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UPnP MediaServer:1 Device	ISO/IEC 29341-3-3
UPnP AVTransport:1 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-3-10
UPnP ConnectionManager:1 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-3-11
UPnP ContentDirectory:1 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-3-12
UPnP RenderingControl:1 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-3-13
UPnP MediaRenderer:2 Device	ISO/IEC 29341-4-2
UPnP MediaServer:2 Device	ISO/IEC 29341-4-3
UPnP AV Datastructure Template:1	ISO/IEC 29341-4-4
UPnP AVTransport:2 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-4-10
UPnP ConnectionManager:2 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-4-11
UPnP ContentDirectory:2 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-4-12
UPnP RenderingControl:2 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-4-13
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UPnP HVAC_UserOperatingMode:1 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-6-17
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UPnP WANDevice:1 Device	ISO/IEC 29341-8-3
UPnP WANConnectionDevice:1 Device	ISO/IEC 29341-8-4
UPnP WLANAccessPointDevice:1 Device	ISO/IEC 29341-8-5
UPnP LANHostConfigManagement:1 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-8-10
UPnP Layer3Forwarding:1 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-8-11
UPnP LinkAuthentication:1 Service	ISO/IEC 29341-8-12
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1. Overview and Scope

This service definition is compliant with the UPnP Device Architecture version 1.0.

This service-type enables modeling of streaming capabilities of A/V devices, and binding of those capabilities between devices. Each device that is able to send or receive a stream according to the UPnP AV device model [ref to dev model] will have 1 instance of the ConnectionManager service. This service provides a mechanism for control points to:

1. Perform capability matching between source/server devices and sink/renderer devices,
2. Find information about currently ongoing transfers in the network,
3. Setup and teardown connections between devices (when required by the streaming protocol).

The ConnectionManager service is generic enough to properly abstract different kinds of streaming mechanisms, such as HTTP-based streaming, RTSP/RTP-based and 1394-based streaming.

The ConnectionManager enables control points to abstract from physical media interconnect technology when making connections. The term ‘stream’ used in this service template refers to both analog and digital data transfer.

1.1. External dependencies

This standard references the following external documents:

- Hypertext Connection Protocol – HTTP/1.1 (<http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2616.txt>)
- MIME (Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions) (<http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc1341.txt>)
- Real Time Streaming Protocol (RTSP) (<http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2326.txt>)
- Realtime Transport Protocol (RTP) (<http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc1889.txt>)
- IEC 61883 Consumer Audio/Video Equipment – Digital Interface - Part 1 to 5 (<http://www.iec.ch/>).
- IEC-PAS 61883 Consumer Audio/Video Equipment – Digital Interface - Part 6 (<http://www.iec.ch/>).

2. Service Modeling Definitions

2.1. ServiceType

The following service type identifies a service that is compliant with this template:

urn:schemas-upnp-org:service:ConnectionManager:1

2.2. State Variables

Table 1: State Variables

Variable Name	Req. or Opt. ¹	Data Type	Allowed Value	Default Value	Eng. Units
SourceProtocolInfo	R	string	CSV ² (string)		
SinkProtocolInfo	R	string	CSV (string)		
CurrentConnectionIDs	R	string	CSV (ui4)		
A_ARG_TYPE_ConnectionStatus	R	string	“OK”, “ContentFormatMismatch”, “InsufficientBandwidth”, “UnreliableChannel”, “Unknown”	n/a	n/a
A_ARG_TYPE_ConnectionManager	R	string		n/a	n/a
A_ARG_TYPE_Direction	R	string	“Output”, “Input”	n/a	n/a
A_ARG_TYPE_ProtocolInfo	R	string		n/a	n/a
A_ARG_TYPE_ConnectionID	R	i4		n/a	n/a
A_ARG_TYPE_AVTransportID	R	i4		n/a	n/a
A_ARG_TYPE_RcsID	R	i4		n/a	n/a

¹ R = Required, O = Optional, X = Non-standard.

2.2.1. SourceProtocolInfo

This variable contains a comma-separated list of information on protocols this ConnectionManager supports for “sourcing” (sending) data, in its current state. Besides the traditional notion of the term ‘protocol’, the protocol-related information provided by the connection also contains other information such as supported content formats. See the Theory of Operation (Section 2.5.2) for a general discussion on the notion of protocol info. See the table in Section 2.5.2 for specific allowed values for this state variable.

2.2.2. SinkProtocolInfo

This variable contains a comma-separated list of information on protocols this ConnectionManager supports for “sinking” (receiving) data, in its current state. The format and allowed value list are the same as for the SourceProtocolInfo state variable.

² CSV stands for Comma-Separated Value list. The type between brackets denotes the UPnP data type used for the elements inside the list. CSV is defined more formally in the ContentDirectory service template.

2.2.3. CurrentConnectionIDs

Comma-separated list of references to current active Connections. This list may change without explicit actions invoked by Control points, for example, by out-of-band cleanup or termination of finished connections.

If optional action PrepareForConnection is not implemented then this state variable should be set to “0”.

2.2.4. A_ARG_TYPE_ConnectionStatus

The current status of the Connection referred to by variable A_ARG_TYPE_ConnectionID. This status may change dynamically due to changes in the network.

2.2.5. A_ARG_TYPE_ConnectionManager

This state variable is introduced to provide type information for the “PeerConnectionManager” parameter in actions PrepareForConnection and GetCurrentConnectionInfo. A ConnectionManager reference takes the form of a UDN/Service-Id pair (the slash is the delimiter). A control point can use UPnP discovery (SSDP) to obtain a ConnectionManager’s description document from the UDN. Subsequently, the ConnectionManager’s service description can be obtained by using the serviceId part of the reference.

2.2.6. A_ARG_TYPE_Direction

This state variable is introduced to provide type information for the “Direction” parameter in action PrepareForConnection.

2.2.7. A_ARG_TYPE_ProtocolInfo

This state variable is introduced to provide type information for the “Protocol” parameter in actions PrepareForConnection and GetCurrentConnectionInfo.

2.2.8. A_ARG_TYPE_ConnectionID

This state variable is introduced to provide type information for the “ConnectionID” parameter in actions: PrepareForConnection, ConnectionComplete and GetCurrentConnectionInfo.

2.2.9. A_ARG_TYPE_AVTransportID

This state variable is introduced to provide type information for the “AVTransportID” parameter in actions: PrepareForConnection and GetCurrentConnectionInfo. It identifies a logical instance of the AVTransport service associated with a Connection. See [ref to Device Model] for more information.

2.2.10. A_ARG_TYPE_RcsID

This state variable is introduced to provide type information for the “RcsID” parameter in actions: PrepareForConnection and GetCurrentConnectionInfo. It identifies a logical instance of the Rendering Control service associated with a Connection. See [ref to Device Model] for more information.