

Encrypted Payloads in SUIT Manifests

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IETF#117

Overview

- Encryption of firmware, software and any other payload.
- Relies on IETF SUIT manifest for conveying meta-data.
- Efficient encryption of payloads for
 1. Single sender – single recipient,
 2. Single sender – multiple recipients.
- Two content key distribution mechanisms supported:
 1. AES-KW
 2. Ephemeral-static Diffie-Hellman
- Flexible deployment modes:
 - Author signing and encrypting payloads (requires author to know the recipients)
 - Author delegates encryption to another party (□ utilizes SUIT multiple trust domains)

- Improved wording for better readability
- Removed left-over functionality regarding CEK Verification
 - Changed integration in the SUIT manifest prior to IETF#116
- Examples updated based on prototyping with t_cose (see https://github.com/laurencelundblade/t_cose/tree/dev)
- Use a two-layer structure for ES-DH (instead of three-layer structure)
- Updated context information structure
 - Now has a dependency on draft-isobe-cose-key-thumbprint for use in context information structure.

Context Information Structure from draft-ietf-suit-firmware-encryption-13

Hash of
Public Key of
Sender



```
PartyInfoSender = (  
  identity : bstr,  
  nonce : nil,  
  other : bstr .size 0  
)
```

Hash of
Public Key of
Recipient



```
PartyInfoRecipient = (  
  identity : bstr,  
  nonce : nil,  
  other : bstr .size 0  
)
```

Algorithm
Info



```
COSE_KDF_Context = [  
  AlgorithmID : int,  
  PartyUInfo : [ PartyInfoSender ],  
  PartyVInfo : [ PartyInfoRecipient ],  
  SuppPubInfo : [  
    keyDataLength : uint,  
    protected : bstr .cbor recipient_header_pr_map,  
    other: bstr "SUIT Payload Encryption"  ],
```

Context



```
],
```

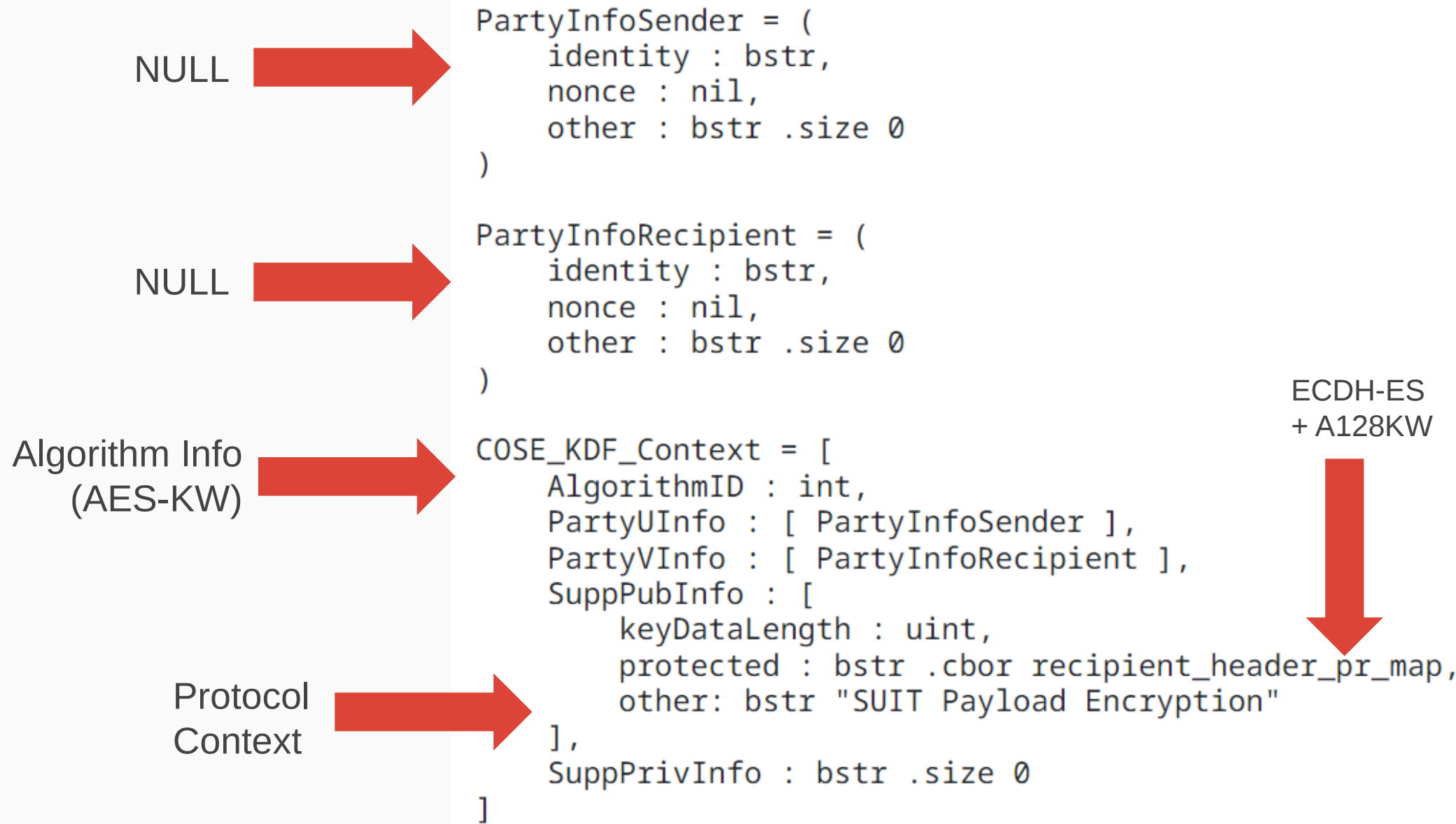
```
  SuppPrivInfo : bstr .size 0
```

```
]
```

