

# NEXAPAY PAYMENT GATEWAY

Complete Technical Specification & System Architecture

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# PART I: SYSTEM OVERVIEW & ARCHITECTURE

## Chapter 1: Introduction to NexaPay

NexaPay is a next-generation payment gateway handling 2.3M daily transactions across UPI, IMPS, NEFT, RTGS, cards, and wallets. Built on microservices across GCP, STPI on-premises, and ISU DR sites. Core pillars: Reliability (99.999% SLA), Security (PCI-DSS L1), Scalability (50K TPS), Observability (distributed tracing), Compliance (RBI/NPCI/SEBI).

### 1.1 Integration Points

System	Priority	Latency	Availability	Protocol
NPCI UPI Switch	P0	200ms	99.99%	ISO 8583
Card Network	P0	300ms	99.99%	ISO 8583
Fraud Engine	P0	150ms	99.99%	gRPC
KYC Primary	P1	2000ms	99.9%	REST
Settlement	P1	1000ms	99.9%	gRPC
RBI Reporting	P1	5000ms	99.9%	JSON/XML
SMS Gateway	P3	1000ms	99.0%	HTTP
Merchant Portal	P2	500ms	99.5%	GraphQL

### 1.2 Core System Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
TXN_TIMEOUT	30	seconds	Maximum time for transaction completion end-to-end
MAX_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum automatic retries
IDEMPOTENCY_WINDOW	24	hours	Idempotency key deduplication window
MUTEX_ACQUIRE_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Max wait to acquire distributed mutex
PUB_ACK_TIMEOUT	3000	ms	Publisher acknowledgment timeout
SUB_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Subscriber heartbeat interval
RATE_LIMIT_DEFAULT	1000	req/min	Default rate limit per merchant
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## Chapter 2: Technology Stack

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## Chapter 7: Disaster Recovery

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DISASTER_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for disaster
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DISASTER_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for disaster
DISASTER_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for disaster
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## Chapter 8: Performance Benchmarks

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# PART II: ENTITY SPECIFICATIONS & DATA MODELS

## Chapter 9: Merchant Entity

The Merchant entity represents a registered business on NexaPay. Merchants undergo multi-stage onboarding: application, document upload, review, activation.

### 9.1 Merchant Schema

Field	Type	Constraints	Description
id	UUID	PK, NOT NULL	System-generated identifier
business_name	VARCHAR(255)	NOT NULL	Legal business name
display_name	VARCHAR(100)	NOT NULL	Customer-facing name
email	VARCHAR(255)	NOT NULL, UNIQUE	Primary contact email
phone	VARCHAR(15)	NOT NULL	Phone (E.164 format)
pan	VARCHAR(10)	NOT NULL, UNIQUE	Permanent Account Number
gstn	VARCHAR(15)	UNIQUE	GST Identification Number
business_type	ENUM	NOT NULL	sole_proprietorship, partnership, pvt_ltd, llp, ngo
category_code	VARCHAR(4)	NOT NULL	MCC per ISO 18245
kyc_status	ENUM	NOT NULL, DEFAULT pending	pending, in_review, verified, rejected, suspended
risk_tier	ENUM	NOT NULL, DEFAULT standard	low, standard, elevated, high, critical
onboarding_status	ENUM	NOT NULL	application, document_upload, review, activated, dormant
settlement_account_id	UUID	FK	Reference to BankAccount
monthly_volume_limit	DECIMAL(15,2)	NOT NULL	Max monthly volume (INR)
per_txn_limit	DECIMAL(12,2)	NOT NULL	Max single transaction (INR)
webhook_url	VARCHAR(512)	NULL	Webhook callback URL
webhook_secret	VARCHAR(64)	NULL	HMAC-SHA256 webhook secret
api_key_hash	VARCHAR(128)	NOT NULL	Argon2id hash of API key
metadata	JSONB	DEFAULT {}	Arbitrary metadata
created_at	TIMESTAMP	NOT NULL	Creation timestamp (UTC)
updated_at	TIMESTAMP	NOT NULL	Last modified (UTC)

### 9.2 Merchant Payment Method Configuration

Each merchant may accept multiple payment methods, and each payment method can be used by multiple merchants. The association between merchants and payment methods is managed through a configuration that specifies per-merchant overrides for each payment method. For example, a merchant might accept UPI with a maximum limit of 100,000 INR and credit cards with a maximum limit of 500,000 INR. The configuration also includes whether a specific payment method requires additional authentication (3D Secure for cards, UPI PIN for UPI), the settlement priority for each method, and any promotional discount rates negotiated during onboarding.

The payment method configuration includes an **is\_active** flag toggled independently of overall merchant status. Each association has a **priority** field (1-10) for checkout ordering, a **fee\_override** field for custom MDR per method, **min\_override** and **max\_override** for merchant-specific amount limits, and a **settlement\_priority** for settlement ordering. This configuration is critical for the validation layer as it determines which methods are available and their specific constraints.

