

PSOC™ Edge provisioning specification

About this document

Scope and purpose

This application note provides essential information for enabling the provisioning process for the PSOC™ Edge series of devices. It details the certificates, Secure Enclave (SE) RAM application, Edge Protect Tools, and policy information.

Intended audience

This document is intended for users with advanced knowledge of the various components involved in the PSOC™ Edge provisioning process.

This document presumes that you are already familiar with [AN237849 – Getting started with PSOC™ Edge security](#)

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1 Introduction

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Provisioning is the process of injecting authorized keys, certificates, and/or policy configuration into a device. Original equipment manufacturers (OEMs) use the provisioning process to load OEM Root-of-Trust (RoT) keys, OEM certificates, and OEM policies into the PSOC™ Edge device. The provisioning of OEM keys, certificates, and policies transfers device ownership from Infineon to the OEM. It can also be used to replace the extended boot image on the device or transition to the production lifecycle.

PSOC™ Edge devices can be provisioned using Infineon's Edge Protect Tools package, which creates and downloads a signed provisioning packet into the device. This provisioning packet includes an SE RAM application capable of performing the provisioning, along with input parameters for the SE RAM application, such as the policy file, keys, certificates, and the extended boot image (optional).

This document provides detailed information about the various types of certificates, policies, SE RAM application, and downloadable module (DLM) packages, all of which are included in or generated by Edge Protect Tools.

1.1 Provisioning overview

The provisioning process enables the OEM to configure several boot and debug related policy configurations. As a primary step, the OEM is required to 'own' the device before making any changes to the Infineon default policies on the device. To take ownership of the device, the OEM needs to generate its own keys and certificate, and provision the device with these, as shown in **Step 1** of [Figure 1](#). This step can be performed whenever the OEM needs to change the root of trust (RoT) keys on the device, even while the device is in the development lifecycle stage (LCS). After the transfer of ownership is completed, the OEM must then use the OEM_ROT_KEY to perform further provisioning of the device for the purpose of policy modification as shown in **Step 2** of [Figure 1](#). There are no restrictions on the number of times the device can be provisioned in the development lifecycle stage. Therefore, provisioning can be utilized to carry out the following operations on the device:

- Replace keys and certificates
- Replace the OEM policy file
- Replace the extended boot

The device can then be provisioned 'one' time to transition into the production lifecycle by using the production certificate. After the device is moved into the production lifecycle stage, it cannot be returned to the development LCS and the OEM_ROT_KEY can no longer be changed through provisioning.

Note: *For PSA L4 compliance, cryptographic keys and certificates outside of the product, used for example for product personalization, shall be handled by the OEM in a secure way. Actors in charge of product management, for instance product personalization, shall be trusted personnel.*

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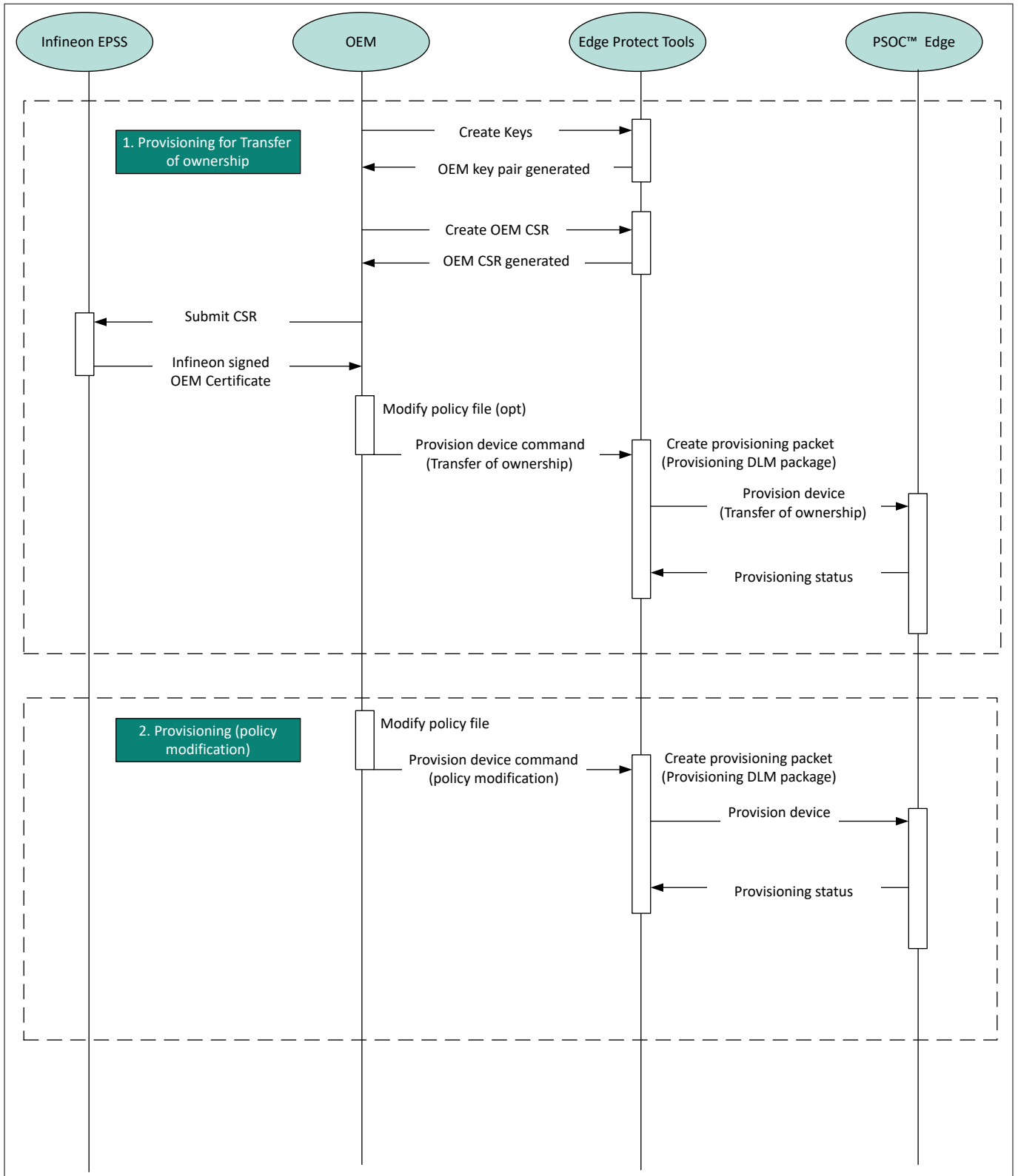


Figure 1 Provisioning overview

See Section "Getting started" in [AN237849 – Getting started with PSOC™ Edge security](#) for detailed steps on initiating the provisioning process.

