

TPM-based Network Device Remote Integrity Verification

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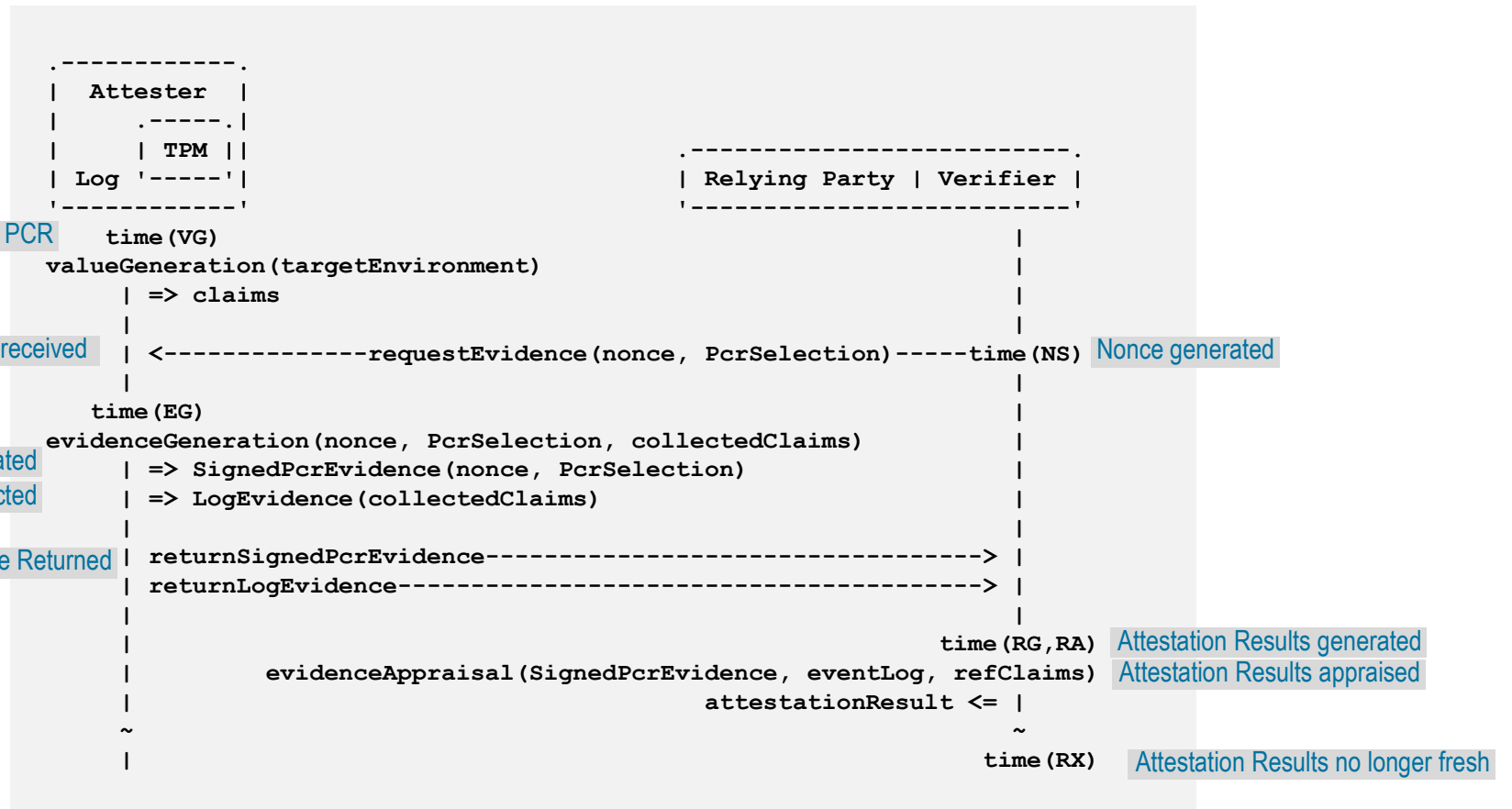
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Objective

- Standardize operational model for today's existing but proprietary TPM-based router/switch Remote Attestation solutions.
 - Enables switches/routers to be appraised by non-proprietary controllers/Verifiers.
 - Gives Network Operators needed stability for interfacing operational systems.