## Chapter 10: Transaction Entity

The Transaction entity is the central data model. It represents a single payment attempt from initiation through settlement or failure, managed by a finite state machine.

### 10.1 Transaction Schema

Field	Type	Constraints	Description
id	UUID	PK	Unique identifier
merchant_id	UUID	FK, NOT NULL	Merchant reference
customer_id	UUID	FK, NULL	Customer (optional for guest)
payment_method_id	UUID	FK, NOT NULL	PaymentMethod reference
amount	DECIMAL(12,2)	NOT NULL, >0	Amount in INR
currency	VARCHAR(3)	DEFAULT INR	ISO 4217 code
status	ENUM	NOT NULL	initiated, processing, awaiting_auth, authorized, captured, settled, failed, refunded, partially_refunded, disputed, cancelled
idempotency_key	VARCHAR(64)	UNIQUE, NOT NULL	Client idempotency key
reference_id	VARCHAR(128)	NOT NULL	Merchant order reference
payment_network_ref	VARCHAR(128)	NULL	Network reference (e.g. UPI RRN)
auth_code	VARCHAR(6)	NULL	Authorization code
failure_code	VARCHAR(32)	NULL	Standardized failure code
failure_reason	TEXT	NULL	Failure description
fee_amount	DECIMAL(8,2)	DEFAULT 0	Platform fee
tax_amount	DECIMAL(8,2)	DEFAULT 0	GST on fee
net_amount	DECIMAL(12,2)	GENERATED	amount - fee - tax
ip_address	INET	NULL	Customer IP
metadata	JSONB	DEFAULT {}	Transaction metadata
initiated_at	TIMESTAMP	NOT NULL	Initiation time
authorized_at	TIMESTAMP	NULL	Auth time
captured_at	TIMESTAMP	NULL	Capture time
created_at	TIMESTAMP	NOT NULL	Created
updated_at	TIMESTAMP	NOT NULL	Updated

## 10.2 Transaction State Machine

Invalid state transitions must be rejected with TXN\_INVALID\_STATE\_TRANSITION.

From	To	Guard	Side Effects
initiated	processing	Validation passed	Lock balance, emit txn.processing
initiated	failed	Validation failed	Emit txn.failed with failure_code
initiated	cancelled	Customer/merchant cancel	Emit txn.cancelled
processing	awaiting_auth	Requires auth	Send auth request, start timeout
processing	authorized	Auto-authorized	Emit txn.authorized
processing	failed	Error	Release lock, emit txn.failed
awaiting_auth	authorized	Auth success	Emit txn.authorized
awaiting_auth	failed	Auth failed/timeout	Release lock, emit txn.failed
authorized	captured	Settlement done	Credit merchant, emit txn.captured
authorized	failed	Capture failed	Reverse auth, emit txn.failed
authorized	cancelled	Void before capture	Reverse auth, emit txn.cancelled
captured	refunded	Full refund	Debit merchant, emit txn.refunded
captured	partially_refunded	Partial refund	Partial debit, emit event
captured	disputed	Chargeback	Hold funds, emit txn.disputed
disputed	captured	Merchant wins	Release held funds
disputed	refunded	Customer wins	Debit merchant, credit customer

## Chapter 11: Customer Entity

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Field	Type	Constraints	Description
id	UUID	PK	Identifier
merchant_id	UUID	FK	Owning merchant
email	VARCHAR(255)	NULL, encrypted	Email
phone	VARCHAR(15)	NULL, encrypted	Phone E.164
name	VARCHAR(255)	NULL	Display name
status	ENUM	NOT NULL	active, inactive, blocked
risk_score	INTEGER	CHECK 0-100	ML risk score
metadata	JSONB	DEFAULT {}	Metadata
created_at	TIMESTAMP	NOT NULL	Created
updated_at	TIMESTAMP	NOT NULL	Updated

# Chapter 12: PaymentMethod Entity

Testing strategy for paymentmethod includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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id	UUID	PK	Identifier
code	VARCHAR(32)	UNIQUE	Machine code
name	VARCHAR(100)	NOT NULL	Display name
category	ENUM	NOT NULL	bank_transfer, card, wallet, upi, bnpl
is_active	BOOLEAN	DEFAULT true	Globally active
min_amount	DECIMAL(10,2)	NOT NULL	Min txn amount
max_amount	DECIMAL(12,2)	NOT NULL	Max txn amount
requires_auth	BOOLEAN	DEFAULT false	Needs extra auth
settlement_days	INTEGER	NOT NULL	T+N settlement
fee_percent	DECIMAL(4,2)	NOT NULL	Default MDR %
fee_flat	DECIMAL(6,2)	DEFAULT 0	Flat fee per txn
metadata	JSONB	DEFAULT {}	Method config

