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Foreword

This Technical Specification (TS) has been produced by ETSI Technical Committee TETRA and Critical Communications Evolution (TCCE).

The present document is part 4 of a multi-part deliverable covering the specifications of the TETRA standard encryption, authentication and key management algorithms, as identified below:

- Part 1: "TETRA Encryption Algorithms Set A";
- Part 2: "TETRA Encryption Algorithms TEA Set B";
- Part 3: "TETRA and Authentication and Key Management Algorithms TAA1";
- Part 4: "TETRA Authentication and Key Management Algorithms TAA2".**

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1 Scope

The present document specifies each algorithm in the suite of authentication and key management algorithms TAA2, each designed to meet the requirements set out in the requirements specification [i.1].

2 References

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- [1] [ETSI TS 100 392-7](#): "Terrestrial Trunked Radio (TETRA); Voice plus Data (V+D); Part 7: Security".

2.2 Informative references

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- [i.1] TCCE(22)000038 / TCCE06(22)000018: "Requirements Specification for additions to the TETRA Authentication and Key Management Algorithm Suite, Revision 2".
- [i.2] Daemen, J. and Rijmen, V. (1999): "AES proposal: Rijndael", document version 2. Submission to NIST AES competition (1999).
- [i.3] Black, J., Rogaway, P. and Shrimpton, T. (2002): "Black-Box Analysis of the Block-Cipher-Based Hash-Function Constructions from PGV", in Yung, M. (ed.) Advances in Cryptology - CRYPTO 2002. Berlin, Heidelberg: Springer Berlin Heidelberg (Lecture Notes in Computer Science), pp. 320-335. doi:10.1007/3-540-45708-9-21.
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3 Definition of terms, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Terms

For the purposes of the present document, the following terms apply:

Cipher Key (CK): value used to determine the transformation of plain text to cipher text in a cryptographic algorithm

Encryption Cipher Key (ECK): cipher key used as input to the encryption algorithm where an air interface encryption algorithm from TEA set A is in use

Extended Cipher Key (CKX): value used to determine the transformation of plain text to cipher text in a cryptographic algorithm where an air interface encryption algorithm from TEA set B is in use

Initialization Value (IV): sequence of symbols that randomize the KSG inside the encryption unit

3.2 Symbols

Void.

3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the following abbreviations apply:

CCK-id	CCK identifier
CCKX	eXtended Common Cipher Key
CK	Cipher Key
CKX	eXtended Cipher Key
DCK	Derived Cipher Key

NOTE: DCK1 and DCK2 are components of the Derived Cipher Key.

DCKX	eXtended Derived Cipher Key
ECK	Encryption Cipher Key
GCK	Group Cipher Key
GCKN	Group Cipher Key Number
GCK-VN	GCK-Version Number
GCKX	Extended Group Cipher Key
GSKO	Group Session Key for OTAR
GSKO-VN	GSKO-Version Number
GSKOX	Extended Group Session Key for OTAR
IV	Initialization Value
K2	authentication Key
KS, KS'	Session authentication Key
KSG	Key Stream Generator
KSO	Session Key for OTAR
KSOX	eXtended Session Key for OTAR
MF	Manipulation Flag
MGCKX	eXtended Modified Group Cipher Key
MNI	Mobile Network Identity
RAND1	RANdOm challenge 1
RAND2	RANdOm challenge 2
RES	RESponse
RS	Random Seed
RSO	Random Seed for OTAR
SCCKX	Sealed Extended Common Cipher Key
SCK	Static Cipher Key
SCKN	Static Cipher Key Number
SCK-VN	SCK-Version Number
SCKX	eXtended Static Cipher Key
SGCKX	Sealed Extended Group Cipher Key
SGSKOX	Sealed Extended Group Session Key for OTAR
SSCK	Sealed Static Cipher Key
SSCKX	Sealed Extended Static Cipher Key
TAA1	TETRA Authentication Algorithm set 1
TAA2	TETRA Authentication Algorithm set 2
TEA	TETRA Encryption Algorithm

NOTE: Used with specific numeric algorithm identity e.g. TEA5.

XOR

eXclusive OR

4 Introduction

4.0 General

The set of algorithms TAA2 described in the present document are the associated algorithms used for providing TETRA air interface authentication and key management as specified in detail by ETSI TS 100-392-7 [1].

The present document is organized as follows. Notations and definitions for TAA2 are covered in clauses 4.1 and 5 provides the specification of all TAA2 algorithms.

