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API Specification for Singapore PAYNOW

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This document introduces the **OpenAPI specification** which describes the PAYNOW REST APIs for HSBCs QR code collections. The scope of this document is limited to digital payments in Singapore.

The target audience of this document are Developers, Business Analysts and other Project Team Members.

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 - Changed `amtEditInd` to Conditional field
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How to Read this Document

This document walks through the API listing the key functions by section: [API Usage Flow](#), [API Connectivity](#), and [API Operation](#). There is also a [FAQ](#) and a list of [Schema Definitions](#) used by API operations.

This document has links to subsequent sections. For example, when you visit the section API Operation, it has links to the data model or schemas containing the data and status codes definitions.

Use Cases for this API

There are two API use cases used in this document:

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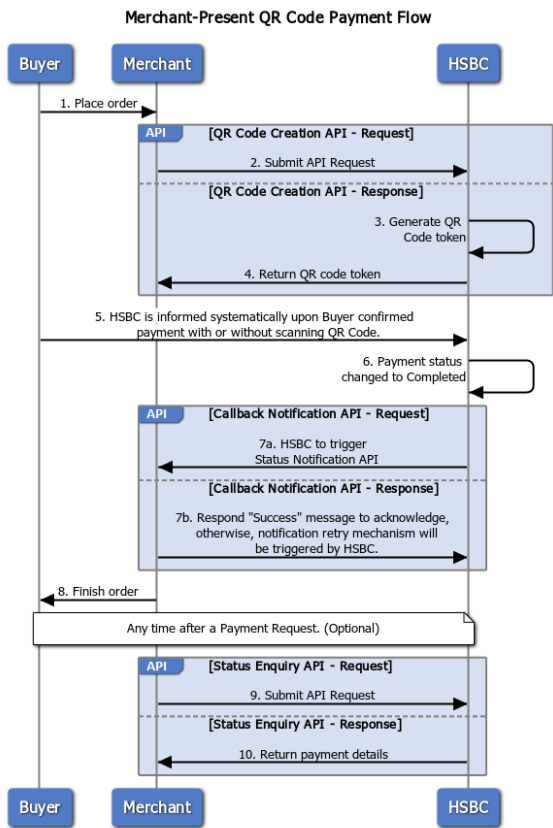
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- The Buyer visits a Merchant's online store to place an order and [make a payment](#) by scanning the Merchant-Presented QR Code which is based on the PayNOW specification.
- The Merchant request to HSBC to generate reports on an as-needed basis. After successfully submitting a [report request](#), the Merchant collects reports from their pre-subscribed report collection channels.

Making a Payment

The standard API flow for a Merchant using a dynamic QR code on an Online Web Store, is illustrated below:



- The Buyer places an order.
- The Merchant submits a [Create QR code](#) request.
- The HSBC backend system generates a QR Code token or image.
- HSBC returns the QR Code token or image via the API response.
- The Merchant converts the QR Code token to a QR Code Image and displays it on its online store. HSBC receives an acknowledgement as soon as the Buyer confirms payment after scanning the QR code.

NOTE:
For testing purpose, the Merchant can choose to call a [Payment Simulation API](#) to simulate a payment.

- The Payment is completed.
- An acknowledge message is sent back via a [Status Notification API](#) immediately after the payment status is changed to `Completed` at the HSBC backend system.
- The Merchant notifies a completed order to the buyer.
- To check the payment status, the Merchant submits a [Status Enquiry API](#) any time after a payment request, or if no acknowledgement message is returned after a certain period of time.
- HSBC returns the payment status via the API response.

Request report generation on as-needed basis

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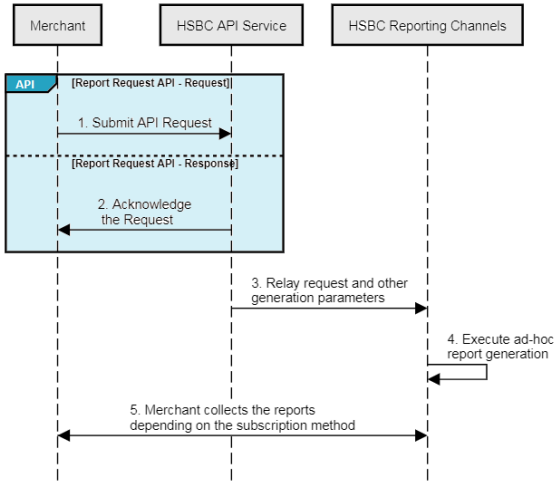
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Report Generation Request Flow



1. The Merchant submits a [Report Request API](#) request.
2. HSBC responds to the Merchant with an acknowledgement.
3. The HSBC API engine relays a request and other generated parameters (e.g. File Format, etc) to HSBC's Reporting Channels.
4. The HSBC Reporting Channels trigger and generate an ad-hoc report.
5. The Merchant collects reports based on their pre-subscribed collection method.

Summary of API Usability

Here is the Summary of the API Usability over different Payment Models:

APIs	E-Commerce
Payment QR Code Creation API	✓
Payment Status Enquiry API	✓
Callback Payment Notification API	✓
Payment Simulation API	✓
Report Request API	Opt in
✓ = Always Available ✗ = Not Available Opt in = Available when Opt in	

How to Connect

API Connectivity refers to all measures and their components that establishes connection between HSBC, the API Provider and Merchant, the API Consumer.

	Definition	Components
API Authentication	HTTP BASIC Authentication	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Username• Password
	Locate API Gateway Policy of the corresponding user	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Client ID• Client Secret
User Identification	A Merchant Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Merchant ID• Merchant Profile
Connection Security	HTTPS Connection (TLS 1.2) and Network Whitelisting	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SSL Certificate• Network Whitelist
Message Security	Digital Signing and Data Encryption	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A pair of Private Key & Public Key Certificate (PKI Model)• JWS Key ID• JWE Key ID

API Gateway URL

API Gateway URL must be included before each API endpoint to make API calls.

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https://devclustercmb.api.p2g.netd2.hsbc.com.hk/glcm-mobilecoll-mcsg-ea-merchantservices-cert-proxy/v1
Sandbox (Simulation API Only)
https://devclustercmb.api.p2g.netd2.hsbc.com.hk/glcm-mobilecoll-mcasp-paysim-ea-merchantservices-cert-proxy/v1

API Authentication

Username & Password	
Purpose	All APIs are authorized using <code>Basic Authorization</code>
Components	<ul style="list-style-type: none">UsernamePassword
Where to get it?	Delivered by HSBC via secure email during onboarding procedure
Implementation	In HTTP header: <code>Authorization: Basic [Base64-encoded Credential]</code>

Client ID & Client Secret	
Purpose	API Gateway locates the corresponding policy of the specific API consumer
Components	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Client IDClient Secret
Where to get it?	Delivered by HSBC via secure email during onboarding procedure
Implementation	<div>In HTTP header: <code>x-hsbc-client-id: [Client ID]</code></div> <div>In HTTP header: <code>x-hsbc-client-secret: [Client Secret]</code></div>

User Identification

Merchant Profile & Merchant ID		
Purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Merchant Profile contains all necessary information from a Merchant in order to enable payment service.Merchant ID is used for Merchant identification in each API call.	
Components	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Merchant ProfileMerchant ID	
Where to get it?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Set up by HSBC team after collect information from MerchantDelivered by HSBC via secure email during onboarding procedure	
Implementation	<i>nil</i>	In HTTP header: <code>x-hsbc-msg-encrypt-id: [Merchant ID]+[JWS ID]+[JWE ID]</code>

Connection Security

SSL Certificate & Network Whitelist	
Purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Request HSBC API over HTTPS connection (TLS 1.2)Accept Callback API request over HTTPS connection (TLS 1.2)

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SSL Certificate & Network Whitelist			
Components	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Public SSL Certificate issued by HSBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Merchant's web server or domain whose HTTPS connection is enabled	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Network Whitelist on HSBC system
Where to get it?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Downloaded automatically by Browsers or API Tools, if any problem found, please contact HSBC	nil	nil
Implementation	nil	nil	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Merchant's domain URL will be configured in HSBC's network whitelist by HSBC team

Message Security - Data Encryption and Signing

In addition to the Transport Layer Security, HSBC adopts additional security - Data Encryption on the message being passed across the session. This serves as a type of locked briefcase containing the data (the API message) within the HTTPS "tunnel". In other words, the communication has double protection.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Javascript Object Signing and Encryption (JOSE™), is a framework that secures information transferred between parties. To achieve this, the JOSE framework provides a collection of specifications, including JSON Web Signature (JWS™) and JSON Web Encryption (JWE™).