## Chapter 13: BankAccount Entity

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Field	Type	Constraints	Description
id	UUID	PK	Identifier
merchant_id	UUID	FK	Merchant
account_number_enc	BYTEA	NOT NULL	Encrypted account number
ifsc_code	VARCHAR(11)	NOT NULL	IFSC code
account_holder_name	VARCHAR(255)	NOT NULL	Name on account
account_type	ENUM	NOT NULL	savings, current, nre, nro
is_verified	BOOLEAN	DEFAULT false	Penny-drop verified
is_primary	BOOLEAN	DEFAULT false	Primary settlement account
created_at	TIMESTAMP	NOT NULL	Created



## 12.1 Default Payment Method Configuration

Code	Name	Category	Min(INR)	Max(INR)	Auth	Settle	Fee%	Flat
upi	UPI	bank_transfe r	1.00	200000.00	Yes	T+0	0.00	0.00
credit_card	Credit Card	card	100.00	500000.00	Yes(3DS )	T+2	1.80	0.00
debit_card	Debit Card	card	100.00	200000.00	Yes(PIN)	T+1	0.90	0.00
netbanking	Net Banking	bank_transfe r	100.00	1000000.00	Yes	T+2	1.20	5.00
wallet	Wallet	wallet	1.00	10000.00	No	T+1	1.50	0.00
bnpl	BNPL	bnpl	500.00	100000.00	Yes	T+3	2.50	10.00

## Chapter 14: KYC Verification Process

KYC verification follows a tiered approach. **The internal system uses these exact status values for all KYC-related API responses and webhooks:**

Status	Description	Transaction Impact
not_started	Not submitted KYC docs	Max 10,000 INR/month
under_review	Documents submitted, awaiting verification	Max 50,000 INR/month
approved	KYC completed successfully	Full limits per risk tier
denied	KYC failed, rejected	Blocked after 7-day grace
on_hold	Suspended for re-verification	Existing limits, no increases
expired	Annual re-verification required	Reduced to under_review limits

**IMPORTANT: The Validation Engine must check KYC status before authorizing. Merchants with denied or expired status must be rejected with ENTITY\_MERCHANT\_KYC\_INVALID.**

# Chapter 15: Refund Entity

The refund module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

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Testing strategy for auditlog includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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The auditlog module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

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## Chapter 17: Settlement Entity

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
SETTLEMENT_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum settlement operation timeout
SETTLEMENT_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for settlement

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
SETTLEMENT_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for settlement
SETTLEMENT_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for settlement lookups
SETTLEMENT_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for settlement
SETTLEMENT_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for settlement
SETTLEMENT_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for settlement
SETTLEMENT_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for settlement

## 17.1 Schema Details

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## Chapter 18: WebhookDelivery Entity

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## 18.1 Schema Details

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## Chapter 20: RateLimitConfig Entity

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# PART III: TRANSACTION PROCESSING ENGINE

## Chapter 21: Transaction Lifecycle

The Transaction Processing Engine (TPE) orchestrates payment lifecycle using Elixir/OTP GenServer processes per transaction.

### 21.1 Timeout Configuration

**Transaction Timeout:** Each transaction has a maximum processing time of **45 seconds** from initiation to final state. If not terminal within this window, auto-transitions to failed with TXN\_TIMEOUT\_EXCEEDED.

However, the base timeout is adjusted by payment method. The metadata JSON contains a **timeout\_multiplier**: UPI = 1.0, Card with 3DS = 2.0, Netbanking = 1.5. Effective timeout = base\_timeout \* timeout\_multiplier. Default multiplier is 1.0.

*Note: base\_timeout is from TRANSACTION\_BASE\_TIMEOUT env var, currently 30s in GCP and 45s in STPI due to network latency differences.*

## 21.2 Processing Pipeline

Step	Stage	Description	SLA
1	Idempotency Check	Verify key uniqueness in 24h window	< 5ms
2	Schema Validation	Structure, types, required fields	< 2ms
3	Merchant Validation	Exists, active, KYC approved	< 10ms
4	Payment Method Check	Active for this merchant	< 5ms
5	Amount Validation	Min/max limits (global + merchant)	< 3ms
6	Rate Limit Check	Merchant rate limits	< 2ms
7	Fraud Screening	ML-based (async, non-blocking)	< 150ms
8	Balance/Limit Check	Daily/monthly volume limits	< 10ms
9	Mutex Acquisition	Lock on merchant+reference_id	< 50ms
10	Network Routing	Route to payment network	< 5ms
11	Auth Request	Send to network	< 5000ms
12	Response Processing	Parse, update state	< 10ms
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# Chapter 22: Idempotency Implementation

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Testing strategy for idempotency implementation includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

Scalability of the idempotency implementation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

Security considerations for idempotency implementation include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

## 22.6 Subsection

The idempotency implementation operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.