4.1 Notation and Definitions

The inputs and outputs of the TAA2 algorithms are always sequences of bits. A Boolean value is represented by single bit, with 0 denoting False and 1 denoting True.

The notation $A \parallel B$ has been used to denote concatenation of two sequences of bits A and B, meaning a sequence of bits consisting of the bits of sequence A followed by those of the sequence B.

Many algorithm definitions involve interpreting a sequence of bits, of length $8n$ for some n , as a sequence of bytes of length n , and vice versa. In this correspondence the first bit appears as the most significant bit of the first byte, the second bit as the second most significant bit of the first byte, ..., and the last bit as the least significant bit of the last byte. More precisely, a bit sequence $B[1], \dots, B[8n]$ corresponds to the byte sequence $b[1], \dots, b[n]$,

where $b[i] = 2^7B[8i-7] + 2^6B[8i-6] + \dots + B[8i]$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$

When the length of a sequence of bits is not a multiple of 8, it is represented by the sequence of bytes corresponding to the sequence of bits padded with the smallest number of 0s required to make its length a multiple of 8.

$C(i)$ is used to denote the sequence of 8 bits corresponding to the single byte with integer value i , using the correspondence just defined: so, for example, $C(5)$ is the 8-bit sequence 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1. The argument i is written in decimal.

For any m in the set $\{128, 192, 256\}$ and n in the set $\{128, 192, 224, 256\}$, the notation $Rijndael(Km, Bn)$ is used to denote the variant of Rijndael [i.2] with m -bit key and n -bit block size. Rijndael with block size $n = 224$ is defined in section 12.1 of [i.2].

In [i.2], the Rijndael plaintext block, ciphertext block and key are all expressed as arrays of bytes. In this specification, Rijndael plaintext blocks, ciphertext blocks and keys are referred to as arrays of bits. The correspondence mentioned above applies here, interpreting sequences of bits as sequences of bytes and vice versa.

For any two sequences A and B of bits of the same length, $A \oplus B$ is defined as the bit sequence whose bit in any position is the XOR of the bits from A and B in the corresponding position. This also defines an operation $a \oplus b$ on byte sequences, via our identification of a byte sequence with a corresponding bit sequence.

The notation $Z(n)$ denotes a sequence of n bits, each with value 0.

For some algorithms a function $H(M, n)$ is used to produce an n -bit sequence which is the hash of an m -bit message M , for $m \geq 1$ and $n \geq 256$. H is calculated as follows:

Write $M \parallel Z = M_1 \parallel \dots \parallel M_r$, where $r = \lceil m/256 \rceil$, the smallest integer \geq the floating-point quotient $m / 256$; Z is the sequence of $256r - m$ bits, each 0; and M_1, \dots, M_r are each 256 bits long. (In our applications, r will be either 1 or 2. In each particular application, the length of M will be fixed.)

- 1) Set X to be the sequence of 256 bits, each 0.
- 2) For $i := 1$ to r do:
 - a) Let C be the result of encrypting the block X under Rijndael (K256, B256) with key M_i .

- b) Set $X := C \oplus X$.
- 3) Return the first n bits of X as the function result.

Note that this is construction f5 from [i.3], also widely referred to as the Davies-Meyer scheme.

The function $H(M,n)$ is illustrated in figure 1.