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1.2 Re-provisioning

While in the production lifecycle stage (LCS), the device can only be re-provisioned if the re-provisioning policy for the specific policy field has been configured accordingly. For more details, see [Re-provisioning policy](#).

2 Certificates

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A digital certificate or a public-key certificate can be used by any entity to establish the ownership of a public key. Certificates contain a public key, information about the public key, identity of its owner, and the signature of the certificate authority (CA) that verifies the content of the certificate. A certificate signing request (CSR) is a request sent from the entity that owns the public key to the certificate authority to verify the information provided in the CSR and generate the certificate. There are different kinds of certificates and CSR that are used in the context of PSOC™ Edge devices.

Table 1 Certificates

Certificate	Purpose
OEM certificate	This contains the OEM_ROT_PUBLIC_KEY, which is signed by the Infineon CA and provisioned by the OEM to transfer the ownership of the device. See OEM certificate
OEM CSR	This is a self-signed certificate signing request sent from the OEM to the Infineon CA to generate the OEM certificate. See OEM CSR
Device certificate	This contains the DICE_DeviceID public key and certifies that the device is a genuine Infineon device. The certificate is signed by the Infineon manufacturing CA and is provisioned during the Infineon device manufacturing process. See Device certificate
Alias certificate	This contains the Alias public key and is signed by the DICE_DeviceID private key. This certificate is generated on the device and updated every time the device is re-provisioned on the field. This can be used for device attestation purposes. See Alias certificate
Infineon manufacturing certificate	This certificate contains the Infineon manufacturing public key, and is self-signed with the Infineon manufacturing private key. This certificate is also stored in the device during the manufacturing process and can be retrieved by the user. See Infineon manufacturing certificate

For PSOC™ Edge devices, the certificates use the CBOR/COSE format. See the [Appendix](#) section for more details. The device ownership is transferred to the OEM when the device is provisioned with the OEM Certificate. This certificate is signed by Infineon through Edge Protect Signing Service and is verified by the device after provisioning. This process ensures that only Infineon approved OEM certificate can be provisioned on the device. OEM certificate contains the OEM root of trust public Key. The OEM root of trust private key must be protected by the OEM and used during provisioning of the device to sign the OEM policy, and also to sign the user application images before programming, in case secure boot is enabled.

For device attestation purposes, the alias certificate can be used. Alias certificate can be verified with the DICE_DeviceID public key, which can be extracted from the device certificate. Device certificate can be verified with the manufacturing public key, which is extracted from the manufacturing certificate. These certificates are stored in the protected nonvolatile memory (NVM) region. See [Certificate verification](#) for certificate verification steps.

Note: *Alias key pair and DICE_DeviceID key pair are only accessible through the Secure Enclave runtime services (SE RT) available on an edge protect category (EPC) 4 part. On an EPC 2 part, a copy of the alias key pair generated during manufacturing is stored in the NVM as IAK_LITE_KEY.*

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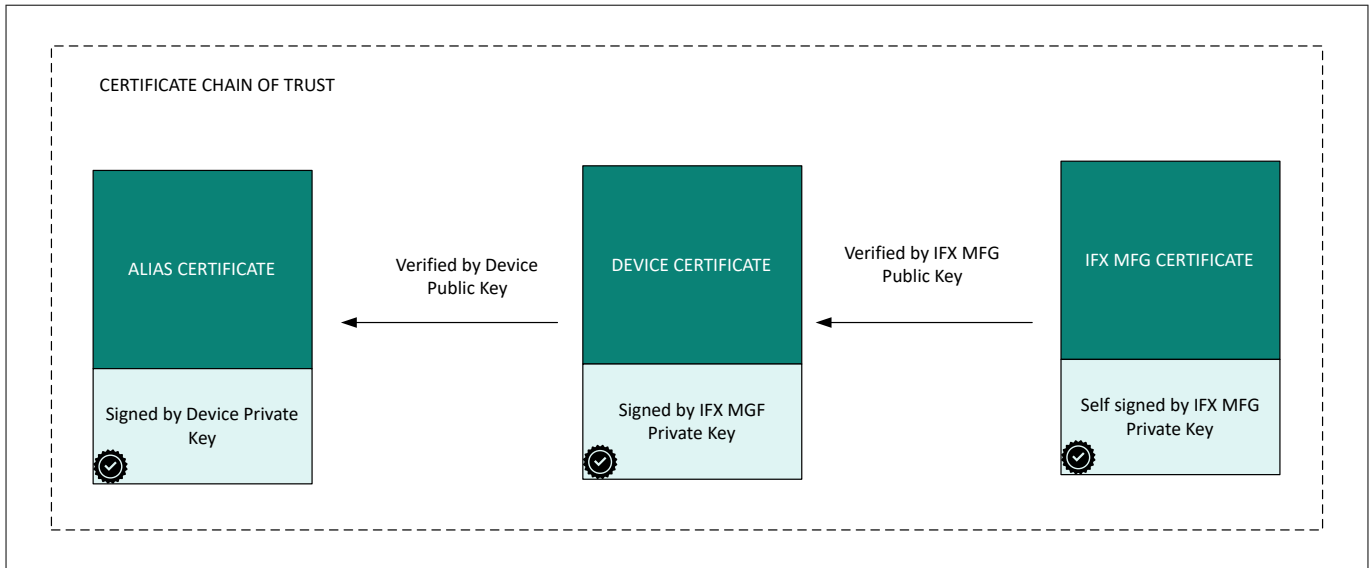


Figure 2 Certificate chain of trust (CoT)

2.1 OEM certificate

The OEM certificate contains the OEM_ROT_PUBLIC_KEY and enables the OEM to take ownership of the device. This certificate must be signed by the IFX_ROT_KEY, and generated by Infineon's Edge Protect Signing Service (EPSS) based on the CSR uploaded by the OEM. For more detailed instructions on generating the OEM CSR and OEM certificate, see AN237849 – Getting started with PSOC™ Edge security.

