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Abstract

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## **1. Introduction**

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## **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 a MIB module that is compliant to the SMIV2, which is described in STD 58, [RFC 2578](#) [[RFC2578](#)], STD 58, [RFC 2579](#) [[RFC2579](#)] and STD 58, [RFC 2580](#) [[RFC2580](#)].

## **3. Short Overview of Fibre Channel**

The Fibre Channel (FC) is logically a bidirectional point-to-point serial data channel, structured for high performance capability. The Fibre Channel provides a general transport vehicle for higher level protocols such as Intelligent Peripheral Interface (IPI) and Small Computer System Interface (SCSI) command sets, the High-Performance Parallel Interface (HIPPI) data framing, IP (Internet Protocol), IEEE 802.2, and others.

Physically, Fibre Channel is an interconnection of multiple communication points, called N\_Ports, interconnected either by a switching network, called a Fabric, or by a point-to-point link. A Fibre Channel "node" consists of one or more N\_Ports. A Fabric may consist of multiple Interconnect Elements, some of which are switches. An N\_Port connects to the Fabric via a port on a switch called an F\_Port. When multiple FC nodes are connected to a single port on a switch via an "Arbitrated Loop" topology, the switch port is called an FL\_Port, and the nodes' ports are called NL\_Ports. The term Nx\_Port is used to refer to either an N\_Port or an NL\_port. The term Fx\_Port is used to refer to either an F\_Port or an FL\_port. A switch port, which is interconnected to another switch port via an Inter Element Link (IEL), is called an E\_Port. A B\_Port connects a bridge device with an E\_Port on a switch; a B\_Port provides a subset of E\_Port functionality.

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Many Fibre Channel components, including the fabric, each node, and most ports, have globally-unique names. These globally-unique names are typically formatted as World Wide Names (WWNs). More information on WWNs can be found in [[WWN1](#)] and [[WWN2](#)]. WWNs are expected to be persistent across agent and unit resets.

Fibre Channel frames contain 24-bit address identifiers which identify the frame's source and destination ports. Each FC port has an address identifier and a WWN. When a fabric is in use, the FC address identifiers are dynamic and are assigned by a switch.

#### **[4.](#) MIB Overview**

This MIB contains the notion of a Fibre Channel management instance, which is defined as a separable managed instance of Fibre Channel functionality. Fibre Channel functionality may be grouped into Fibre Channel management instances in whatever way is most convenient for the implementation(s). For example, one such grouping accommodates a single SNMP agent having multiple AgentX [[RFC2741](#)] sub-agents, with each sub-agent implementing a different Fibre Channel management instance. In order to represent such multiple Fibre Channel management instances within the same SNMP context (see [section 3.3.1 of \[RFC3411\]](#)), all tables in this MIB are INDEX-ed by fcmInstanceIndex which is defined as an arbitrary integer to uniquely identify a particular Fibre Channel management instance.

This MIB contains eleven MIB groups, as follows.

##### **[4.1.](#) The fcmInstanceBasicGroup group**

This group contains basic information about a Fibre Channel managed instance, including its name and description, the Fibre Channel function(s) it performs, and optional pointers to hardware and/or software components.

##### **[4.2.](#) The fcmSwitchBasicGroup group**

This group contains basic information about a Fibre Channel switch, including its domain-id and whether it is the principal switch of its fabric.

##### **[4.3.](#) The fcmPortBasicGroup group**

This group contains basic information about a Fibre Channel port, including its port name (WWN), the name of the node (if any) of which it

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is a part, the type of port, the classes of service it supports, its transmitter and connector types, and the higher level protocols it supports.

Each Fibre Channel port is represented by an entry in the ifTable (see below). The tables relating to ports in this MIB are indexed by the port's value of ifIndex.

#### **4.4. The fcmPortStatsGroup group**

This group contains traffic statistics, which are not specific to any particular class of service, for Fibre Channel ports.

#### **4.5. The fcmPortClass23StatsGroup group**

This group contains traffic statistics which are specific to Class 2 or Class 3 traffic on Fibre Channel ports, including class-specific frame and octet counters and counters of busy and reject frames.

#### **4.6. The fcmPortLcStatsGroup group**

Some of the statistics in the fcmPortClass23StatsGroup can increase rapidly enough to warrant them being defined using the Counter64 syntax. However, some old SNMP systems do not (yet) support Counter64 objects. Thus, this group defines low-capacity (Counter32-based) equivalents for the Counter64-based statistics in the fcmPortClass23StatsGroup group.

#### **4.7. The fcmPortClassFStatsGroup group**

This group contains traffic statistics which are specific to Class F traffic on the E\_Ports of a Fibre Channel switch.

#### **4.8. The fcmPortErrorsGroup group**

This group contains counters of various error conditions which can occur on Fibre Channel ports.

#### **4.9. The fcmSwitchPortGroup group**

This group contains information about ports on a Fibre Channel switch. For an Fx\_Port, it includes the port's timeout values, its hold-time, and its capabilities in terms of maximum and minimum buffer-to-buffer credit allocations, maximum and minimum data field size, and support for class 2 and class 3 sequenced delivery. For an E\_Port or B\_Port, it includes the buffer-to-buffer credit allocation and data field size.





#### **4.10. The fcmSwitchLoginGroup group**

This group contains information, known to a Fibre Channel switch, about its attached/logged-in Nx\_Ports and the service parameters which have been agreed with them.

#### **4.11. The fcmLinkBasicGroup group**

This group contains information, known to a local Fibre Channel management instance, about Fibre Channel links, including links which terminate locally.

### **5. Relationship to Other MIBs**

This MIB is a replacement for two other MIBs: [RFC 2837](#), and the Fibre Channel Management Integration MIB which was originally submitted as an Internet Draft to the IETF's IPFC Working Group as [draft-ietf-ipfc-fcmgmt-int-mib-0n.txt](#).

#### **5.1. The Interfaces Group MIB**

The Interfaces Group MIB [[RFC2863](#)] contains generic information about all lower layer interfaces, i.e., interfaces which are (potentially) below the internet layer. Thus, each Fibre Channel port should have its own row in the ifTable, and that row will contain the generic information about the interface/port. The Interfaces Group MIB specifies that additional information which is specific to a particular type of interface media, should be defined in a media-specific MIB. This MIB is the media-specific MIB for Fibre Channel ports/interfaces.

[Section 4 of \[RFC2863\]](#) requires that a media-specific MIB clarify how the generic definitions apply for the particular type of media. The clarifications for Fibre Channel interfaces are as follows.

##### **5.1.1. Layering Model**

The Interfaces Group MIB permits multiple ifTable entries to be defined for interface sub-layers, and for those multiple entries to be arranged in a stack.

For Fibre Channel interfaces, no sublayers are defined and a Fibre Channel interface will typically have no other ifTable rows stacked on top of it, nor underneath it.

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### [5.1.2.](#) Virtual Circuits

This Fibre Channel MIB does not deal with virtual circuits.

### [5.1.3.](#) ifRcvAddressTable

The ifRcvAddressTable does not apply to Fibre Channel interfaces.

### [5.1.4.](#) ifType

The value of ifType for a Fibre Channel interface is 56.

### [5.1.5.](#) ifXxxOctets

The definitions of ifInOctets and ifOutOctets (and similarly, ifHCInOctets and ifHCOctets) specify that their values include framing characters. For Fibre Channel interfaces, they include all the octets contained in frames between the Start-of-Frame and End-of-Frame delimiters (excluding the delimiters).

### [5.1.6.](#) Specific Interface Group MIB Objects

The following table provides specific implementation guidelines for applying the objects defined in the Interfaces Group MIB to Fibre Channel interfaces. For those objects not listed here, refer to their generic definitions in [[RFC2863](#)]. ([RFC 2863](#) takes precedence over these guidelines in the event of any conflict.)

Object	Guidelines
ifType	56
ifMtu	The MTU as seen by a higher layer protocol, like IP. That is, when IP is running over the interface, this object is the size of the largest IP datagram that can be sent/received over the interface.
ifSpeed	For 1Gbs, this will be 1,000,000,000; for 2Gbs, it will be 2,000,000,000. If auto-negotiation is implemented and enabled on an interface, and the interface has not yet negotiated to an operational speed, this object SHOULD reflect the maximum speed supported by the interface.



ifPhysAddress	The interface's 24-bit Fibre Channel Address Identifier, or the zero-length string if no Address Identifier has been assigned to the interface.
ifAdminStatus	Write access is not required, and support for 'testing' is not required.
ifOperStatus	Support for 'testing' is not required. The value 'dormant' has no meaning for Fibre Channel interfaces.
ifInOctets ifHCInOctets	The number of octets of information contained in received frames between the Start-of-Frame and End-of-Frame delimiters (excluding the delimiters).
ifInUcastPkts ifHCInUcastPkts	The number of unicast frames received, i.e., the number of Start-of-Frame delimiters received for unicast frames.
ifInErrors	<p>The sum for this interface of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>fcmPortLossofSynchs</li><li>fcmPortLossofSignals</li><li>fcmPortPrimSeqProtocolErrors</li><li>fcmPortInvalidTxWords</li><li>fcmPortInvalidCRCs</li><li>fcmPortAddressErrors</li><li>fcmPortDelimiterErrors</li><li>fcmPortTruncatedFrames</li><li>fcmPortEncodingDisparityErrors</li></ul> <p>plus any errors in fcmPortOtherErrors which were input errors.</p>
ifOutOctets ifHCOctets	The number of octets of information contained in transmitted frames between the Start-of-Frame and End-of-Frame delimiters (excluding the delimiters).
ifOutUcastPkts ifHCOctets	The number of frames transmitted, i.e., the number of start-of-frame delimiters transmitted for unicast frames.



ifOutErrors	This is the number of errors in fcmPortOtherErrors which were output errors.
ifInMulticastPkts	These counters are not incremented (unless a proprietary mechanism for multicast/broadcast is supported).
ifInBroadcastPkts	
ifOutMulticastPkts	
ifOutBroadcastPkts	
ifHCInMulticastPkts	
ifHCInBroadcastPkts	
ifHCOutMulticastPkts	
ifHCOutBroadcastPkts	
ifLinkUpDownTrapEnable	Refer to [ <a href="#">RFC2863</a> ]. Default is 'enabled'
ifHighSpeed	The current operational speed of the interface in millions of bits per second. For 1Gbs, this will be 1000; for 2Gbs, it will be 2000. If auto-negotiation is implemented and enabled on an interface, and the interface has not yet negotiated to an operational speed, this object SHOULD reflect the maximum speed supported by the interface.
ifPromiscuousMode	This will normally be 'false'
ifConnectorPresent	This will normally be 'true'.

