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Abstract

This document defines a subset of a Management Information Base (MIB) for energy management of devices. The module addresses device identification, context information, and the relationships between reporting devices, remote devices, and monitoring devices.

Conventions used in this document

The key words "MUST", "MUST NOT", "REQUIRED", "SHALL", "SHALL NOT", "SHOULD", "SHOULD NOT", "RECOMMENDED", "NOT RECOMMENDED", "MAY", and "OPTIONAL" in this document are to be interpreted as described in [RFC 2119](#) [[RFC2119](#)].

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OPEN ISSUE:

1. Is the UUID always 45 bytes? eoProxyParentUUID has a current size of "OCTET STRING (SIZE(0..45))".
2. use the UUID as index for a table
 - it is a design decision whether to use integer indexes (and to think careful about there persistency properties), UUIDs in some fixed size

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compact binary format (perhaps rendered by
DISPLAY-HINTS)

- If the UUID is represented as a URI that conforms to [RFC 4122](#), the correct datatype is DisplayString (i.e., visible ASCII) - non-ASCII octets are impossible in the [RFC 4122](#) encoding.

3. From <http://www.ietf.org/proceedings/82/slides/eman-1.pdf>

(Do we need eoMeteringChildrenList,
eoPoweringChildrenList, eoAggregatingChildrenList,
eoProxyingChildrenList?)

- Bit vector representation of parent/child relationship

4. Compliance with ENTITY-MIB

5. Reuse of eoethPortIndex, eoethPortGrpIndex indices from PoE MIB and lldpLocPortNum from Lldp MIB

6. Comments on review of [draft-ietf-eman-energy-aware-mib-04](#)

1. Introduction

The EMAN standards provide a specification for Energy Management. This document defines a subset of a Management Information Base (MIB) for use with network management protocols for Energy monitoring of network devices and devices attached to the network and possibly extending to devices in the industrial automation setting with a network interface.

The focus of the MIB module specified in this document is on the identification of Energy Objects and reporting the context and relationships of Energy Objects as defined in [[EMAN-FMWK](#)]. The module addresses Energy Object Identification, Energy Object Context, and Energy Object Relationships.

1.1. Energy Management Document Overview

This document specifies the ENERGY-OBJECT-CONTEXT-MIB module. This document is based on the Energy Management Framework [EMAN-FMWK] and meets the requirements on identification of Energy Objects and their context and relationships as specified in the Energy Management requirements [EMAN-REQ].

A second MIB module required by the [EMAN-FMWK], the Power and Energy Monitoring MIB [EMAN-MON-MIB], monitors the Energy Objects for Power States, for the Power and Energy consumption. Power State monitoring includes: retrieving Power States, Power State properties, current Power State, Power State transitions, and Power State statistics. In addition, this MIB module provides the Power Quality properties of the Power and Energy, along with optional characteristics.

The applicability statement document [EMAN-AS] provides the list of use cases, and describes the common aspects of between existing Energy standards and the EMAN standard, and shows how the EMAN framework relates to other frameworks.

2. The Internet-Standard Management Framework

For a detailed overview of the documents that describe the current Internet-Standard Management Framework, please refer to [section 7 of RFC 3410](#) [RFC3410].

Managed objects are accessed via a virtual information store, termed the Management Information Base or MIB. MIB objects are generally accessed through the Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP). Objects in the MIB are defined using the mechanisms defined in the Structure of Management Information (SMI). This memo specifies MIB modules that are compliant with SMIV2, which is described in STD 58, [RFC 2578](#) [RFC2578], STD 58, [RFC 2579](#) [RFC2579] and STD 58, [RFC 2580](#) [RFC2580].

3. Requirements and Use Cases

Firstly, to illustrate the importance of energy monitoring in networks and secondly to list some of the important areas to be addressed by the energy management Framework, several use cases and network scenarios are presented in the EMAN applicability statement document [EMAN-AS]. In addition, for each scenario, the target devices for energy management, and how those devices

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powered and metered are also presented. To address the network scenarios, requirements for power and energy monitoring for networking devices are specified in [\[EMAN-REQ\]](#). Based on the requirements [\[EMAN-REQ\]](#), the [\[EMAN-FMWK\]](#) presents an solution approach.

Accordingly, the scope of the MIB module in this document is in accordance to the requirements specified in [\[EMAN-REQ\]](#) and [\[EMAN-FMWK\]](#).

4. Terminology

EDITOR'S NOTE:

- All terms are copied over from the version 4 of the [\[EMAN-TERMINOLOGY\]](#) draft. The only difference in definition is the Energy Management Domain, which has been improved, to address one comment from Bill Mielke. Hopefully, this version 4 is the final version.
- "All" terms have been copied. Potentially, some unused terms might have to be removed (example Electrical Equipment". Alternatively, as this document is the first standard track document in the EMAN WG, it may become the reference document for the terminology (instead of cutting/pasting the terminology in all drafts)
- "Reference: herein" has not been copied over from the terminology draft.

Energy Management

Energy Management is a set of functions for measuring, modeling, planning, and optimizing networks to ensure that the network elements and attached devices use energy efficiently and is appropriate for the nature of the application and the cost constraints of the organization.

Reference: Adapted from [\[ITU-T-M-3400\]](#)

Example: A set of computer systems that will poll electrical meters and store the readings

NOTES:

1. Energy management refers to the activities, methods, procedures and tools that pertain to measuring, modeling, planning, controlling and optimizing the use of energy in networked systems [[NME](#)].
2. Energy Management is a management domain which is congruent to any of FCAPS areas of management in the ISO/OSI Network Management Model [[TMN](#)]. Energy Management for communication networks and attached devices is a subset or part of an organization's greater Energy Management Policies.

Energy Management System (EnMS)

An Energy Management System is a combination of hardware and software used to administer a network with the primarily purpose being Energy Management.

Reference: Adapted from [[1037C](#)]

Example: A single computer system that polls data from devices using SNMP

NOTES:

1. An Energy Management System according to [[ISO50001](#)] (ISO-EnMS) is a set of systems or procedures upon which organizations can develop and implement an energy policy, set targets, action plans and take into account legal requirements related to energy use. An EnMS allows organizations to improve energy performance and demonstrate conformity to requirements, standards, and/or legal requirements.
2. Example ISO-EnMS: Company A defines a set of policies and procedures indicating there should exist multiple computerized systems that will poll energy from their meters and pricing / source data from their local utility. Company A specifies that their CFO should collect information and summarize it quarterly to be sent to an accounting firm to produce carbon accounting reporting as required by their local government.
3. For the purposes of EMAN, the definition from [[1037C](#)] is the preferred meaning of an Energy Management System (EnMS). The definition from [[ISO50001](#)] can be referred to as ISO Energy Management System (ISO-EnMS).