HSBC uses [JWS](#) to sign message payloads, and [JWE](#) to encrypt the signed message. These are created by using the [Private Key & Public Key Certificate \(PKI Model\)](#).

Private Key & Public Key Certificate (PKI Model)			
Purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Digitally sign a API request messageDecrypt a API response message		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Encrypt the signed API request messageVerify a signed API response message
Components	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Private Key issued by Merchant		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Public Key Certificate issued by HSBC
Where to get it?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Created by any Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) toolkits, such as Keytool™ and OpenSSL™. Technical detail is in here		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Exchanged with HSBC with the Public Key Certificate issued by Merchant
Implementation	Please see the technical detail in here		

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NOTE:

Technically, an X.509 certificate can serve as a SSL Certificate as well as a Public Key Certificate for Data Encryption. However, for segregation of certificate usage, HSBC recommends that the Merchant uses a different X.509 Certificate for Data Encryption. Moreover, the Public Key Certificate does not have to be CA-signed. However, if the Merchant decides to enhance security, a CA-Signed Certificate is acceptable.

keyID of JWS™ & JWE™			
Purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The unique identifier to bind Merchant's Private Key in order to create a JWS object - a signed Message Payload	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The unique identifier to bind HSBC's Public Key Certificate in order to create a JWE object - an encrypted JWS object	
Components	<ul style="list-style-type: none">keyID of JWS™	<ul style="list-style-type: none">keyID of JWE™	

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keyID of JWS™ & JWE™		
	• Mutual agreed between Merchant and HSBC	
Where to get it?	• Mutual agreed between Merchant and HSBC	• Mutual agreed between Merchant and HSBC
Implementation	Define in program coding, see demo in here	

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NOTE:

For security purposes, `HSBC's Public Key Certificate` and its associated `keyID` is renewed every year and a Certificate Renewal process is triggered. More detail is covered in the section [Key Renewal](#)

How to Sign and Encrypt Outgoing Message

Every message sent to HSBC must be signed and encrypted. From the Merchant's perspective, an **Outgoing Message** means:

- the Request Message of a Service API, or
- the Respond Message of a Callback API.

To help you understand how to construct a Signed and Encrypted Message, let's take the Java program below as an example. Don't worry if you are not familiar with Java, the idea is to let you know the steps and the required components:

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NOTE:

These Java codes are for demonstration only - it's not *plug and play*.

```
private JWSSignature signMessage(String messagePayload, KeyStore ks) throws UnrecoverableKeyException, KeyStoreException, NoSuchAlgorithmException {
    #1 Payload payload = new Payload(messagePayload);

    #2 JWSSignature header = new JWSSignature.Builder(JWSAlgorithm.RS256)
        .keyID("0001")
        .customParam("iat", Instant.now().getEpochSecond())
        .build();
    #3 JWSSignature jwsObject = new JWSSignature(header, payload);

    #4 PrivateKey privateKey = (PrivateKey) ks.getKey(keyAlias, keyPassword);
    JWSSigner signer = new RSASSASigner(privateKey);
    #5 jwsObject.sign(signer);

    return jwsObject;
}
```

- Prepare your **Message Payload**, that is, the plain `json` request message.
- Create a **JWS Header** where the parameters are as follows:

```
{
  "alg": "RS256",           //Signing Algorithm is RS256
  "kid": "0001",           //Put your own Key ID value, "0001" is HSBC's keyID
  "iat": "1625587913"      //Issued At - the time this request is sent
}
```

- Create a **JWS Object** by combining JWS Header and Message Payload.
- Retrieve your **Private Key** as the signer.
- Create a **Signed JWS Object** by signing it with the Private Key.

Next, **Encrypt** the Signed JWS Object:

```
private JWEObject getEncryptedJWEObject(JWSObject jwsObject, RSAPublicKey publicKey) throws JOSEException {
    #1 Payload jwepayload = new Payload(jwsObject.serialize());

    #2 JWEHeader jweheader = new JWEHeader.Builder(JWEAlgorithm.RS256)
        .build();
    #3 JWEObject jweObject = new JWEObject(jweheader, jwepayload);

    #4 JWEEncrypter encrypter = new RSAEncrypter(publicKey);
    #5 jweObject.encrypt(encrypter);

    return jweObject;
}
```

- Prepare your **JWE Payload**, that is, the `Signed JWS Object`.
- Create the **JWE Header**. The algorithm used to encrypt the message body is `A128GCM` while the algorithm used to encrypt the encryption key is `RSA_OAEP_256`. **JWE keyID** is `0002`.
- Create the **JWE Object** by combining JWE Header and JWE Payload.
- Retrieve the **HSBC's Public Key** as the encrypter.
- Create the **Encrypted JWE Object** by encrypting it with HSBC's Public Key.

You are now ready to put the Encrypted JWE Object in the message body (*you may need to first serialize it into String format, depends on your program code design*) of any API call.

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How to Decrypt Message and Verify Signature of an Incoming Message

Every message sent from HSBC must be decrypted and verified. From the Merchant's perspective, an **Incoming Message** means:

- the Respond Message of a Service API, or
- the Request Message of a Callback API.

Let's look into the following example to see how to decrypt a response message from HSBC:

```
private String decryptMessage(String respMsgPayload, KeyStoreFa
throws KeyStoreException, NoSuchAlgorithmException, Certifica
    java.text.ParseException, UnrecoverableKeyException, J
#1 JWEObjec jweObject = JWEObjec.parse(respMsgPayload);

#2 PrivateKey privateKey = (PrivateKey) keyStore.getPrivateKey

    JWEDecrypter decrypter = new RSADecrypter(privateKey);
#3 jweObject.decrypt(decrypter);

#4 String signedMessage = jweObject.getPayload().toString();
    return signedMessage;
}
```

- Create an **Encrypted JWE Object** by parsing the encrypted response message payload.
- Retrieve the **Private Key** as the decrypter.
- Decrypt the JWE Object using your Private Key.
- Get the **Signed Message** from the decrypted JWE Object.

You are now able to extract the plain `json` message, but first you **must** verify the signature to guarantee data integrity.

```
private String verifySignature(String signedMessage, KeyStore k
throws KeyStoreException, JOSEException, ParseException {
#1 JWSObject jwsObject = JWSObject.parse(signedMessage);

    Certificate certificate = ks.getCertificate(keyAlias);
#2 JWSVerifier verifier = new RSASSAVerifier((RSAPublicKey) ce

#3 if (!jwsObject.verify(verifier)) {
    throw new ValidationException("Invalid Signature");
}
#4 return jwsObject.getPayload().toString();
}
```

- Create a **JWS Object** by parsing the `Signed Message`.
- Retrieve the **HSBC's Public Key** as the verifier.
- Verify the signed JWS Object. Invoke error handling if an invalid signature is found (*depends on your code design*).
- Get the plain `json` message for further actions.

Summary

Components \ Steps	Message Signing	Message Encryption	Message Decryption	Verify Signature
JWS Object	Signing Algorithm: <code>RS256</code>			
JWE Object		JWE Algorithm: <code>RSA_OAEP_256</code> Encryption Method: <code>A128GCM</code>		
KeyID	<code>0002</code>	<code>0002</code>		
Merchant's Private Key	Used as <code>Signer</code>		Used as <code>Decrypter</code>	
HSBC's Public Key		Used as <code>Encrypter</code>		Used as <code>Verifier</code>

How to Make an API Request

An API request can be submitted without Message Encryption, in case you want to:

- learn about the basic API Call;
- test API connectivity before spending substantial development effort on Message Encryption.

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Data encryption is a required data security imposed by HSBC standards. The Merchant has to invoke the encryption logic before moving to Production and must be fully tested during the testing phase.

Make Your API Request with Plain Messages

NOTE:

In the Sandbox Environment you can skip message encryption. However, this is for testing purpose only.

Submit an example API request using cURL™

cURL™ is a simple command-line tool that enables you to make any HTTP request. Merchant can choose any other GUI tool such as Postman™ and SoapUI™.