## **[5.2.](#) Entity MIB**

The Entity MIB [[RFC2737](#)] contains information about individual physical components and any hierarchical relationship which may exist between them. Any Fibre Channel management instance with a relationship to a physical component (or to a hierarchy of physical components) will have its value of the fcmInstancePhysicalIndex object contain a pointer to the relevant row in the Entity MIB. If there is no correspondence to a physical component (or said component does not have a row in the Entity MIB), then the value of fcmInstancePhysicalIndex is zero. (Note that an implementation is not required to support a non-zero value of fcmInstancePhysicalIndex.)





### **5.3. Host Resources MIB**

The Host Resources MIB [[RFC2790](#)] includes information about installed software modules. Any Fibre Channel management instance with a correspondence to a software module, will have its value of the fcmInstanceSoftwareIndex object contain a pointer to the relevant row in the Host Resources MIB. If there is no correspondence to a software module (or said software module does not has a row in the Host Resources MIB), then the value of fcmInstanceSoftwareIndex is zero. (Note that an agent implementation is not required to support a non-zero value of fcmInstanceSoftwareIndex.)

## 6. Definitions

FC-MGMT-MIB DEFINITIONS ::= BEGIN

### IMPORTS

MODULE-IDENTITY, OBJECT-TYPE,  
Integer32, Unsigned32, Counter32, Counter64, transmission  
FROM SNMPv2-SMI  
MODULE-COMPLIANCE, OBJECT-GROUP  
FROM SNMPv2-CONF  
TruthValue, TEXTUAL-CONVENTION  
FROM SNMPv2-TC  
ifIndex FROM IF-MIB  
SnmpAdminString FROM SNMP-FRAMEWORK-MIB;

### fcMgmtMIB MODULE-IDENTITY

LAST-UPDATED "200412140000Z"  
ORGANIZATION "IETF IPS (IP-Storage) Working Group"  
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"

### DESCRIPTION

"This module defines management information specific to  
Fibre Channel-attached devices.

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this MIB module is part of RFC yyyy; see the RFC itself for  
full legal notices."

-- RFC Ed.: replace yyyy with actual RFC number & remove this note

REVISION "200412140000Z"

### DESCRIPTION

"Initial version of the Fibre Channel Mgmt MIB module."

::= { transmission nnn } -- IANA, please enter the value you assign here

fcMgmtObjects OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { fcMgmtMIB 1 }  
fcMgmtNotifications OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { fcMgmtMIB 2 }  
fcMgmtNotifPrefix OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { fcMgmtNotifications 0 }  
fcMgmtConformance OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { fcMgmtMIB 3 }



--\*\*\*\*\*

-- Textual Conventions  
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FcNameIdOrZero ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The World Wide Name (WWN) associated with a Fibre Channel (FC) entity. WWNs were initially defined as 64-bits in length. The latest definition (for future use) is 128-bits long. The zero-length string value is used in circumstances where the WWN is unassigned/unknown."

SYNTAX OCTET STRING (SIZE(0 | 8 | 16))

FcAddressIdOrZero ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A Fibre Channel Address ID, a 24-bit value unique within the address space of a Fabric. The zero-length string value is used in circumstances where the WWN is unassigned/unknown."

SYNTAX OCTET STRING (SIZE(0 | 3))

FcDomainIdOrZero ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The Domain Id (of a FC switch), or zero if the no Domain Id has been assigned."

SYNTAX Integer32 (0..239)

FcPortType ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The type of a Fibre Channel port, as indicated by the use of the appropriate value assigned by IANA."

REFERENCE

"The IANA-maintained registry for  
Fibre Channel port types. "

-- IANA, please extend the text inside the immediately  
-- preceeding quotes to include a location at which a  
-- reader can ascertain the latest assigned values

SYNTAX Unsigned32



FcClasses ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A set of Fibre Channel classes of service."

REFERENCE

"Classes of service are described in FC-FS [Section 13](#)."

SYNTAX BITS { classF(0), class1(1), class2(2), class3(3),  
class4(4), class5(5), class6(6) }

FcBbCredit ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The buffer-to-buffer credit of an FC port."

SYNTAX Integer32 (0..32767)

FcBbCreditModel ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The buffer-to-buffer credit model of an Fx\_Port."

SYNTAX INTEGER { regular(1), alternate (2) }

FcDataFieldSize ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The Receive Data Field Size associated with an FC port."

SYNTAX Integer32 (128..2112)





FcUnitFunctions ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A set of functions that a Fibre Channel Interconnect Element or Platform might perform. A value with no bits set, indicates the function(s) are unknown. The individual bits have the following meanings:

other - none of the following.

hub - a device that interconnects L\_Ports, but does not operate as an FL\_Port.

switch - a fabric element conforming to the Fibre Channel switch fabric set of standards (e.g., FC-SW, FC-SW-2).

bridge - a device that encapsulates Fibre Channel frames within another protocol (e.g., FC-BB, FC-BB-2).

gateway - a device that converts an FC-4 to another protocol (e.g., FCP to iSCSI).

host - a computer system that provides end users services such as computation and storage access.

storageSubsys - an integrated collection of storage controllers, storage devices, and necessary software, that provides storage services to one or more hosts.

storageAccessDev - a device that provides storage management and access for heterogeneous hosts and heterogeneous devices (e.g., medium changer).

nas - a device that connects to a network and provides file access services.

wdmux - a device that modulates/demodulates each of several data streams (e.g., Fibre Channel protocol data streams) onto/from a different part of the light spectrum in an optical fiber.

storageDevice - a disk/tape/etc. device (without the controller and/or software required for it to be a 'storageSubsys')."

SYNTAX BITS {



```
    other(0),          -- none of the following
    hub(1),
    switch(2),
    bridge(3),
    gateway(4),
    host(5),
    storageSubsys(6),
    storageAccessDev(7),
    nas(8),
    wdmux(9),
    storageDevice(10)
}
```

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-- MIB object definitions

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fcmInstanceTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF FcmInstanceEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"Information about the local Fibre Channel management instances."

::= { fcmgmtObjects 1 }

fcmInstanceEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcmInstanceEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A list of attributes for a particular local Fibre Channel management instance."

INDEX { fcmInstanceIndex }

::= { fcmInstanceTable 1 }

FcmInstanceEntry ::=

SEQUENCE {

fcmInstanceIndex	Unsigned32,
fcmInstanceWwn	FcNameIdOrZero,
fcmInstanceFunctions	FcUnitFunctions,
fcmInstancePhysicalIndex	Integer32,
fcmInstanceSoftwareIndex	Integer32,
fcmInstanceStatus	INTEGER,
fcmInstanceTextName	SnmpAdminString,
fcmInstanceDescr	SnmpAdminString,
fcmInstanceFabricId	FcNameIdOrZero

}

fcmInstanceIndex OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32 (1..4294967295)

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An arbitrary integer value which uniquely identifies this instance amongst all local Fibre Channel management instances."



It is mandatory to keep this value constant between restarts of the agent, and to make every possible effort to keep it constant across restarts (but note, it is unrealistic to expect it to remain constant across all re-configurations of the local system, e.g., across the replacement of all non-volatile storage)."

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 1 }

fcmInstanceWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"If the instance has one (or more) WWN(s), then this object contains that (or one of those) WWN(s).

If the instance does not have a WWN associated with it, then this object contains the zero-length string."

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 2 }

fcmInstanceFunctions OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcUnitFunctions

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"One (or more) Fibre Channel unit functions being performed by this instance."

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 3 }

fcmInstancePhysicalIndex OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Integer32 (0..2147483647)

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"If this management instance corresponds to a physical component (or to a hierarchy of physical components) identified by the Entity-MIB, then this object's value is the value of the entPhysicalIndex of that component (or of the component at the root of that hierarchy). If there is no correspondence to a physical component (or no component which has an entPhysicalIndex value), then the value of this object is zero."

REFERENCE

"entPhysicalIndex is defined in the Entity MIB, [RFC 2737](#)."

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 4 }



**fcmInstanceSoftwareIndex OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Integer32 (0..2147483647)

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"If this management instance corresponds to an installed software module identified in the Host Resources MIB, then this object's value is the value of the hrSWInstalledIndex of that module. If there is no correspondence to an installed software module (or no module which has a hrSWInstalledIndex value), then the value of this object is zero."

## REFERENCE

"hrSWInstalledIndex is defined in the Host Resources MIB,  
[RFC 2790](#)"

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 5 }

**fcmInstanceStatus OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX INTEGER {  
    unknown(1),  
    ok(2),       -- able to operate correctly  
    warning(3), -- needs attention  
    failed(4)    -- something has failed  
}

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"Overall status of the Fibre Channel entity/entities managed by this management instance. The value should reflect the most serious status of such entities."

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 6 }

**fcmInstanceTextName OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX SnmpAdminString (SIZE(0..79))

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"A textual name for this management instance and the Fibre Channel entity/entities that it is managing."

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 7 }

**fcmInstanceDescr OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX SnmpAdminString

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current



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## DESCRIPTION

"A textual description of this management instance and the Fibre Channel entity/entities that it is managing."

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 8 }

## fcmInstanceFabricId OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The globally unique Fabric Identifier which identifies the fabric to which the Fibre Channel entity/entities managed by this management instance are connected, or, of which they are a part. This is typically the Node WWN of the principal switch of a Fibre Channel fabric. The zero-length string indicates that the fabric identifier is unknown (or not applicable)."

In the event that the Fibre Channel entity/entities managed by this management instance is/are connected to multiple fabrics, then this object records the first (known) one."

::= { fcmInstanceEntry 9 }

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-- The Fibre Channel Switch Table

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## fcmSwitchTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF FcmSwitchEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"A table of information about Fibre Channel switches which are managed by Fibre Channel management instances. Each Fibre Channel management instance can manage one or more Fibre Channel switches."

::= { fcmgmtObjects 2 }

## fcmSwitchEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcmSwitchEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"Information about a particular Fibre Channel switch which



is managed by the management instance given by  
fcmInstanceIndex."

