

Definitions of Managed Objects for
the General Switch Management Protocol (GSMP)

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Abstract

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[1.](#) Introduction

This memo defines a portion of the Management Information Base (MIB) for use with network management protocols in the Internet community. In particular, it describes managed objects for the General Switch Management Protocol (gsmp) [[RFC1987](#)].

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

[2.](#) The SNMP Management Framework

The SNMP Management Framework presently consists of five major components:

- o An overall architecture, described in [RFC 2571](#) [[RFC2571](#)].
- o Mechanisms for describing and naming objects and events for the purpose of management. The first version of this Structure of Management Information (SMI) is called SMIV1 and described in STD 16, [RFC 1155](#) [[RFC1155](#)], STD 16, [RFC 1212](#) [[RFC1212](#)] and [RFC 1215](#) [[RFC1215](#)]. The second version, called SMIV2, is described in STD 58, [RFC 2578](#) [[RFC2578](#)], [RFC 2579](#) [[RFC2579](#)] and [RFC 2580](#) [[RFC2580](#)].
- o Message protocols for transferring management information. The

first version of the SNMP message protocol is called SNMPv1 and described in STD 15, [RFC 1157](#) [[RFC1157](#)]. A second version of the SNMP message protocol, which is not an Internet standards track protocol, is called SNMPv2c and described in [RFC 1901](#) [[RFC1901](#)] and [RFC 1906](#) [[RFC1906](#)]. The third version of the message protocol is called SNMPv3 and described in [RFC 1906](#) [[RFC1906](#)], [RFC 2572](#) [[RFC2572](#)] and [RFC 2574](#) [[RFC2574](#)].

- o Protocol operations for accessing management information. The first set of protocol operations and associated PDU formats is described in STD 15, [RFC 1157](#) [[RFC1157](#)]. A second set of protocol operations and associated PDU formats is described in [RFC 1905](#) [[RFC1905](#)].
- o A set of fundamental applications described in [RFC 2573](#) [[RFC2573](#)] and the view-based access control mechanism described in [RFC 2575](#) [[RFC2575](#)].

A more detailed introduction to the current SNMP Management Framework can be found in [RFC 2570](#) [[RFC2570](#)].

Managed objects are accessed via a virtual information store, termed

the Management Information Base or MIB. Objects in the MIB are defined using the mechanisms defined in the SMI.

This memo specifies a MIB module that is compliant to the SMIV2. A MIB conforming to the SMIV1 can be produced through the appropriate translations. The resulting translated MIB must be semantically equivalent, except where objects or events are omitted because no translation is possible (use of Counter64). Some machine readable information in SMIV2 will be converted into textual descriptions in SMIV1 during the translation process. However, this loss of machine readable information is not considered to change the semantics of the MIB.

[3.](#) Structure of the MIB

This mib model provides some managed objects according to GSMP v1.1 [[RFC1987](#)]. It does not address any of the new features in version 2

[RFC2397]. It is provided as a base for the work within the working group to define a mib.

[3.1](#) The GSMP Server Group

[3.1.1](#). The GSMP Control Port

Used to configure the interface used for the control port. This does not deal with the extended bearer capabilities of [24].

[3.1.2](#). The GSMP Status

The status of the GSMP adjacency. This does not deal with the additional states defined in [24].

[3.1.3](#). The GSMP Port table

This is a read only table of all ports available to the GSMP. This does not deal with the new interface types or capabilities as defined in [24].

[3.2](#). The GSMP Notifications Group

This is currently empty, but should be extended with notifications as defined in [24].

[4](#). GSMP MIB Definitions

```
GSMP-MIB DEFINITIONS ::= BEGIN
```

```
    IMPORTS
```

```
        OBJECT-TYPE, MODULE-IDENTITY, NOTIFICATION-TYPE,  
        Unsigned32, experimental
```

```
        FROM SNMPv2-SMI
```

```
        MODULE-COMPLIANCE, OBJECT-GROUP, NOTIFICATION-GROUP  
        FROM SNMPv2-CONF
```

```
        TEXTUAL-CONVENTION, TruthValue, RowStatus, TimeInterval  
        FROM SNMPv2-TC
```

```
    InterfaceIndex
```

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```
        FROM IF-MIB  
        AtmVcIdentifier, AtmVpIdentifier  
        FROM ATM-TC-MIB
```

```
    ;
```

```

gsmPmIB MODULE-IDENTITY
  LAST-UPDATED "9910111200Z" -- October 11, 1999
  ORGANIZATION "General Switch Management Protocol (gsmP) Working
Group"
  CONTACT-INFO
    "Hans Sjostrand (hans.sjostrand@etx.ericsson.se)
    Ericsson"
  DESCRIPTION
    "This MIB contains managed object definitions for the
    General Switch Management Protocol, GSMP, as defined in
    [RFC1987]."
    ::= { experimental 9877 } -- to be assigned

--*****
-- GSMP Textual Conventions
--*****

gsmPmServerObjects      OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { gsmPmIB 1 }
gsmPmClientObjects     OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { gsmPmIB 2 }
gsmPmNotifications    OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { gsmPmIB 3 }
gsmPmConformance      OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { gsmPmIB 4 }

--*****
-- GSMP Objects
--*****
--
-- GSMP Control Port
--

gsmPmCtrlPortId OBJECT-TYPE
  SYNTAX InterfaceIndex
  MAX-ACCESS read-write
  STATUS current
  DESCRIPTION
    "Identifyer of the interface which is used by the control
    part to control via GSMP the forwarding part. In the case
    with intergrated control part, this object is undefined.
    Changing this value is not allowed if thera are any gsmP
    ports defined. "
    ::= { gsmPmServerObjects 1 }

