10Mar09
Method Examples	
Retrieve entire file:	<code><Command Name="Read" File="Holidays"/></code>
Clear out the file:	<code><Command Name = "Write" File="Holidays"/></code>
Add holidays:	<code><Command Name = "Write" File="Holidays"></code> <code><Holidays></code> <code><Holiday Rec="1" Date="03Mar08"/></code> <code><Holiday Rec="2" Date="26Jan09"/></code> <code><Holiday Rec="3" Date="10Jan10"/></code> <code></Holidays></code> <code></Command></code>

6. DevClusters.xml

This is an internal EZSrv file that describes the methods applicable to each cluster attribute. It does, therefore, become the means by which EZSrv distinguishes the physical devices. The format of this file is not shown in this document as a client application would not normally be concerned with reading or writing this file.

7. Internal Functions

EZSrv performs multiple functions that are facilitated by a concise API. These functions include management of the devices, their applicable functions such as automatic Actions, as well as many other internal functions.

8. XML API

8.1 Read – Retrieve an XML file or one of its nodes from the EZSrv	
Prototype	<code><Command Name="Read" File="filename" /></code>
Parameter	Description
Filename	The name of the file to be retrieved excluding the .xml extension In the most general case, the entire file is retrieved. A given node or one of its sub nodes can be retrieved by specifying it for matching.
Response	<code><Response Name="Read" File="filename" Status="Success"></code> <code><file contents/></code> <code></Response></code> Or a failure message if malformed xml or other error
8.2 Write – Write an XML file or one of its nodes to the EZSrv	
Prototype	<code><Command Name="Write" File="Devices"></code> <code><Device Rec="1" ID="01.34.e4"/></code> <code></Command></code>
Parameter	Description
Filename	The name of the file to be written excluding the .xml extension In the most general case, the entire file is written or cleared (if empty nodes). A given node or one of its sub nodes can be written by specifying it for matching.
Response	<code><Response Name="Write" File="filename" Status="In Progress"></code> <code></Response></code> followed by: <code><Response Name="Write" File="filename" Status="Success"></code> or a failure message if malformed xml or other error
8.3 ReadCluster – Read Attribute(s) in a Cluster	
Prototype	<code><Command Name="ReadCluster" Device="Device Name"></code> <code><Cluster CID="#" Attribute1="Read" Attribute2="Read" AttributeN="Read"/></code> <code></Command></code>
Parameter	Description
Filename	Cluster with the attribute(s) value pairs to be Read The function will handle from 1 to all the attributes in the cluster that are set to "Read"
Response	<code><Response Name="ReadCluster" Device="Device Name" Status="Success"></code> <code><Cluster CID="#" Attribute1="Value"/></code>

	</Response> The above message will contain the desired attributes in the cluster
8.4 WriteCluster – Write Attribute(s) in a Cluster	
Prototype	<Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="xx.xx.xx"> <Cluster CID="#" Attribute1="Value" Attribute2="Value" AttributeN="Value"/> </Command>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	Cluster with the attribute(s) value pairs to be written. The function will handle from 1 to all the attributes in the cluster.
<i>Response</i>	<Response Name="WriteCluster" DevID="xx.xx.xx" Status="Success"> <Cluster CID="#" Attribute1="Value"/> </Response> The above message is repeated for each affected Attribute Or a failure message if not successful
<i>Example</i>	1. Changing parameters in the EZSrv itself a) Set a new latitude/longitude location: <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="03.45.f6"> <Cluster CID="2" Lat="33.532029" Lon="-117.702148" TimeZone="PST"/> </Command> b) Changing to static IP: <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="03.45.f6"> <Cluster CID="3" MAC="EZSrvMAC" DHCP="0" IP="192.168.1.118" Port="80" Gateway="192.168.1.254" NetMask="255.255.255.0" NTP="EZSrvNTP"/> </Command> 2. Actuating an INSTEON dimmer device a) Adjust the brightness (ON) level: <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="07.4F.6B"> <Cluster CID="0" Status="0x3B"/> </Command> b) Modifying the dimmer presets <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="07.4F.6B"> <Cluster CID="1" Level="0x40" Rate="0x1F" ResumeLevel="0xE0"/> </Command> 3. Controlling and configuring the Irrigation controller a) Turn valve #3 On <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="05.2B.96"> <Cluster CID="0" Status="0x82" Config="0x08"/> </Command> b) Changing the Valve 1 timer value <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="05.2B.96"> <Cluster CID="250" DV1="0x10" DV2="0x20" DV3="0x30" DV4="0x40" DV5="0x50" DV6="0x60" DV7="0x70" DV8="0x80" /> </Command> 4. Controlling an X10 device a) Turn the device ON <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="A05"/> <Cluster CID="0" Status="0x02"/> </Command> b) Increase brightness <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="A05"/> <Cluster CID="0" Status="0x05"/> </Command> c) Request device status (not supported by all X10 devices) <Command Name="WriteCluster" DevID="A05"/> <Cluster CID="0" Status="0x0F"/> </Command>
<i>Notes</i>	For any cluster, the <Cluster> node specifies from 1 to several attribute value pairs. Only those attributes are affected. The function can be used for 1 cluster only.