INDEX { fcmInstanceIndex, fcmSwitchIndex }  
::= { fcmSwitchTable 1 }

FcmSwitchEntry ::=

SEQUENCE {  
    fcmSwitchIndex            Unsigned32,  
    fcmSwitchDomainId        FcDomainIdOrZero,  
    fcmSwitchPrincipal        TruthValue,  
    fcmSwitchWWN              FcNameIdOrZero  
}

fcmSwitchIndex OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX          Unsigned32 (1..4294967295)

MAX-ACCESS     not-accessible

STATUS          current

DESCRIPTION

"An arbitrary integer which uniquely identifies a Fibre  
Channel switch amongst those managed by one Fibre Channel  
management instance.

It is mandatory to keep this value constant between restarts  
of the agent, and to make every possible effort to keep it  
constant across restarts."

::= { fcmSwitchEntry 1 }

fcmSwitchDomainId OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX          FcDomainIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS     read-write

STATUS          current

DESCRIPTION

"The Domain Id of this switch. A value of zero indicates  
that a switch has not (yet) been assigned a Domain Id."

::= { fcmSwitchEntry 2 }

fcmSwitchPrincipal OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX          TruthValue

MAX-ACCESS     read-only

STATUS          current

DESCRIPTION

"An indication of whether this switch is the principal  
switch within its fabric."

::= { fcmSwitchEntry 3 }



```
fcmSwitchWWN OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX      FcNameIdOrZero
    MAX-ACCESS  read-only
    STATUS      current
    DESCRIPTION
        "The World Wide Name of this switch."
    ::= { fcmSwitchEntry 4 }

--*****
-- The Fibre Channel Port Table
--

fcmPortTable OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX      SEQUENCE OF FcmPortEntry
    MAX-ACCESS  not-accessible
    STATUS      current
    DESCRIPTION
        "Information about Fibre Channel ports.  Each Fibre Channel
        port is represented by one entry in the IF-MIB's ifTable."
    REFERENCE
        "RFC 2863, The Interfaces Group MIB, June 2000."
    ::= { fcmgmtObjects 3 }

fcmPortEntry OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX      FcmPortEntry
    MAX-ACCESS  not-accessible
    STATUS      current
    DESCRIPTION
        "Each entry contains information about a specific port."
    INDEX { ifIndex }
    ::= { fcmPortTable 1 }

FcmPortEntry ::=
    SEQUENCE {
        fcmPortInstanceIndex  Unsigned32,
        fcmPortWwn            FcNameIdOrZero,
        fcmPortNodeWwn        FcNameIdOrZero,
        fcmPortAdminType      FcPortType,
        fcmPortOperType       FcPortType,
        fcmPortFcCapClass     FcClasses,
        fcmPortFcOperClass    FcClasses,
        fcmPortTransmitterType INTEGER,
        fcmPortConnectorType  INTEGER,
        fcmPortSerialNumber   SnmpAdminString,
        fcmPortPhysicalNumber Unsigned32,
```



```
        fcmPortAdminSpeed      INTEGER,
        fcmPortCapProtocols     BITS,
        fcmPortOperProtocols    BITS
    }
```

fcmPortInstanceIndex OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32 (1..4294967295)

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The value of fcmInstanceIndex by which the Fibre Channel management instance, which manages this port, is identified in the fcmInstanceTable."

::= { fcmPortEntry 1 }

fcmPortWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The World Wide Name of the port, or the zero-length string if the port does not have a WWN."

::= { fcmPortEntry 2 }

fcmPortNodeWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The World Wide Name of the Node which contains this port, or the zero-length string if the port does not have a node WWN."

::= { fcmPortEntry 3 }

fcmPortAdminType OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcPortType

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The administratively desired type of this port."

::= { fcmPortEntry 4 }

fcmPortOperType OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcPortType

MAX-ACCESS read-only





STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The current operational type of this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortEntry 5 }

fcmPortFcCapClass OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcClasses  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The classes of service capability of this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortEntry 6 }

fcmPortFcOperClass OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcClasses  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The classes of service that are currently operational on  
    this port. For an FL\_Port, this is the union of the classes  
    being supported across all attached NL\_Ports."  
 ::= { fcmPortEntry 7 }

fcmPortTransmitterType OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX INTEGER {  
    unknown(1),  
    other(2),  
    shortwave850nm(3),  
    longwave1550nm(4),  
    longwave1310nm(5),  
    electrical(6)  
}  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The technology of the port transceiver."  
REFERENCE  
    "FC-GS-3, [section 6.1.2.2.3](#)"  
 ::= { fcmPortEntry 8 }

fcmPortConnectorType OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX INTEGER {  
    unknown(1),  
    other(2),  
    gbic(3),



```
    embedded(4),
    glm(5),
    gbicSerialId(6),
    gbicNoSerialId(7),
    sfpSerialId(8),
    sfpNoSerialId(9)
}
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS      current
DESCRIPTION
    "The module type of the port connector. This object refers
    to the hardware implementation of the port. It will be
    'embedded' if the hardware equivalent to Gigabit interface
    card (GBIC) is part of the line card and is unremovable. It
    will be 'glm' if it's a gigabit link module (GLM). It will
    be 'gbicSerialId' if the GBIC serial id can be read, else it
    will be 'gbicNoSerialId'. It will be 'sfpSerialId', if the
    small form factor (SFP) pluggable GBICs serial id can be
    read, else it will be 'sfpNoSerialId'."
REFERENCE
    "FC-GS-3, section 6.1.2.2.4"
 ::= { fcmPortEntry 9 }
```

fcmPortSerialNumber OBJECT-TYPE

```
SYNTAX      SnmpAdminString
MAX-ACCESS  read-only
STATUS      current
DESCRIPTION
    "The serial number associated with the port (e.g., for a
    GBIC). If not applicable, the object's value is a zero-
    length string."
REFERENCE
    "FC-GS-3, section 6.1.2.2.4"
 ::= { fcmPortEntry 10 }
```

fcmPortPhysicalNumber OBJECT-TYPE

```
SYNTAX      Unsigned32
MAX-ACCESS  read-only
STATUS      current
DESCRIPTION
    "This is the port's 'Physical Port Number' as defined by
    GS-3."
REFERENCE
    "FC-GS-3, section 6.1.2.2.5"
 ::= { fcmPortEntry 11 }
```

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## fcmPortAdminSpeed OBJECT-TYPE

```
SYNTAX      INTEGER {
                auto(1),
                eighthGbs(2),    -- 125Mbps
                quarterGbs(3),   -- 250Mbps
                halfGbs(4),      -- 500Mbps
                oneGbs(5),       -- 1Gbs
                twoGbs(6),       -- 2Gbs
                fourGbs(7),      -- 4Gbs
                tenGbs(8)        -- 10Gbs
            }
```

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The speed of the interface:

'auto'	- auto-negotiation
'tenGbs'	- 10Gbs
'fourGbs'	- 4Gbs
'twoGbs'	- 2Gbs
'oneGbs'	- 1Gbs
'halfGbs'	- 500Mbps
'quarterGbs'	- 250Mbps
'eighthGbs'	- 125Mbps"

::= { fcmPortEntry 12 }

## fcmPortCapProtocols OBJECT-TYPE

```
SYNTAX      BITS {
                unknown(0),
                loop(1),
                fabric(2),
                scsi(3),
                tcpIp(4),
                vi(5),
                ficon(6)
            }
```

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"A bit mask specifying the higher level protocols which are capable of being running over this port. Note that for generic Fx\_Ports, E\_Ports and B\_Ports, this object will indicate all protocols."

::= { fcmPortEntry 13 }

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## fcmPortOperProtocols OBJECT-TYPE

```
SYNTAX      BITS {
                unknown(0),
                loop(1),
                fabric(2),
                scsi(3),
                tcpIp(4),
                vi(5),
                ficon(6)
            }
```

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"A bit mask specifying the higher level protocols which are currently operational on this port. For Fx\_Ports, E\_Ports and B\_Ports, this object will typically have the value 'unknown'."

::= { fcmPortEntry 14 }

-- \*\*\*\*\*

-- Port Statistics

--

## fcmPortStatsTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF FcmPortStatsEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"A list of statistics for Fibre Channel ports."

::= { fcmgmtObjects 4 }

## fcmPortStatsEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcmPortStatsEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"An entry containing statistics for a Fibre Channel port. If any counter in this table suffers a discontinuity, the value of ifCounterDiscontinuityTime (defined in the IF-MIB) must be updated."

REFERENCE "The Interfaces Group MIB, [RFC 2863](#), June 2000."

AUGMENTS { fcmPortEntry }

::= { fcmPortStatsTable 1 }





FcmPortStatsEntry ::=

```
SEQUENCE {  
    fcmPortBBCreditZeros      Counter64,  
    fcmPortFullInputBuffers   Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2RxFrames     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2RxOctets     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2TxFrames     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2TxOctets     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2Discards     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2RxFbsyFrames Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2RxFbsyFrames Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2RxFrjtFrames Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2RxPrjtFrames Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2TxFbsyFrames Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2TxPbsyFrames Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2TxFrjtFrames Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass2TxPrjtFrames Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass3RxFrames     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass3RxOctets     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass3TxFrames     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass3TxOctets     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClass3Discards     Counter64,  
    fcmPortClassFRxFrames     Counter32,  
    fcmPortClassFRxOctets     Counter32,  
    fcmPortClassFTxFrames     Counter32,  
    fcmPortClassFTxOctets     Counter32,  
    fcmPortClassFDiscards     Counter32  
}
```

fcmPortBBCreditZeros OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of transitions in/out of the buffer-to-buffer  
credit zero state. The other side is not providing any  
credit."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 1 }

fcmPortFullInputBuffers OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of occurrences when all input buffers of a port



were full and outbound buffer-to-buffer credit transitioned to zero, i.e., there became no credit to provide to other side."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 2 }

fcmPortClass2RxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of Class 2 frames received at this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 3 }

fcmPortClass2RxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of octets contained in Class 2 frames received at this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 4 }

fcmPortClass2TxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of Class 2 frames transmitted out of this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 5 }

fcmPortClass2TxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of octets contained in Class 2 frames transmitted out of this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 6 }

fcmPortClass2Discards OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of Class 2 frames that were discarded upon



reception at this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 7 }

fcmPortClass2RxFbsyFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION

"The number of times that F\_BSY was returned to this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that could not be delivered to the other end of the link. This can occur when either the fabric or the destination port is temporarily busy. Note that this counter will never increment for an F\_Port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 8 }

fcmPortClass2RXPbsyFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION

"The number of times that P\_BSY was returned to this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that could not be delivered to the other end of the link. This can occur when the destination port is temporarily busy."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 9 }

fcmPortClass2RxFrjtFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION

"The number of times that F\_RJT was returned to this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that was rejected by the fabric. Note that this counter will never increment for an F\_Port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 10 }

fcmPortClass2RxPrjtFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION

"The number of times that P\_RJT was returned to this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that was rejected at the destination N\_Port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 11 }