ISO Energy Management System

Energy Management System as defined by [[ISO50001](#)]

Energy

That which does work or is capable of doing work. As used by electric utilities, it is generally a reference to electrical energy and is measured in kilo-watt hours (kWh).

Reference: [[IEEE100](#)]

NOTES

1. Energy is the capacity of a system to produce external activity or perform work [[ISO50001](#)]

Power

The time rate at which energy is emitted, transferred, or received; usually expressed in watts (or in joules per second).

Reference: [[IEEE100](#)]

Demand

The average value of power or a related quantity over a specified interval of time. Note: Demand is expressed in kilowatts, kilovolt-amperes, kilovars, or other suitable units.

Reference: [[IEEE100](#)]

NOTES:

1. typically kilowatts
2. Energy providers typically bill by Demand measurements as well as for maximum Demand per billing periods. Power values may spike during short-terms by devices, but Demand measurements recognize that maximum Demand does not equal maximum Power during an interval.

Power Quality

Characteristics of the electric current, voltage and frequencies at a given point in an electric power system, evaluated against a set of reference technical parameters. These parameters might, in some cases, relate to the compatibility between electricity supplied in an electric power system and the loads connected to that electric power system.

Reference: [[IEC60050](#)]

Electrical Equipment

A general term including materials, fittings, devices, appliances, fixtures, apparatus, machines, etc., used as a part of, or in connection with, an electric installation.

Reference: [[IEEE100](#)]

Non-Electrical Equipment (Mechanical Equipment)

A general term including materials, fittings, devices, appliances, fixtures, apparatus, machines, etc., used as a part of, or in connection with, non-electrical power installations.

Reference: Adapted from [[IEEE100](#)]

Energy Object

An Energy Object (EO) is a piece of equipment that is part of or attached to a communications network that is monitored, controlled, or aids in the management of another device for Energy Management.

Electrical Energy Object

An Electrical Energy Object (EE0) is an Energy Object that is a piece of Electrical Equipment

Non-Electrical Energy Object

A Non-Electrical Energy Object (NEEO) an Energy Object that is a piece of Non-Electrical Equipment.

Energy Monitoring

Energy Monitoring is a part of Energy Management that deals with collecting or reading information from Energy Objects to aid in Energy Management.

NOTES:

1. This could include Energy, Power, Demand, Power Quality, Context and/or Battery information.

Energy Control

Energy Control is a part of Energy Management that deals with directing influence over Energy Objects.

NOTES:

1. Typically in order to optimize or ensure its efficiency.

Energy Device

An Energy Device is an Energy Object that may be monolithic or contain Energy Device Components.

Energy Device Component

An Energy Device Component is an Energy Object contained in an Energy Device, for which the containing Energy Device provides individual energy management functions. Typically, the Energy Device Component is part the Energy Device physical containment tree in the ENTITY-MIB [[RFC4133](#)].

Energy Management Domain

An Energy Management Domain is a set of Energy Objects where all objects in the domain are considered one unit of management.

For example, power distribution units and all of the attached Energy Objects are part of the same Energy Management Domain.

For example, all EEO's drawing power from the same distribution panel with the same AC voltage within a building, or all EEO's in a building for which there is one main meter, would comprise an Energy Management Domain.

NOTES:

1. Typically, this set will have as members all EO's that are powered from the same source.

Energy Object Identification

Energy Object Identification is a set of attributes that enable an Energy Object to be: uniquely identified among all Energy Management Domains; linked to other systems; classified as to type, model, and or manufacturer

Energy Object Context

Energy Object Context is a set of attributes that allow an Energy Management System to classify the use of the Energy Object within an organization.

NOTES:

1. The classification could contain the use and/or the ranking of the Energy Object as compared to other Energy Objects in the Energy Management Domain.

Energy Object Relationship

An Energy Objects Relationship is a functional association between one or more Energy Objects

NOTES

1. Relationships can be named and could include Aggregation, Metering, Power Source, Proxy.

Aggregation Relationship

An Energy Object may aggregate the Energy Management information of one or more Energy Objects and is referred to as an Aggregation Relationship.

NOTES:

1. Aggregate values may be obtained by reading values from multiple Energy Objects and producing a single value of more significant meaning such as average, count, maximum, median, minimum, mode and most commonly sum [[SQL](#)].

Metering Relationship

An Energy Object may measure the Power or Energy of another Energy Object(s) and is referred to as a Metering Relationship.

Example: a PoE port on a switch measures the Power it provides to the connected Energy Object.

Power Source Relationship

An Energy Object may be the source of or distributor of Power to another Energy Object(s) and is referred to as a Power Source Relationship.

Example: a PDU provides power for a connected host.

Proxy Relationship

An Energy Object that provides Energy Management capabilities on behalf of another Energy Object is referred to a Proxy Relationship.

Example: a protocol gateways device for Building Management Systems (BMS) with subtended devices.

Energy Object Parent

An Energy Object Parent is an Energy Object that participates in an Energy Object Relationships and is considered as providing the capabilities in the relationship.

Energy Object Child

An Energy Object Child is an Energy Object that participates in an Energy Object Relationships and is considered as receiving the capabilities in the relationship.

Power State

A Power State is a condition or mode of a device that broadly characterizes its capabilities, power consumption, and responsiveness to input.

Reference: Adapted from [[IEEE1621](#)]

NOTES:

1. A Power State can be seen as a power setting of an Energy Object that influences the power consumption, the available functionality, and the responsiveness of the Energy Object.
2. A Power State can be viewed as one method for Energy Control

Power State Set

A collection of Power States that comprise one named or logical grouping of control is a Power State Set.

Example: The states {on, off, and sleep} as defined in [[IEEE1621](#)], or the 16 power states as defined by the [[DMTF](#)] can be considered two different Power State Sets.

Nameplate Power

The Nameplate Power is the maximal (nominal) Power that a device can support.