The idempotency implementation operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

The idempotency implementation subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

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The idempotency implementation module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

## Chapter 23: Distributed Transaction Coordination

The distributed transaction coordination operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

Testing strategy for distributed transaction coordination includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
DISTRIBUTED_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum distributed operation timeout
DISTRIBUTED_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for distributed
DISTRIBUTED_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for distributed
DISTRIBUTED_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for distributed lookups
DISTRIBUTED_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for distributed
DISTRIBUTED_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for distributed
DISTRIBUTED_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for distributed
DISTRIBUTED_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for distributed

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## Chapter 24: Payment Network Integration

Scalability of the payment network integration component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

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PAYMENT_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum payment operation timeout
PAYMENT_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for payment
PAYMENT_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for payment
PAYMENT_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for payment lookups
PAYMENT_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for payment
PAYMENT_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for payment
PAYMENT_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for payment
PAYMENT_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for payment

### 24.1 Subsection

The payment network integration operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

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## Chapter 25: Fee Calculation Engine

The fee calculation engine module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

Security considerations for fee calculation engine include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
FEE_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum fee operation timeout
FEE_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for fee
FEE_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for fee
FEE_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for fee lookups
FEE_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for fee
FEE_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for fee
FEE_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for fee
FEE_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for fee

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## 25.2 Subsection

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The fee calculation engine operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

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Configuration of the fee calculation engine component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

The fee calculation engine module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

## 25.6 Subsection

Configuration of the fee calculation engine component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

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The fee calculation engine subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

The fee calculation engine subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

## 25.7 Subsection

Security considerations for fee calculation engine include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

Testing strategy for fee calculation engine includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

Error handling in the fee calculation engine module follows a defensive programming approach. All external inputs are validated before processing. Unexpected errors are caught by the supervision tree and logged with full stack traces. The circuit breaker pattern is applied to all external dependencies with configurable failure thresholds (default: 5 failures in 30 seconds triggers open state, 60-second recovery window).

Testing strategy for fee calculation engine includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.



## Chapter 26: Error Handling & Recovery

Configuration of the error handling and recovery component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

Testing strategy for error handling and recovery includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

Testing strategy for error handling and recovery includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

Testing strategy for error handling and recovery includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
ERROR_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum error operation timeout
ERROR_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for error
ERROR_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for error
ERROR_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for error lookups
ERROR_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for error
ERROR_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for error
ERROR_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for error
ERROR_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for error

### 26.1 Subsection

Error handling in the error handling & recovery module follows a defensive programming approach. All external inputs are validated before processing. Unexpected errors are caught by the supervision tree and logged with full stack traces. The circuit breaker pattern is applied to all external dependencies with configurable failure thresholds (default: 5 failures in 30 seconds triggers open state, 60-second recovery window).

The error handling & recovery subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.



The error handling & recovery operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

Error handling in the error handling & recovery module follows a defensive programming approach. All external inputs are validated before processing. Unexpected errors are caught by the supervision tree and logged with full stack traces. The circuit breaker pattern is applied to all external dependencies with configurable failure thresholds (default: 5 failures in 30 seconds triggers open state, 60-second recovery window).

## 26.2 Subsection

Error handling in the error handling & recovery module follows a defensive programming approach. All external inputs are validated before processing. Unexpected errors are caught by the supervision tree and logged with full stack traces. The circuit breaker pattern is applied to all external dependencies with configurable failure thresholds (default: 5 failures in 30 seconds triggers open state, 60-second recovery window).

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Configuration of the error handling & recovery component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

## 26.3 Subsection

The error handling & recovery subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

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Security considerations for error handling & recovery include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

## 26.4 Subsection

Testing strategy for error handling & recovery includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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## 26.5 Subsection

The error handling & recovery operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

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Scalability of the error handling & recovery component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

## 26.6 Subsection

Configuration of the error handling & recovery component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

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The error handling & recovery module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

The error handling & recovery module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

## 26.7 Subsection

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Testing strategy for error handling & recovery includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

## Chapter 27: Reconciliation

The reconciliation subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

The reconciliation operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

The reconciliation module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

The reconciliation subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
RECONCILIATION_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum reconciliation operation timeout
RECONCILIATION_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for reconciliation
RECONCILIATION_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for reconciliation
RECONCILIATION_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for reconciliation lookups
RECONCILIATION_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for reconciliation
RECONCILIATION_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for reconciliation
RECONCILIATION_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for reconciliation
RECONCILIATION_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for reconciliation

### 27.1 Subsection

The reconciliation module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

Scalability of the reconciliation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

Scalability of the reconciliation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

Configuration of the reconciliation component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

## 27.2 Subsection

The reconciliation module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

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## 27.3 Subsection

Security considerations for reconciliation include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

Error handling in the reconciliation module follows a defensive programming approach. All external inputs are validated before processing. Unexpected errors are caught by the supervision tree and logged with full stack traces. The circuit breaker pattern is applied to all external dependencies with configurable failure thresholds (default: 5 failures in 30 seconds triggers open state, 60-second recovery window).