**fcmPortClass2TxFbsyFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

**DESCRIPTION**

"The number of times that F\_BSY was generated by this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that could not be delivered because either the Fabric or the destination port was temporarily busy. Note that this counter will never increment for an N\_Port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 12 }

**fcmPortClass2TxPbsyFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

**DESCRIPTION**

"The number of times that P\_BSY was generated by this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that could not be delivered because the destination port was temporarily busy. Note that this counter will never increment for an F\_Port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 13 }

**fcmPortClass2TxFrjtFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

**DESCRIPTION**

"The number of times that F\_RJT was generated by this port as a result of a Class 2 frame being rejected by the fabric. Note that this counter will never increment for an N\_Port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 14 }

**fcmPortClass2TxPrjtFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter64

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

**DESCRIPTION**

"The number of times that P\_RJT was generated by this port as a result of a Class 2 frame being rejected at the destination N\_Port. Note that this counter will never increment for an F\_Port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 15 }

**fcmPortClass3RxFrames OBJECT-TYPE**





SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of Class 3 frames received at this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 16 }

fcmPortClass3RxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of octets contained in Class 3 frames received  
    at this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 17 }

fcmPortClass3TxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of Class 3 frames transmitted out of this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 18 }

fcmPortClass3TxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of octets contained in Class 3 frames  
    transmitted out of this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 19 }

fcmPortClass3Discards OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter64  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of Class 3 frames that were discarded upon  
    reception at this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 20 }

fcmPortClassFRxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only



STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of Class F frames received at this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 21 }

fcmPortClassFRxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of octets contained in Class F frames received  
at this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 22 }

fcmPortClassFTxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of Class F frames transmitted out of this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 23 }

fcmPortClassFTxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of octets contained in Class F frames  
transmitted out of this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 24 }

fcmPortClassFDiscards OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of Class F frames that were discarded upon  
reception at this port."

::= { fcmPortStatsEntry 25 }

-- \*\*\*\*\*

-- Port Low-capacity Statistics

--

-- these are Counter32 "low-capacity" counters for systems



-- which do not support Counter64's

fcmPortLcStatsTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF FcmPortLcStatsEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A list of Counter32-based statistics for systems which do not support Counter64."

::= { fcmgmtObjects 5 }

fcmPortLcStatsEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcmPortLcStatsEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An entry containing low-capacity (i.e., based on Counter32) statistics for a Fibre Channel port. If any counter in this table suffers a discontinuity, the value of ifCounterDiscontinuityTime (defined in the IF-MIB) must be updated."

REFERENCE "The Interfaces Group MIB, [RFC 2863](#), June 2000."

AUGMENTS { fcmPortEntry }

::= { fcmPortLcStatsTable 1 }

FcmPortLcStatsEntry ::=

SEQUENCE {

fcmPortLcBBCreditZeros	Counter32,
fcmPortLcFullInputBuffers	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2RxFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2RxOctets	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2TxFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2TxOctets	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2Discards	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2RxFbsyFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2RxFbsyFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2RxFrjtFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2RxPrjtFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2TxFbsyFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2TxPbsyFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2TxFrjtFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass2TxPrjtFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass3RxFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass3RxOctets	Counter32,
fcmPortLcClass3TxFrames	Counter32,



```
        fcmPortLcClass3TxOctets      Counter32,  
        fcmPortLcClass3Discards      Counter32  
    }
```

fcmPortLcBBCreditZeros OBJECT-TYPE

```
    SYNTAX      Counter32  
    MAX-ACCESS  read-only  
    STATUS      current  
    DESCRIPTION  
        "The number of transitions in/out of the buffer-to-buffer  
        credit zero state.  The other side is not providing any  
        credit."  
    ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 1 }
```

fcmPortLcFullInputBuffers OBJECT-TYPE

```
    SYNTAX      Counter32  
    MAX-ACCESS  read-only  
    STATUS      current  
    DESCRIPTION  
        "The number of occurrences when all input buffers of a port  
        were full and outbound buffer-to-buffer credit transitioned  
        to zero, i.e., there became no credit to provide to other  
        side."  
    ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 2 }
```

fcmPortLcClass2RxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

```
    SYNTAX      Counter32  
    MAX-ACCESS  read-only  
    STATUS      current  
    DESCRIPTION  
        "The number of Class 2 frames received at this port."  
    ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 3 }
```

fcmPortLcClass2RxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

```
    SYNTAX      Counter32  
    MAX-ACCESS  read-only  
    STATUS      current  
    DESCRIPTION  
        "The number of octets contained in Class 2 frames received  
        at this port."  
    ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 4 }
```

fcmPortLcClass2TxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

```
    SYNTAX      Counter32  
    MAX-ACCESS  read-only
```





STATUS       current  
DESCRIPTION  
      "The number of Class 2 frames transmitted out of this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 5 }

fcmPortLcClass2TxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX       Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS   read-only  
STATUS       current  
DESCRIPTION  
      "The number of octets contained in Class 2 frames  
      transmitted out of this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 6 }

fcmPortLcClass2Discards OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX       Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS   read-only  
STATUS       current  
DESCRIPTION  
      "The number of Class 2 frames that were discarded upon  
      reception at this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 7 }

fcmPortLcClass2RxFbsyFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX       Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS   read-only  
STATUS       current  
DESCRIPTION  
      "The number of times that F\_BSY was returned to this port as  
      a result of a Class 2 frame that could not be delivered to  
      the other end of the link. This can occur when either the  
      fabric or the destination port is temporarily busy. Note  
      that this counter will never increment for an F\_Port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 8 }

fcmPortLcClass2RxPbsyFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX       Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS   read-only  
STATUS       current  
DESCRIPTION  
      "The number of times that P\_BSY was returned to this port as  
      a result of a Class 2 frame that could not be delivered to  
      the other end of the link. This can occur when the  
      destination port is temporarily busy."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 9 }



**fcmPortLcClass2RxFrjtFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of times that F\_RJT was returned to this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that was rejected by the fabric. Note that this counter will never increment for an F\_Port."

::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 10 }

**fcmPortLcClass2RxPrjtFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of times that P\_RJT was returned to this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that was rejected at the destination N\_Port."

::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 11 }

**fcmPortLcClass2TxFbsyFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of times that F\_BSY was generated by this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that could not be delivered because either the Fabric or the destination port was temporarily busy. Note that this counter will never increment for an N\_Port."

::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 12 }

**fcmPortLcClass2TxPbsyFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of times that P\_BSY was generated by this port as a result of a Class 2 frame that could not be delivered because the destination port was temporarily busy. Note that this counter will never increment for an F\_Port."

::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 13 }

**fcmPortLcClass2TxFrjtFrames OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32



MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of times that F\_RJT was generated by this port  
    as a result of a Class 2 frame being rejected by the fabric.  
    Note that this counter will never increment for an N\_Port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 14 }

fcmPortLcClass2TxPrjtFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of times that P\_RJT was generated by this port  
    as a result of a Class 2 frame being rejected at the  
    destination N\_Port. Note that this counter will never  
    increment for an F\_Port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 15 }

fcmPortLcClass3RxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of Class 3 frames received at this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 16 }

fcmPortLcClass3RxOctets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of octets contained in Class 3 frames received  
    at this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 17 }

fcmPortLcClass3TxFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
    "The number of Class 3 frames transmitted out of this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 18 }

fcmPortLcClass3TxOctets OBJECT-TYPE



```
SYNTAX      Counter32
MAX-ACCESS  read-only
STATUS      current
DESCRIPTION
    "The number of octets contained in Class 3 frames
    transmitted out of this port."
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 19 }
```

fcmPortLcClass3Discards OBJECT-TYPE

```
SYNTAX      Counter32
MAX-ACCESS  read-only
STATUS      current
DESCRIPTION
    "The number of Class 3 frames that were discarded upon
    reception at this port."
 ::= { fcmPortLcStatsEntry 20 }
```

-- \*\*\*\*\*

-- Port Error Counters

--

fcmPortErrorsTable OBJECT-TYPE

```
SYNTAX      SEQUENCE OF FcmPortErrorsEntry
MAX-ACCESS  not-accessible
STATUS      current
DESCRIPTION
    "Error counters for Fibre Channel ports."
 ::= { fcmgmtObjects 6 }
```

fcmPortErrorsEntry OBJECT-TYPE

```
SYNTAX      FcmPortErrorsEntry
MAX-ACCESS  not-accessible
STATUS      current
DESCRIPTION
    "Error counters for a Fibre Channel port.  If any counter in
    this table suffers a discontinuity, the value of
    ifCounterDiscontinuityTime (defined in the IF-MIB) must be
    updated."
REFERENCE   "The Interfaces Group MIB, RFC 2863, June 2000."
AUGMENTS    { fcmPortEntry }
 ::= { fcmPortErrorsTable 1 }
```

FcmPortErrorsEntry ::=

SEQUENCE {





fcmPortRxLinkResets	Counter32,
fcmPortTxLinkResets	Counter32,
fcmPortLinkResets	Counter32,
fcmPortRxOfflineSequences	Counter32,
fcmPortTxOfflineSequences	Counter32,
fcmPortLinkFailures	Counter32,
fcmPortLossofSynchs	Counter32,
fcmPortLossofSignals	Counter32,
fcmPortPrimSeqProtocolErrors	Counter32,
fcmPortInvalidTxWords	Counter32,
fcmPortInvalidCRCs	Counter32,
fcmPortInvalidOrderedSets	Counter32,
fcmPortFrameTooLongs	Counter32,
fcmPortTruncatedFrames	Counter32,
fcmPortAddressErrors	Counter32,
fcmPortDelimiterErrors	Counter32,
fcmPortEncodingDisparityErrors	Counter32,
fcmPortOtherErrors	Counter32

}

fcmPortRxLinkResets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of Link Reset (LR) Primitive Sequences received."

::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 1 }

fcmPortTxLinkResets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of Link Reset (LR) Primitive Sequences transmitted."