Step 1. Run this command on your platform:

POSTGET

```
#1 curl -X POST "https://devcluster.cmb.api.p2g.netd2.hsbc.c
#2 -H "message_encrypt: false"
#3 -H "Authorization: Basic ew91cl91c2VybmFtZTp5b3VyX3Bhc3
#4 -H "x-HSBC-client-id: 8b915a4f5b5047f091f210e2232b5ced"
#5 -H "x-HSBC-client-secret: 1bb456a541dc416dB6016B5F9583C
#6 -H "x-HSBC-msg-encrypt-id: 42298549900001+0001+0002"
#7 -H "Content-Type: application/json"
#8 -d "{ \"txnRef\": \"PAY-QJZV956664\", \"merId\": \"4229
```

1. Submit the POST request to the API URL endpoint.
2. Set the secret header message_encrypt: false to indicate this API request is without message encryption. This header is only applicable in Sandbox environment.
3. Put the Basic Authorization in HTTP header Authorization .
4. Put the Client ID in HTTP header x-HSBC-client-id .
5. Put the Client Secret in HTTP header x-HSBC-client-secret .
6. Put the Merchant ID, the JWS ID and the JWE ID in HTTP header x-HSBC-msg-encrypt-id respectively.
7. Set the Content-Type to JSON format.
8. Plain json message payload.

```
#1 curl -X GET "https://devcluster.cmb.api.p2g.netd2.hsbc.co
#2 -H "message_encrypt: false"
#3 -H "Authorization: Basic ew91cl91c2VybmFtZTp5b3VyX3Bhc3
#4 -H "x-HSBC-client-id: 8b915a4f5b5047f091f210e2232b5ced"
#5 -H "x-HSBC-client-secret: 1bb456a541dc416dB6016B5F9583C
#6 -H "x-HSBC-msg-encrypt-id: 42298549900001+0001+0002"
#7 -H "Content-Type: application/json"
```

1. Submit the GET request to the API URL endpoint.
2. Set the secret header message_encrypt: false to indicate this API request is without message encryption. This header is only applicable in Sandbox environment.
3. Put the Basic Authorization in HTTP header Authorization .
4. Put the Client ID in HTTP header x-HSBC-client-id .
5. Put the Client Secret in HTTP header x-HSBC-client-secret .
6. Put the Merchant ID, the JWS ID and the JWE ID in HTTP header x-HSBC-msg-encrypt-id respectively.
7. Set Content-Type to JSON format.

Step 2. Receive the response message in plain json format.

Making API Request with Message Encryption

Step 1. Run this cURL™ command on your platform:

POSTGET

```
#1 curl -X POST "https://devcluster.cmb.api.p2g.netd2.hsbc.c
#2 -H "Authorization: Basic ew91cl91c2VybmFtZTp5b3VyX3Bhc3
#3 -H "x-HSBC-client-id: 8b915a4f5b5047f091f210e2232b5ced"
#4 -H "x-HSBC-client-secret: 1bb456a541dc416dB6016B5F9583C
#5 -H "x-HSBC-msg-encrypt-id: 42298549900001+0001+0002"
#6 -H "Content-Type: application/json"
#7 -d "eyJrYWQ1OiIwMDAxIiwZw5JiJoiQTEyOEdDTSIiImFsZyI6IlJ
```

1. Submit the POST request to the API URL endpoint. Any {id} adhered in the URL must be encrypted.

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2. Put the **Basic Authorization** in HTTP header `Authorization`.
3. Put the **Client ID** in HTTP header `x-HSBC-client-id`.
4. Put the **Client Secret** in HTTP header `x-HSBC-client-secret`.
5. Put the **Merchant ID**, the **JWS ID** and the **JWE ID** in HTTP header `x-HSBC-msg-encrypt-id` respectively.
6. Set the `Content-Type` to JSON format.
7. The Encrypted Message Payload.

```
#1 curl -X GET "https://devcluster.cmb.api.p2g.netd2.hsbc.co
#2 -H "Authorization: Basic ew91cl91c2VybmFtZTp5b3VyX3Bhc3
#3 -H "x-HSBC-client-id: 8b915a4f5b5047f091f210e2232b5ced"
#4 -H "x-HSBC-client-secret: 1bb456a541dc416dB6016B5F9583C
#5 -H "x-HSBC-msg-encrypt-id: 42298549900001+0001+0002"
#6 -H "Content-Type: application/json"
```

1. Submit the `GET` request to the API URL endpoint. Any `{id}` adhered in the URL must be encrypted.
2. Put the **Basic Authorization** in HTTP header `Authorization`.
3. Put the **Client ID** in HTTP header `x-HSBC-client-id`.
4. Put the **Client Secret** in HTTP header `x-HSBC-client-secret`.
5. Put the **Merchant ID**, the **JWS ID** and the **JWE ID** in HTTP header `x-HSBC-msg-encrypt-id` respectively.
6. Set the `Content-Type` to JSON format.

NOTE:

Data Encryption invokes compulsory prerequisites, such as [JOSE library](#) and program coding, please make sure the section on [Message Security](#) has been gone through thoroughly.

Step 2. For a successful request (HTTP Status Code 200), an encrypted response message is returned, otherwise, a plain `json` with failure message is returned.

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Data Type Control:

Data Type	Allowed Characters	Definition & Important Notice
String (For general field)	AlphaNumeric and Symbols	General field means field which is NOT a critical field. HSBC system will execute characters checking upon all string fields we received in order to tackle security vulnerability, such as Cross-site Scripting. Yet, we recommend you to try use AlphaNumeric only for most cases.
String (For critical field)	<div>0-9a-zA-Z-._</div>	<p>Critical field is used to be either a key or search criteria in HSBC backend system and hence tight restriction is applied to the allowed characters.</p> <p>Moreover, the starting and ending space of the string value will be trimmed before stored in HSBC system. For example, string " example 12 34 " will be trimmed to "example 12 34".</p> <p>List of Critical Fields:</p> <div>merIdposMachineIdemployeeId</div>
String (For Restricted field)	<div>0-9a-zA-Z</div>	<p>Share the same conditions with critical field plus adding extra restriction on characters option.</p> <p>List of restricted Fields:</p> <div>txnRef</div>
Integer	<div>0-9</div>	Instead of having Max Length check for String, integer range will be checked, e.g. $0 \leq x \leq 9999$

Field Mandatory Control:

Field Mandatory Type	Definition & Important Notice
Mandatory	Annotated with required tag in field definition section. Field & value must be present in the request with valid <code>JSON</code> format.
Optional	Annotated with optional tag in field definition section. If you don't want to pass fields that are optional, your handler should not pass neither empty strings <code>{"example":""}</code> nor blank value <code>{"example":""}</code> .

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Field	Definition & Important Notice
Mandatory Type	
	Annotated with conditional tag in field definition section.
Conditional	Required under a specific condition whose logic is always provided in the field definition if it is a Conditional Field.

Time Zone Control:

Aspect	Format	Definition & Important Notice
In Request Message	yyyy-MM-dd'T'HH:mm:ssZ	Time zone is expected to be GMT+8 (Singapore time). Merchant is required to perform any necessary time zone conversion before submit request if needed.
In Response Message	yyyy-MM-dd'T'HH:mm:ss±hh:mm	Timezone returned in api_gw object is generated from HSBC API Gateway which located in Cloud and hence is calculated in GMT+0 . On the other hand, time field in response object will be returned together with timezone information. For more details, please read each field definition carefully.

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SSL Connection Questions

Where can I find the HSBC SSL server certificates?

The Merchant developer can export SSL server certificates installed in your browser. To achieve this, visit the domain of the corresponding API endpoint in your browser. For example, to get the SSL certificate of sandbox environment, use the domain name **https://devcluster.api.p2g.netd2.HSBC.com.hk/**

However, in production, we provide a certificate and require TLS 1.2 implementation.

Message Encryption Questions

What certificates do I need to work with Message Encryption in HSBC's sandbox and production environments?

A self-sign certificate is acceptable. However, if the Merchant decides to enhance security, a CA-Signed Certificate is also acceptable.

Javascript Object Signing and Encryption (JOSE) Framework Questions

Where can I get more information about JOSE Framework?

If you want to fully understand the framework, you can read [here](#) for more details.