NOTES:

1. This is typically determined via load testing and is specified by the manufacturer as the maximum value required for operating the device. This is

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sometimes referred to as the worst-case Power. The actual or average Power may be lower. The Nameplate Power is typically used for provisioning and capacity planning.

5. Architecture Concepts Applied to the MIB Module

This section describes the basic concepts specified in the Energy Management Architecture [[EMAN-FMWK](#)], with specific information related to the MIB module specified in this document.

The Energy Object Context MIB module defined in this document defines MIB objects for identification of Energy Objects, and reporting context and relationship of an Energy Object. The managed objects are contained in two tables eoTable and eoProxyTable.

The first table eoTable (OIDs ending with 1-18) focuses on link to the other MIB modules, context of the Energy Object and the relationship of the Energy Object. The second table eoProxyTable describes the proxy capabilities of a Energy Object Parent for a specific local Energy Object Child. The global variable eoTablePeristence deals with the persistence of identity of the Energy Object.

```
+-- rwn TruthValue          eoTablePersistence(1)

+- eoTable(2)
|
| +- eoEntry(1) [entPhysicalIndex]
| |
| | +- r-n PethPsePortIndexOrZero      eoEthPortIndex(1)
| | +- r-n PethPsePortGroupIndexOrZero eoEthPortGrpIndex(2)
| | +- r-n LldpPortNumberOrZero        eoLldpPortNumber(3)
| | +- rwn SnmpAdminString              eoDomainName(4)
| | +- rwn SnmpAdminString              eoRoleDescription(5)
| | +- rwn MacAddress                   eoMgmtMacAddress(6)
| | +- r-n eoMgmtAddressType             eoMgmtAddressType(7)
| | +- r-n InetAddress                  eoMgmtAddress(8)
| | +- r-n SnmpAdminString              eoMgmtDNSName(9)
| | +- rwn SnmpAdminString              eoAlternateKey(10)
| | +- rwn EnergyObjectKeywordList      eoKeywords(11)
| | +- rwn Integer32                    eoImportance(12)
```