::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 2 }

fcmPortLinkResets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of times the reset link protocol was initiated on this port. This includes the number of Loop



Initialization Primitive (LIP) events on an arbitrated loop  
port."  
 ::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 3 }

fcmPortRxCOfflineSequences OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
 "The number of Offline (OLS) Primitive Sequences received at  
 this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 4 }

fcmPortTxOfflineSequences OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
 "The number of Offline (OLS) Primitive Sequences transmitted  
 by this port."  
 ::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 5 }

fcmPortLinkFailures OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
 "The number of link failures. This count is part of FC-PH's  
 Link Error Status Block (LESB)."  
 REFERENCE  
 "FC-PH, rev 4.3, 1 June 1994, [section 29.8](#)."  
 ::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 6 }

fcmPortLossofSynchs OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
 "The number of instances of synchronization loss detected at  
 this port. This count is part of FC-PH's Link Error Status  
 Block (LESB)."  
 REFERENCE  
 "FC-PH, rev 4.3, 1 June 1994, [section 29.8](#)."  
 ::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 7 }



**fcmPortLossofSignals OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of instances of signal loss detected at this port. This count is part of FC-PH's Link Error Status Block (LESB)."

## REFERENCE

"FC-PH, rev 4.3, 1 June 1994, [section 29.8](#)."

::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 8 }

**fcmPortPrimSeqProtocolErrors OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of primitive sequence protocol errors detected at this port. This count is part of FC-PH's Link Error Status Block (LESB)."

## REFERENCE

"FC-PH, rev 4.3, 1 June 1994, [section 29.8](#)."

::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 9 }

**fcmPortInvalidTxWords OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of invalid transmission words received at this port. This count is part of FC-PH's Link Error Status Block (LESB)."

## REFERENCE

"FC-PH, rev 4.3, 1 June 1994, [section 29.8](#)."

::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 10 }

**fcmPortInvalidCRCs OBJECT-TYPE**

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of frames received with invalid CRC. This count is part of FC-PH's Link Error Status Block (LESB)."

## REFERENCE

"FC-PH, rev 4.3, 1 June 1994, [section 29.8](#)."



```
::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 11 }
```

fcmPortInvalidOrderedSets OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of invalid ordered sets received at this port."

```
::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 12 }
```

fcmPortFrameTooLongs OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of frames received at this port where the frame length was greater than what was agreed to in FLOGI/PLOGI.

This could be caused by losing the end of frame delimiter."

```
::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 13 }
```

fcmPortTruncatedFrames OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of frames received at this port where the frame length was less than the minimum indicated by the frame header - normally 24 bytes, but it could be more if the DFCTL field indicates an optional header should have been present."

```
::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 14 }
```

fcmPortAddressErrors OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of frames received with unknown addressing; for example, an unknown SID or DID."

```
::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 15 }
```

fcmPortDelimiterErrors OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current





## DESCRIPTION

"The number of invalid frame delimiters received at this port. An example is a frame with a class 2 start and a class 3 at the end."

::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 16 }

## fcmPortEncodingDisparityErrors OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of encoding disparity errors received at this port."

::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 17 }

## fcmPortOtherErrors OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of errors which were detected on this port but which were not counted by any other error counter in this row."

::= { fcmPortErrorsEntry 18 }



-- \*\*\*\*\*

-- The Fibre Channel Fx\_Port Table

--

fcmFxPortTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF FcmFxPortEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"Additional information about Fibre Channel ports which is specific to Fx\_Ports. This table will contain one entry for each fcmPortTable entry which represents an Fx\_Port."

::= { fcmgmtObjects 7 }

fcmFxPortEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcmFxPortEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"Each entry contains information about a specific Fx\_Port."

INDEX { ifIndex }

::= { fcmFxPortTable 1 }

FcmFxPortEntry ::=

SEQUENCE {

fcmFxPortRatov	Unsigned32,
fcmFxPortEdtov	Unsigned32,
fcmFxPortRttov	Unsigned32,
fcmFxPortHoldTime	Unsigned32,
fcmFxPortCapBbCreditMax	FcBbCredit,
fcmFxPortCapBbCreditMin	FcBbCredit,
fcmFxPortCapDataFieldSizeMax	FcDataFieldSize,
fcmFxPortCapDataFieldSizeMin	FcDataFieldSize,
fcmFxPortCapClass2SeqDeliv	TruthValue,
fcmFxPortCapClass3SeqDeliv	TruthValue,
fcmFxPortCapHoldTimeMax	Unsigned32,
fcmFxPortCapHoldTimeMin	Unsigned32

}

fcmFxPortRatov OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32

UNITS "milliseconds"

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION



"The Resource\_Allocation\_Timeout Value configured for this Fx\_Port. This is used as the timeout value for determining when to reuse an Nx\_Port resource such as a Recovery\_Qualifier. It represents the Error\_Detect\_Timeout value (see fcmFxPortEdtov) plus twice the maximum time that a frame may be delayed within the Fabric and still be delivered."

::= { fcmFxPortEntry 1 }

fcmFxPortEdtov OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32  
UNITS "milliseconds"  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION

"The Error\_Detect\_Timeout value configured for this Fx\_Port. This is used as the timeout value for detecting an error condition."

::= { fcmFxPortEntry 2 }

fcmFxPortRttov OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32  
UNITS "milliseconds"  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION

"The Receiver\_Transmitter\_Timeout value of this Fx\_Port. This is used by the receiver logic to detect Loss of Synchronization."

::= { fcmFxPortEntry 3 }

fcmFxPortHoldTime OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32  
UNITS "microseconds"  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION

"The maximum time that this Fx\_Port shall hold a frame before discarding the frame if it is unable to deliver the frame. The value 0 means that this Fx\_Port does not support this parameter."

::= { fcmFxPortEntry 4 }

fcmFxPortCapBbCreditMax OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcBbCredit



UNITS "buffers"  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
"The maximum number of receive buffers which this port is  
capable of making available for holding frames from attached  
Nx\_Port(s)."  
 ::= { fcmFxpPortEntry 5 }

## fcmFxpPortCapBbCreditMin OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcBbCredit  
UNITS "buffers"  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
"The minimum number of receive buffers which this port is  
capable of making available for holding frames from attached  
Nx\_Port(s)."  
 ::= { fcmFxpPortEntry 6 }

## fcmFxpPortCapDataFieldSizeMax OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcDataFieldSize  
UNITS "bytes"  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
"The maximum size in bytes of the Data Field in a frame that  
this Fx\_Port is capable of receiving from an attached  
Nx\_Port."  
 ::= { fcmFxpPortEntry 7 }

## fcmFxpPortCapDataFieldSizeMin OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcDataFieldSize  
UNITS "bytes"  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
"The minimum size in bytes of the Data Field in a frame that  
this Fx\_Port is capable of receiving from an attached  
Nx\_Port."  
 ::= { fcmFxpPortEntry 8 }

## fcmFxpPortCapClass2SeqDeliv OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX TruthValue  
MAX-ACCESS read-only





STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An indication of whether this Fx\_Port is capable of supporting Class 2 Sequential Delivery."

::= { fcmFxPortEntry 9 }

fcmFxPortCapClass3SeqDeliv OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX TruthValue

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An indication of whether this Fx\_Port is capable of supporting Class 3 Sequential Delivery."

::= { fcmFxPortEntry 10 }

fcmFxPortCapHoldTimeMax OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32

UNITS "microseconds"

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The maximum holding time that this Fx\_Port is capable of supporting."

::= { fcmFxPortEntry 11 }

fcmFxPortCapHoldTimeMin OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32

UNITS "microseconds"

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The minimum holding time that this Fx\_Port is capable of supporting."

::= { fcmFxPortEntry 12 }



-- \*\*\*\*\*

-- The Fibre Channel Inter-Switch Port Table  
--

fcmISPortTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF FcmISPortEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"Additional information about E\_Ports, B\_Ports, and any other type of Fibre Channel port to which inter-switch links can be connected. This table will contain one entry for each fcmPortTable entry which represents such a port."

::= { fcmgmtObjects 8 }

fcmISPortEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcmISPortEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"Each entry contains information about a specific port connected to an inter-switch link."

INDEX { ifIndex }

::= { fcmISPortTable 1 }

FcmISPortEntry ::=

SEQUENCE {

fcmISPortClassFCredit FcBbCredit,

fcmISPortClassFDataFieldSize FcDataFieldSize

}

fcmISPortClassFCredit OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcBbCredit

MAX-ACCESS read-write

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The maximum number of Class F data frames which can be transmitted by the inter-switch port without receipt of ACK or Link\_Response frames."

::= { fcmISPortEntry 1 }

fcmISPortClassFDataFieldSize OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcDataFieldSize

UNITS "bytes"

MAX-ACCESS read-only



STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The Receive Data Field Size which the inter-switch port has agreed to support for Class F frames to/from this port. The size specifies the largest Data Field Size for an FT\_1 frame."

::= { fcmISPortEntry 2 }

--\*\*\*\*\*

-- The Fabric Login table

--

-- This table contains the information held by FC switches

-- about the Nx\_Ports which are logged-in/attached to their

-- Fx\_Ports

fcmFLoginTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF FcmFLoginEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"A table that contains one entry for each Nx\_Port logged-in/attached to a particular Fx\_Port in the switch. Each entry contains the services parameters established during the most recent Fabric Login, explicit or implicit. Note that an Fx\_Port may have one or more Nx\_Ports attached to it."

::= { fcmgmtObjects 9 }

fcmFLoginEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcmFLoginEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An entry containing service parameters established from a successful Fabric Login."

INDEX { ifIndex, fcmFLoginNxPortIndex }

::= { fcmFLoginTable 1 }

FcmFLoginEntry ::=

SEQUENCE {

fcmFLoginNxPortIndex	Unsigned32,
fcmFLoginPortWwn	FcNameIdOrZero,
fcmFLoginNodeWwn	FcNameIdOrZero,
fcmFLoginBbCreditModel	FcBbCreditModel,
fcmFLoginBbCredit	FcBbCredit,



```
    fcmFLoginClassesAgreed      FcClasses,
    fcmFLoginClass2SeqDelivAgreed TruthValue,
    fcmFLoginClass2DataFieldSize FcDataFieldSize,
    fcmFLoginClass3SeqDelivAgreed TruthValue,
    fcmFLoginClass3DataFieldSize FcDataFieldSize
}
```

fcmFLoginNxPortIndex OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32 (1..4294967295)

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An arbitrary integer which uniquely identifies an Nx\_Port amongst all those attached to the Fx\_Port indicated by ifIndex.