The OEM certificate can be of two types:

- **Development certificate:** The development OEM certificate contains the OEM_ROT_PUBLIC_KEY that is used by the OEM during the development LCS of the device. In the development lifecycle, the device can be provisioned multiple times to change the policy and/or keys, and can also be restored to Infineon default policy settings. When the development certificate is used, the keys are stored in a mutable memory and the lifecycle of the device remains unchanged. Development OEM keys do not need to be secured and can be replaced at any time by the OEM
- **Production certificate:** The production OEM certificate is used to transition the device from the development to production LCS. This certificate must contain the production OEM_ROT_PUBLIC_KEY that will be stored in the immutable memory region. Two sets of the OEM_ROT_KEYS are supported to enable key revocation in the event of a security breach. The production OEM ROT keys, used for production devices, must be securely stored and used by the OEM. These keys cannot be replaced by provisioning

Table 2 OEM certificate fields

Item	Field	Example value	Data type	Description
1	VERSION	1	String	Certificate version
2	TEMPLATE_TYPE	OEM_CERT	String	Certificate template
3	CERTIFICATE_NAME	OEM_CSR	String	Certificate name
4	TYPE	DEVELOPMENT	String	Certificate type. Applicable values: DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION
5	ISSUER	Dummy Corp.	String	Certificate issuer
6	ID	ABCDEF	HEX	Certificate (unique) ID

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Table 2 (continued) OEM certificate fields

Item	Field	Example value	Data type	Description
7	DATE	2023-09-19 15:24:47	String	The date of creation of the certificate
8	ALGORITHM	ES256	String	Key algorithm. Applicable values: ES256, ES384
9	SIGNER_ID	Dummy_OEM	String	Certificate signer ID
10	PUBLIC_KEY_0	049A0BFAC2727E7...	HEX	OEM_ROT public key 0
11	PUBLIC_KEY_1	049A0BFAC2727E7...	HEX	OEM_ROT public key 1
12	OEM	Dummy_OEM	String	OEM name
12	PROJECT	Dummy_Project	String	Project name
13	PROJECT_NUMBER	123	String	Project number

The OEM certificate generated by Infineon's EPSS will be in the COSE format. A JSON representation of the same is shown in the following code block:

OEM certificate in JSON format

```

{
  "VERSION": "1",
  "TEMPLATE_TYPE": "OEM_CERT",
  "CERTIFICATE_NAME": "OEM_CSR",
  "TYPE": "DEVELOPMENT",
  "ISSUER": "Dummy Corp.",
  "ID": "h'ABCDEF",
  "DATE": "2023-09-19 15:24:47",
  "ALGORITHM": "ES256",
  "SIGNER_ID": "555",
  "PUBLIC_KEY_0":
h'04C55A85F02FDF5D2256397C7C154DAF2AECDBB56403F4ED279D47AAACE1D9270063BFB09AB8CFFE8DC2172DC354D37
7495ECFE2FE0C8A55E3B8F521F79FF874CBB',
  "PUBLIC_KEY_1":
h'04504D54E877726B856CF59940CCE458DA85F805FE1AC4CDEF692B598B3CE11E772C841F2F6C09998090E5D85C468B
BE85431FE4EFBA6AED8D9777E2E46A92C84D',
  "OEM": "Dummy_OEM",
  "PROJECT": "Dummy_Project",
  "PROJECT_NUMBER": "123"
}
    
```

2.2 OEM CSR

The OEM certificate signing request (CSR) must be generated by the OEM with the OEM_ROT_PUBLIC_KEY and other relevant information. The CSR is signed by the OEM_ROT_PRIVATE_KEY. OEM CSR can be generated using the Edge Protect Tools. The OEM CSR must be submitted to [Infineon's Edge Protect Signing Service](#) (EPSS) to generate the OEM certificate.

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Table 3 OEM CSR fields

Item	Field	Example value	Data type	Description
1	VERSION	1	String	Certificate version
2	TEMPLATE_TYPE	OEM_CSR	String	Certificate type
3	CERTIFICATE_NAME	-	-	Not applicable
4	OEM	Dummy_OEM	String	OEM name
5	PROJECT	Dummy_Project	String	Project name
6	PROJECT_NUMBER	123	String	Project number
7	ISSUER	Dummy Corp.	String	Certificate issuer
8	SIGNER_ID	555	String	Signer ID
9	ALGORITHM	ES256	String	Key algorithm. Applicable values: ES256, ES384
10	PUBLIC_KEY_0	"keys/ oem_public_key_0.pem"	String	Path to the ECDSA P-256 public key or a 65-byte hex string
11	PUBLIC_KEY_1	"keys/ oem_public_key_1.pem"	String	Path to the ECDSA P-256 public key or a 65-byte hex string
12	TYPE	DEVELOPMENT	String	Certificate type. Applicable values: DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION
13	DATE	2023-09-19 15:24:47	String	The date of creation of the certificate in the format: YYYY-MM-DD hh:mm:ss. If not provided, the system time will be used
14	ID	ABCDEF	HEX	Certificate (unique) ID

The OEM CSR generated by the Edge Protect Tools will be in the CBOR Object Signing and Encryption (COSE) format. A JSON representation of the same is shown in the following code block:

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OEM CSR in JSON format

```

{
  "VERSION": "1",
  "TEMPLATE_TYPE": "OEM_CSR",
  "CERTIFICATE_NAME": "",
  "OEM": "Dummy_OEM",
  "PROJECT": "Dummy_Project",
  "PROJECT_NUMBER": "123",
  "ISSUER": "Dummy Corp.",
  "SIGNER_ID": "555",
  "ALGORITHM": "ES256",
  "PUBLIC_KEY_0": "keys/oem_public_key_0.pem",
  "PUBLIC_KEY_1": "keys/oem_public_key_1.pem",
  "TYPE": "DEVELOPMENT",
  "DATE": "2023-09-19 15:24:47",
  "ID": h'ABCDEF'
}
    
```

2.3 Device certificate

Devices must authenticate themselves to services, establish secure communications, and attest to their security configuration. DICE_DeviceID is computed during device provisioning at the Infineon factory and the DICE_DeviceID public key is certified by Infineon's manufacturing CA to form the Infineon device certificate. The private section of the DICE_DeviceID is never exposed outside of the Secure Enclave to user code (both secure and non-secure), but it can be used for crypto operations on the EPC 4 parts via the Secure Enclave runtime (SE RT) services library.