Context Information Structure Examples

- KeyMint - [ProtectedData.aidl - Android Code](#)
 - Uses public keys of sender and recipients. Additionally encodes the strings “client” and “server”
 - Algorithm information
- DIDComm - [DIDComm Messaging Specification v2.1](#)
 - Uses tag of the AEAD cipher as input to the context info structure.
- LAMPS
 - Uses algorithm information and (optionally) user supplied data.
 - Sender and recipient identity remains empty.

Proposed Context Information Structure



Two Layer ES-DH Structure

Content
Encryption
Layer



Recipient



```
96(  
  [  
    / protected / h'a10101' / {  
      \ alg \ 1:1 \ AES-GCM-128 \  
    } / ,  
    / unprotected / {  
      / iv / 5:h'26682306D4FB28CA01B43B80'  
    },  
    / encrypted firmware /  
    h'F21AC5881CD6FC45754C65790F806C81A57  
      B8D96C1988233BF40F670172405B5F107FD',  
    [  
      / protected / h'A101381C' / {  
        \ alg \ 1:-29 \ ECDH-ES + A128KW \  
      } / ,  
      h'A101381C',  
      / unprotected / {  
        / ephemeral / -1: {  
          / kty / 1:2,  
          / crv / -1:1,  
          / x / -2:h'415A8ED270C4B1F10B0A2D42B28EE602  
            8CE25D74552CB4291A4069A2E989B0F6',  
          / y / -3:h'CCC9AAF60514B9420C80619A4FF068BC  
            1D77625BA8C90200882F7D5B73659E76'  
        },  
        / kid / 4:'kid-1'  
      },  
      / ciphertext - CEK encrypted with KEK /  
      h'B37CCD582696E5E62E5D93A555E9072687D6170B122322EE'  
    ]  
  ]  
)
```

Complete Example

```
/ SUIT_Envelope_Tagged = / 107({
  / authentication-wrapper / 2: << [
    / digest: / << [
      / algorithm-id: / -16 / SHA-256 /,
      / digest-bytes: / h'8c757f37c9af51cec00b9...7b5baae8aaee33'
    ] >>,
    / signatures: / << 18([
      / protected: / << {
        / alg / 1: -7 / ES256 /
      } >>,
      / unprotected: / {
        },
        / payload: / null,
        / signature: / h'bda73be94f7a442c895e514e...714e714e4fe'
      ] >>
    ] >>,
    / manifest(verified) / 3: << {
      / manifest-version / 1: 1,
      / manifest-sequence-number / 2: 1,
      / common / 3: << {
        / components / 2: [
          ['decrypted-firmware']
        ]
      } >>,