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| +-- r-n INTEGER                    eoPowerCategory(13)
| +-- r-n OCTET STRING               eoMeteredBy(14)
| +-- r-n OCTET STRING               eoPoweredBy(15)
| +-- r-n OCTET STRING               eoAggregatedBy(16)
| +-- r-n OCTET STRING               eoAggregatedBy(17)
| +-- r-n OCTET STRING               eoChildrenList(18)
|
+- eoProxyTable(3)
|
|+- eoProxyEntry (1)[eoProxyChild, eoProxyParentUUID]
| |
| |+- --n PhysicalIndex               eoProxyChild(1)
| |+- --n OCTET STRING               eoProxyParentUUID(2)
| |+- r-n BITS                       eoProxyAbilities(3)

```

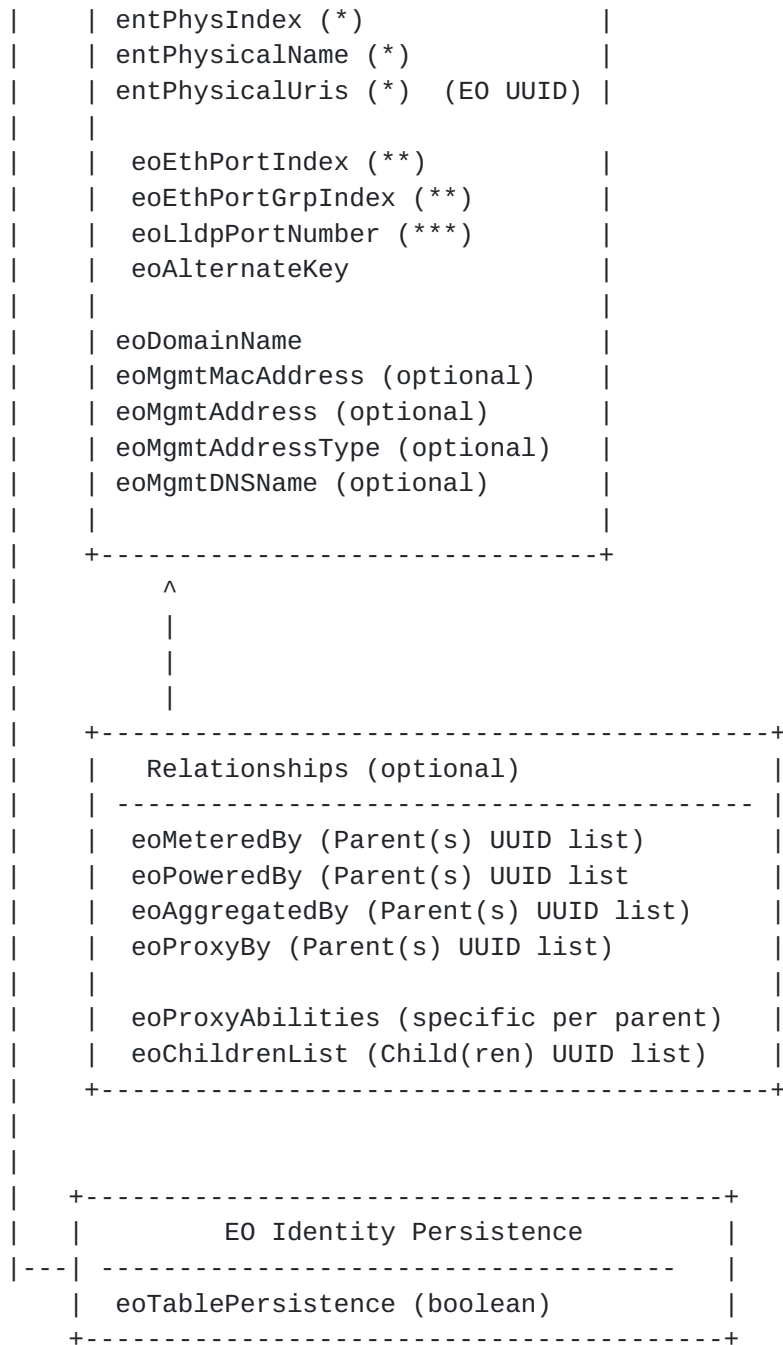
The following UML diagram illustrates the relationship of the MIB objects in the eoTable and eoProxyTable that describe the identity, context and relationship an Energy Object.



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(*) Compliance From the ENTITY MIB [[RFC4133](#)]

(**) Link with the Power over Ethernet MIB [[RFC3621](#)]

(***) Link with LLDP MIBs [[LLDP-MIB](#)] [[LLDP-MED-MIB](#)]

Figure 1: MIB Objects Grouping

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As displayed in figure 1, the MIB objects can be classified in different logical grouping of MIB objects.

- 1) The Energy Object Identification. See [Section 5.1](#) "Energy Object Identification". Devices and their sub-components are characterized by the power-related attributes of a physical entity present in the ENTITY MIB [[RFC4133](#)].
- 2) The Context Information. See [Section 5.2](#) "Energy Object Context"
- 3) The links to other MIB modules. See [Section 5.3](#) "Links to other Identifiers"
- 4) The Energy Object Child Relationships specific information. See [Section 5.4](#) "Child: Energy Objects Relationship."
- 5) The Energy Object Parent Relationships specific information. See [Section 5.5](#) "Parent: Energy Objects Relationship."
- 6) The Energy Object Identity Persistence. See [Section 5.6](#) "Energy Object Identity Persistence"

[5.1](#) Energy Object Identification

Refer to the "Energy Object Information" section in [[EMAN-FMWK](#)] for background information about Energy Objects.

Every Energy Object MUST implement the unique index, entPhysicalIndex, from the ENTITY MIB [[RFC4133](#)], which is used as index for the primary Energy Object information in the ENERGY-OBJECT-CONTEXT-MIB module.

Every Energy Object MUST have a printable name assigned to it. Energy Objects MUST implement the entPhysicalName object specified in the ENTITY-MIB, which must contain the Energy Object name.

By the [[RFC4133](#)] definition, the entPhysicalUris contains a white space separated list of Uniform Resource Identifier (s)(URIs). For the ENERGY-OBJECT-CONTEXT-MIB compliance, every Energy Object instance MUST implement the entPhysicalUris from the ENTITY MIB [[RFC4133](#)]. The entPhysicalUris MUST contain the Energy Object UUID, in a form consistent with [[RFC4122](#)]. Note that the entPhysicalUris, from the ENTITY-MIB, is a read-write managed object, and that, as a consequence the UUID could be set by a management system.

As displayed in [[RFC4122](#)], the following is an example of the string representation of a UUID as a URN: urn:uuid:f81d4fae-7dec-11d0-a765-00a0c91e6bf6.

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Other ENTITY MIB related managed objects, in addition to entPhysicalIndex, entPhysicalName, and entPhysicalUris [[RFC4133](#)] MAY be implemented. For example, to understand the relationship between Energy Object Components and Energy Objects, the ENTITY-MIB physical containment tree [[RFC4133](#)] MUST be implemented. A second example deals with one of the ENTITY-MIB extensions: if the Energy Object temperature is required, the managed objects from the ENTITY-SENSOR-MIB [[RFC3433](#)] should be supported.

When an Energy Object Parent acts as a Power Aggregator or a Power Proxy, the Energy Object Parent and its Energy Object Child/Children MUST be members of the same Energy Management Domain, specified by the eoDomainName MIB Object.

Each Energy Object MUST belong to a single Energy Management Domain or in other words, an Energy Object cannot belong to more than one Energy Management Domain. Refer to the "Energy Management Domain" section in [[EMAN-FMWK](#)] for background information. The eoDomainName, which is an element of the eoTable, is a read-write MIB object. The Energy Management Domain should map 1-1 with a metered or sub-metered portion of the network. The Energy Management Domain MUST be configured on the Energy Object Parent. The Energy Object Children MAY inherit the some of the domain parameters (possibly domain name, some of the context information such as role or keywords, importance) from the Energy Object Parent or the Energy Management Domain MAY be configured directly in an Energy Object Child.

[5.2](#) Energy Object Context

Refer to the "Energy Object Context" section in [[EMAN-FMWK](#)] for background information.

An Energy Object must provide a value for eoImportance in the range of 1..100 to help differentiate the use or relative value of the device. The importance range is from 1 (least important) to 100 (most important). The default importance value is 1.

An Energy Object can provide a set of eoKeywords. These keywords are a list of tags that can be used for grouping and summary reporting within or between Energy Management Domains.

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An Energy Object can be classified based on the physical properties of the Energy Object. That Energy Object can be classified as consuming power or supplying power to other devices or that Energy Object can perform both of those functions and finally, an Energy Object can be a passive meter.

Additionally, an Energy Object can provide an `eoRoleDescription` string that indicates the purpose the Energy Object serves in the network.

5.3 Links to Other Identifiers

While the `entPhysicalIndex` is the primary index for all MIB objects in the ENERGY-OBJECT-CONTEXT-MIB module, the Energy Management Systems (EnMS) must be able to make the link with the identifier(s) in other supported MIB modules.