The Infineon device certificate can be used to check the authenticity of the device and for attestation purposes (for EPC 4 devices). This certificate contains the DICE_DeviceID public key and device-specific information. You can extract the DICE_DeviceID public key from this certificate and use it to verify any device information that is signed by the DICE_DeviceID private key. For example, the alias certificate is signed by the DICE_DeviceID private key and this certificate can be verified by using the DICE_DeviceID public key.

The device certificate is signed by Infineon manufacturing private key and stored into the protected NVM region during the device manufacturing.

The device certificate can be read from the device. See the [device architecture reference manual](#) for more information. It is also returned as part of the device integrity exam response. See the [Appendix](#) section for details on the device integrity exam.

Table 4 Device certificate fields

Item	Field	Example value	Data type	Description
1	VERSION	1	String	Certificate version
2	TEMPLATE_TYPE	DEVICE_CERT	String	Certificate type
3	CERTIFICATE_NAME	–	–	Certificate name
4	TYPE	–	–	Not applicable
5	ISSUER	IFX	String	Certificate issuer
6	ID	ABCDEF	HEX	Certificate (unique) ID

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Table 4 (continued) Device certificate fields

Item	Field	Example value	Data type	Description
7	DATE	2023-09-19 15:24:47	String	The date of creation of the certificate
8	ALGORITHM	ES256	String	Key algorithm. Applicable values: ES256, ES384
9	SIGNER_ID	555	String	Certificate signer ID
10	PUBLIC_KEY_0	049A0BFAC2727E7...	HEX	DICE_DeviceID public key
11	DIE_ID	00000000000000000000	HEX	DIE_ID identifies LOT (3-byte) + WAFER (1-byte) + XY (2-byte) + SORT (1-byte) + DATE (3-byte) of DIE = (10-byte)
12	FAMILY_ID	0x1501	HEX	Device family ID
13	REVISION_ID	0x21	HEX	Device revision ID
14	ROM_BOOT_VERSION	1.0.0.6775	String	Version of ROM_BOOT on the device
15	RRAM_BOOT_VERSION	1.0.0.6775	String	Version of the RRAM_BOOT on the device

The device certificate will be in the COSE format. A JSON representation of the same is shown in the following code block:

Device certificate in JSON format

```

{
  "VERSION": "1",
  "TEMPLATE_TYPE": "DEVICE_CERT",
  "CERTIFICATE_NAME": "",
  "TYPE": "",
  "ISSUER": "Acme Corp.",
  "ID": h'ABCDEF',
  "DATE": "2023-09-19 15:24:47",
  "ALGORITHM": "ES256",
  "SIGNER_ID": "555",
  "PUBLIC_KEY_0":
h'044E2828176CA3D61D34F23C433003222C3BA8B53A1C28AB2CA96A91964C7AC4D7E514E7FA2754A5E7E694FC2BB912
EA704210D501B3556E7FFF1869C4B404F4FC',
  "DIE_ID": h'00000000000000000000',
  "FAMILY_ID": h'1501',
  "REVISION_ID": h'21',
  "ROM_BOOT_VERSION": "2.0.0.6775",
  "RRAM_BOOT_VERSION": "2.0.0.6775"
}
    
```

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2.4 Alias certificate

The alias certificate is utilized to certify the alias public key as the root credential for the device. This certificate is signed by the DICE_DeviceID private key. As a result, the alias certificate forms a chain back to the device certificate and ultimately to the Infineon manufacturing CA.

Alias keys can be used to sign attestation messages with ALIAS_PRIVATE_KEY as the device's root key. The alias and device certificates can be shared along with the signed messages. The recipient of the attestation message can validate the message signature by extracting the ALIAS_PUBLIC_KEY from the alias certificate.

The alias certificate can be verified using the DICE_DeviceID public key that is extracted from the device certificate.

In the development LCS, the alias key pair is generated once at the Infineon factory during manufacturing. It is not regenerated again in the development LCS. When the device transitions to the production LCS, the alias key pair is regenerated. It is also regenerated in the production LCS, if there is any device update.

The alias certificate is stored in the protected NVM region and can be retrieved. See the [device architecture reference manual](#) for more information.

The alias certificate is also returned as part of the device integrity exam response. See the [Appendix](#) section for details on the device integrity exam.

Note: For EPC 2 devices, the alias key pair within the Secure Enclave is not accessible. During Infineon factory manufacturing, a copy of the alias key pair is stored in the MAIN NVM region, referred as IAK_LITE keys. IAK LITE keys can be used for initial attestation purposes. See the [device architecture reference manual](#).