After a value of this object is assigned to a particular Nx\_Port, that value can be re-used when and only when it is assigned to the same Nx\_Port, or, after a reset of the value of the relevant instance of ifCounterDiscontinuityTime."

REFERENCE "The Interfaces Group MIB, [RFC 2863](#), June 2000."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 1 }

fcmFLoginPortWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The port name of the attached Nx\_Port, or the zero-length string if unknown."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 2 }

fcmFLoginNodeWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The node name of the attached Nx\_Port, or the zero-length string if unknown."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 3 }

fcmFLoginBbCreditModel OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcBbCreditModel

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current





## DESCRIPTION

"The buffer-to-buffer credit model in use by the Fx\_Port."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 4 }

## fcmFLoginBbCredit OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcBbCredit

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The number of buffers available for holding frames to be transmitted to the attached Nx\_Port. These buffers are for buffer-to-buffer flow control in the direction from Fx\_Port to Nx\_Port."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 5 }

## fcmFLoginClassesAgreed OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcClasses

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The Classes of Service which the Fx\_Port has agreed to support for this Nx\_Port."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 6 }

## fcmFLoginClass2SeqDelivAgreed OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX TruthValue

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"An indication of whether the Fx\_Port has agreed to support Class 2 sequential delivery for this Nx\_Port. This is only meaningful if Class 2 service has been agreed."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 7 }

## fcmFLoginClass2DataFieldSize OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcDataFieldSize

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The Receive Data Field Size which the Fx\_Port has agreed to support for Class 2 frames to/from this Nx\_Port. The size specifies the largest Data Field Size for an FT\_1 frame.

This is only meaningful if Class 2 service has been agreed."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 8 }



## fcmFLoginClass3SeqDelivAgreed OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX TruthValue

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"An indication of whether the Fx\_Port has agreed to support Class 3 sequential delivery for this Nx\_Port. This is only meaningful if Class 3 service has been agreed."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 9 }

## fcmFLoginClass3DataFieldSize OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcDataFieldSize

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"The Receive Data Field Size which the Fx\_Port has agreed to support for Class 3 frames to/from this Nx\_Port. The size specifies the largest Data Field Size for an FT\_1 frame.

This is only meaningful if Class 3 service has been agreed."

::= { fcmFLoginEntry 10 }

--\*\*\*\*\*

-- The Link table

--

-- This table is intended to assist management applications  
-- in determining the topology of the network. The table  
-- contains any recent information which the agent knows  
-- about Fibre Channel links, both those which terminate at  
-- a local port, as well as any others for which information  
-- is known.

## fcmLinkTable OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF FcmLinkEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"A table containing any Fibre Channel link information which is known to local Fibre Channel managed instances. One end of such a link is typically at a local port, but the table can also contain information on links for which neither end is a local port.

If one end of a link terminates locally, then that end is termed 'end1'; the other end is termed 'end2'."



```
::= { fcmgmtObjects 10 }
```

fcmLinkEntry OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcmLinkEntry

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An entry containing information which a particular Fibre Channel managed instance has about a Fibre Channel link.

The two ends of the link are called 'end1' and 'end2'."

INDEX { fcmInstanceIndex, fcmLinkIndex }

```
::= { fcmLinkTable 1 }
```

FcmLinkEntry ::=

SEQUENCE {

fcmLinkIndex	Unsigned32,
fcmLinkEnd1NodeWwn	FcNameIdOrZero,
fcmLinkEnd1PhysPortNumber	Unsigned32,
fcmLinkEnd1PortWwn	FcNameIdOrZero,
fcmLinkEnd2NodeWwn	FcNameIdOrZero,
fcmLinkEnd2PhysPortNumber	Unsigned32,
fcmLinkEnd2PortWwn	FcNameIdOrZero,
fcmLinkEnd2AgentAddress	SnmpAdminString,
fcmLinkEnd2PortType	FcPortType,
fcmLinkEnd2UnitType	FcUnitFunctions,
fcmLinkEnd2FcAddressId	FcAddressIdOrZero

}

fcmLinkIndex OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32 (1..4294967295)

MAX-ACCESS not-accessible

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"An arbitrary integer which uniquely identifies one link within the set of links about which a particular managed instance has information."

```
::= { fcmLinkEntry 1 }
```

fcmLinkEnd1NodeWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The node name of end1, or the zero-length string if



unknown."  
 ::= { fcmLinkEntry 2 }

fcmLinkEnd1PhysPortNumber OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
 "The physical port number of end1, or zero if unknown."  
REFERENCE  
 "FC-GS-3, [section 6.1.2.2.5](#)"  
 ::= { fcmLinkEntry 3 }

fcmLinkEnd1PortWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
 "The port WWN of end1, or the zero-length string if unknown.  
 ('end1' is local if this value is equal to the value of  
 fcmPortWwn in one of the rows of the fcmPortTable.)"  
 ::= { fcmLinkEntry 4 }

fcmLinkEnd2NodeWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
 "The node name of end2, or the zero-length string if  
 unknown."  
 ::= { fcmLinkEntry 5 }

fcmLinkEnd2PhysPortNumber OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Unsigned32  
MAX-ACCESS read-only  
STATUS current  
DESCRIPTION  
 "The physical port number of end2, or zero if unknown."  
REFERENCE  
 "FC-GS-3, [section 6.1.2.2.5](#)"  
 ::= { fcmLinkEntry 6 }

fcmLinkEnd2PortWwn OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcNameIdOrZero  
MAX-ACCESS read-only





STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The port WWN of end2, or the zero-length string if unknown."

::= { fcmLinkEntry 7 }

fcmLinkEnd2AgentAddress OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX SnmpAdminString

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The address of the management agent for the Fibre Channel Interconnect Element or Platform of which end2 is a part. The GS-4 specification provides some information about management agents. If the address is unknown, the value of this object is the zero-length string."

REFERENCE

"FC-GS-3, [section 6.1.2.1.7](#)"

::= { fcmLinkEntry 8 }

fcmLinkEnd2PortType OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcPortType

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The port type of end2."

REFERENCE

"FC-GS-3, [section 6.1.2.2.2](#)"

::= { fcmLinkEntry 9 }

fcmLinkEnd2UnitType OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcUnitFunctions

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The type of/function(s) performed by the Fibre Channel Interconnect Element or Platform of which end2 is a part."

REFERENCE

"FC-GS-3, sections [6.1.2.1.2](#) and [6.1.2.3.2](#)"

::= { fcmLinkEntry 10 }

fcmLinkEnd2FcAddressId OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX FcAddressIdOrZero

MAX-ACCESS read-only

STATUS current



## DESCRIPTION

    "The Fibre Channel Address ID of end2, or the zero-length  
    string if unknown."  
 ::= { fcmLinkEntry 11 }

```
-- *****
-- Conformance Section
--

fcmgmtCompliances OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { fcmgmtConformance 1 }
fcmgmtGroups       OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { fcmgmtConformance 2 }

fcmgmtCompliance MODULE-COMPLIANCE
    STATUS      current
    DESCRIPTION
        "Describes the requirements for compliance to this Fibre
        Channel Management MIB."
    MODULE      -- this module
        MANDATORY-GROUPS { fcmInstanceBasicGroup,
                            fcmPortBasicGroup,
                            fcmPortErrorsGroup }

    GROUP       fcmPortStatsGroup
    DESCRIPTION
        "This group is mandatory for all systems which
        are able to support the Counter64 data type."

    GROUP       fcmPortClass23StatsGroup
    DESCRIPTION
        "This group is mandatory only for systems which
        keep class-specific traffic statistics on Class 2
        on Class 3 traffic and are able to support the
        Counter64 data type."

    GROUP       fcmPortClassFStatsGroup
    DESCRIPTION
        "This group is mandatory only for FC switches which
        keep statistics on Class F traffic."

    GROUP       fcmPortLcStatsGroup
    DESCRIPTION
        "This group is mandatory only for agents which can not
        support the Counter64 data type and/or need to provide
        information accessible by SNMPv1 applications."

    GROUP       fcmSwitchBasicGroup
    DESCRIPTION
        "This group is mandatory only for Fibre Channel
        managed instances which manage Fibre Channel
        switches."
```



GROUP fcmSwitchPortGroup

DESCRIPTION

"This group is mandatory only for Fibre Channel managed instances which manage Fibre Channel switches."

GROUP fcmSwitchLoginGroup

DESCRIPTION

"This group is mandatory only for Fibre Channel managed instances which manage Fibre Channel switches."

GROUP fcmLinkBasicGroup

DESCRIPTION

"This group is optional."

OBJECT fcmInstancePhysicalIndex

SYNTAX Integer32 (0)

DESCRIPTION

"Implementation of a non-zero value is not required."

OBJECT fcmInstanceSoftwareIndex

SYNTAX Integer32 (0)

DESCRIPTION

"Implementation of a non-zero value is not required."

OBJECT fcmInstanceTextName

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."

OBJECT fcmInstanceDescr

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."

OBJECT fcmPortAdminType

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."