	Only attributes in a node beyond the identifier are updated. There can be as many attributes as the node contains in the original file. No new attributes will be created.
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9. Device Management

9.1 Link – Create a link between two or more devices with an optional scene name, and update the XML database

<i>Prototype</i>	<pre> <Command Name="LinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Cntrlrs> <Cntrlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> <Cntrlr ID="89.37.D4" Grp="3"/> </Cntrlrs> <Rspndrs> <Rspndr ID="01.54.D4" LD="FF-1F-00"/> <Rspndr ID="89.D7.84" LD="FF-1F-00"/> <Rspndr ID="4F.5C.32" LD="FF-1F-00"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> </pre>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	Controllers and responders as desired. Link data is specified for responders.
<i>Returns</i>	<pre> <Response Name="LinkDevs" Scene="scenename" Status="In Progress"> </Response> </pre> <p>Followed by:</p> <pre> <Response Name="LinkDevs" Scene="scenename" Status="Success"> </Response> </pre> <p>Or a failure indication.</p>
<i>Example</i>	<p>1. Create link between controller and responder devices and assign the provided scene name</p> <pre> <Command Name="LinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Cntrlrs> <Cntrlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> </Cntrlrs> <Rspndrs> <Rspndr ID="01.54.D4" LD="FF-1F-00"/> <Rspndr ID="4F.5C.32" LD="FF-1F-00"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> </pre> <p>2. Create link between controller and responder devices and assign the default scene name as "Scene-xx"</p> <pre> <Command Name="LinkDevs" > <Cntrlrs> <Cntrlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> </Cntrlrs> <Rspndrs> <Rspndr ID="01.54.D4" LD="FF-1F-00"/> <Rspndr ID="4F.5C.32" LD="FF-1F-00"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> </pre> <p>3. Add controller and create link with all existing responders of this scene</p> <pre> <Command Name="LinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Cntrlrs> <Cntrlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> </Cntrlrs> </Command> </pre> <p>4. Add responder and create link with all existing controllers of this scene</p> <pre> <Command Name="LinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Rspndrs> <Rspndr ID="01.54.D4" LD="FF-1F-00"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> </pre> <p>5. Add controller and responder and create link with all existing controller and responders of this scene respectively</p>

	<pre> <Command Name="LinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Cntrlrs> <Cntrlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> </Cntrlrs> <Rspndrs> <Rspndr ID="4F.5C.32" LD="FF-1F-00"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> </pre>
Notes	The link can be between any devices, including the EZSrv. If any device is not already in the EZSrv database, and the other device is not the EZSrv, then the device is first added to EZSrv database. API doesn't takes care of detecting duplicate Scene name while creating new scene ID and LD are case sensitive
9.2 UnLinkDevs – Remove link between two or more devices and update the XML database (Case 1: Delete a device)	
Prototype	<pre><Command Name="UnLinkDevs" ID="04.B6.22"/></pre>
Parameter	Description
Filename	ID: ID of the device which user wants to delete from the EZSrv database
Returns	<pre><Response Name=" UnLinkDevs" Status=" Success"> </Response></pre>
Example	Delete the 04.B6.22 device from the EZSrv database <pre><Command Name="UnLinkDevs" ID="04.B6.22"/></pre>
Notes	The link can be between any 2 or more devices, including the EZSrv. The scene name, if given, can be the only parameter to delete all the associated links.
9.3 UnLinkDevs – Remove link between two or more devices and update the XML database (Case 2: Delete a scene)	
Prototype	<pre><Command Name="UnLinkDevs" Scene="scenename"/></pre>
Parameter	Description
Filename	Scene: scene name which user wants to delete from the EZSrv database
Returns	<pre><Response Name=" UnLinkDevs" Status="Success"></pre>
Example	<pre><Command Name="UnLinkDevs" Scene="scenename"/></pre> Deletes the scene from the EZSrv database
Notes	Delete all associated links in the scene
9.4 UnLinkDevs – Remove link between two or more devices and update the XML database (Case 3: Partially delete a scene)	
Prototype	<pre> <Command Name="UnLinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Cntrlrs> <Cntrlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> <Cntrlr ID="89.37.D4" Grp="3"/> </Cntrlrs> <Rspndrs> <Rspndr ID="01.54.D4"/> <Rspndr ID="89.D7.84"/> <Rspndr ID="4F.5C.32"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> </pre>
Parameter	Description
Filename	
Returns	<pre><Response Name=" UnLinkDevs" Status="Success"></Response></pre>
Example	<p>1. Delete the controller and its associated links with all responders from this scene</p> <pre> <Command Name="UnLinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Cntrlrs> <Cntrlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> </Cntrlrs> </Command> </pre> <p>2. Delete the responder and its associated links with all controllers from this scene</p> <pre> <Command Name="UnLinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Rspndrs> </pre>