Table 5 Alias certificate fields

Item	Field	Example value	Data type	Description
1	VERSION	1	String	Certificate version
2	TEMPLATE_TYPE	ALIAS_CERT	String	Certificate type
3	CERTIFICATE_NAME	00000000000000000000000000000000_ALIAS	String	Certificate name
4	TYPE	-		Not Applicable
5	ISSUER	00000000000000000000000000000000_ALIAS	String	Not Applicable
6	ID	00000000000000000000000000000000	HEX	Certificate (unique) ID
7	DATE		String	The date of creation of the certificate
8	ALGORITHM	ES256	String	Key algorithm. Applicable values: ES256, ES384
9	SIGNER_ID	00000000000000000000000000000000	String	Not Applicable
10	PUBLIC_KEY_0	048EEF4826086A...	HEX	ALIAS public key
11	BASE_SE_RTS_VERSION	1.0.0.2114	String	Version of Basic RT services on the device
12	SE_RTS_VERSION	1.0.0.2114	String	Version of SE RT services on the device
12	EXTENDED_BOOT_VERSION	1.1.0.1656	String	Version of Extended boot on the device
13	SILICON_ID	0xabcd	HEX	Silicon ID

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The alias certificate will be in the COSE format. A JSON representation of the same is shown in the following code block:

Alias certificate in JSON format

```

{
  "VERSION": "1",
  "TEMPLATE_TYPE": "ALIAS_CERT",
  "CERTIFICATE_NAME": "00000000000000000000000000000000_ALIAS",
  "ISSUER": "00000000000000000000000000000000_ALIAS",
  "ID": h'00000000000000000000000000000000',
  "DATE": "",
  "ALGORITHM": "ES256",
  "SIGNER_ID": "00000000000000000000000000000000",
  "PUBLIC_KEY_0":
h'0492F2248FB942F42936CD873D1F045C3164CB95D7A485EC056FC026634A1A0C3F7BFCBE213E812BB40ED4C789AD2F
8ACC5705C47A849F951CF7DE9F51D2F0D791',
  "BASE_SE_RTS_VERSION": "1.0.0.2114",
  "SE_RTS_VERSION": "1.0.0.2114",
  "EXTENDED_BOOT_VERSION": "1.1.0.1656",
  "SILICON_ID": h'81ED'
}
    
```

2.5 Infineon manufacturing certificate

Infineon manufacturing key is used to sign the device certificate during the manufacturing of a device at the Infineon factory. The manufacturing certificate contains the public key that can be used to verify the device certificate and the manufacturing certificate itself. The Infineon manufacturing certificate acts like a CA and certifies the chain of trust up to the alias certificate.

Table 6 Manufacturing certificate fields

Item	Field	Example value	Data type	Description
1	VERSION	1	String	Certificate version
2	TEMPLATE_TYPE	MANUFACTURING_CERT	String	Certificate template type
3	CERTIFICATE_NAME	-	String	Certificate name
4	TYPE	-		Certificate type
5	ISSUER	IFX	String	Certificate issuer
6	ID	ABCDEF	HEX	Certificate (unique) ID
7	DATE	2024-12-17 09:42:40	String	The date of creation of the certificate
8	ALGORITHM	ES256	String	Key algorithm. Applicable values: ES256, ES384
9	SIGNER_ID	555	String	OEM ID
10	PUBLIC_KEY_0	048EEF4826086A...	HEX	Manufacturing public key
11	MFG	IFX	String	Manufacturer name

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The device certificate will be in the COSE format. A JSON representation of the same is shown in the following code block:

Device certificate in JSON format

```
{
  "VERSION": "1",
  "TEMPLATE_TYPE": "MANUFACTURING_CERT",
  "CERTIFICATE_NAME": "",
  "TYPE": "",
  "ISSUER": "IFX",
  "ID": h'ABCDEF',
  "DATE": "2024-12-17 09:42:40",
  "ALGORITHM": "ES256",
  "SIGNER_ID": "555",
  "PUBLIC_KEY_0":
h'045FAC10294FDB0BDBB90F6C8960AAC940212074E02FEA96CC84C36CA288BA90D8F9F315A68FD115B708CE177AEC9E
1AB4D4F7D2A49C92EDA9B3CEC2D466497FA5',
  "MFG": "IFX"
}
```

2.6 Certificate verification

Follow these steps to verify the device certificate:

1. Retrieve the certificates by running an integrity-exam

```
edgeprotecttools -t pse8xs2 integrity-exam --device-cert dev_cert.cbor --alias-cert
alias_cert.cbor --chain-of-trust manufacturing_cert.cbor
```

- Note:**
- Alternatively you can read the certificate from the device memory and convert it to *.cbor format. See the [device architecture reference manual](#) for the memory address
 - Use target '-t pse8xs4' for EPC4 device

2. Extract the manufacturing pub key from the manufacturing certificate

```
edgeprotecttools cbor2json -i manufacturing_cert_0.cbor | grep -i "PUBLIC_KEY_0" | awk
-F":" '{print $2}' | tr -d "\ h ," > manufacturing_pub_key.txt
```

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3. Copy key data from manufacturing_pub_key.txt to ./keys/ec_key_tmpl.json

```
{  
  
  "description": "This is a template for creating a JWK file containing EC public key based  
  on a key public numbers (CURVE=secp256r1)",  
  
  "pub":  
  "04A9C071DFFBB18CF8CC23C33A071908B3A1717E0D97D37EC4F6496A5D5E8DB7063E0FB0F5EAA6420F3F6CD2A  
  B2FC5648394D20D9883DFA93E20E447A7D7693A2C"  
  
}
```

4. Convert key to PEM format

```
edgeprotecttools --no-interactive-mode create-key --key-type ECDSA-P384 --template keys/  
ec_key_tmpl.json --format PEM -o manufacturing_pub_key.pem
```

5. Verify manufacturing certificate using the manufacturing public key

```
edgeprotecttools cose-verify -i manufacturing_cert_0.cbor --key manufacturing_pub_key.pem
```

6. Verify the device certificate using the manufacturing public key

```
edgeprotecttools cose-verify -i dev_cert.cbor --key manufacturing_pub_key.pem
```

7. Extract the device public key from the device certificate

```
edgeprotecttools cbor2json -i dev_cert.cbor | grep -i "PUBLIC_KEY_0" | awk -F":" '{print  
$2}' | tr -d "\' h ," > device_pub_key.txt
```

8. Copy key data from device_pub_key.txt to ./keys/ec_key_tmpl.json

```
{  
  
  "description": "This is a template for creating a JWK file containing EC public key based  
  on a key public numbers (CURVE=secp256r1)",  
  
  "pub":  
  "04A9C071DFFBB18CF8CC23C33A071908B3A1717E0D97D37EC4F6496A5D5E8DB7063E0FB0F5EAA6420F3F6CD2A  
  B2FC5648394D20D9883DFA93E20E447A7D7693A2C"  
  
}
```


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9. Convert key to PEM format

```
edgeprotecttools --no-interactive-mode create-key --key-type ECDSA-P256 --template keys/
ec_key_tmpl.json --format PEM -o device_pub_key.pem
```

10. Verify an alias certificate using the device public key

```
edgeprotecttools cose-verify -i alias_cert.cbor --key device_pub_key.pem
```

2.7 Decoding COSE certificates

Certificates will be stored in the COSE format and you can decode the certificate by making use of CBOR/COSE decoders.