OBJECT fcmPortAdminSpeed

MIN-ACCESS read-only

DESCRIPTION

"Write access is not required."





```
OBJECT      fcmSwitchDomainId
MIN-ACCESS  read-only
DESCRIPTION
    "Write access is not required."
```

```
OBJECT      fcmISPortClassFCredit
MIN-ACCESS  read-only
DESCRIPTION
    "Write access is not required."
```

```
::= { fcmgmtCompliances 1 }
```

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

```
-- Object Groups
```

```
--
```

```
fcmInstanceBasicGroup OBJECT-GROUP
```

```
OBJECTS { fcmInstanceWwn, fcmInstanceFunctions,
           fcmInstancePhysicalIndex, fcmInstanceSoftwareIndex,
           fcmInstanceStatus, fcmInstanceTextName,
           fcmInstanceDescr, fcmInstanceFabricId }
```

```
STATUS current
```

```
DESCRIPTION
```

```
    "Basic information about Fibre Channel managed instances."
```

```
::= { fcmgmtGroups 1 }
```

```
fcmSwitchBasicGroup OBJECT-GROUP
```

```
OBJECTS { fcmSwitchDomainId, fcmSwitchPrincipal, fcmSwitchWWN }
```

```
STATUS current
```

```
DESCRIPTION
```

```
    "Basic information about Fibre Channel switches."
```

```
::= { fcmgmtGroups 2 }
```

```
fcmPortBasicGroup OBJECT-GROUP
```

```
OBJECTS { fcmPortInstanceIndex, fcmPortWwn, fcmPortNodeWwn,
           fcmPortAdminType, fcmPortOperType, fcmPortFcCapClass,
           fcmPortFcOperClass, fcmPortTransmitterType,
           fcmPortConnectorType, fcmPortSerialNumber,
           fcmPortPhysicalNumber, fcmPortAdminSpeed,
           fcmPortCapProtocols, fcmPortOperProtocols }
```

```
STATUS current
```

```
DESCRIPTION
```

```
    "Basic information about Fibre Channel ports."
```



```
::= { fcmgmtGroups 3 }
```

fcmPortStatsGroup OBJECT-GROUP

```
OBJECTS { fcmPortBBCreditZeros, fcmPortFullInputBuffers }
```

```
STATUS current
```

```
DESCRIPTION
```

```
"Traffic statistics, which are not specific to any one class  
of service, for Fibre Channel ports."
```

```
::= { fcmgmtGroups 4 }
```

fcmPortClass23StatsGroup OBJECT-GROUP

```
OBJECTS { fcmPortClass2RxFrames, fcmPortClass2RxOctets,  
          fcmPortClass2TxFrames, fcmPortClass2TxOctets,  
          fcmPortClass2Discards, fcmPortClass2RxFbsyFrames,  
          fcmPortClass2RXPbsyFrames,  
          fcmPortClass2RxFrjtFrames,  
          fcmPortClass2RxPrjtFrames,  
          fcmPortClass2TxFbsyFrames,  
          fcmPortClass2TxPbsyFrames,  
          fcmPortClass2TxFrjtFrames,  
          fcmPortClass2TxPrjtFrames, fcmPortClass3RxFrames,  
          fcmPortClass3RxOctets, fcmPortClass3TxFrames,  
          fcmPortClass3TxOctets, fcmPortClass3Discards }
```

```
STATUS current
```

```
DESCRIPTION
```

```
"Traffic statistics for Class 2 and Class 3 traffic on Fibre  
Channel ports."
```

```
::= { fcmgmtGroups 5 }
```

fcmPortClassFStatsGroup OBJECT-GROUP

```
OBJECTS { fcmPortClassFRxFrames,  
          fcmPortClassFRxOctets,  
          fcmPortClassFTxFrames,  
          fcmPortClassFTxOctets,  
          fcmPortClassFDiscards }
```

```
STATUS current
```

```
DESCRIPTION
```

```
"Traffic statistics for Class F traffic on Fibre Channel  
ports."
```

```
::= { fcmgmtGroups 6 }
```

fcmPortLcStatsGroup OBJECT-GROUP

```
OBJECTS { fcmPortLcBBCreditZeros, fcmPortLcFullInputBuffers,  
          fcmPortLcClass2RxFrames, fcmPortLcClass2RxOctets,  
          fcmPortLcClass2TxFrames, fcmPortLcClass2TxOctets,
```



```
    fcmPortLcClass2Discards, fcmPortLcClass3Discards,
    fcmPortLcClass3RxFrames, fcmPortLcClass3RxOctets,
    fcmPortLcClass3TxFrames, fcmPortLcClass3TxOctets,
    fcmPortLcClass2RxFbsyFrames,
    fcmPortLcClass2RXPbsyFrames,
    fcmPortLcClass2RxFrjtFrames,
    fcmPortLcClass2RxPrjtFrames,
    fcmPortLcClass2TxFbsyFrames,
    fcmPortLcClass2TxPbsyFrames,
    fcmPortLcClass2TxFrjtFrames,
    fcmPortLcClass2TxPrjtFrames }
```

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"Low-capacity (32-bit) statistics for Fibre Channel ports."

::= { fcmgmtGroups 7 }

fcmPortErrorsGroup OBJECT-GROUP

```
    OBJECTS { fcmPortRxLinkResets, fcmPortTxLinkResets,
    fcmPortLinkResets, fcmPortRxOfflineSequences,
    fcmPortTxOfflineSequences, fcmPortLinkFailures,
    fcmPortLossofSynchs, fcmPortLossofSignals,
    fcmPortPrimSeqProtocolErrors, fcmPortInvalidTxWords,
    fcmPortInvalidCRCs, fcmPortInvalidOrderedSets,
    fcmPortFrameTooLongs, fcmPortTruncatedFrames,
    fcmPortAddressErrors, fcmPortDelimiterErrors,
    fcmPortEncodingDisparityErrors,
    fcmPortOtherErrors }
```

STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"Error statistics for Fibre Channel ports."

::= { fcmgmtGroups 8 }

fcmSwitchPortGroup OBJECT-GROUP

```
    OBJECTS { fcmFxPortRatov, fcmFxPortEdtov, fcmFxPortRttov,
    fcmFxPortHoldTime, fcmFxPortCapBbCreditMax,
    fcmFxPortCapBbCreditMin,
    fcmFxPortCapDataFieldSizeMax,
    fcmFxPortCapDataFieldSizeMin,
    fcmFxPortCapClass2SeqDeliv,
    fcmFxPortCapClass3SeqDeliv,
    fcmFxPortCapHoldTimeMax,
    fcmFxPortCapHoldTimeMin,
    fcmISPortClassFCredit,
    fcmISPortClassFDataFieldSize }
```

STATUS current

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## DESCRIPTION

"Information about ports on a Fibre Channel switch."  
 ::= { fcmgmtGroups 9 }

## fcmSwitchLoginGroup OBJECT-GROUP

OBJECTS { fcmFLoginPortWwn, fcmFLoginNodeWwn,  
 fcmFLoginBbCreditModel, fcmFLoginBbCredit,  
 fcmFLoginClassesAgreed,  
 fcmFLoginClass2SeqDelivAgreed,  
 fcmFLoginClass2DataFieldSize,  
 fcmFLoginClass3SeqDelivAgreed,  
 fcmFLoginClass3DataFieldSize }

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"Information known to a Fibre Channel switch about  
 attached/logged-in Nx\_Ports."  
 ::= { fcmgmtGroups 10 }

## fcmLinkBasicGroup OBJECT-GROUP

OBJECTS { fcmLinkEnd1NodeWwn , fcmLinkEnd1PhysPortNumber,  
 fcmLinkEnd1PortWwn, fcmLinkEnd2NodeWwn ,  
 fcmLinkEnd2PhysPortNumber, fcmLinkEnd2PortWwn,  
 fcmLinkEnd2AgentAddress, fcmLinkEnd2PortType,  
 fcmLinkEnd2UnitType, fcmLinkEnd2FcAddressId }

STATUS current

## DESCRIPTION

"Information about Fibre Channel links."  
 ::= { fcmgmtGroups 11 }

END





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## **11. Security Considerations**

There are a number of management objects defined in this MIB that have a MAX-ACCESS clause of read-write:

```
fcmInstanceTextName
fcmInstanceDescr
fcmSwitchDomainId
fcmPidAdminType
fcmPidAdminSpeed
fcmPidPortClassFCredit
```

Such objects may be considered sensitive or vulnerable in some network environments. For example, the ability to change network topology or network speed may afford an attacker the ability to obtain better performance at the expense of other network users; setting fcmSwitchDomainId to an invalid value could lead to denial of service in some configurations. The support for SET operations in a non-secure environment without proper protection can have a negative effect on network operations.

Some of the readable objects in this MIB module (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. In particular, these objects provide information on network topology:

```
fcmlinkEnd1NodeWwn
fcmlinkEnd1PhysPortNumber
fcmlinkEnd1PortWwn
```





fcMLinkEnd2NodeWwn  
fcMLinkEnd2PhysPortNumber  
fcMLinkEnd2PortWwn  
fcMLinkEnd2AgentAddress  
fcMLinkEnd2PortType  
fcMLinkEnd2UnitType  
fcMLinkEnd2FcAddressId

SNMP versions prior to SNMPv3 did not include adequate security. Even if the network itself is secure (for example by using IPSec), even then, there is no control as to who on the secure network is allowed to access and GET/SET (read/change/create/delete) the objects in this MIB module.

It is RECOMMENDED that implementors 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 this MIB module is properly configured to give access to the objects only to those principals (users) that have legitimate rights to indeed GET or SET (change/create/delete) them.

## **[12.](#) IANA Considerations**

### **[12.1.](#) OID Assignment**

IANA is requested to make a MIB OID assignment under the transmission branch. Specifically, for { transmission 56 } to be assigned as the OID for fcMgmtMIB. This sub-identifier is requested because this MIB contains the media-specific definitions which correspond to the ifType value of fibreChannel(56).

### **[12.2.](#) FC Port Type Registry**

IANA is requested to establish a registry for Fibre Channel Port Types. The registry is to be split into disjoint subset ranges:

- 1) a 'standard' range for Fibre Channel Port Types which have been standardized by the InterNational Committee for Information Technology Standards (INCITS)'s Technical Committee T11 (see



[http://www.incits.org/tc\\_home/t11.htm](http://www.incits.org/tc_home/t11.htm) and <http://www.t11.org/index.htm>). This range will be subject to the 'Expert Review' and 'Specification Required' policies described in [RFC2434], with the following provisions:

- the Expert Reviewer is to be appointed by the IESG.
- the Expert Reviewer shall obtain approval (or rejection) from INCITS Technical Committee T11 via the chair of that Committee. Rejected values shall not be added to the registry.
- if the addition is approved, the Expert shall advise IANA of how to record the reference to the T11 specification document which describes the newly added port type(s), and which is considered to be the "other permanent and readily available reference" required by [RFC2434].

The initial assignments in the 'standard' range will be as follows:

Assigned Value	Type	Meaning
-----	-----	-----
1	unknown	for use when the type is not known, or is "unidentified" as specified in section 5.1.2.10 of [FC-GS-3]
2	other	used for types without assigned values
3	--	an obsolete value, not to be re-assigned
4	N_Port	see [FC-FS]
5	NL_Port	see [FC-FS]
6	F_Port	see [FC-FS]
7	FL_Port	see [FC-FS]
8	E_Port	see [FC-FS]
9	B_Port	see [FC-FS]
10	G_Port	see [FC-SW-3]
11	GL_Port	see [FC-SW-3]
12	F/NL_Port	see [FC-AL-2]

It is suggested that the above range can be extended up to a maximum of 9,999.