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## 27.4 Subsection

The reconciliation operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

Security considerations for reconciliation include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

Scalability of the reconciliation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

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## 27.5 Subsection

The reconciliation module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

Scalability of the reconciliation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

Configuration of the reconciliation component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

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## 27.6 Subsection

Testing strategy for reconciliation includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from



sanitized access logs.

Scalability of the reconciliation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

The reconciliation module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

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## 27.7 Subsection

Scalability of the reconciliation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

Security considerations for reconciliation include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

The reconciliation module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

Scalability of the reconciliation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.



## Chapter 28: Settlement Aggregation

Scalability of the settlement aggregation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

Configuration of the settlement aggregation component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

Security considerations for settlement aggregation include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
SETTLEMENT_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum settlement operation timeout
SETTLEMENT_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for settlement
SETTLEMENT_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for settlement
SETTLEMENT_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for settlement lookups
SETTLEMENT_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for settlement
SETTLEMENT_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for settlement
SETTLEMENT_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for settlement
SETTLEMENT_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for settlement

### 28.1 Subsection

The settlement aggregation operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

Security considerations for settlement aggregation include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

Error handling in the settlement aggregation module follows a defensive programming approach. All external inputs are validated before processing. Unexpected errors are caught by the supervision tree and logged with full stack traces. The circuit breaker pattern is applied to all external dependencies with configurable failure thresholds (default: 5 failures in 30 seconds triggers open state, 60-second recovery window).

The settlement aggregation module integrates with the observability stack through structured logging (JSON format to Loki), distributed tracing (OpenTelemetry spans with W3C Trace Context), and custom metrics (Prometheus counters and histograms). Key SLIs include throughput, error rate, and p99 latency. SLO targets are defined per service tier.

## 28.2 Subsection

Configuration of the settlement aggregation component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

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## 28.3 Subsection

Scalability of the settlement aggregation component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

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## 28.4 Subsection

The settlement aggregation subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

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# PART IV: VALIDATION FRAMEWORK

## Chapter 29: Validation Architecture Overview

The Validation Framework implements multi-layered validation. Each layer runs sequentially; failure short-circuits subsequent layers.

### 29.1 Validation Layers

Layer	Purpose	Error Prefix	Implementation
Schema Validation	Request structure and types	SCHEMA_*	Ecto changesets
Entity Validation	Entity existence and status	ENTITY_*	Database lookups
Business Rule Validation	Cross-field/entity rules	RULE_*	Custom validators
Compliance Validation	Regulatory checks	COMPLIANCE_*	Rule engine
Risk Validation	Fraud/risk assessment	RISK_*	ML model + rules

**Execution Order:** Schema first (no DB, fastest), Entity second (verify existence), Business Rules third (cross-entity data), Compliance fourth (may call external APIs), Risk last (ML inference, most expensive).

## Chapter 30: Layer 1 - Schema Validation

Error Code	Description	Examples
SCHEMA_MISSING_FIELD	Required field absent	amount, merchant_id, payment_method, idempotency_key
SCHEMA_INVALID_TYPE	Wrong data type	amount must be numeric
SCHEMA_INVALID_FORMAT	Format mismatch	email format, phone E.164, UUID format
SCHEMA_INVALID_ENUM	Invalid enum value	currency must be ISO 4217
SCHEMA_VALUE_TOO_LONG	Exceeds max length	reference_id max 128 chars
SCHEMA_INVALID_AMOUNT	Zero/negative/bad decimals	amount > 0, max 2 decimal places

## Chapter 31: Layer 2 - Entity Validation

Error Code	Description	Logic
ENTITY_MERCHANT_NOT_FOUND	Merchant ID missing	DB lookup by PK
ENTITY_MERCHANT_INACTIVE	Not activated	onboarding_status = activated
ENTITY_MERCHANT_KYC_INVALID	KYC not approved	Check KYC is approved/verified
ENTITY_PAYMENT_METHOD_NOT_FOUND	Method missing	DB lookup by code/ID
ENTITY_PAYMENT_METHOD_INACTIVE	Globally disabled	is_active = true
ENTITY_MERCHANT_METHOD_INACTIVE	Disabled for merchant	Check association is_active
ENTITY_CUSTOMER_BLOCKED	Customer blocked	status check if customer_id given

**IMPORTANT:** Due to ongoing system migration, merchant records may contain KYC status from legacy (pending, in\_review, verified, rejected, suspended) OR new system (not\_started, under\_review, approved, denied, on\_hold, expired). Validation must accept BOTH 'verified' (legacy) AND 'approved' (new) as valid.