If the Energy Object is a PoE port, and if the Power over Ethernet MIB [[RFC3621](#)] is supported by the Energy Object SNMP agent, then the Energy Object `eoethPortIndex` and `eoethPortGrpIndex` MUST contain the values of `pethPsePortIndex` and `pethPsePortGroupIndex` [[RFC3621](#)].

The Energy Object `eoLldpPortNumber` MUST contain the `lldpLocPortNum` from the LLDP MIB [[LLDP-MIB](#)], if the LLDP-MED MIB is supported on the Energy Object SNMP agent.

The intent behind the links to the other MIB module identifier(s) is to correlate the instances in the different MIB modules. This will allow the ENERGY-OBJECT-CONTEXT-MIB MIB module to reference other MIB modules in cases where the Power over Ethernet and the LLDP MIB modules are supported by the SNMP agent. Some use cases may not implement any of these two MIB modules for the Energy Objects. However, in situation where any of these two MIB modules are implemented, the EnMS must be able to correlate the instances in the different MIB modules.

The `eoAlternateKey` alternate key object specifies a manufacturer defined string that can be used to identify the Energy Object. Since EnMS may need to correlate objects across management systems, this alternate key is provided to facilitate such a link. This optional value is intended as a foreign key or alternate identifier for a manufacturer or EnMS to use to correlate the unique Energy Object Id in other systems or

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namespaces. If an alternate key is not available or is not applicable then the value is the zero-length string.

5.4 Child: Energy Object Relationships

Refer to the "Energy Object Parent and Child" section in [EMAN-FMWK] for background information.

In order to link the Energy Object Child and the Energy Object Parent, multiple objects are introduced in the MIB module. Depending on the Energy Object Relationship type, the following objects are appropriate:

Metering Relationship -> eoMeteredBy

Power Source Relationship -> eoPoweredBy

Aggregation Relationship -> eoAggregatedBy

Proxy Relationship -> eoProxyBy,
 -> eoProxyAbilities

Each object contains the list of Energy Object Parent UUIDs for the specific Energy Object Relationship type. The UUIDs MUST comply to the [RFC 4122](#) specifications. The object contains URIs and, therefore, the syntax of this object must conform to [RFC 3986 \[RFC3986\], section 2](#). Multiple URIs may be present and are separated by white space characters. Leading and trailing white space characters are ignored.

For example, if an Energy Object Child is powered by two power sources, eoPoweredBy would contain the two power sources UUIDs, separated by a space: "urn:uuid:f81d4fae-7dec-11d0-a765-00a0c91e6bf6 urn:uuid:abcdec11-7abc-23e1-b876-00a0c91e6bf8".

The eoProxyAbilities object is specific to the Proxy Relationship. This object describes the capabilities of the Energy Object Parent for the Energy Object Child represented by the entPhysicalIndex. The possible capabilities are: report, configuration, and/or wakeonlan. This object only applies to an Energy Object Child.

If the Energy Object is not an Energy Object Child, or if the Energy Object doesn't have an Energy Object Relationship, the

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eoMeteredBy, eoPoweredBy, eoAggregatedBy, eoProxyBy, and eoProxyAbilities objects are not instantiated. A zero length octet string MAY also be returned in this case. The eoMeteredBy, eoPoweredBy, eoAggregatedBy, eoProxyBy, and eoProxyAbilities implementations are optional.

The Energy Object Child can indicate that it wants its Energy Object Parent to proxy capabilities such as, energy reporting, power state configurations, non physical wake capabilities (such as Wake-on-LAN)), or any combination of capabilities. These capabilities are indicated in the eoProxyAbilities object. In the case of Energy Object Parent, the eoProxyAbilities MUST be set to "none" (0).

Since the communication between the Energy Object Parent and Energy Object Child may not be via SNMP (as defined in EMAN-FMWK), an Energy Object Child can have additional MIB objects that can be used for easier identification by the EnMS. The optional objects eoMgmtMacAddress, eoMgmtAddressType, eoMgmtDNSName can be used to help identify the relationship between the child and other NMS objects. These objects can be used as an alternate key to help link the Energy Object with other keyed information that may be stored within the EnMS(s).

5.5 Parent: Energy Object Relationships

When the Energy Object is an Energy Object Parent, the eoChildrenList object represents the list of Energy Object Child(ren) UUIDs. This UUID list will help in the network discovery of Energy Objects, using the Energy Object Parent as entry points.

eoChildrenList has the same format as the eoMeteredBy, eoPoweredBy, eoAggregatedBy, and eoProxyBy. The UUIDs MUST comply to the [RFC 4122](#) specifications. The UUIDs MUST comply to the [RFC 4122](#) specifications. The eoChildrenList object contains URIs and, therefore, the syntax of this object must conform to [RFC 3986 \[RFC3986\], section 2](#). Multiple URIs may be present and are separated by white space characters. Leading and trailing white space characters are ignored.

If the Energy Object is not an Energy Object Parent, the eoChildrenList objects is not instantiated. A zero length octet string MAY also be returned in this case.

The eoChildrenList implementation is optional.

5.6 Energy Object Identity Persistence

In some situations, the Energy Object identity information should be persistent even after a device reload. For example, in a static setup where a switch monitors a series of connected PoE phones, there is a clear benefit for the EnMS if the Energy Object Identification and all associated information persist, as it saves a network discovery. However, in other situations, such as a wireless access point monitoring the mobile user PCs, there is not much advantage to persist the Energy Object Information. Therefore, a specific MIB object, the eoTablePersistence, enables and disables the persistence globally for all Energy Objects information in the eoTable and eoProxyTable MIB tables.

6. MIB Definitions

