

Key Usage Limits for OSCORE

draft-ietf-core-oscore-key-limits-00

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Overview

› New draft submitted as working group document

- Content split out from *Key Update for OSCORE (KUDOS)* (draft-ietf-core-oscore-key-update)
- Discussed during previous core interim on 2022-09-28 [1]
- Also discussed and confirmed during IETF 115 [2]

› Content of the draft: AEAD Key Usage Limits in OSCORE

- Excessive use of the same key can enable breaking security properties of the AEAD algorithm*
- Defining appropriate limits for OSCORE, for a variety of algorithms
- Defining counters for key usage; message processing details; steps when limits are reached

[1] <https://datatracker.ietf.org/meeting/interim-2022-core-13/session/core>

[2] <https://datatracker.ietf.org/meeting/115/session/core>

*See also *draft-irtf-cfrg-aead-limits*

Summary and next steps

- › **New document with content split from *Key Update for OSCORE***
- › **Next steps**
 - Address open points
 - Follow updates to *draft-irtf-cfrg-aead-limits* and align accordingly
- › **Comments and reviews are welcome!**

Thank you!

Comments/questions?