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Where can I download JOSE libraries for development?

For your reference, you may find the following JOSE libraries of different programming languages.

- [Ruby](#)
- [Python](#)
- [PHP](#)
- [Java](#)
- [Node](#)
- [.NET](#)

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Contains resource collections for QR Code Creation, payment enquiry and callback notification

Payment QR Code Creation API

POST

/payment/qrCode

DESCRIPTION

This API creates a QR Code *token or an image*. Once this API request is submitted by a merchant, HSBC will return QR Code token/image to the Merchant based on PayNOW specification. The Merchant then displays the QR Code to Buyer, for payment initiation process.

REQUEST PARAMETERS

Authorization <div>optional</div> <div>in header</div>	BASIC [Base64-encoded Credential]
x-hsbc-client-id <div>required</div> <div>in header</div>	[Client ID]
x-hsbc-client-secret <div>required</div> <div>in header</div>	[Client Secret]
x-hsbc-msg-encrypt-id <div>optional</div> <div>in header</div>	[Merchant ID]+[JWS ID]+[JWE ID]
Content-Type <div>required</div> <div>in header</div>	application/json

REQUEST BODY

qrCodeRequestModel	<i>Data Encryption is enforced. API Schema intends to demonstrate the skeleton of the message payload only.</i>
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RESPONSES

200 OK qrCodeResponseModel	Successful operation. <i>Data Encryption is enforced. API Schema intends to demonstrate the skeleton of the message payload only.</i>
400 Bad Request exceptionModel	Bad Request.
403 Forbidden	Authorization credentials are missing or invalid.
404 Not Found	Empty resource/resource not found.
500 Internal Server Error	The request failed due to an internal error.

Request Content-Types: application/json

Request Example

```
{
  "merId": "S123456S0010001",
  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
  "txnChannel": "01",
  "txnTime": "2018-06-11T14:10:25Z",
  "qrExpiry": "20180625121010",
  "payMethod": "SGQR",
  "amtEditInd": "Y",
  "qrOption": "02",
  "country": "SG",
  "currency": "SGD",
  "amount": 1050,
  "notifyUrl": "https://merchant.com/returnStatus",
  "goodsDes": "Description of goods.",
  "posMachineId": "00112233-4455-6677-8899-aabbccddeeff",
  "employeeId": "00112233-4455-6677-8899-xyzyzxyzyz"
}
```

Response Content-Types: application/json

Response Example (200 OK)

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "200",
    "returnReason": "Successful operation",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  },
  "response": {
    "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
    "currency": "SGD",
    "amount": 1050,
    "proCode": "000000",
    "proMsg": "Transaction Successful",
    "qrCode": "QR_CODE_DATA"
  }
}
```

Response Example (400 Bad Request)

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "400",
    "returnReason": "Return Reason Message here",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  }
}
```

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POST /payment/enquiry

DESCRIPTION

The Merchant can initiate payment status enquiry any time after a payment request is submitted. HSBC will return the latest transaction status based on the transaction ID provided by the Merchant.

REQUEST PARAMETERS

Authorization <div>optional</div> <div>in header</div>	BASIC [Base64-encoded Credential]
x-hsbc-client-id <div>required</div> <div>in header</div>	[Client ID]
x-hsbc-client-secret <div>required</div> <div>in header</div>	[Client Secret]
x-hsbc-msg-encrypt-id <div>optional</div> <div>in header</div>	[Merchant ID]+[JWS ID]+[JWE ID]
Content-Type <div>required</div> <div>in header</div>	application/json

REQUEST BODY

txnEnqRequestModel	<i>Data Encryption is enforced. API Schema intends to demonstrate the skeleton of the message payload only.</i>
---------------------------	---

RESPONSES

200 OK txnEnqResponseModel	Successful operation. <i>Data Encryption is enforced. API Schema intends to demonstrate the skeleton of the message payload only.</i>
400 Bad Request exceptionModel	Bad Request.
403 Forbidden	Authorization credentials are missing or invalid.
404 Not Found	Empty resource/resource not found.

500 Internal Server Error	The request failed due to an internal error.
----------------------------------	--

Request Content-Types: application/json

Request Example

```
{
  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
  "merId": "S123456S0010001"
}
```

Response Content-Types: application/json

Response Example (200 OK)

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "200",
    "returnReason": "Successful operation",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  },
  "response": {
    "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
    "proCode": "000000",
    "proMsg": "Payment Success",
    "currency": "SGD",
    "totalAmtPaid": 2100,
    "arrayOfSubAmt": [
      {
        "bankTxnId": "GPS0000123456789",
        "bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T14:10:25+08:00",
        "subAmtPaid": 1050,
        "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante"
      },
      {
        "bankTxnId": "GPS0000123456999",
        "bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T15:11:12+08:00",
        "subAmtPaid": 1050,
        "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante"
      }
    ]
  }
}
```

Response Example (400 Bad Request)

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "400",
    "returnReason": "Return Reason Message here",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  }
}
```

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Callback Payment Notification API

POST /<Callback URL predefined by Merchant>

DESCRIPTION

Payment status will be returned to the Merchant by asynchronous callback once HSBC receives a payment request. Once HSBC receives the payment result from the clearing system, it will push the result back to the Merchant by calling this API.

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Implementation HSBC will trigger this API call and defines the interface with OpenAPI standard. The Merchant is required to provide implementation.

Retry Mechanism If unsuccessful response, 4 retries will be triggered in every 2 minutes. There will be maximum 5 API calls including the 1st attempt.

Endpoint Definition Field `notifyurl` from [QR Code Creation API](#) will be used as URL endpoint of the corresponding transaction.

Exception Handling Only successful case will be returned. The Merchant can submit an [Payment Status Enquiry API](#) request if there is no acknowledge message returned after a certain period of time.

REQUEST PARAMETERS

Content-Type	text/plain
required	
in header	
string	

REQUEST BODY

statusReturnRequestModel	<i>Data Encryption is enforced. API Schema intends to demonstrate the skeleton of the message payload only.</i>
--	---

RESPONSES

200 OK	Successful operation.
statusReturnResponseMode	<i>Data Encryption is enforced. API Schema intends to demonstrate the skeleton of the message payload only.</i>

Simulation

Contains resource collections for simulating specific scenario which is only available in sandbox environment

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Payment Simulation API

POST `/sg/payment/simulation`

*A different Host URL is being used for this API, please refer to [API Gateway URL](#) for details.

DESCRIPTION

During the client system development phase, the Merchant can call this API to simulate a payment of buyer. This API is only available in sandbox environment.

We use the below Testing Flow diagram to illustrate the Concept:

Request Content-Types: text/plain

Request Example

```
{
  "merId": "S123456S0010001",
  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
  "currency": "SGD",
  "amount": 1050,
  "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante",
  "proCode": "000000",
  "proMsg": "Completed",
  "bankTxnId": "T18050209732",
  "bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T14:10:25+08:00"
}
```

Response Content-Types: application/json

Response Example (200 OK)

```
{
  "status": "SUCCESS"
}
```

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SECURITY

Schema	Scopes
Client ID	
Client Secret	

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Response Example (200 OK)

Response Example (400 Bad Request)

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "400",
    "returnReason": "Return Reason Message here",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  }
}
```

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Report Request API

POST /reporting/request

DESCRIPTION

Merchant can request HSBC to generate reports on an as-needed basis. After successfully submit a report request, Merchant can collect their reports from their pre-subscribed report collection channels.

REQUEST PARAMETERS

Authorization optional in header	BASIC [Base64-encoded Credential]
x-hsbc-client-id required in header	[Client ID]
x-hsbc-client-secret required in header	[Client Secret]
x-hsbc-msg-encrypt-id optional in header	[Merchant ID]+[JWS ID]+[JWE ID]
Content-Type required in header	application/json

REQUEST BODY

reportRqtRequestModel *Data Encryption is enforced. API Schema intends to demonstrate the skeleton of the message payload only.*

RESPONSES

200 OK reportRqtResponseModel	Successful operation. <i>Data Encryption is enforced. API Schema intends to demonstrate the skeleton of the message payload only.</i>
400 Bad Request exceptionModel	Bad Request.
403 Forbidden	Authorization credentials are missing or invalid.
404 Not Found	Empty resource/resource not found.
500 Internal Server Error	The request failed due to an internal error.

Schema Definitions

subAmountObj: object

PROPERTIES

bankTxnId: string range: (up to 16 chars) **required**
HSBC transaction reference id for the inward credit payment

bankTxnTime: string range: (up to 25 chars) **required**
HSBC Transaction time for the inward credit payment

Request Content-Types: application/json

Request Example