- 2) a range which is assigned under the "Private Use" policy described in [RFC2434] and is for values intended for private use by one party or among mutually consenting parties. It is suggested that values in this range extend from 10,000 to 99,999. IANA is instructed not to make any allocations from this range.



3) values larger than 99,999 be RESERVED.

### **13. Comparison to [draft-ietf-ipfc-fcmgmt-int-mib-07.txt](#)**

#### **13.1. Problems with [draft-ietf-ipfc-fcmgmt-int-mib-07.txt](#)**

The Fibre Channel Management Integration MIB had the following major problems:

- It wasn't formatted using SMIV2, which is mandatory.
- The MIB seemed to have been defined with the notion that it would be the only MIB that a Fibre Channel product will require. The notion of an agent implementing just a single MIB was abandoned by the IETF in 1992 as being non-scaleable. Rather, a Fibre Channel MIB needed to be another MIB in the continuing series of MIBs defined by the IETF, and thus, it needed to be consistent with its predecessors. In other words, there are existing MIBs which all SNMP agents must support, even if the support of Fibre Channel interfaces is the only functionality that they have. Thus, it was essential that the Fibre Channel Integration MIB contained only objects for information which is specific to Fibre Channel. All objects relevant to non-Fibre Channel environments needed to be removed. This issue applied to a large fraction of the objects defined in the MIB.
- The MIB had some but not complete overlap in functionality with [RFC 2837](#).
- Every SNMP agent must implement the ifTable. The ifTable counters are the MIB objects most well-used by administrators in SNMP management. SNMP agents need to implement a row in the ifTable for each of their network interfaces, including their Fibre Channel interfaces. The IF-MIB requires a media-specific MIB to specify how that type of interface uses the ifTable (see section 4 in [RFC 2863](#)). [RFC 2837](#) doesn't do that, and nor did the Fibre Channel Integration MIB.
- It incorrectly used the OCTET STRING syntax (instead of Counter32 or Counter64) for counters.



## **13.2. Detailed Changes**

### **13.2.1. Removal of Sensor-related objects**

Information about sensors is not specific to Fibre Channel, and therefore should not be in this MIB. (At the time of writing, the the IETF's ENTITY MIB Working Group has produced a first draft of a Sensor MIB, see [[SENSOR](#)].) This removed the need for:

- connUnitSensorTable (and all its contents)
- connUnitNumSensors
- connUnitSensorStatusChange

### **13.2.2. Removal of Trap-registration objects**

Information about registering "traps" is not specific to Fibre Channel, and therefore should not be in this MIB. (For similar functionality, see SNMP-NOTIFICATION-MIB and SNMP-TARGET-MIB in [RFC 2573](#)). This removed the need for:

- trapMaxClients
- trapClientCount
- trapRegTable (and all its contents)

### **13.2.3. Removal of Event-related objects**

Information about generic events is not specific to Fibre Channel, and therefore should not be in this MIB. (For similar functionality, see the Event group in [RFC 2819](#) and the Notification Log MIB in [RFC 3014](#); the SNMP-NOTIFICATION-MIB provides for the filtering of notifications.) This removed the need for:

- connUnitEventTable (and all its contents)
- connUnitEventFilter
- connUnitNumEvents
- connUnitMaxEvents
- connUnitEventCurrID
- connUnitEventTrap





#### **13.2.4. Removal of inventory-related information**

Aspects of hardware (physical) components are represented in the Entity MIB ([RFC 2737](#)); aspects of software modules are represented in the Host Resources MIB ([RFC 2790](#)). Two new objects provide indexing from this MIB into those MIBs: one having the value of PhysicalIndex (or zero) and the other having the value of hrSWInstalledIndex (or zero). These replaced the need for:

- connUnitNumports
- connUnitRevsTable (and all its contents)
- connUnitNumRevs
- connUnitPortRevision
- connUnitPortVendor
- connUnitProduct
- connUnitInfo
- connUnitSn
- connUnitModuleId
- connUnitVendorId
- connUnitDeletedTrap

#### **13.2.5. Removal of revision numbers**

The forward/backward compatibility rules of how to evolve MIBs are designed such that MIBs do not have revision numbers. This removed the need for:

- revisionNumber

#### **13.2.6. Removal of other not FC-specific information**

Other information was removed because it was not specific to Fibre Channel:

- systemURL
- statusChangeTime
- configurationChangeTime
- connUnitUrl
- connUnitUpTime
- connUnitState
- connUnitContact
- connUnitLocation
- connUnitProxyMaster
- connUnitControl
- connUnitStatus



connUnitStatusChange

### **13.2.7. Clean-up of ambiguous/obsolete definitions**

Some information in the FC Management integration was obsolete or ambiguous:

```

statusChangeTime (obsolete)
configurationChangeTime (obsolete)
connUnitTableChangeTime (obsolete)
connUnitStatusChangeTime (obsolete)
connUnitConfigurationChangeTime (obsolete)
connUnitNumZones (obsolete)
connUnitZoneTable (referenced but not defined)
connUnitLinkCurrIndex (badly defined)

```

### **13.2.8. Use of an ifTable entry**

The following objects were removed because they duplicated existing IF-MIB objects:

redundant object	existing object(s)
-----	-----
connUnitPortStatCountError	ifInErrors & ifOutErrors
connUnitPortStatCountTxObjects	ifOutUcastPkts & ifHCOutUcastPkts
connUnitPortStatCountRxObjects	ifInUcastPkts & ifHCInUcastPkts
connUnitPortStatCountTxElements	ifOutOctets & ifHCOutOctets
connUnitPortStatCountRxElements	ifInOctets & ifHCInOctets
connUnitPortStatCountRxMulticastObjects	ifInMulticastPkts & ifHCInMulticastPkts
connUnitPortStatCountTxMulticastObjects	ifOutMulticastPkts & ifHCOutMulticastPkts
connUnitPortStatCountRxBroadcastObjects	ifInBroadcastPkts & ifHCInBroadcastPkts
connUnitPortStatCountTxBroadcastObjects	ifOutBroadcastPkts & ifHCOutBroadcastPkts
connUnitPortFCId	ifPhysAddress



connUnitPortControl	ifAdminStatus
connUnitPortState	ifAdminStatus
connUnitPortHWState	ifOperStatus
connUnitPortStatus	ifOperStatus
connUnitPortName	ifAlias
connUnitPortStatObject	ifSpecific
connUnitNumports	ifNumber
connUnitPortStatusChange	linkUp/linkDown

#### **13.2.9. Removed because of AgentX difficulty**

An AgentX environment [[RFC2741](#)] consists of a master agent and several sub-agents. It is not difficult to implement the same MIB in several such sub-agents if all of the MIB's tables have a common index variable as the first auxiliary object in their INDEX clauses. However, any scalars which the MIB contains pose a problem for the AgentX environment. All the (remaining) scalars were therefore removed:

```
revisionNumber
uNumber
systemURL
```

#### **13.2.10. FC Management Instance**

The term "connectivity unit" was changed to "FC management instance".

The term "connectivity unit" was not properly defined in [draft-ietf-ipfc-fcmgmt-int-mib-07.txt](#), and its usage provided a confused mixture of indications to the implementor:

- the definition of FcUnitType suggested it was functional;
- the definition of uNumber suggested it was physical;
- the definition of connUnitProduct suggested it was a vendor's product;
- etc.

The common implementation strategy for "connectivity unit" was whatever grouping was easiest in providing access to the management functionality. (One such grouping accommodates a single SNMP agent having multiple AgentX [[RFC2741](#)] sub-agents, each supporting a separate implementation of the MIB.)

In fact, this scenario is not new; in practice, a "connectivity unit" will have the same semantics as a management "instance" in other MIBs, e.g., the IPS WG's own iSCSI MIB. For this MIB, its meaning is: "a separable managed instance of Fibre Channel functionality". Given this



definition, then "FC management instance" is a better name because it is more accurate and more representative of the definition, than is "connectivity unit".

#### **13.2.11. Counter Syntax**

All packet and octet counters have been changed to be Counter64's (but Counter32 versions of them are also included for use by old agents). The error counters have been changed to Counter32's. (In the probably impossible, and at most improbable, circumstances that the rate of occurrence of errors, even on a 10Gbs Fibre Channel interface, might wrap faster than a hour, the fact that errors are occurring will almost certainly be apparent from other MIB objects.)

#### **13.2.12. Obsolete/Little-Used Fibre Channel features**

Information relating to Fibre Channel features which are obsolete or not widely-implemented has been deleted. (For more information, see section [6.2.1](#) and section [6.2.2](#) of [[FC-MI](#)].)

- Class 1 service,
- Intermix Mode,
- Stacked Conn Mode.
- PH version numbers

Note that with support for Class 1 service being deleted, only class 2 now needs F\_BSY, F\_RJT, P\_BSY and P\_RJT counters, and thus they no longer need to be counted for all classes as well as for class 2, and therefore these objects:

```
connUnitPortStatCountFBSYFrames
connUnitPortStatCountPBSYFrames
connUnitPortStatCountFRJTFrames
connUnitPortStatCountPRJTFrames
```

have been deleted.

#### **13.3. Name Server objects**

A table of Name Server information was present in [draft-ietf-ipfc-fcmgmt-int-mib-07.txt](#). That information is not currently represented in this MIB, because this MIB is already quite large, and a set of Name Server objects are expected to be defined in a separate (new) MIB.





#### **13.4. Additional objects**

Support for Class F traffic, including 32-bit octet and frame counters, has been added.

#### **14.** Comparison to [RFC 2837](#)

This MIB is a superset of [RFC 2837](#), except for the following:

- the fcFeClass1AccountingGroup group is obsolete,
- fcFxpPortConnectedNxPort, fcFxpPortFcphVersionHigh, fcFxpPortFcphVersionLow, fcFxpPortFcphVersionAgreed, fcFxpPortStackedConnModeAgreed, fcFxpPortIntermixSuppAgreed, fcFxpPortCapStackedConnMode and fcFxpPortCapIntermix are obsolete,
- fcFxpPortBbCredit and fcFxpPortRxBufSize are per attached Nx\_Port,
- fcFxpPortBbCreditAvailable is ephemeral,
- fcFeModuleTable is mostly contained in the entPhysicalTable,
- fcFxpPortPhysAdminStatus, fcFxpPortPhysOperStatus, and fcFxpPortPhysLastChange have equivalents in the ifTable.

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