Follow these steps to read the device certificate using ModusToolbox™ and decode using [CBOR playground](#).

1. Export to text file from the ModusToolbox™ memory window. See the [architecture reference manual](#) for memory address and sizes of the certificates

```
2D010000D28444A1013822A058C1A67819444943455F4445564943455F49445F
5055424C49435F4B4559584104D299902AC1394F6F50A5A74039C7FA3248D81B
A9BE73354F5414057493D503D6D6D8CF792DC62A4AB73B7B6B149B4AB015C1CD
357C242AB3CE3D516714256D45664449455F49444A8EA6FCAA0203010C0A1770
524F4D5F424F4F545F56455253494F4E48010000007F0F0000715252414D5F42
4F4F545F56455253494F4E4801000000C11100006946414D494C595F49444232
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6018A6D9637722AF712FC29B18883B22602B1E81D700000000000000000000
```

2. Copy paste the COSE data without 4-byte length to the right side of the page at [CBOR](#) and press the left arrow button as shown in [Figure 3](#). The COSE certificate will be decoded into the CBOR data and signature

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Figure 3 Decoding COSE certificate

- Copy the CBOR part, highlighted on the left-hand side shown in [Figure 3](#), and paste again to the right side of the page at [CBOR](#) and press the left arrow button. See the decoded certificate fields on the left-hand side of the CBOR page

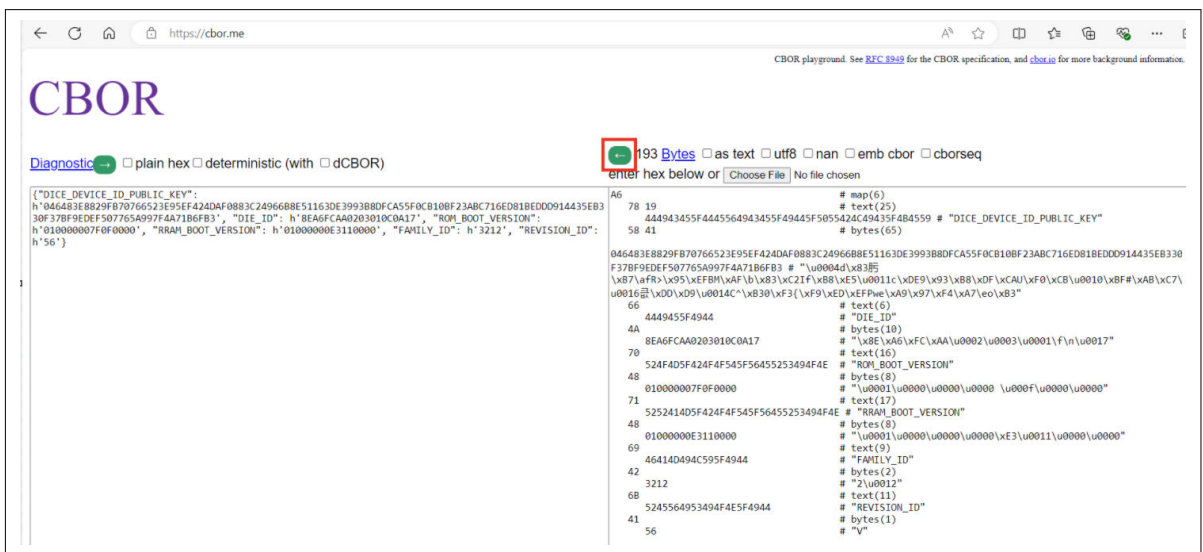


Figure 4 Decoding CBOR data

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The PSOC™ Edge device's boot configuration is dictated by a policy file. All policy configurations are applied during device boot up by the Infineon boot firmware (RRAM boot + Extended boot). In the Infineon factory, the device is provisioned with a set of default policy configurations. This default policy is packaged as a part of the Edge Protect Tools package and contains different sections that can be broadly classified into the three OEM policy sections:

- Debug policy
- Re-provisioning policy
- Extended boot policy

The policy file also includes a section where the extended boot image location (on the host PC) can be specified in case the extended boot image requires an update. Additionally, there are sections where the OEM can input user certificates, user keys, and OEM_ROT_KEY revocation requests.