```
{
  "merId": "S123456S0010001",
  "reportName": "DETAIL REPORT",
  "reportFormat": "PDF",
  "reportDate": "20190320"
}
```

Response Content-Types: application/json

Response Example (200 OK)

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "200",
    "returnReason": "Successful operation",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  },
  "response": {
    "proCode": "000000",
    "proMsg": "Report Request Successful"
  }
}
```

Response Example (400 Bad Request)

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "400",
    "returnReason": "Return Reason Message here",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  }
}
```

Example

```
{
  "bankTxnId": "T18050209732",
  "bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T14:10:25+08:00",
  "subAmtPaid": 1050,
  "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante"
}
```


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- Bank system local time. A GMT+8 timezone information is appended to the end of the timestamp to indicate this time is a Singapore local time.
Format : yyyy-MM-dd'T'HH:mm:ss±hh:mm

subAmtPaid: integer range: 1 ≤ x ≤ 999999999999 required
Amount of money paid by payer per payment submission

- Format: Eliminate punctuation and sign, support 2 decimal places, e.g.
\$10.50 = 1050

originatingCustName: string range: (up to 140 chars) required
Returning Ordering/Originating Customer Name

commonRespObj: object

PROPERTIES

messageId: string range: (up to 36 chars) required
System generated unique message ID only for HSBC internal reference use

returnCode: string range: (up to 3 chars) required
System Return Code

- This checking is on API Operational level, in other words, it checks upon Authorization, Connectivity and JSON Message Structure.
- Developer is suggested to first catch the native HTTP Return Code before trying to look into the `returnCode` and `returnReason` inside the json message.

Possible Value	Definition
200	Successful operation
400	Bad Request (With detail message in field <code>returnReason</code>)
500	Internal Error.
	Important Notices: If any tier comes before the API Cloud Foundry is unavailable, such as the API Gateway, there will be no json respond message returned.
	Furthermore, the respond message of 500 will be ignored by some common HTTP libraries, in such case, the respond message body can be considered as a hint for troubleshooting during development and testing phase.

returnReason: string range: (up to 200 chars) required
Corresponding Text message of returnCode

Corr. Return Code	Return Message Sample	Definition
200	Successful operation	A successful API operation in terms of Authorization, Connectivity and valid JSON Message Structure.
		Any checking failure on Business Logic level will be still considered a successful API operation yet the Business Logic checking result will be returned in <code>response</code> object.
400	Client ID - Merchant ID mapping is not correct/updated!	The binding of Client ID, Merchant ID and Merchant Public Certificate is incorrect or not up-to-date.
400	object has missing required properties <code>field name</code>	Fail to pass JSON Field Mandatory Check.
400	instance type <code>data type</code> does not match any allowed primitive type	Fail to pass JSON Field Type Check.
400	string <code>field value</code> is too long	Fail to pass JSON Field Max Length Check
400	instance failed to match at least one required schema among <code>no. of conditional field</code>	Fail to pass JSON Conditional Field Check.
500	java.net.ConnectException: Connection refused: connect	Notices: Message can be varied depended on the dependent system (<i>which across the entire system pipeline</i>) which returns this message. Yet, all reasons can be concluded into Internal Error or System Unavailable.

sentTime: string range: (up to 27 chars) required

Example

```
{
  "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
  "returnCode": "200",
  "returnReason": "Successful operation",
  "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
  "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
}
```


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Time of request received by HSBC system from client, only for HSBC internal reference use

responseTime: string range: (up to 27 chars) required

Time of HSBC system provides response to client, only for HSBC internal reference use

exceptionModel: object

PROPERTIES

api_gw: commonRespObj required

qrCodeRequestModel: object

PROPERTIES

merId: string range: (up to 15 chars) required

Merchant ID

- Distributed by HSBC to the merchant for identifying each merchant's identity

txnRef: string range: (up to 25 chars) required

Unique ID referred to a specific transaction

- Requires Merchant to generate a unique ID for each transaction in alphanumeric format with up to a maximum of 25 characters
- This txnRef will be embedded in the QR code generated, and will be shown to Payer for confirmation during scan and pay of QR code. If PayNow scheme is selected by the payer to settle the payment, HSBC will return this txnRef field in outbound API call to merchant for payment status notification

txnChannel: string enum: [01, 02] range: (up to 2 chars) required

Transaction Channel

Possible Value	Definition
01	POS
02	e-Commerce / m-Commerce

txnTime: string range: (up to 20 chars) required

Time of sending out this request transaction

- Client system time. The timezone is expected to be GMT+8 (Singapore local time). Merchant is required to perform timezone conversion if needed.
Format: yyyy-MM-dd'T'HH:mm:ssZ

qrExpiry: string range: (up to 14 chars) optional

QR code Expiry

- Format : yyyyMMdd or yyyyMMddHHmmss
- When payer scan the QR code and the transaction date is later than QR expiry date, payer bank will not proceed the with PayNow payment to the merchant
- If this field is not provided, it means no expiry date will be specified in the generated QR code. Otherwise, the value must be equal or later than today's date

payMethod: string enum: [SGQR, PAYNOW] range: (up to 10 chars) required

Payment Method

Possible Value	Definition
SGQR	Singapore QR Code for E-Payments
PAYNOW	PayNow QR Code Payment

amtEditInd: string enum: [Y, N] range: (up to 1 chars) conditional

Amount Editable Indicator

- To indicate if the amount can be edited by payer or not Please refer to PayNOW spec for details. Can specify Y/N here
- Required when payMethod = "PAYNOW"

NOTICE: This option is only for **PayNow** but not applicable to SGQR

Example

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "200",
    "returnReason": "Successful operation",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  }
}
```

Example

```
{
  "merId": "S123456S0010001",
  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
  "txnChannel": "01",
  "txnTime": "2018-06-11T14:10:25Z",
  "qrExpiry": "20180625121010",
  "payMethod": "SGQR",
  "amtEditInd": "Y",
  "qrOption": "02",
  "country": "SG",
  "currency": "SGD",
  "amount": 1050,
  "notifyUrl": "https://merchant.com/returnStatus",
  "goodsDes": "Description of goods.",
  "posMachineId": "00112233-4455-6677-8899-aabbccddeeff",
  "employeeId": "00112233-4455-6677-8899-xyzyzxyzyz"
}
```

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qrOption: string enum: [01, 02] range: (up to 2 chars) conditional
QR Code Option for PayNow. Data type returned in field `qrCode` from response message.

- Required when `payMethod = "PAYNOW"`

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NOTICE: This option is only for **PayNow** but not applicable to SGQR

Possible Value	Definition
01	Return Raw QR Data
02	Return Base64 encoded QR image in PNG format

country: string enum: [SG] range: (up to 2 chars) required
Country Code (Format: ISO 3166-1 alpha-2)

Possible Value	Definition
SG	Singapore

currency: string enum: [SGD] range: (up to 3 chars) required
Payment Currency (Format: ISO 4217 Alpha)

Possible Value	Definition
SGD	Singapore Dollar

amount: integer range: $1 \leq x \leq 999999999999$ required
Payment Amount

- Format: Eliminate punctuation and sign, support 2 decimal places according to ISO 4217, e.g. \$10.50 = 1050

notifyUrl: string range: (up to 128 chars) required
URL provided by Merchant for returning status used by Payment Status Notification API

goodsDes: string range: (up to 128 chars) optional
Description of goods.

posMachineld: string range: (up to 36 chars) conditional
Unique ID of a POS device.

- Required when `txnChannel = "01"`

employeeeld: string range: (up to 36 chars) conditional
ID of a staff member who handles a specific POS transaction.