```
-- *****
--
--
-- This MIB is used for describing the identity and the
-- context information of Energy Objects in network
--
-- *****

ENERGY-OBJECT-CONTEXT-MIB DEFINITIONS ::= BEGIN

IMPORTS
    MODULE-IDENTITY,
    OBJECT-TYPE,
    mib-2,
    Integer32
        FROM SNMPv2-SMI
    TEXTUAL-CONVENTION, MacAddress, TruthValue
        FROM SNMPv2-TC
    MODULE-COMPLIANCE,
```


OBJECT-GROUP
FROM SNMPv2-CONF
SnmpAdminString
FROM SNMP-FRAMEWORK-MIB
InetAddressType, InetAddress
FROM INET-ADDRESS-MIB
entPhysicalIndex, PhysicalIndex
FROM ENTITY-MIB;

energyAwareMIB MODULE-IDENTITY

LAST-UPDATED "201203120000Z"
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DESCRIPTION

"This MIB is used for describing the identity and the context information of Energy Objects"

REVISION

"201203120000Z"

DESCRIPTION

"Initial version, published as RFC XXXX."

::= { mib-2 xxxxx }

energyAwareMIBNotifs OBJECT IDENTIFIER

::= { energyAwareMIB 0 }

energyAwareMIBObjects OBJECT IDENTIFIER

::= { energyAwareMIB 2 }

energyAwareMIBConform OBJECT IDENTIFIER

::= { energyAwareMIB 3 }

-- Textual Conventions

PethPsePortIndexOrZero ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

DISPLAY-HINT "d"

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This textual convention is an extension of the pethPsePortIndex convention, which defines a greater than zero value used to identify a power Ethernet PSE port. This extension permits the additional value of zero. The semantics of the value zero are object-specific and must, therefore, be defined as part of the description of any object that uses this syntax. Examples of the usage of this extension are situations where none or all physical entities need to be referenced."

SYNTAX Integer32 (0..2147483647)

PethPsePortGroupIndexOrZero ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

DISPLAY-HINT "d"

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This textual convention is an extension of the pethPsePortGroupIndex convention from the Power Over Ethernet MIB [[RFC3621](#)], which defines a greater than zero value used to identify group containing the port to which a power Ethernet PSE is connected. This extension permits the additional value of zero. The semantics of the value zero are object-specific and must, therefore, be defined as part of the description of any object that uses this syntax. Examples of the usage of this extension are situations where none or all physical entities need to be referenced."

SYNTAX Integer32 (0..2147483647)

LldpPortNumberOrZero ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

DISPLAY-HINT "d"

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This textual convention is an extension of the LldpPortNumber convention specified in the LLDP MIB, which defines a greater than zero value used to uniquely identify each port contained in the chassis (that is known to the LLDP agent) by a port number. This extension permits the additional value of zero. The semantics of the value zero are object-specific and must, therefore, be defined as part of the description of any object that uses this syntax. Examples of the usage of this extension are situations where none or all physical entities need to be referenced."

SYNTAX Integer32(0..4096)

EnergyObjectList ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A list of Energy Object Universally Unique Identifiers (UUIDs).

The UUIDs must comply to the [RFC 4122](#) specifications.

The object contains URIs and, therefore, the syntax of this object must conform to [RFC 3986, section 2](#).

Multiple URIs may be present and are separated by white space characters. Leading and trailing white space characters are ignored."

REFERENCE

"[RFC 3986](#), Uniform Resource Identifiers (URI): Generic Syntax, [section 2](#), August 1998.

[RFC 4122](#), Uniform Resource Identifier (UUID) URN Namespace, July 2005."

SYNTAX OCTET STRING (SIZE (0..65535))

EnergyObjectKeywordList ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A list of keywords that can be used to group Energy Objects for reporting or searching. If multiple keywords are present, then this string will contain all the keywords separated by the ',' character. All alphanumeric characters and symbols (other than a comma), such as #, (, \$, !, and &, are allowed. White spaces before and after the commas are excluded, as well as within a keyword itself.

For example, if an Energy Object were to be tagged with the keyword values 'hospitality' and 'guest', then the keyword list will be 'hospitality,guest'."

SYNTAX OCTET STRING (SIZE (0..2048))

-- Objects

eoTablePersistence OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX TruthValue

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object enables/disables persistence for all entries in the eoTable and eoProxyTable. A value of True enables the persistence, while a value of False disables the persistence."

::= { energyAwareMIBObjects 1 }

eoTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF EoEntry
MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
STATUS current
DESCRIPTION
 "This table lists Energy Objects."
 ::= { energyAwareMIBObjects 2 }

eoEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX EoEntry
MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
STATUS current
DESCRIPTION
 "An entry describes the attributes of an Energy Object.
 Whenever a new Energy Object is added or deleted a row in
 the eoTable is added or deleted."

INDEX {entPhysicalIndex }
 ::= { eoTable 1 }

EoEntry ::= SEQUENCE {
 eoEthPortIndex PethPsePortIndexOrZero,
 eoEthPortGrpIndex PethPsePortGroupIndexOrZero,
 eoLldpPortNumber LldpPortNumberOrZero,
 eoDomainName SnmpAdminString,
 eoRoleDescription SnmpAdminString,
 eoMgmtMacAddress MacAddress,
 eoMgmtAddressType InetAddressType,
 eoMgmtAddress InetAddress,
 eoMgmtDNSName SnmpAdminString,
 eoAlternateKey SnmpAdminString,
 eoKeywords EnergyObjectKeywordList,
 eoImportance Integer32,
 eoPowerCategory INTEGER,
 eoMeteredBy EnergyObjectList,
 eoPoweredBy EnergyObjectList,

 eoAggregatedBy EnergyObjectList,
 eoProxyBy EnergyObjectList,
 eoChildrenList EnergyObjectList
}

eoEthPortIndex OBJECT-TYPE
SYNTAX PethPsePortIndexOrZero
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS current
DESCRIPTION

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"This variable uniquely identifies the power Ethernet port to which the attached device is connected [[RFC3621](#)]. If such a power Ethernet port cannot be specified or is not known then the object is zero."

::= { eoEntry 1 }

eoEthPortGrpIndex OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX PethPsePortGroupIndexOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This variable uniquely identifies the group containing the port to which a power Ethernet PSE is connected [[RFC3621](#)]. If such a group cannot be specified or is not known then the object is zero."

::= { eoEntry 2 }

eoLldpPortNumber OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX LldpPortNumberOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This variable uniquely identifies the port component (contained in the local chassis with the LLDP agent) as defined by the lldpLocPortNum in the [[LLDP-MIB](#)] and [[LLDP-MED-MIB](#)]. If such a port number cannot be specified or is not known then the object is zero."

::= { eoEntry 3 }

eoDomainName OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SnmpAdminString

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object specifies the name of an Energy Management Domain for the Energy Object. This object specifies a zero-length string value if no Energy Management Domain name is configured. The value of eoDomainName must remain constant at least from one re-initialization of the entity's network management system to the next re-initialization."

::= { eoEntry 4 }

eoRoleDescription OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SnmpAdminString

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current

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DESCRIPTION

"This object specifies an administratively assigned name to indicate the purpose an Energy Object serves in the network.

For example, we can have a phone deployed to a lobby with eoRoleDescription as 'Lobby phone'.

This object specifies the value is the zero-length string value if no role description is configured."

::= { eoEntry 5 }

eoMgmtMacAddress OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX MacAddress

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object specifies a MAC address of the Energy Object. This object typically only applies to Energy Object Children. This object can be used as an alternate key to help link the Energy Object with other keyed information that may be stored within the EnMS(s). The eoMgmtMacAddress MIB object SHOULD be implemented for Energy Object Children, and MAY be implemented for Energy Object Parents."

::= { eoEntry 6 }

eoMgmtAddressType OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX InetAddressType

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object specifies the eoMgmtAddress type, i.e. an IPv4 address or an IPv6 address. This object MUST be implemented when eoMgmtAddress is populated. The eoMgmtAddressType MIB object SHOULD be implemented for Energy Object Children, and MAY be implemented for Energy Object Parents."

::= { eoEntry 7 }

eoMgmtAddress OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX InetAddress

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object specifies the management address as an IPv4 address or IPv6 address of Energy Object. The IP address

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type, i.e. IPv4 or IPv6, is determined by the eoMgmtAddressType value. This object can be used as an alternate key to help link the Energy Object with other keyed information that may be stored within the EnMS(s). The eoMgmtAddress MIB object SHOULD be implemented for Energy Object Children, and MAY be implemented for Energy Object Parents."

::= { eoEntry 8 }

eoMgmtDNSName OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SnmpAdminString
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object specifies the DNS name of the eoMgmtAddress. This object can be used as an alternate key to help link the Energy Object with other keyed information that may be stored within the EnMS(s). The eoMgmtDNSName MIB objects SHOULD be implemented for Energy Object Children, and MAY be implemented for Energy Object Parents."

::= { eoEntry 9 }

eoAlternateKey OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SnmpAdminString
MAX-ACCESS read-write
STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object specifies a manufacturer defined string that can be used to identify the Energy Object. Since Energy Management Systems (EnMS) and Network Management Systems (NMS) may need to correlate objects across management systems, this alternate key is provided to provide such a link. This optional value is intended as a foreign key or alternate identifier for a manufacturer or EnMS/NMS to use to correlate the unique Energy Object Id in other systems or namespaces. If an alternate key is not available or is not applicable then the value is the zero-length string."

::= { eoEntry 10 }

eoKeywords OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX EnergyObjectKeywordList
MAX-ACCESS read-write
STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

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"This object specifies a list of keywords that can be used to group Energy Objects for reporting or searching. The value is the zero-length string if no keywords have been configured. If multiple keywords are present, then this string will contain all the keywords separated by the ',' character. For example, if an Energy Object were to be tagged with the keyword values 'hospitality' and 'guest', then the keyword list will be 'hospitality,guest'.

If write access is implemented and a value is written into the instance, the agent must retain the supplied value in the eoKeywords instance associated with the same physical entity for as long as that entity remains instantiated. This includes instantiations across all re-initializations/reboots of the network management system."

::= { eoEntry 11 }

eoImportance OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Integer32 (1..100)

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object specifies a ranking of how important the Energy Object is (on a scale of 1 to 100) compared with other Energy Objects in the same Energy Management Domain. The ranking should provide a business or operational context for the Energy Object as compared to other similar Energy Objects. This ranking could be used as input for policy-based network management.

Although network managers must establish their own ranking, the following is a broad recommendation:

90 to 100 Emergency response

80 to 90 Executive or business critical

70 to 79 General or Average

60 to 69 Staff or support

40 to 59 Public or guest

1 to 39 Decorative or hospitality"

DEFVAL { 1 }

::= { eoEntry 12 }

eoPowerCategory OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX INTEGER {
consumer(0),

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```
        producer(1),
        consumer-producer(2),
        meter(3)
    }
```