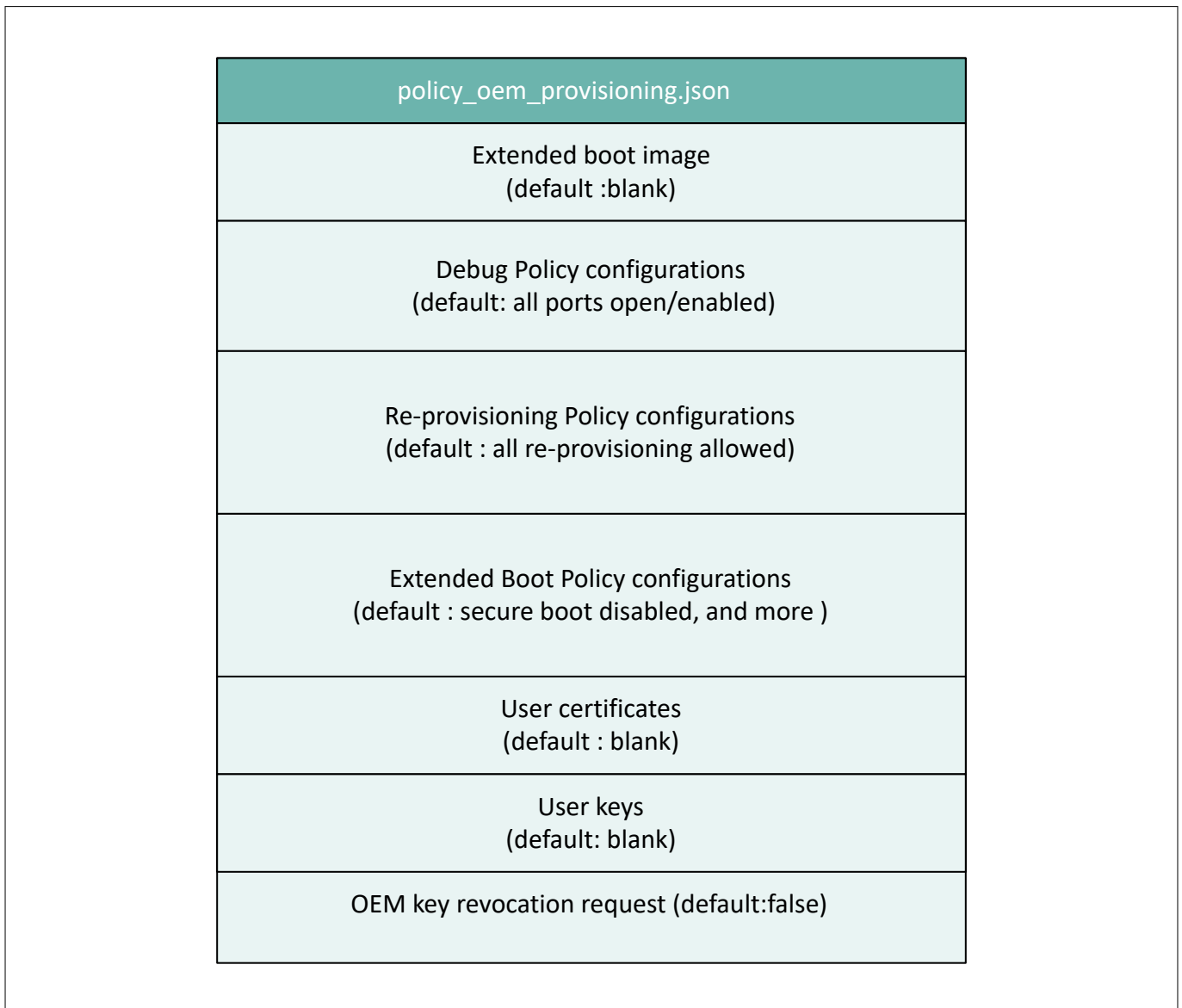


Figure 5 OEM policy file

Once the Edge Protect Tools package is initialized on the host PC, see the JSON policy in the <application-directory>/policy/policy_oem_provisioning.json file. This file can be edited using any text editor to customize the policy.

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The JSON policy file that contains the provisioning data or reference to it, is converted into a CBOR packet that contains all provisioning data by Edge Protect Tools. This packet is then signed accordingly to the COSE format and the final packet is sent to the device during provisioning by Edge Protect Tools. The SE RAM application on the device then receives the packet, verifies the packet's signature, and process the CBOR payload to get data for the provisioning. Typically, the SE RAM application processes provisioning data to convert it to the asset format stored on the device.

3.1 Debug policy

The debug policy configuration is used by the OEM to enable or disable debug ports. Infineon's default policy configuration enables and opens up all the debug configurations.

In the development LCS, the system access port (SYS-AP) always remains open (even if configured as disabled by the policy file). This is to ensure that the device can always be recovered through the SYS-AP and will not be bricked during development. All other debug ports can be closed during the development phase to closely emulate the production device.

For a production device, it is recommended to close all debug ports for optimum device security.

Note: *CM55 debug is not controlled by the policy configuration. It should be controlled by the secured CM33 user application.*

The default policy configurations are shown in the following code block:

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Debug default policy configuration

```

"debug": {
  "cm33": {
    "cpu": {
      "description": "CPU access port debug restriction",
      "applicable_conf": "Disabled, Enabled, Allowed",
      "value": "Enabled"
    },
    "allowed": {
      "description": "Indicates who is allowed to access the AP. The option is applicable when
CPU control is 'Allowed'",
      "applicable_conf": "Firmware, Certificate, Open",
      "value": "Open"
    },
    "dbgen": {
      "description": "Invasive Debug. It implies non-invasive is also enabled",
      "value": true
    },
    "niden": {
      "description": "Non-Invasive Debug (monitoring without control)",
      "value": true
    },
    "spiden": {
      "description": "Secure Privileged Invasive Debug. The control field is not applicable in
NORMAL_NO_SECURE LCS",
      "value": true
    },
    "spniden": {
      "description": "Secure Privileged Non-Invasive Debug. The control field is not applicable
in NORMAL_NO_SECURE LCS",
      "value": true
    },
    "secure": {
      "description": "Secure Privileged Debug. The control field is not applicable in
NORMAL_NO_SECURE LCS",
      "value": true
    }
  },
  "system": {
    "ap": {
      "description": "System access port (SYS-AP) restriction",
      "applicable_conf": "Disabled, Enabled, Allowed",
      "value": "Enabled"
    },
    "allowed": {
      "description": "Indicates who is allowed to access the AP. The option is applicable when
AP control is 'Allowed'",
      "applicable_conf": "Firmware, Certificate, Open",
      "value": "Open"
    },
    "mpc_ppc_enable": {
      "description": "Indicates that the MPC/PPC on the system access port must be programmed