--
-- GSMP Status
--

```

```

gsmAdjacencyStatus OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX  INTEGER {
                up(1),
                down(2)
            }
    MAX-ACCESS  read-only
    STATUS  current
    DESCRIPTION
        "Gives the status of the GSMP adjacency."
    ::= { gsmpServerObjects 2 }

--
-- GSMP Port table
--

gsmPortTable OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX      SEQUENCE OF GsmPortEntry
    MAX-ACCESS  not-accessible
    STATUS      current
    DESCRIPTION
        "The table showing all ports that are accessible and
         controlable over the GSMP interface."
    ::= { gsmpServerObjects 3 }

gsmPortEntry OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX      GsmPortEntry
    MAX-ACCESS  not-accessible
    STATUS      current
    DESCRIPTION
        "An entry in the table showing
         the data belonging to one port as
         defined over the GSMP interface."
    INDEX      { gsmpPortId }
    ::= { gsmpPortTable 1 }

GsmPortEntry ::= SEQUENCE {
    gsmpPortId          InterfaceIndex,
    gsmpPortSessionNbr Unsigned32,
    gsmpPortMinVpi     INTEGER,
    gsmpPortMinVci     INTEGER,
    gsmpPortMaxVpi     INTEGER,
    gsmpPortMaxVci     INTEGER,
    gsmpPortCellRate   Unsigned32,
    gsmpPortStatus     INTEGER,
    gsmpPortLineStatus INTEGER
}

gsmpPortId OBJECT-TYPE

```

SYNTAX InterfaceIndex
MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
STATUS current
DESCRIPTION
 "This attribute identifies the ATM port over GSMP to
 to this ocnfiguration information refers.
 It corresponds to the IfIndex. "
 ::= { gsmpPortEntry 1 }

gsmpPortSessionNbr OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS current
DESCRIPTION
 "The current Port Session Number for the specified port.
 Each switch port maintains a Port Session Number assigned
 by the switch. The Port Session Number of a port remains
 unchanged while the port is continuously in the Available
 state. When a port returns to the Available state after it
 has been Unavailable, or after a power cycle, its Port
 Session Number is changed."
 ::= { gsmpPortEntry 2 }

gsmpPortMinVpi OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX AtmVpIdentifier
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS current
DESCRIPTION
 "The minimum value of dynamically assigned incoming VPI that
 the connection table on the input port can support and may
 be controlled by GSMP."
 ::= { gsmpPortEntry 3 }

gsmpPortMinVci OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX AtmVcIdentifier
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS current
DESCRIPTION
 "The minimum value of dynamically assigned incoming VCI that
 the connection table on the input port can support and may
 be controlled by GSMP."
 ::= { gsmpPortEntry 4 }

gsmpPortMaxVpi OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX AtmVpIdentifier
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS current
DESCRIPTION

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"The maximum value of dynamically assigned incoming VPI that the connection table on the input port can support and may be controlled by GSMP. It is assumed that the input port can handle all values of VPI within the range Min VPI to Max VPI inclusive and that GSMP may control all values within this range."

```
::= { gsmpPortEntry 5 }
```

gsmpPortMaxVci OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX AtmVpIdentifier

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The maximum value of dynamically assigned incoming VPI that the connection table on the input port can support and may be controlled by GSMP. It is assumed that the input port can handle all values of VPI within the range Min VPI to Max VPI inclusive and that GSMP may control all values within this range."

```
::= { gsmpPortEntry 6 }
```

gsmpPortCellRate OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A measure of the bandwidth of the port. It is the rate of cells arriving at or departing from the port in cells/s. It is assumed that both input port and output port have the same cell rate."

```
::= { gsmpPortEntry 7 }
```

gsmpPortStatus OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX INTEGER {

available(1),
unavailable(2),
internalloopback(3),
externalloopback(4),
bothwayloopback(5)

}

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"Gives the administrative state of the port."


```
::= { gsmpPortEntry 8 }
```

```
gsmpPortLineStatus OBJECT-TYPE  
SYNTAX INTEGER {
```

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```
up(1),  
down(2),  
test(3)
```

```
}
```

```
MAX-ACCESS read-only
```

```
STATUS current
```

```
DESCRIPTION
```

```
"The status of the physical transmission medium connected to  
the port."
```

```
::= { gsmpPortEntry 9 }
```

```
--*****
```

```
-- Module Compliance Statement
```

```
--*****
```

```
gsmpGroups
```

```
OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { gsmpConformance 1 }
```

```
gsmpCompliances
```

```
OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { gsmpConformance 2 }
```

```
gsmpModuleCompliance MODULE-COMPLIANCE
```

```
STATUS current
```

```
DESCRIPTION
```

```
"The compliance statement for agents that support  
the GSMP MIB."
```

```
MODULE -- this module
```

```
MANDATORY-GROUPS {
```

```
gsmpServerGroup
```

```
}
```

```
::= { gsmpCompliances 1 }
```

```
-- units of conformance
```

```
gsmpServerGroup OBJECT-GROUP
```

```
OBJECTS {
```

```
gmspCtrlPortId,  
gsmpAdjacencyStatus,  
gsmpPortSessionNbr,  
gsmpPortMinVpi,
```

```
        gsmpPortMinVci,  
        gsmpPortMaxVpi,  
        gsmpPortMaxVci,  
        gsmpPortCellRate,  
        gsmpPortStatus,  
        gsmpPortLineStatus  
    }  
STATUS    current
```

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DESCRIPTION

```
    "Objects that apply to all GSMP Server implementations."  
 ::= { gsmpGroups 1 }
```

END

5. Revision History

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This is the 00 version.

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8. Security Considerations

Assuming that secure network management (such as SNMP v3) is implemented, the objects represented in this MIB do not pose a threat to the security of the network.

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