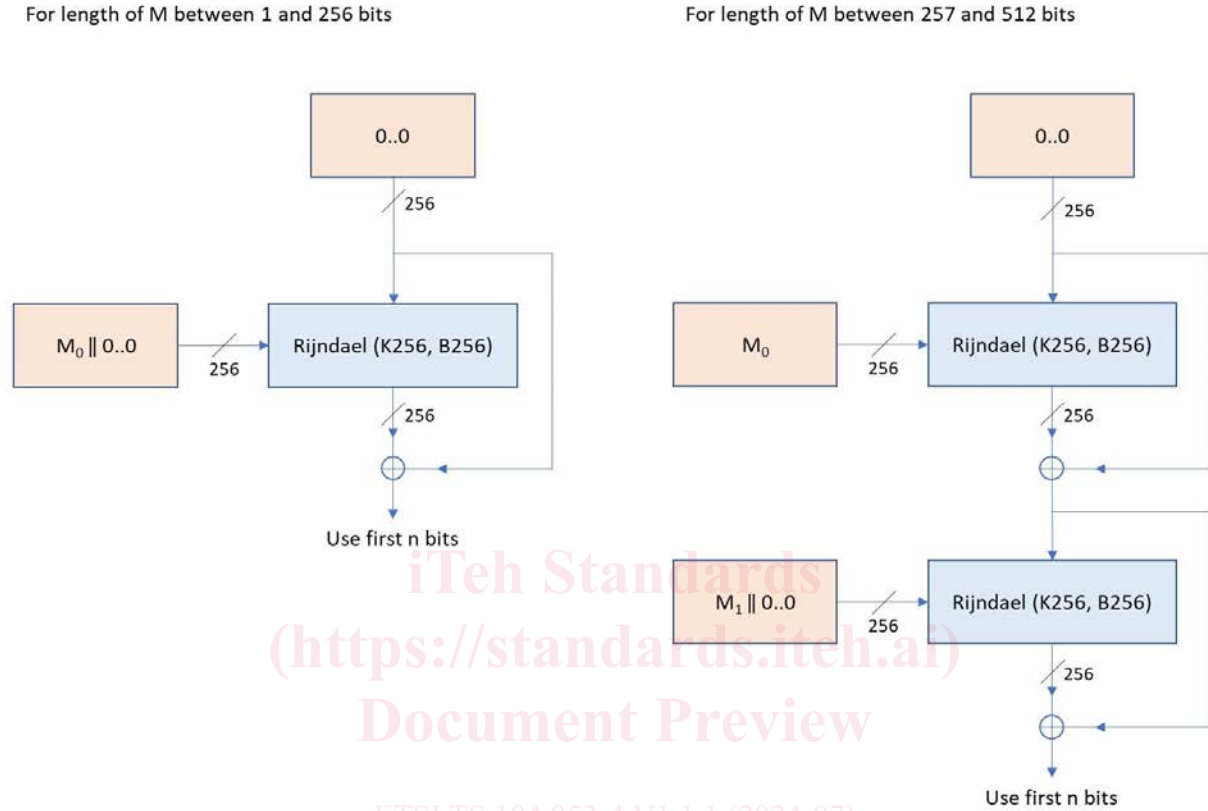


Figure 1: The Function $H(M,n)$

5 Specifications

5.1 TA13

5.1.1 Inputs and Outputs

- Input 1: K2, a sequence of bits of length 256
- Input 2: RS, a sequence of bits of length 80
- Output 1: KS, a sequence of bits of length 128
- Output 2: KS', a sequence of bits of length 128

5.1.2 Algorithm Definition

- Encrypt the block $RS \parallel Z(168) \parallel C(13)$ under Rijndael (K256, B256) with key K2.

Take the first 128 bits of the ciphertext to be KS and the latter 128 bits to be KS' TA13 is illustrated in figure 2.