	<pre> <Rspndr ID="4F.5C.32"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> 3. Delete the controller and its associated links with all responders from this scene and also deletes the responder and its associated links with all controllers from this scene <Command Name="UnLinkDevs" Scene="scenename"> <Cntlr> <Cntlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> </Cntlr> <Rspndrs> <Rspndr ID="4F.5C.32"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> 4. Delete the link from both controller and responder devices. Both controller and responder information is mandatory here <Command Name="UnLinkDevs" <Cntlr> <Cntlr ID="01.34.56" Grp="1"/> </Cntlr> <Rspndrs> <Rspndr ID="4F.5C.32"/> </Rspndrs> </Command> </pre>
Notes	Unlink between provided controller and responder. Scene name is optional here ID is case sensitive.

9.5 WritetoDev – Write links to a device to match the XML database

Prototype	<Command Name="WritetoDev" ID="01.35.60"/>
Parameter	Description
Filename	ID: ID of the device
Returns	<Response Name="WritetoDev" Status="Success"/>
Example	
Notes	Develop return error codes
ReadfromDev – Read links from a device into the XML database	
Prototype	<Command Name="ReadfromDev" ID="01.35.60"/>
Parameter	Description
Filename	ID: ID of the device
Returns	<Response Name="WritetoDev" Status="Success"/>
Example	
Notes	

10. Network Management

10.1 WritetoNet - Synchronizes Insteon Network to existing XML

Prototype	<Command Name="WriteToNet"/>
Parameter	Description
Filename	
Returns	<Response Name="WriteToNet" Status="Success"/>
Example	
Notes	
ReadfromNet - Scans the existing Insteon network	
Prototype	<Command Name="ReadFromNet"/>
Parameter	Description
Filename	
Returns	<Response Name="ReadFromNet" Status="Success"/>
Example	
Notes	Beginning with devices in the EZSrv database, scan each device database and write in XML file.

10.2 ClusterResponse – Asynchronously reports a cluster when one or more of its attributes changes	
<i>Prototype</i>	<code><Response Command="ClusterResponse" Device="Dimmer"> <Cluster CID="0" Status="0xFF" /> </Response></code>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	
<i>Returns</i>	
<i>Example</i>	
<i>Notes</i>	This is the primary mechanism for devices to report their status to a client. By grouping various device attributes into clusters, it is possible to maintain a real time representation of device status independent of the protocol in use.

11. Administrative Commands

11.1 Cancel – Aborts the running operation	
<i>Prototype</i>	<code><Command Name="Cancel" CmdName="Write"/></code>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	CmdName: Command name of the operation that is currently running
<i>Returns</i>	<code><Response Name="Write" File="Devices" Status="Process terminated by the user"/></code>
<i>Example</i>	
<i>Notes</i>	.
11.2 PLMRaw – Enables XML messages for ALL messages sent and received to/from PLM	
<i>Prototype</i>	To activate (enable) messages: <code><Command Name="PLMRaw" Mode="On"/></code> Or to deactivate (disable) messages: <code><Command Name="PLMRaw" Mode="Off"/></code>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	
<i>Returns</i>	<code><Response Name="PLMRaw" Status="Success"/></code> Messages from PLM subsequently will take the form: <code><Response Name="PLMRaw"> <Byte1="0x50"/> <Byte2="0x05"/> <Byte3="0x95"/> <Byte4="0x9F"/> <Byte5="0x05"/> <Byte6="0xE9"/> <Byte7="0x38"/> <Byte8="0x2B"/> <Byte9="0x44"/> <Byte10="0xB5"/> </Response></code>
<i>Example</i>	See prototypes
<i>Notes</i>	1. Mode is case sensitive 2. Byte1 in the response always indicates command number
11.3 SetPasswd - Sets a password and enables or disables security	
<i>Prototype</i>	<code><Command Name="SetPasswd" Password="Simplehomenet"/></code>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	Password: The desired password
<i>Returns</i>	
<i>Notes</i>	
11.4 GetRevision – Get EZSrv firmware revision	
<i>Prototype</i>	<code><Command Name="GetRevision"/></code>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	
<i>Returns</i>	<code><Response Name="GetRevision" Rev="2.00.48"> </Response></code>