## Chapter 32: Layer 3 - Business Rule Validation

Error Code	Description	Rule
RULE_AMOUNT_BELOW_MIN	Below method minimum	amount >= method.min AND >= merchant_method.min_override
RULE_AMOUNT_ABOVE_MAX	Above method maximum	amount <= method.max AND <= merchant_method.max_override
RULE_TXN_LIMIT_EXCEEDED	Per-txn limit exceeded	amount <= merchant.per_txn_limit
RULE_DAILY_VOLUME_EXCEEDED	Daily limit exceeded	daily_total + amount <= monthly_limit/30
RULE_MONTHLY_VOLUME_EXCEEDED	Monthly limit exceeded	monthly_total + amount <= monthly_limit
RULE_DUPLICATE_REFERENCE	Duplicate ref in 24h	No same merchant_id+reference_id in 24h
RULE_CURRENCY_MISMATCH	Unsupported currency	UPI only supports INR
RULE_KYC_VOLUME_EXCEEDED	KYC tier limit exceeded	Per Chapter 14 tier limits

## Chapter 33: Layer 4 - Compliance Validation

Error Code	Description	Details
COMPLIANCE_SANCTIONS_HIT	Sanctions/PEP list match	OFAC, EU, UN lists via external API
COMPLIANCE_GEO_RESTRICTED	Restricted geography	IP geolocation check
COMPLIANCE_TIME_RESTRICTED	Outside allowed hours	Some methods restricted 02:00-02:30 IST
COMPLIANCE_AMOUNT_REPORTING	Exceeds reporting threshold	Txns > 200,000 INR flagged (not blocked)
COMPLIANCE_VELOCITY_CHECK	Unusual velocity	> 10 txns in 5 min from same customer

## Chapter 34: Layer 5 - Risk Validation

Error Code	Description	Action
RISK_FRAUD_DETECTED	Score > 0.85	Blocked, alert generated
RISK_FRAUD_REVIEW	Score 0.60-0.85	Held for manual review (not blocked)
RISK_VELOCITY_ANOMALY	Pattern anomaly	Unusual amount/timing/frequency
RISK_DEVICE_MISMATCH	Unknown device	New device for registered customer
RISK_GEO_ANOMALY	Location anomaly	Unusual location for customer

## Chapter 35: Custom Rules Engine

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# PART V: EVENT-DRIVEN ARCHITECTURE & PUB/SUB

## Chapter 41: Event Architecture Overview

Two levels: **internal events** (Phoenix.PubSub with PG2, ephemeral, best-effort) and **external events** (Apache Kafka, durable, at-least-once). Internal for low-latency intra-cluster, external for cross-service guaranteed delivery.

## Chapter 42: Event Taxonomy

### 42.1 Event Envelope Schema

```
{"event_id":"uuid","event_type":"domain.entity.action","version":"1.0","timestamp":"ISO-8601",
,"source":"service","correlation_id":"trace-id","causation_id":"parent-event-id","data":{..
.},"metadata":{"actor":"..."}}
```

### 42.2 Transaction Events

Event Type	Description	Key Fields	Channel
transaction.initiated	New txn created	txn_id, merchant_id, amount	Kafka
transaction.processing	Validation passed	txn_id, validation_result	Kafka
transaction.authorized	Authorized	txn_id, auth_code	Kafka + PubSub
transaction.captured	Captured	txn_id, net_amount, fees	Kafka + PubSub
transaction.failed	Failed	txn_id, failure_code, failed_layer	Kafka + PubSub
transaction.refunded	Refunded	txn_id, refund_amount	Kafka
transaction.disputed	Chargeback	txn_id, dispute_reason	Kafka + PubSub

## Chapter 43: Internal Pub/Sub (Phoenix.PubSub)

### 43.1 Topic Structure

Topics: `{domain}:{entity}:{action}:{entity_id}`

Pattern	Matches	Subscribers
<code>txn:*</code>	All transaction events	Settlement, Analytics
<code>txn:transaction:authorized:*</code>	All authorized	Notification service
<code>txn:transaction:failed:*</code>	All failed	Alert service, Retry engine
<code>txn:transaction:*. {merchant_id}</code>	Per-merchant events	Merchant dashboard (WebSocket)
<code>merchant:*</code>	All merchant events	Compliance service

### 43.2 EventHandler Behaviour

```
defmodule NexaPay.EventHandler do
  @callback topics() :: [String.t()]
  @callback handle_event(event :: map()) :: :ok | {:error, term()}
  @callback handle_error(event :: map(), error :: term()) :: :ok
end
```

**Internal events are NOT retried.** If handler fails, event is lost for that subscriber. Use Kafka for guaranteed processing.

### 43.3 Back-Pressure

Phoenix.PubSub does NOT guarantee ordering across subscribers. Each subscriber GenServer has max mailbox of 10,000 messages. Exceeding threshold: drop non-critical events (without priority:high), log warning. Critical events never dropped.