```

```

    / install(verified) / 17: << [
      / directive-set-component-index / 12, 0,
      / directive-override-parameters / 20, {
        / content / 18: h'67becf8b...8a2',
        / encryption-info / 19: << 96([
          / protected: / << {
            / alg / 1: 1 / A128GCM /
          } >>,
          / unprotected: / {
            / IV / 5: h'046f37fb2d1a75402cb4452be877d1e4'
          },
          / payload: / null,
          / recipients: / [
            [
              / protected: / << {
                / alg / 1: -29 / ECDH-ES + A128KW /
              } >>,
              / unprotected: / {
                / ephemeral key / -1: {
                  / kty / 1: 2 / EC2 /,
                  / crv / -1: 1 / P-256 /,
                  / x / -2: / h'8802d5c68a1..2b66e7381edd7b',
                  / y / -3: / h'1b1b1ef6c...02705394d',
                },
                / kid / 4: 'kid-3'
              },
              / CEK: / h'aab40270..9dd7b'
            ]
          ]
        ] >>
      } >>,
      / directive-write / 18, 15
    ] >>
  } >>
})
```


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      } >>,  
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        [  
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          } >>,  
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              / crv / -1: 1 / P-256 /,  
              / x / -2: / h'8802d5c68a1..2b66e7381edd7b',  
              / y / -3: / h'1b1b1ef6c...02705394d',  
            }  
            / kid / 4: 'kid-3'  
          }  
          / CEK: / h'aab40270..9dd7b'  
        ]  
      ] >>  
    ] >>  
  } >>  
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] >>  
}>>  
})
```

**Digital Signature of
the hash of the manifest**

```
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      / content / 18: h'67becf8b...8a2',  
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          } >>,  
          / unprotected: / {  
            / ephemeral key / -1: {  
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              / crv / -1: 1 / P-256 /,  
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    ] >>,  
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      } >>,  
      / unprotected: / {  
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      / payload: / null,  
      / signature: / h'bda73be94f7a442c895e514e...714e714e4fe'  
    ]) >>  
  ] >>,  
  / manifest(verified) / 3: << {  
    / manifest-version / 1: 1,  
    / manifest-sequence-number / 2: 1,  
    / common / 3: << {  
      / components / 2: [  
        ['decrypted-firmware']  
      ]  
    } >>,  
  } >>,  
}
```

Encryption info with
ephemeral-static DH



Write
Content to
component



```
/ install(verified) / 17: << [  
  / directive-set-component-index / 12, 0,  
  / directive-override-parameters / 20, {  
    / content / 18: h'67becf8b...8a2',  
    / encryption-info / 19: << 96([  
      / protected: / << {  
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      } >>,  
      / unprotected: / {  
        / IV / 5: h'046f37fb2d1a75402cb4452be877d1e4'  
      },  
      / payload: / null,  
      / recipients: / [  
        [  
          / protected: / << {  
            / alg / 1: -29 / ECDH-ES + A128KW /  
          } >>,  
          / unprotected: / {  
            / ephemeral key / -1: {  
              / kty / 1: 2 / EC2 /,  
              / crv / -1: 1 / P-256 /,  
              / x / -2: / h'8802d5c68a1..2b66e7381edd7b',  
              / y / -3: / h'1b1b1ef6c...02705394d',  
            },  
            / kid / 4: 'kid-3'  
          },  
          / CEK: / h'aab40270..9dd7b'  
        ]  
      ]  
    ] >>,  
    / directive-write / 18, 15  
  ] >>  
} >>  
})
```

Encrypted content



Next Steps

- Update context info structure (again)
- Update ES-DH example based on latest t_cose implementation containing the context information structure.
- Add complete example describing SUIT manifest
 - Thanks to hackathon code progress with <https://github.com/kentakayama/libcsuit>
- Then, ready for publication.