Notes	
11.5 GetClock - Requests the time currently set in the EZSrv internal clock	
Prototype	<Command Name="GetClock"/>
Parameter	Description
Filename	
Returns	<p><Response Name="GetClock" Sttus="Success" Time="2/09/06/2009 11:52:47" NTP="1" DST="1"/></p> <p>Time is formatted as A/DD/MM/YYYY where: A = Day of Week (0-7), where 0 = Sunday DD = Date (01-31) MM = Month (01-12) where 01 is January YYYY = Year</p> <p>NTP = If "1" use NTP time, if "0" use manual time DST = If "1" DST is in effect, if "0" DST is not in effect</p>
Example	
Notes	
11.6 SetClock - Sets a time value in the EZSrv internal clock	
Prototype	<Command Name="SetClock" Time="2/10/22/2007 22:05:00" NTP="1" DST="0"/>
Parameter	Description
Filename	<p>Time is formatted as A/DD/MM/YYYY where: A = Day of Week (0-7), where 0 = Sunday DD = Date (01-31) MM = Month (01-12) where 01 is January YYYY = Year</p> <p>NTP = If "1" use NTP time, if "0" use manual time DST = If "1" DST is in effect, if "0" DST is not in effect</p>
Returns	
Example	
Notes	
11.7 GetSunriseSunset -	
Prototype	<Command Name="GetSunriseSunset"/>
Parameter	Description
Filename	
Returns	<p><Response Name="GetSunriseSunset" Status="Success" Sunrise="05:45" Sunset="19:48" ></p> <p></Response></p>
Example	
Notes	
11.8 ClearFlash – Clears all system data	
Prototype	<Command Name="ClearFlash"/>
Parameter	Description
Filename	
Returns	<Response Name=" ClearFlash " Status="Success">
Example	
Notes	
11.9 Restart – Reboots the EZSrv	
Prototype	<Command>Reset</Command>
Parameter	Description
Filename	
Returns	<Response Name="Restart" Status="Success">
Example	
Notes	

12. High-Level Functions

12.1 SendInsteon – Sends standard or extended Insteon message to a specific device

<i>Prototype</i>	<pre><Command Name="SendInsteon" ID="05.E4.49"> <CommandDetail Cmd1="0x11" Cmd2="0xFF"/> </Command> Or to activate/deactivate a Group: <Command Name="SendInsteon" ID="9"> <CommandDetail Cmd1="0x11" Cmd2="0x3"/> </Command> Or to send an extended message: <Command Name="SendInsteon" ID="05.E4.49"> <CommandDetail Cmd1="0x11" Cmd2="0xFF" Data="0x01,0x02,0x03,0x04,0x05,0x06,0x07,0x08,0x4F"/> </Command></pre>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	
<i>Returns</i>	
<i>Example</i>	See prototypes
<i>Notes</i>	

12.2 SendX10 - Send a complete X10 Command

<i>Prototype</i>	<pre><Command Name="SendX10" House="A" Unit="2" Cmd="On"/></pre>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	<p>Uses the English representations for House codes (A-M), Units (1-16) and Commands (On, Off, Dim, etc.)</p> <p>X10_Commands: "All-Lights-OFF", "Status=OFF", "ON", "Pre-Set:Bright", "All-Lights-ON", "Hail-Acknowledge", "Bright", "Status=ON", "Extended-Code", "Status-Request", "OFF", "Pre-Set:Dim", "All-Units-OFF", "Hail-Request", "Dim", "Extended-Data(analog)"</p> <p>House_Codes: "A", "B", "C", "D", "E", "F", "G", "H", "I", "J", "K", "L", "M", "N", "O", "P"</p> <p>Unit_Codes: "1", "2", "3", "4", "5", "6", "7", "8", "9", "10", "11", "12", "13", "14", "15", "16"</p>
<i>Returns</i>	
<i>Example</i>	
<i>Notes</i>	

12.3 Peek – Read a block of 1-8 locations from a device's memory

<i>Prototype</i>	<pre><Command Name="Peek" ID="03.45.78" Address="0x03ff" Bytes="8"/></pre>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	<p>address: Memory location to start reading, in hex.</p> <p>Bytes: number of bytes to read in decimal</p>
<i>Returns</i>	<pre><Response Name="Peek" ID="03.45.78" Data="00,01,02,03,04,FF,3F,2C" Status="Success"/></pre>
<i>Example</i>	
<i>Notes</i>	Returns a string with each byte read as 2 digits in hex, first byte read on the left.