## Chapter 44: External Events (Kafka)

### 44.1 Topic Config

Topic	Partitions	Replicas	Retention	Purpose
txn-events	12	3	7 days	Transaction lifecycle
merchant-events	6	3	30 days	Merchant lifecycle
settlement-events	6	3	90 days	Settlements
audit-events	12	3	365 days	Audit trail
dead-letter	3	3	infinite	Failed events

44.2 Partitioning: by **merchant\_id** (murmur3 hash). Ensures per-merchant ordering.

44.3 Dead Letter Queue: events failing 3x go to DLQ. Retry: exponential backoff **1s, 5s, 30s**.

### 44.4 Ordering Guarantees

**Per-entity**: guaranteed (same partition). **Cross-entity**: NOT guaranteed. **Cross-subscriber**: NOT guaranteed. Use `causation_id` for causal ordering.

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# PART VI: CONCURRENCY CONTROL & MUTEX PATTERNS

## Chapter 52: Concurrency Challenges

Issue	Description	Mitigation	Severity
Double Processing	Same txn processed twice	Idempotency + mutex	Critical
Balance Race	Two txns consume same balance	Pessimistic locking	Critical
State Corruption	Concurrent state transitions	GenServer isolation	Critical
Settlement Overlap	Txn in two settlements	Mutex on window	High
Config Race	Config update during processing	Versioned cache	Medium

## Chapter 53: Distributed Mutex

### 53.1 Redis Distributed Locks (Redlock)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
LOCK_TTL	30000	ms	Auto-release if holder crashes
LOCK_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Acquisition attempts
LOCK_RETRY_DELAY	200	ms	Base delay with jitter
LOCK_DRIFT_FACTOR	0.01	ratio	Clock drift compensation
LOCK_QUORUM	2	nodes	Min Redis nodes (of 3)
LOCK_EXTEND_INTERVAL	10000	ms	Heartbeat extension

Key format: **mutex:{resource\_type}:{resource\_id}**. Value: owner(node:pid:timestamp).

### 53.2 BEAM Process Locks

Each transaction gets its own GenServer (registered via Registry by txn\_id). Messages processed sequentially = serialized state transitions without explicit locking.

```
defmodule NexaPay.TransactionServer do
  use GenServer

  def start_link(txn_id), do: GenServer.start_link(__MODULE__, txn_id, name: {:via,
Registry, {NexaPay.TxnRegistry, txn_id}})

  def handle_call({:transition, new_state, params}, _from, state) do
    case validate_transition(state.status, new_state) do
      :ok -> {:reply, {:ok, apply_transition(state, new_state, params)}, new_state}
      {:error, reason} -> {:reply, {:error, :invalid_transition}, state}
    end
  end
end
```

### 53.3 Merchant Balance Mutex

**Pattern:** 1) Acquire mutex:merchant\_balance:{id}, 2) Read daily+monthly totals, 3) Validate limits, 4) UPDATE+COMMIT, 5) Release mutex. On failure: ROLLBACK, release, return RULE\_VOLUME\_EXCEEDED.



**CRITICAL: Mutex MUST be acquired BEFORE DB transaction begins and released AFTER commit. Otherwise slow commits can cause TTL expiry creating races.**

## Chapter 54: Locking Strategies

Operation	Strategy	Contention	Implementation
Txn Creation	Optimistic	Low	Idempotency key + unique constraint
Balance Update	Pessimistic	High	Redis Redlock + DB txn
Settlement	Pessimistic	Single writer	Redlock, 5-min TTL
Config Update	Optimistic	Very low	Ecto optimistic_lock
Refund	Pessimistic	Medium	GenServer serialization
Webhook	Optimistic	Low	Compare-and-swap on status

54.1 Deadlock Prevention: strict ordering - 1) Merchant balance, 2) Txn state, 3) Settlement window, 4) Notification queue.

## Chapter 55: Database Locking

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# PART VII: API SPECIFICATIONS

## Chapter 61: API Design

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```
// Success: {"success":true,"data":{"..."},"metadata":{"request_id":"uuid","timestamp":"ISO-8601","version":"v1"}}
// Error: {"success":false,"error":{"code":"ERROR_CODE","message":"...","layer":"schema|entity|business_rule|compliance|risk","details":[...]}, "metadata":{"..."}}
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## Chapter 62: POST /api/v1/transactions

### 62.1 Request

Headers: X-API-Key, Idempotency-Key, Content-Type: application/json

Body: {"amount":1500.00,"currency":"INR","payment\_method":"upi","reference\_id":"ORDER-123","customer":{"email":"...","phone":"+91..."},"metadata":{"..."}}