- Required when `txnChannel = "01"`

qrCodeResponseModel: object

PROPERTIES

api_gw: `commonRespObj` required
response: `qrCodeResponseModel_response` required

Example

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",
    "returnCode": "200",
    "returnReason": "Successful operation",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  },
  "response": {
    "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
    "currency": "SGD",
    "amount": 1050,
    "proCode": "000000",
    "proMsg": "Transaction Successful",
    "qrCode": "QR_CODE_DATA"
  }
}
```

qrCodeResponseModel_response:

PROPERTIES

txnRef: string range: (up to 25 chars) required
Returning back the original Transaction Reference No. provided by merchant

currency: string range: (up to 3 chars) required
Returning back Payment Currency

- Format: ISO 4217 Alpha (e.g. SGD = Singapore Dollar)

amount: integer range: $1 \leq x \leq 999999999999$ required

Example

```
{
  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
  "currency": "SGD",
  "amount": 1050,
  "proCode": "000000",
  "proMsg": "Transaction Successful",
  "qrCode": "QR_CODE_DATA"
}
```

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proCode: string range: (up to 6 chars) required
Process Return Code

Possible Value	Definition
000000	Transaction Successful
900020	Merchant ID Not Found
900030	Duplicate Transaction Reference
900040	Payment Currency and Settlement Currency is Not Matched
900050	Transaction Channel Not Available with the corresponding Merchant

- Other than "000000", all other return codes indicate a fail case.

proMsg: string range: (up to 128 chars) required
Corresponding Text Message of Process Return Code

qrCode: string range: (up to 20000 chars) conditional
QR Code Data

- QR Code Data will only be returned if it is a successful transaction.
- Merchant can choose to have QR Code image (Base64 encoded) returned for PayNow. The image size is around 10-15k bytes. The no. of encoded output characters versus input bytes is approximately 4 / 3 (33% overhead)

txnEnqRequestModel: object

PROPERTIES

txnRef: string range: (up to 25 chars) required
Merchant to provide transaction ID that referring to a specific transaction

merId: string range: (up to 15 chars) required
Merchant to provide Merchant ID for identification

txnEnqResponseModel: object

PROPERTIES

api_gw: commonRespObj required
response: txnEnqResponseModel_response required

Example

```
{  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",  "merId": "S123456S0010001"}
```

Example

```
{  "api_gw": {    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",    "returnCode": "200",    "returnReason": "Successful operation",    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"  },  "response": {    "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",    "proCode": "000000",    "proMsg": "Payment Success",    "currency": "SGD",    "totalAmtPaid": 2100,    "arrayOfSubAmt": [      {        "bankTxnId": "GPS0000123456789",        "bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T14:10:25+08:00",        "subAmtPaid": 1050,        "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante"      },      {        "bankTxnId": "GPS0000123456999",        "bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T15:11:12+08:00",        "subAmtPaid": 1050,        "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante"      }    ]  } }
```

txnEnqResponseModel_response:

PROPERTIES

txnRef: string range: (up to 25 chars) required
Returning back the original Transaction Reference No. provided by merchant

proCode: string range: (up to 6 chars) required
Process Return Code

Possible Value	Definition
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Example

```
{  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",  "proCode": "000000",  "proMsg": "Payment Success",  "currency": "SGD",  "totalAmtPaid": 2100,  "arrayOfSubAmt": [    {      "bankTxnId": "GPS0000123456789",
```

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Possible Value	Definition
000000	Payment Success
900010	Transaction Record Not Found
900020	Merchant ID Not Found

proMsg: string range: (up to 128 chars) required
Corresponding Text Message of Process Return Code

currency: string range: (up to 3 chars) required
Payment Currency

- Format: ISO 4217 Alpha

totalAmtPaid: integer range: $1 \leq x \leq 99999999999$ required
Total amount of money paid by payer

- Format: Eliminate punctuation and sign, support 2 decimal places, e.g. \$10.50 = 1050

!

NOTICE: Customer is able to submit multiple payments to merchant regarding to the same transaction. This amount can be varied if field `amtEditInd` is set to `Y`

arrayOfSubAmt: Array< `subAmountObj` > conditional
List of Sub-Amount Object

- Exist if field `totalAmtPaid > 0`

statusReturnRequestModel: object

PROPERTIES

merId: string range: (up to 15 chars) required
Returning back the Merchant ID for Merchant identification.

txnRef: string range: (up to 35 chars) required
Returning back the Transaction Reference No.

currency: string range: (up to 3 chars) required
Returning back the Payment Currency

- Format: ISO 4217 Alpha (e.g. SGD = Singapore Dollar)

amount: integer range: $1 \leq x \leq 99999999999$ required
Returning back the Payment Amount

- Format: Eliminate punctuation and sign, support 2 decimal places, e.g. \$10.50 = 1050

originatingCustName: string range: (up to 140 chars) required
Returning Ordering/Originating Customer Name

proCode: string range: (up to 6 chars) required
Process Return Code

Possible Value	Definition
000000	Completed

proMsg: string range: (up to 128 chars) required
Corresponding Text Message of Process Return Code

bankTxnId: string range: (up to 16 chars) required
Returning HSBC transaction reference id for the inward credit payment

bankTxnTime: string range: (up to 25 chars) required
Returning HSBC Transaction time for the inward credit payment

- Bank system local time. A `GMT+8` timezone information is appended to the end of the timestamp to indicate this time is a Singapore local time.
Format : `yyyy-MM-dd'T'HH:mm:ss±hh:mm`

statusReturnResponseModel: object

PROPERTIES

status: string range: (up to 30 chars) required
Return Message

```
"bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T14:10:25+08:00",
"subAmtPaid": 1050,
"originatingCustName": "Sean Mante"
},
{
  "bankTxnId": "GPS0000123456999",
  "bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T15:11:12+08:00",
  "subAmtPaid": 1050,
  "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante"
}
]
```

Example

```
{
  "merId": "S123456S0010001",
  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
  "currency": "SGD",
  "amount": 1050,
  "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante",
  "proCode": "000000",
  "proMsg": "Completed",
  "bankTxnId": "T18050209732",
  "bankTxnTime": "2018-06-11T14:10:25+08:00"
}
```

Example

```
{
  "status": "SUCCESS"
}
```

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paySimRequestModel: object

PROPERTIES

txnRef: string range: (up to 25 chars) **required**

Merchant to provide transaction ID that referring to a specific transaction

merId: string range: (up to 15 chars) **required**

Merchant to provide Merchant ID for identification

currency: string enum: [SGD] range: (up to 3 chars) **optional**

Payment Currency (Format: ISO 4217 Alpha)

Possible Value	Definition
SGD	Singapore Dollar

amount: integer range: $1 \leq x \leq 999999999999$ **optional**

Payment Amount

- Original Payment Amount can be overridden by passing this Amount in Payment Simulation
- Format: Eliminate punctuation and sign, support 2 decimal places according to ISO 4217, e.g. \$10.50 = 1050

originatingCustName: string range: (up to 140 chars) **optional**

Ordering/Originating Customer Name

is_notification_encrypted: string enum: [Y, N] range: (up to 1 chars) **required**

Flag to indicate if the Status Notification message is encrypted or not

paySimResponseModel: object

PROPERTIES

api_gw: **commonRespObj** **required**

response: **paySimResponseModel_response** **required**

paySimResponseModel_response:

PROPERTIES

txnRef: string range: (up to 25 chars) **required**

Returning back the Transaction Reference No. provided by merchant

proCode: string range: (up to 6 chars) **required**

Process Return Code

Possible Value	Definition
000000	Payment Success
900010	Transaction Record Not Found
900020	Merchant ID Not Found

proMsg: string range: (up to 128 chars) **required**

Corresponding Text Message of Process Return Code

reportRqtRequestModel: object

PROPERTIES

merId: string range: (up to 15 chars) **required**

Merchant ID

- Distributed by HSBC to the merchant for identifying each merchant's identity

Example

```
{
  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
  "merId": "S123456S0010001",
  "currency": "SGD",
  "amount": 1050,
  "originatingCustName": "Sean Mante",
  "is_notification_encrypted": "y"
}
```

Example

```
{
  "api_gw": {
    "messageId": "89017674-da00-4083",
    "returnCode": "200",
    "returnReason": "Successful operation",
    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",
    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"
  },
  "response": {
    "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
    "proCode": "000000",
    "proMsg": "Payment Success"
  }
}
```

Example

```
{
  "txnRef": "SGHSBC000001234567F064577",
  "proCode": "000000",
  "proMsg": "Payment Success"
}
```

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```
{
  "merId": "S123456S0010001",
  "reportName": "DETAIL REPORT",
  "reportFormat": "PDF",
  "reportDate": "20190320"
}
```