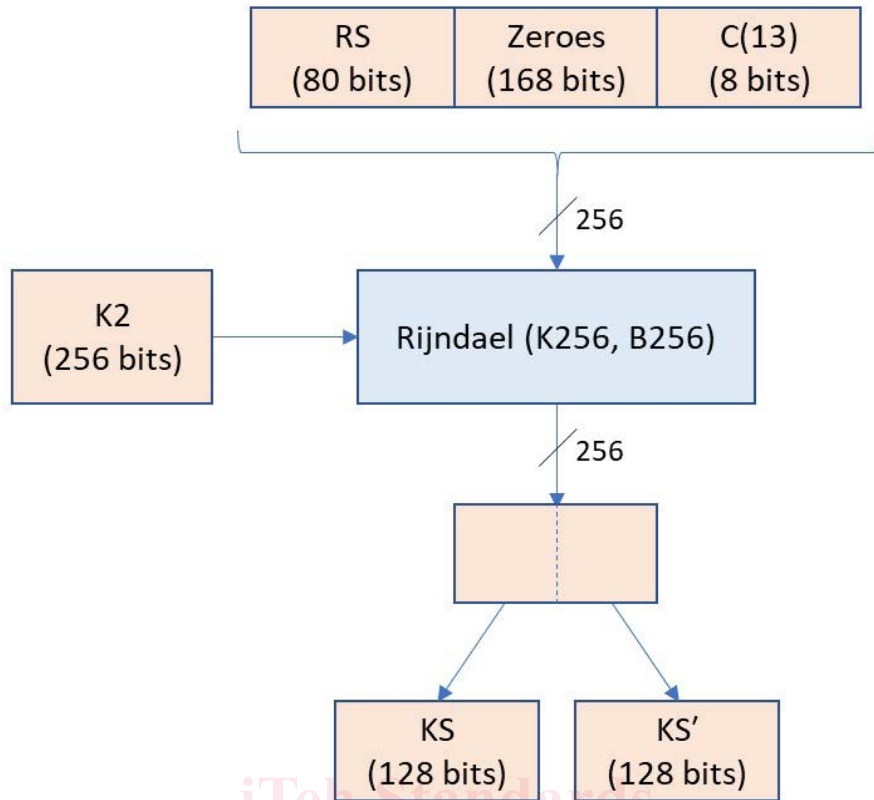


Figure 2: TA13

5.2 TA14

5.2.1 Inputs and Outputs

- Input 1: KS, a sequence of bits of length 128
- Input 2: KS', a sequence of bits of length 128
- Input 3: RAND1, a sequence of bits of length 80
- Input 4: RAND2, a sequence of bits of length 80
- Output: DCKX, a sequence of bits of length 192

5.2.2 Algorithm Definition

- 1) Encrypt the block $\text{RAND1} \parallel \text{RAND2} \parallel \text{Z}(88) \parallel \text{C}(14)$ under Rijndael (K256, B256) with key $\text{KS} \parallel \text{KS}'$.
- 2) Take the first 192 bits of the ciphertext to be DCKX.

TA14 is illustrated in figure 3.

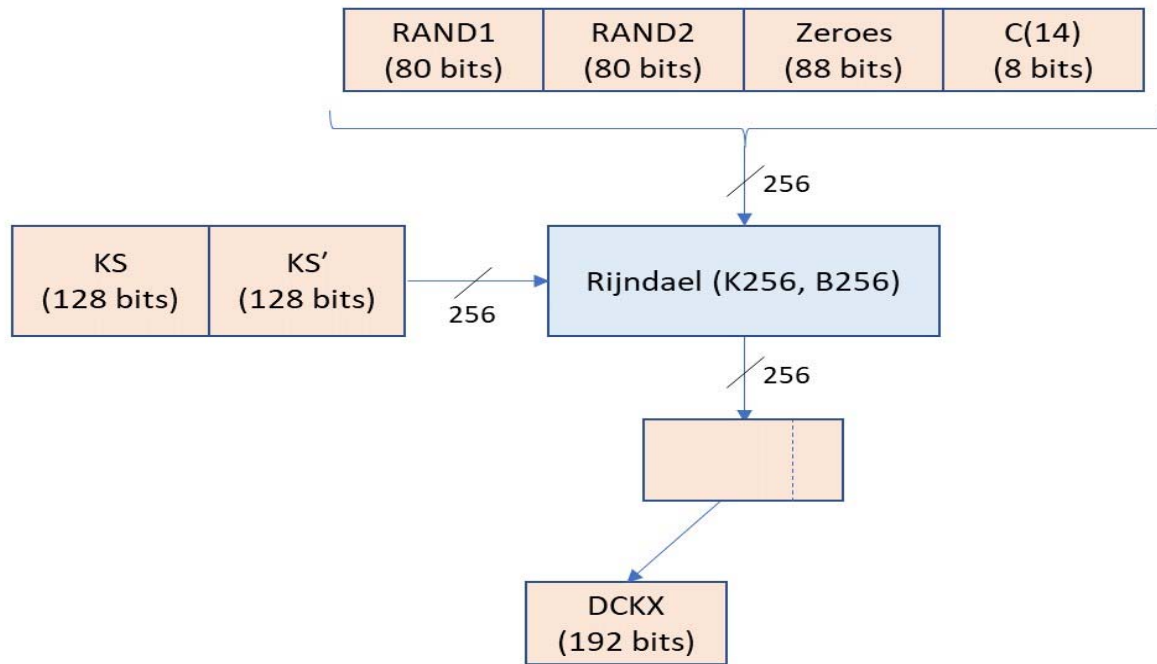


Figure 3: TA14

5.3 TA15

5.3.1 Inputs and Outputs

- Input 1: KS, a sequence of bits of length 128
- Input 2: KS', a sequence of bits of length 128
- Input 3: RAND1, a sequence of bits of length 80
- Output: (X)RES1, a sequence of bits of length 32

5.3.2 Algorithm Definition

- 1) Encrypt the block $\text{RAND1} \parallel \text{Z}(168) \parallel \text{C}(15)$ under Rijndael (K256, B256) with key $\text{KS} \parallel \text{KS}'$.
- 2) Take the first 32 bits of the ciphertext to be (X)RES1.

TA15 is illustrated in figure 4.