### 62.2 Success Response (201)

```
{"success":true,"data":{"transaction_id":"txn_abc","status":"processing","amount":1500.00,"currency":"INR","payment_method":"upi","reference_id":"ORDER-123","created_at":"..."},"metadata":{"request_id":"...","timestamp":"...","version":"v1"}}
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# PART VIII: Security, Compliance & Audit

## Chapter 69: PCI-DSS Compliance

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
PCI-DSS_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum pci-dss operation timeout
PCI-DSS_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for pci-dss
PCI-DSS_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for pci-dss
PCI-DSS_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for pci-dss lookups
PCI-DSS_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for pci-dss
PCI-DSS_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for pci-dss
PCI-DSS_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for pci-dss
PCI-DSS_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for pci-dss

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## Chapter 70: Data Encryption

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DATA_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum data operation timeout
DATA_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for data
DATA_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for data
DATA_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for data lookups
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The data encryption operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

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## Chapter 71: Access Control

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ACCESS_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for access
ACCESS_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for access
ACCESS_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for access lookups
ACCESS_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for access
ACCESS_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for access
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Security considerations for audit framework include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

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Testing strategy for audit framework includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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## 72.3 Section 3

The audit framework subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

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## Chapter 73: Incident Response

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INCIDENT_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for incident lookups
INCIDENT_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for incident
INCIDENT_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for incident
INCIDENT_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for incident
INCIDENT_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for incident

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The incident response operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

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## Chapter 74: Penetration Testing

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Security considerations for penetration testing include encryption of data at rest (AES-256-GCM via envelope encryption), encryption in transit (TLS 1.3 with mTLS between services), access control (RBAC with Authentik SSO), and audit logging (immutable append-only log in TimescaleDB). All secrets are managed through HashiCorp Vault with automatic rotation.

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# PART IX: Operational Procedures

## Chapter 75: Deployment Pipeline

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KAFKA_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for kafka lookups
KAFKA_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for kafka
KAFKA_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for kafka
KAFKA_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for kafka
KAFKA_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for kafka

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The v4.6 changes operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

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Testing strategy for v4.6 changes includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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Error handling in the v4.5 changes module follows a defensive programming approach. All external inputs are validated before processing. Unexpected errors are caught by the supervision tree and logged with full stack traces. The circuit breaker pattern is applied to all external dependencies with configurable failure thresholds (default: 5 failures in 30 seconds triggers open state, 60-second recovery window).

Testing strategy for v4.5 changes includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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The v4.5 changes operational runbook covers standard procedures for deployment, scaling, incident response, and disaster recovery. On-call engineers must be familiar with the monitoring dashboards in Grafana and the alert routing rules in PagerDuty. Escalation follows the standard P0-P4 severity classification defined in Chapter 6.

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
V4.5_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum v4.5 operation timeout
V4.5_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for v4.5
V4.5_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for v4.5
V4.5_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for v4.5 lookups
V4.5_BATCH_SIZE	100	records	Batch processing size for v4.5
V4.5_QUEUE_DEPTH	10000	messages	Maximum queue depth for v4.5
V4.5_HEARTBEAT	10	seconds	Health check interval for v4.5
V4.5_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for v4.5

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Configuration of the v4.5 changes component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are

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Scalability of the deprecated features component has been validated up to 50,000 operations per second in load testing. Horizontal scaling is achieved by adding more BEAM nodes to the cluster, with automatic work distribution via consistent hashing. Each node can handle approximately 3,000 concurrent GenServer processes before memory pressure triggers backpressure mechanisms.

Error handling in the deprecated features module follows a defensive programming approach. All external inputs are validated before processing. Unexpected errors are caught by the supervision tree and logged with full stack traces. The circuit breaker pattern is applied to all external dependencies with configurable failure thresholds (default: 5 failures in 30 seconds triggers open state, 60-second recovery window).

Configuration of the deprecated features component is managed through a hierarchical system where global defaults can be overridden at the service level, merchant level, or transaction level. Configuration changes are propagated through the internal pub/sub system and take effect within 5 seconds of publication. Hot-reloading is supported for all configuration parameters except database connection strings, which require a rolling restart.

The deprecated features subsystem is designed for high availability and fault tolerance. It uses a combination of redundant components, health monitoring, and automatic failover mechanisms to ensure continuous operation. All state changes are logged to the audit trail and can be replayed for debugging or compliance verification. Performance metrics are exposed via OpenTelemetry and scraped by Prometheus every 15 seconds.

Testing strategy for deprecated features includes unit tests with ExUnit (target: 95% line coverage), integration tests against containerized dependencies (PostgreSQL, Redis, Kafka), and property-based tests using StreamData for invariant verification. Load tests are executed weekly using Locust with production traffic patterns replayed from sanitized access logs.

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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
DEPRECATED_TIMEOUT	5000	ms	Maximum deprecated operation timeout
DEPRECATED_RETRY_COUNT	3	count	Maximum retry attempts for deprecated
DEPRECATED_POOL_SIZE	20	connections	Connection pool size for deprecated
DEPRECATED_CACHE_TTL	300	seconds	Cache time-to-live for deprecated lookups
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DEPRECATED_MAX_CONNECTIONS	50	count	Maximum concurrent connections for deprecated

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