12.4 Poke – Write to a block of 1-8 locations in a device's memory

<i>Prototype</i>	<pre><Command Name="Poke" ID="02.34.56" Address="0x3ff" Data="00,01,02,03,04,05,06,07" /></pre>
Parameter	Description
<i>Filename</i>	
<i>Returns</i>	<pre><Response Name="Poke" ID="02.34.56" Status="Success"/></pre>
<i>Example</i>	
<i>Notes</i>	

13. Actions Reference Table

Condition Options				
Selected Item	Selected Option	Mandatory Values	Ignored Values	Description
Logic	AND	-		AND: This condition is logically ANDed with next condition
Logic	OR	-		OR: This condition is logically ORed with next condition
Device	A Device listed in the list of options	Attribute: Select in the list of options Attribute Value: Select in the list of options	-	During condition evaluation, Attribute Value is matched with respective device CID attribute value
At Time	AnyTime	-	Start Time Offset Time	Time is not considered during condition evaluation
	Absolute	Start Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i>	Offset Time:	Start Time is considered during condition evaluation
	Interval	Start Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i> Offset Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i>		Start Time is considered during first condition true evaluation and after that (Start Time + Offset Time) is considered during preceding condition evaluations
	Window	Start Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i> Offset Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i>		Time between Start Time and (Start Time + Offset Time) is considered during condition evaluation
	Sunset	-	Start Time Offset Time	Sunset Time is considered during condition evaluation
	Sunset +	Offset Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i>	Start Time	(Sunset Time + Offset Time) is considered during condition evaluation
	Sunset -	Offset Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i>	Start Time	(Sunset Time - Offset Time) is considered during condition evaluation
	Sunrise		Start Time Offset Time	Sunrise Time is considered during condition evaluation
	Sunrise +	Offset Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i>	Start Time	(Sunrise Time + Offset Time) is considered during condition evaluation
	Sunrise -	Offset Time: <i>hh:mm:ss</i>	Start Time	(Sunrise Time - Offset Time) is considered during condition evaluation
	SunsetToSunrise	-	Start Time Offset Time	Time between Sunset and Sunrise is considered during condition evaluation
	SunriseToSunset	-	Start Time Offset Time	Time between Sunrise and Sunset is considered during condition evaluation
	Random Time	Start Time: <i>mm:ss</i>	Start Time: <i>hh</i> Offset Time	Random time is calculated between present EZServe time and (EZServe Time + Start Time). This random time is considered during condition evaluation
Days	Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat all above	-	Hol, Even, Odd and Every	Selected days option are logically ORed during condition evaluation
Days	Hol Even Odd Every	-	Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri and Sat	Selected days option are logically ORed during condition evaluation

Condition Evaluation: (assuming Condition is Active)

To evaluate a condition as TRUE, all the selected condition options are ANDed together
i.e. Device Attribute value(if selected) && At Time && Days

Conditions Evaluation: (assuming all selected Conditions are Active)

To execute Action, all the Active Condition results are logically ANDed or ORed together, depending on the respective Condition Logic selection

Ex: 1. Condition 1 (AND),
Condition 2 (AND),
Condition 3 (OR),
Condition 4 (OR),
Condition 5 (AND)

Result =

[{(Condition 5 AND Condition 4) OR (Condition 3 OR Condition 2)} AND Condition 1]

Ex: 2. Condition 1 (AND),
Condition 2 (AND),
Condition 3 (OR),
Condition 4 (OR),

Result =

[(Condition 4 OR Condition 3) OR (Condition 2 AND Condition 1)]

Ex: 3. Condition 1 (AND),
Condition 2 (OR),
Condition 3 (AND),

Result = [(Condition 3 AND Condition 2) OR Condition 1]

Ex: 4. Condition 1 (OR),
Condition 2 (AND),

Result = [Condition 2 AND Condition 1]

Ex: 5. Condition 1 (AND),

Result = [Condition 1 OR 01]