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reportName: string enum: [DETAIL REPORT] range: (up to 255 chars)

required

Report Name

• Allow to request one report at one time

Possible Value	Definition
DETAIL REPORT	Daily Detail Report

reportFormat: string enum: [TXT, CSV, XLS, PDF] range: (up to 3 chars)

required

Report Format

• Allow to request one report at one time

Possible Value	Definition
TXT	Text Format
CSV	Comma-Separated Values Format
XLS	Microsoft Excel
PDF	Adobe PDF

reportDate: string range: (up to 8 chars)

required

The Date of the report requested

• Format: yyyyMMdd

• If the date is today, report records will be shown up to the request time

reportRqtResponseModel: object

PROPERTIES

api_gw: commonRespObj required

response: reportRqtResponseModel_response required

reportRqtResponseModel_response:

PROPERTIES

proCode: string range: (up to 6 chars) required

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Possible Value	Definition
000000	Report Request Successful
900020	Merchant ID Not Found
900030	Report Date Invalid (Invalid Format or Later than today)

• Other than "000000", all other return codes indicate a fail case.

proMsg: string range: (up to 128 chars) required

Corresponding Text Message of Process Return Code

Lifecycle of Cryptographic Keys

This section highlights the Lifecycle of cryptographic keys in the following stages:

1. Generate keys pair (Private Key and Public Key Certificate)

2. **Optional:** Export CSR (Certificate Signing Request) and sign using a CA (Certificate Authority)

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DID YOU KNOW?

In public key infrastructure (PKI) systems, a certificate signing request is a message sent from an applicant to a certificate

Example

```
{  "api_gw": {    "messageId": "89817674-da00-4883",    "returnCode": "200",    "returnReason": "Successful operation",    "sentTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z",    "responseTime": "2016-11-15T10:00:00.000Z"  },  "response": {    "proCode": "000000",    "proMsg": "Report Request Successful"  } }
```

Example

```
{  "proCode": "000000",  "proMsg": "Report Request Successful" }
```

authority in order to apply for a digital identity certificate. It usually contains the public key for which the certificate should be issued.

3. Exchange Certificate with HSBC
4. Certificate and Keys Maintenance
5. Certificate and Keys Renewal Process

The Key Renewal Process Command line tool **Java Keytool™** is used in the demonstration. The tool can generate public key / private key pairs and store them into a Java KeyStore. The Keytool executable is distributed with the **Java SDK (or JRE)™**, so if you have an SDK installed you will also have the Keytool executable. The Merchant is free to choose any other tool to generate and manage keys, such as **OpenSSL™**.

Key Generation and Certificate Exchange with HSBC

1. Create a new keys pair (Private Key and Public Key Certificate) with a new or existing Keystore.

```
keytool -genkey
        -alias merchant_key_pair
        -keyalg RSA
        -keystore merchant_keystore.jks
        -keysize 2048
        -validity 3650
        -storepass <your keystore password>
```

- **-genkey** - command to generate keys pair.
- **-alias** - define the alias name (or unique identifier) of the keys pair stored inside the keystore.
- **-keyalg** - key algorithm, it must be **RSA** regarding to HSBC standard. If **RSA** is taken, the default hashing algorithm will be **SHA-256**.
- **-keystore** - file name of the keystore. If the file already exists in your system location, the key will be created inside your existing keystore, otherwise, a new keystore with the defined name will be created.

! DID YOU KNOW?

Keystore is a password-protected repository of keys and certificates. A file with extension **jks** means it is a Java Keystore which is originally supported and executable with Java™.

There are several keystore formats in the industry like **PKCS12** with file extension **p12** which is executable with Microsoft Windows™, merchant can always pick the one most fit their application.

- **-keysize** - key size, it must be **2048** regarding to HSBC standard.
- **-validity** - the validity period of the private key and its associated certificate. The unit is **day**, 3650 means 10 years.
- **-storepass** - password of the keystore.

- 1.1. Provide the **Distinguished Name** information after running the command:

```
Information required for CSR generation
-----
What is your first and last name?
[Unknown]:  MERCHANT INFO
What is the name of your organizational unit?
[Unknown]:  MERCHANT INFO
What is the name of your organization?
[Unknown]:  MERCHANT INFO
What is the name of your City or Locality?
[Unknown]:  HK
What is the name of your State or Province?
[Unknown]:  HK
What is the two-letter country code for this unit?
[Unknown]:  HK
Is CN=XXX, OU=XXX, O=XXX, L=HK, ST=HK, C=HK correct? (type "y" or "no")
[no]:  yes

Enter key password for <merchant_key_pair>
        (RETURN if same as keystore password):
Re-enter new password:
```

! NOTE:

The Private Key password and Keystore password can be identical, however to be more secure, the Merchant should set them differently.

2. **Optional:** Export CSR and get signed with CA. This step can be skipped if the Merchant decides to work with a Self-Signed Certificate.

```
keytool -certreq
        -alias merchant_key_pair
        -keyalg RSA
        -file merchant_csr.csr
        -keystore merchant_keystore.jks
```


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- **-certreq** - command to generate and export CSR.
- **-alias** - the name of the associated keys pair.
- **-keyalg** - key algorithm, it must be `RSA` regarding to HSBC standard.
- **-file** - file name of the CSR. This will be generated at the location where the command is run.
- **-keystore** - specify the keystore which you are working on.

2.1. Select and purchase a plan at Certificate Authority and then submit the CSR accordingly. After a signed Certificate is issued by CA, import the Certificate back to the Merchant's keystore.

```
keytool -import
        -alias merchant_signed_cert_0001
        -trustcacerts -file CA_signed_cert.p7b
        -keystore merchant_keystore.jks
```

- **-import** - command to import object into a specific keystore.
- **-alias** - define the alias name (or unique identifier) of the signed Certificate.
- **-trustcacerts -file** - specify the file name of the signed Certificate in Merchant's local file system.

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NOTE:

`PKCS#7` is one of the common formats that contains certificates and has a file extension of `.p7b` or `.p7c`. The certificate format may be varied depending on the policy of the issuing CA.

- **-keystore** - specify the keystore which you are working on.

3. Export the Certificate and send it to HSBC for key exchange.

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DID YOU KNOW:

A Certificate or Public Key Certificate is an electronic document that contains a public key and additional information that prove the ownership and maintains integrity of the public key. It is essential for the sender to ensure the key is not altered by any chance during delivery.

```
keytool -export
        -alias merchant_key_pair
        -file merchant_cert_0001.cer
        -keystore merchant_keystore.jks
```

- **-export** - command to export object from a specific keystore.
- **-alias** - the name of the associated keys pair.

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NOTE:

If the Merchant associates the original keys pair `merchant_key_pair`, the exported Certificate is without CA-signed, and hence, Self-Signed. However, if the Merchant associates the imported Certificate `merchant_signed_cert_0001` mentioned in step #2, the exported Certificate is CA-signed.

- **-file** - specify the file name of the Certificate where the file will be exported to Merchant's local file system.

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NOTE:

The default Certificate file encoding is binary. HSBC accepts both binary and base64 encoding. To export a printable base64 encoding file, please attach an extra parameter `-rfc` in the command.
e.g. `-file merchant_cert_0001.crt -rfc`.

- **-keystore** - specify the keystore which you are working on.

4. Import HSBC's Certificate into the merchant's Keystore.

```
keytool -import
        -alias hsbc_cert_0002
        -file hsbc_cert_0002.cer
        -keystore merchant_keystore.jks
```

- **-import** - command to import object into a specific keystore.
- **-alias** - define the alias name of HSBC's Certificate in your keystore.
- **-file** - specify the file name of HSBC's Certificate in Merchant's local file system.
- **-keystore** - specify the keystore which you are working on.