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object describes the Energy Object category, which indicates the expected behavior or physical property of the Energy Object, based on its design. An Energy Object can be a consumer(0), producer(1), or consumer-producer (2) or meter (3).

There are devices with a dual mode - consuming energy and producing of energy and those are identified as consumer-producer.

In some cases, a meter is required to measure the power consumption. In such a case, this meter Energy Object category is meter(3). "

::= { eoEntry 13 }

eoMeteredBy OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX EnergyObjectList

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"When this Energy Object is an Energy Object Child, this object represents the list of Energy Object Parent Universally Unique Identifiers (UUIDs) for the Metering Relationship.

If this Energy Object is not an Energy Object Child, or if the Energy Object doesn't have a Metering Relationship, the object is not instantiated. A zero length octet string may also be returned in this case."

::= { eoEntry 14 }

eoPoweredBy OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX EnergyObjectList

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"When this Energy Object is an Energy Object Child, this object represents the list of Energy Object Parent

Universally Unique Identifiers (UUIDs) for the Power Source Relationship.

If this Energy Object is not an Energy Object Child, or if the Energy Object doesn't have a Power Source Relationship, the object is not instantiated. A zero length octet string may also be returned in this case."
 ::= { eoEntry 15 }

eoAggregatedBy OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX EnergyObjectList

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"When this Energy Object is an Energy Object Child, this object represents the list of Energy Object Parent Universally Unique Identifiers (UUIDs) for the Aggregation Relationship.

If this Energy Object is not an Energy Object Child, or if the Energy Object doesn't have a Aggregation Relationship, the object is not instantiated. A zero length octet string may also be returned in this case."
 ::= { eoEntry 16 }

eoProxyBy OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX EnergyObjectList

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"When this Energy Object is an Energy Object Child, this object represents the list of Energy Object Parent Universally Unique Identifiers (UUIDs) for the Proxy Relationship.

If this Energy Object is not an Energy Object Child, or if the Energy Object doesn't have a Proxy Relationship, the object is not instantiated. A zero length octet string may also be returned in this case."
 ::= { eoEntry 17 }

eoChildrenList OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX EnergyObjectList

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"When this Energy Object is an Energy Object Parent, this object represents the list of Energy Object Children Universally Unique Identifiers (UUIDs).

If this Energy Object is not an Energy Object Parent, the object is not instantiated. A zero length octet string may also be returned in this case."

::= { eoEntry 18 }

eoProxyTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF EoProxyEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This table describes the proxy capabilities of a Energy Object Parent for a specific local Energy Object Child. "

::= { energyAwareMIBObjects 3 }

eoProxyEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX EoProxyEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An entry describes the attributes of an Energy Object. Whenever a new Energy Object is added or deleted, a row in the eoProxyTable is added or deleted."

INDEX { eoProxyChild, eoProxyParentUUID }

::= { eoProxyTable 1 }

EoProxyEntry ::= SEQUENCE {

 eoProxyChild PhysicalIndex,

 eoProxyParentUUID OCTET STRING,

 eoProxyAbilities BITS

}

eoProxyChild OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX PhysicalIndex

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object contains the entPhysicalIndex of the local Energy Object, i.e. the Energy Object Child in the context of this table."

```
::= { eoProxyEntry 1 }
```

eoProxyParentUUID OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX OCTET STRING (SIZE(0..45))

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object describes the Universally Unique Identifier (UUID) of the Energy Object Parent.

The UUID must comply to the [RFC 4122](#) specifications.

The object contains an URI and, therefore, the syntax of this object must conform to [RFC 3986, section 2](#)."