Nonce based Background Check Model



From: draft-birkholz-rats-reference-interaction-model

What Evidence does RIV Appraise?

Section 2.1.1 outlines what we expect to attest with RIV, including:

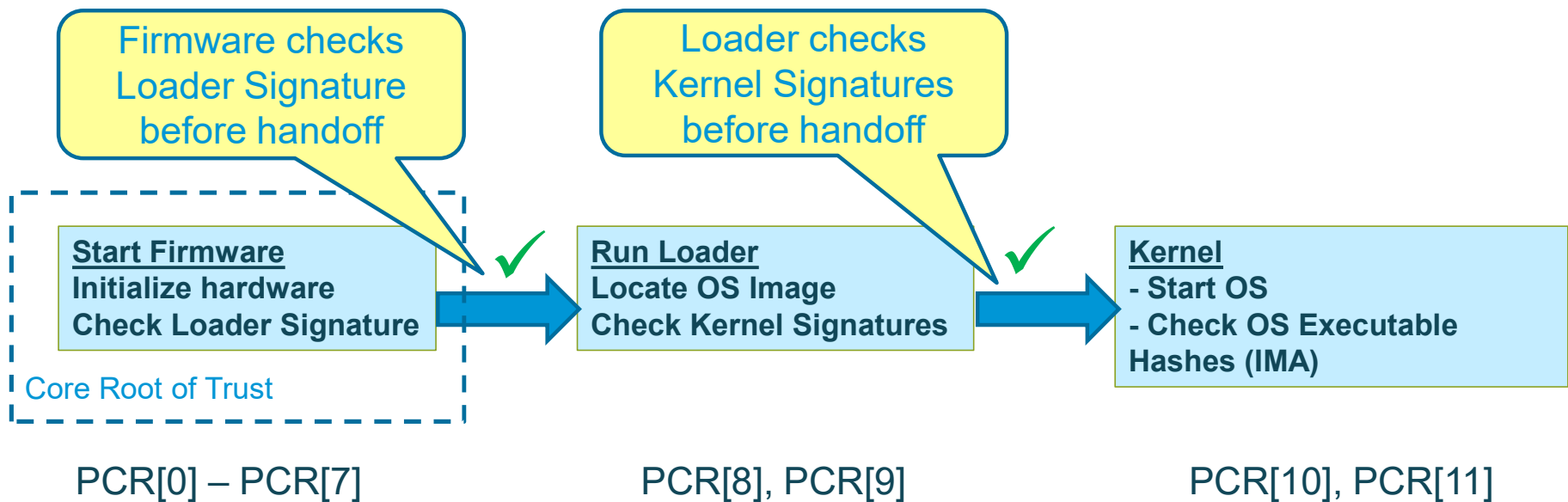
- Code
 - Firmware, OS loader, OS kernel and applications
- Credentials
 - Keys used to authorize operation of routers, e.g. code-signing public keys or network-access private keys (e.g. VPN keys)
- Configuration
 - Security-sensitive configuration files

RIV is intended to secure the infrastructure, so that subsequent higher-level claims can be trusted.

About TPM PCRs

- TPM Platform Configuration Registers (PCRs) are used to record hashes of attested objects.
- PCR values may be attestable on their own, but often must be used to validate a log of individual objects measured
- Baseline allocation of events to logs is specified for UEFI BIOS in *TCG PC Client Platform Firmware Profile Specification*
- But expect vendor variation, especially non-UEFI platforms