5. **Optional:** List keystore objects. Merchant is suggested to verify that all required objects are properly maintained. 2 - 3 entries should be found in your Java Keystore: *(Entries may be varied if other key repository format is used)*

Alias name	Corresponding Object	Remark
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Alias name	Corresponding Object	Remark
		These two objects appear to be one entry in a JAVA Keystore. Merchant can still export them separately into two objects (files) on your local file system depending on your application design.
merchant_key_pair	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Merchant's Private KeyMerchant's Public Certificate (Self-Signed)	
merchant_signed_cert_0001	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Merchant's Public Certificate (CA-Signed)	Not exist. Merchant skips step #2.
hsbc_cert_0002	<ul style="list-style-type: none">HSBC's Public Certificate	

```
keytool -list -v -keystore merchant_keystore.jks

Keystore type: JKS
Keystore provider: SUN

Your keystore contains 3 entries

Alias name: merchant_key_pair
Creation date: Jan 1, 2020
Entry type: PrivateKeyEntry

<Other Information>

*****

Alias name: merchant_signed_cert_0001
Creation date: Jan 1, 2020
Entry type: trustedCertEntry

<Other Information>

*****

Alias name: hsbc_cert_0002
Creation date: Jan 1, 2020
Entry type: trustedCertEntry

<Other Information>

*****
```

Certificates and Keys Maintenance

Here are some recommendations to Merchant of how to properly maintain certificates and keys:

Component	Storage	Validity
Merchant's Private Key	<p>Private Key should be maintained and handled with the most secure approach that a Merchant can apply. The most common and yet secure enough approach is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">key password - Do not save the password in plain text or hard-coded in application. Recommend to encrypt it by any Password Encryption Toolskey storage - Store inside password-protected key repository, such as <code>JKS</code> or <code>PKCS12</code> keystore. Keystore password should also be encrypted.	<p>No restriction on the Validity Period. However, if Merchant suspects there is any chance that the key is leaked or for any other security reason, a new Private Key and its associated Public Key Certificate should be generated.</p>

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Component	Storage	Validity
Merchant's Public Key Certificate	Since Public Key Certificate is publicly distributed, a comparative moderate secure storage approach is acceptable. Merchant can store the physical file in any system's file system or store all keys and certificates in one single key repository for a centralised key management.	For a self-signed Certificate, the same condition has been mentioned as above. However, the validity period of a CA-signed Certificate is depended on the purchase plan of the issuing CA. The most common standard is 1 to 2 years.
HSBC's Public Key Certificate	Same as the above	1 Year NOTE: Technically, the validity period is usually 1 Year plus 1 to 2 months more. The spare period is a buffer for a merchant to switch a "to-be-expired" Certificate to the new one during the Certificate Renewal Process. More technical detail will be covered in later section.

Certificates and Keys Renewal

Every Public Key Certificate has an expiration date. When either the Merchant's or HSBC's Certificate is about to expire, a key renewal process takes place. Please see the Key Renewal Process Flow below:

- !
- SOME RULES YOU SHOULD KNOW:

• **Keys Repository:** This is a mock-up for demonstration purpose only.

• **Keys Name:** Using a `Key Name` `KeyID` naming convention makes for a simpler demonstration. The suggested identifier of one key should be the alias name inside a key repository.

• **KeyID Value:** HSBC uses the naming convention `0001`, `0002`, `0003` ..., `n + 1`, each time the HSBC certificate is renewed, the `KeyID` value is `n + 1`.

• **KeyID Binding:** The binding between the `KeyID` and the corresponding `Keys Pair` in the merchant's system can make use of any key/value logic, such as a Database table. In our example below, `KeyID 000X` binds to `Private Key v.000X` and `Public Certificate v.000X`, etc.

• **Validity Date:** All dates are made-up for demonstration purposes only.

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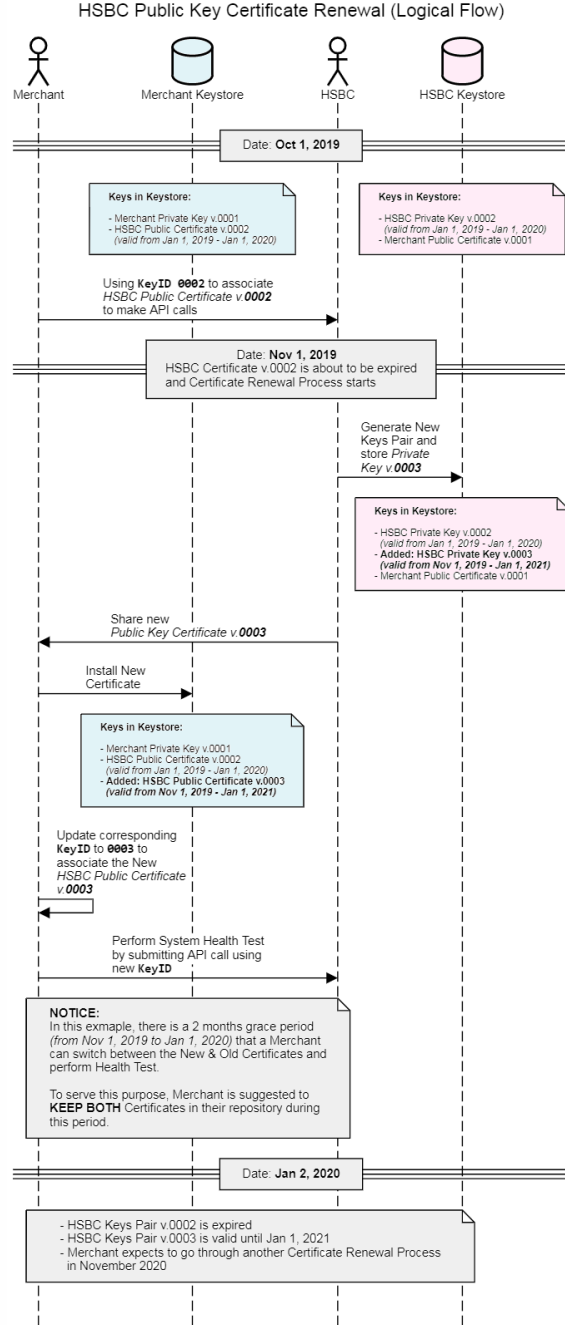
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Below is the technical flow showing how **Certificates**, **Alias Names** and **KeyIDs** work together during a normal process or a key renewal process:

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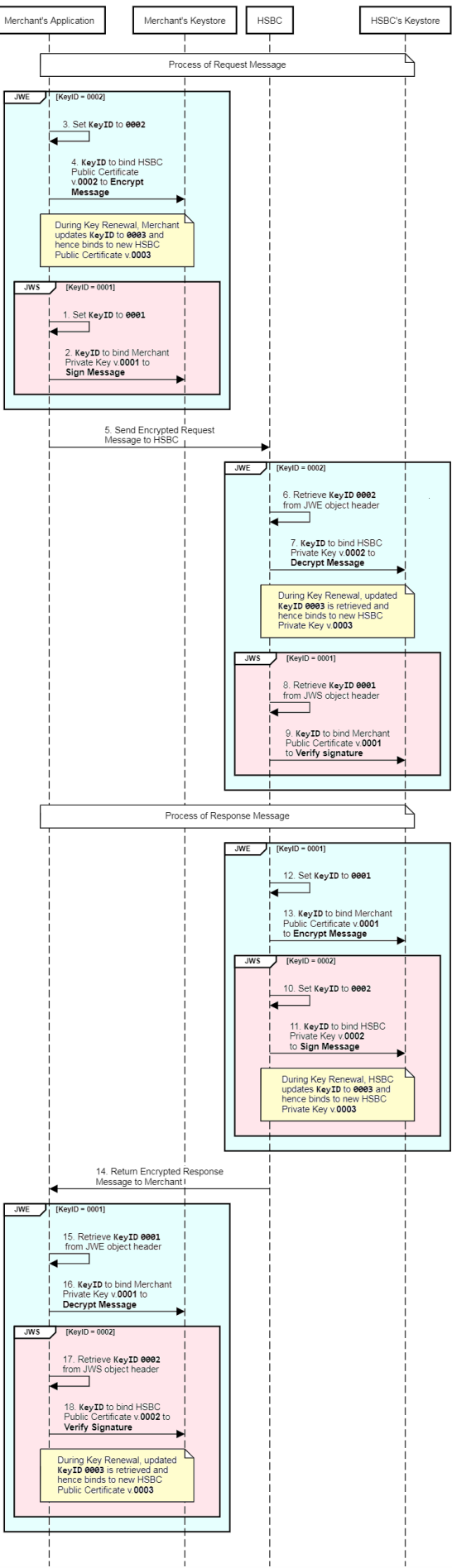
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