REFERENCE

"[RFC 3986](#), Uniform Resource Identifiers (URI): Generic Syntax, [section 2](#), August 1998.

[RFC 4122](#), Uniform Resource Identifier (UUID) URN Namespace, July 2005."

```
::= { eoProxyEntry 2 }
```

eoProxyAbilities OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX BITS {
 none(0),
 report(1),
 configuration(2),
 wakeonlan(3)
}

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"This object describes the proxy capabilities of the Energy Object Parent (represented by the eoProxyParent in this table) for the local Energy Object Child (represented by the eoProxyChild in this table). None (0) is be used when the Energy Object Parent does not have any proxy abilities regarding the Energy Object Child. Report(1) indicates that the Energy Object Parent reports the usage for the Energy Object Child. Configuration(2) indicates that the Energy Object Parent can configure the Power Level for the Energy Object Child. Wakeonlan(3) indicates that the Energy Object Parent can wake up the Energy Object Child (the mechanism is unspecified)."

```
::= { eoProxyEntry 3 }

-- Conformance

energyAwareMIBCompliances OBJECT IDENTIFIER
    ::= { energyAwareMIBObjects 4 }

energyAwareMIBGroups OBJECT IDENTIFIER
    ::= { energyAwareMIBObjects 5 }

energyAwareMIBFullCompliance MODULE-COMPLIANCE
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION
        "When this MIB is implemented with support for
        read-create, then such an implementation can
        claim full compliance. Such devices can then
        be both monitored and configured with this MIB.
        The entPhysicalIndex, entPhysicalName, and
        entPhysicalUris [RFC4133] MUST be implemented."

    MODULE -- this module
    MANDATORY-GROUPS {
        energyAwareMIBTableGroup
    }

    GROUP energyAwareOptionalMIBTableGroup
    DESCRIPTION
        "A compliant implementation does not have to
        implement."

    ::= { energyAwareMIBCompliances 1 }

energyAwareMIBReadOnlyCompliance MODULE-COMPLIANCE
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION
        "When this MIB is implemented without support for
        read-create (i.e. in read-only mode), then such an
        implementation can claim read-only compliance. Such a
        device can then be monitored but cannot be configured
        with this MIB. The entPhysicalIndex, entPhysicalName,
        and entPhysicalUris [RFC4133] MUST be implemented."

    MODULE -- this module
    MANDATORY-GROUPS {
        energyAwareMIBTableGroup
    }
```

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GROUP energyAwareOptionalMIBTableGroup

DESCRIPTION

"A compliant implementation does not have to implement the managed objects in this GROUP."

OBJECT eoTablePersistence

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."

OBJECT eoDomainName

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."

OBJECT eoRoleDescription

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."

OBJECT eoKeywords

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."

OBJECT eoImportance

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."

::= { energyAwareMIBCompliances 2 }

-- Units of Conformance

energyAwareMIBTableGroup OBJECT-GROUP

OBJECTS {

eoTablePersistence,
eoEthPortIndex,
eoEthPortGrpIndex,
eoLldpPortNumber,
eoDomainName,
eoRoleDescription,
eoAlternateKey,
eoKeywords,
eoImportance,
eoPowerCategory

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```
        }
    STATUS          current
    DESCRIPTION
        "This group contains the collection of all the objects
        related to the EnergyObject."
    ::= { energyAwareMIBGroups 1 }

energyAwareOptionalMIBTableGroup OBJECT-GROUP
    OBJECTS          {
        eoMgmtMacAddress,
        eoMgmtAddressType,
        eoMgmtAddress,
        eoMgmtDNSName,
        eoMeteredBy,
        eoPoweredBy,

        eoAggregatedBy,
        eoProxyBy,
        eoProxyAbilities,
        eoChildrenList,
        eoProxyAbilities
    }
    STATUS          current
    DESCRIPTION
        "This group contains the collection of all the objects
        related to the EnergyObject."
    ::= { energyAwareMIBGroups 2 }

END
```

7. Security Considerations

Some of the readable objects in these MIB modules (i.e., objects with a MAX-ACCESS other than not-accessible) may be considered sensitive or vulnerable in some network environments. It is thus important to control even GET and/or NOTIFY access to these objects and possibly to even encrypt the values of these objects when sending them over the network via SNMP.

There are a number of management objects defined in these MIB modules with a MAX-ACCESS clause of read-write and/or read-create. Such objects MAY be considered sensitive or vulnerable in some network environments. The support for SET operations in a non-secure environment without proper protection can have a negative effect on network operations. The following are the tables and objects and their sensitivity/vulnerability:

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- . Unauthorized changes to the eoDomainName, entPhysicalName, eoRoleDescription, eoKeywords, and/or eoImportance MAY disrupt power and energy collection, and therefore any predefined policies defined in the network.

SNMP versions prior to SNMPv3 did not include adequate security. Even if the network itself is secure (for example, by using IPsec), there is still no secure control over who on the secure network is allowed to access and GET/SET (read/change/create/delete) the objects in these MIB modules.

It is RECOMMENDED that implementers consider the security features as provided by the SNMPv3 framework (see [\[RFC3410\]](#), [section 8](#)), including full support for the SNMPv3 cryptographic mechanisms (for authentication and privacy).

Further, deployment of SNMP versions prior to SNMPv3 is NOT RECOMMENDED. Instead, it is RECOMMENDED to deploy SNMPv3 and to enable cryptographic security. It is then a customer/operator responsibility to ensure that the SNMP entity giving access to an instance of these MIB modules is properly configured to give access to the objects only to those principals (users) that have legitimate rights to GET or SET (change/create/delete) them.

8. IANA Considerations

The MIB module in this document uses the following IANA-assigned OBJECT IDENTIFIER values recorded in the SMI Numbers registry:

Descriptor	OBJECT IDENTIFIER value
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energyAwareMIB	{ mib-2 xxx }

Additions to this MIB module are subject to Expert Review [\[RFC5226\]](#), i.e., review by one of a group of experts designated by an IETF Area Director. The group of experts MUST check the requested MIB objects for completeness and accuracy of the description. Requests for MIB objects that duplicate the functionality of existing objects SHOULD be declined. The smallest available OID SHOULD be assigned to a new MIB objects. The specification of new MIB objects SHOULD follow the structure specified in [Section 6](#) and MUST be published using a well-established and persistent publication medium.

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