PCR Allocation for UEFI

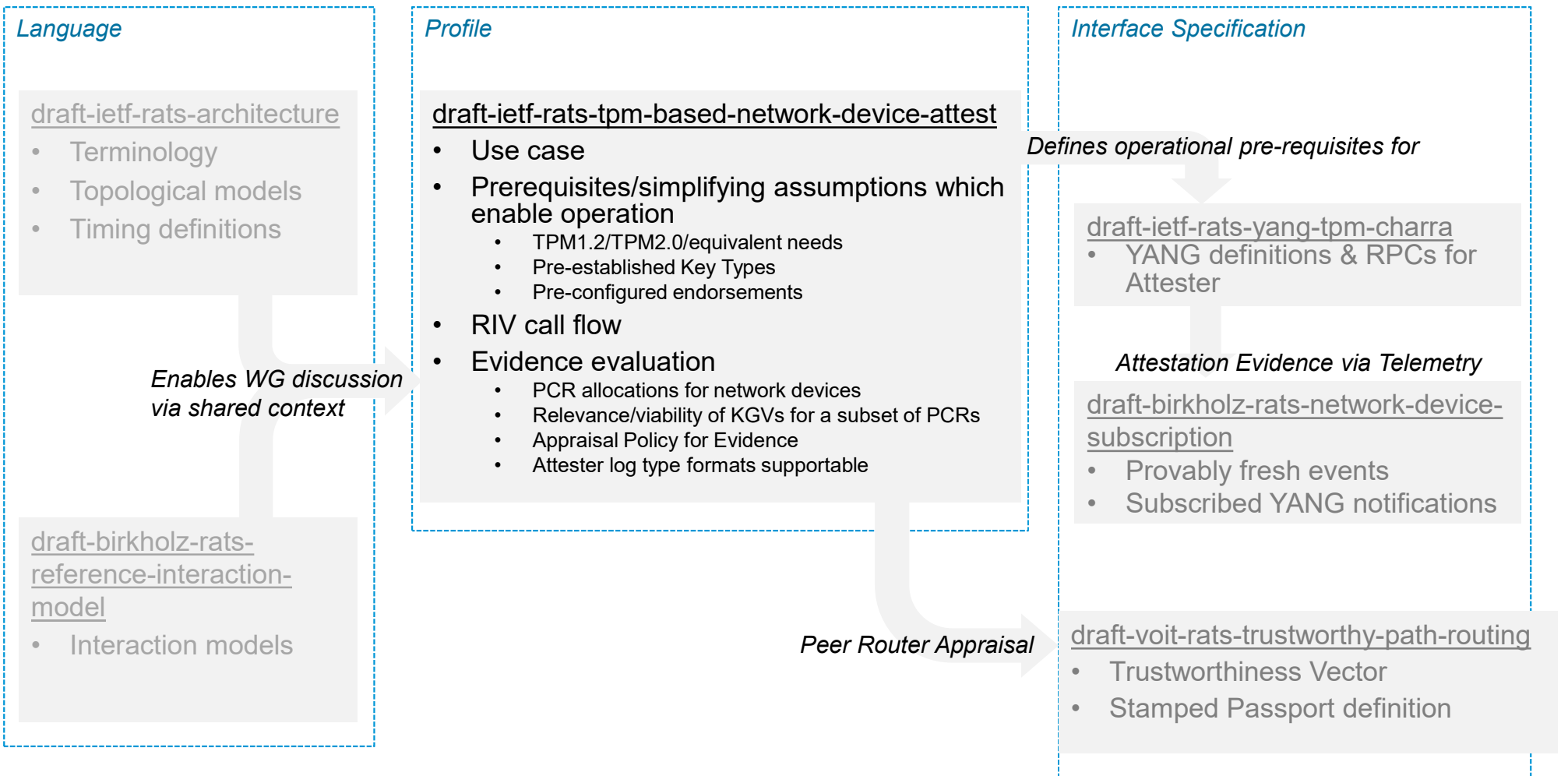


- See *TCG PC Client Platform Firmware Profile Specification* for details

Section 2.1.1 in Draft -02

Function	Allocated PCR #	
	Code	Configuration
Firmware Static Root of Trust, i.e., initial boot firmware and drivers	0	1
Drivers and initialization for optional or add-in devices	2	3
OS Loader code and configuration, ...	4	5
Vendor Specific Measurements during boot	6	6
Secure Boot Policy. This PCR records keys and configuration used to validate the OS loader		7
Measurements made by the OS Loader (e.g GRUB2 for Linux)	8	9
Measurements made by OS (e.g. Linux IMA)	10	10

Relationship to other WG drafts



Next Steps

- Another round of Nomenclature Alignment is needed with Arch. doc
 - Some xrefs in RIV need an update.
 - E.g., Specifications for Reference Integrity Measurements have recently been published at https://trustedcomputinggroup.org/wp-content/uploads/TCG_RIM_Model_v1-r13_2feb20.pdf
- But no substantial new content planned

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