```

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```

and locked according to the settings in the next 4 fields.",
  "value": true
},
"rram_otp_enable": {
  "description": "This field indicates if access is allowed to general purpose OTP",
  "applicable_conf": "Entire region, Nothing",
  "value": "Entire region"
},
"rram_nvm_enable": {
  "description": "This field indicates what portion of RRAM MAIN_NVM (including reclaimed
area of PROTECTED_NVM but excluding MAIN_NVM Region 0 and Region 1)",
  "applicable_conf": "Entire region, 7/8th, 3/4th, 1/2, 1/4th, 1/8th, 1/16th, Nothing",
  "value": "Entire region"
},
"ram_enable": {
  "description": "This field indicates what portion of SRAM is accessible through the
system access port. Only a portion of SRAM starting at the bottom of the area is exposed, like
the 'rram_nvm' option",
  "applicable_conf": "Entire region, 7/8th, 3/4th, 1/2, 1/4th, 1/8th, 1/16th, Nothing",
  "value": "Entire region"
},
"mmio_enable": {
  "description": "This field indicates what portion of the MMIO region is accessible
through the system access port",
  "applicable_conf": "All MMIO registers, Only IPC MMIO, RAM app only, No MMIO access",
  "value": "All MMIO registers"
}
},
"rma": {
  "permission": {
    "description": "Permission for transition to RMA LCS",
    "value": true
  }
},
"debug_key": {
  "description": "ECDSA public key, used to verify debug token. Use the path to the ECDSA
P-256 public key or a 65-byte hex string",
  "value": ""
}
},

```

3.2 Re-provisioning policy

Once the PSOC™ Edge device transitions into the production LCS, only the policy fields set to 'true' in the re-provisioning policy are permitted to be changed through the re-provisioning process.

The default policy configurations are shown in the following code block:

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Re-provisioning policy default configurations

```
"reprovisioning": {
  "description": "Reprovisioning policy. Used to restrict the assets reprovisioning",
  "debug": {
    "cm33": true,
    "system": true,
    "rma": true,
    "debug_key": true
  },
  "extended_boot_policy": true,
  "user_keys": true,
  "user_certificate": true
},
```

For example, if the system access port is set to **'Enabled'** in the **'debug'** policy section and the **'debug'**-**'system'** field is set to **'true'** in the **'reprovisioning'** policy section during the transition to production LCS as shown in **1. Example policy configuration during 'transition to production LCS'**, after the device transitions into the production LCS, the system AP debug can be disabled by re-provisioning the device with a modified debug policy configuration as shown in **2. Example policy configuration for re-provisioning**.

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1.Example policy configuration during 'transition to production LCS'

```
"debug": {
  "system": {
    "ap": {
      "description": "System access port (SYS-AP) restriction. The SYS-AP restrictions are
not enforced in the Development LCS",
      "applicable_conf": "Disabled, Enabled, Allowed",
      "value": "Enabled"
    },
    "allowed": {
      "description": "Indicates who is allowed to access the AP. The option is applicable
when AP control is 'Allowed'",
      "applicable_conf": "Firmware, Certificate, Open",
      "value": "Open"
    },
    ..
  },
  ..
"reprovisioning": {
  "description": "Reprovisioning policy. Used to restrict the assets reprovisioning",
  "debug": {
    "cm33": true,
    "system": true,
    "rma": true,
    "debug_key": true
  },
  "extended_boot_policy": true,
  "user_keys": true,
  "user_certificate": true
},
```


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2.Example policy configuration for re-provisioning

```

"debug": {
  "system": {
    "ap": {
      "description": "System access port (SYS-AP) restriction. The SYS-AP restrictions are
not enforced in the Development LCS",
      "applicable_conf": "Disabled, Enabled, Allowed",
      "value": "Disabled"
    },
    "allowed": {
      "description": "Indicates who is allowed to access the AP. The option is applicable
when AP control is 'Allowed'",
      "applicable_conf": "Firmware, Certificate, Open",
      "value": "Open"
    },
    ..
  },

```

Note: *Re-provisioning is not possible if the system access port (SYS-AP) has been disabled.*

Device can be re-provisioned using the following Edge Protect Tools command after it has been transitioned to Production LCS

```

edgeprotecttools -t pse8xs2 reprovision-device -p policy/policy_oem_provisioning.json --key
keys/oem_private_key_0.pem

```

Note: *The "reprovision-device" command should not contain --ifx-oem-cert option*

3.3 Extended boot policy

The extended boot policy determines how the extended boot is configured. Some of the extended boot policy configurations include:

- Enable/disable secure boot feature
- Start address of the OEM application
- Alternate start address of the OEM application
- Enable/disable external flash configuration in extended boot
- External flash configurations for booting from external flash

Infineon's default extended boot policy configurations include:

- Disables secure boot
- Configures the extended boot to boot from RRAM
- Enables booting from an alternate location
- Enables serial memory interface (SMIF) configuration in extended boot
- Configures external quad SPI (QSPI) flash as the alternate boot source

The default policy configurations are shown in the following code block:

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Extended boot policy default configurations

```
"extended_boot_policy": {
  "secure_boot": {
    "description": "Disable/Enable secure boot option",
    "value": false
  },
  "clock": {
    "description": "Defines default core clock speed in MHz",
    "applicable_conf": "200, 100, 50, 5",
    "value": 200
  },
  "listen_window": {
    "description": "Defines listen window timeout in ms",
    "value": 100
  },
  "enable_alt_serial": {
    "description": "Disable/Enable Alternate serial interface",
    "value": true
  },
  "cm33_ram_app": {
    "enable": {
      "description": "Disable/Enable CM33 OEM RAM applications",
      "value": true
    },
    "address": {
      "description": "Start address of the CM33 OEM RAM application",
      "value": "0x34008000"
    }
  },
  "oem_app_address": {
    "description": "Starting location of OEM application",
    "value": "0x3201100"
  },
  "oem_alt_boot": {
    "description": "Disable/Enable alternate boot",
    "value": true
  },
  "oem_alt_app_address": {
    "description": "Alternate starting location of OEM application",
    "value": "0x7010000"
  },
  "external_flash": {
    "smif_exflash": {
      "description": "Disable/Enable search for SFDP compatible external flash device",
      "value": true
    },
    "smif_chip_select": {
      "description": "Chip select for primary external flash",
      "applicable_conf": "0, 1, 2, 3",
      "value": 1
    },
    "smif_data_width": {
```

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```

    "description": "Select data width used to interface the external flash",
    "applicable_conf": "4, 8",
    "value": 4
  },
  "smif_data_select": {
    "description": "Select data IO pins for d0/d1",
    "applicable_conf": "0, 2",
    "value": 0
  },
  "smif_mode": {
    "description": "Use configuration defined by SFDP data or limit the communication
protocol to SDR",
    "applicable_conf": "AUTO, SDR",
    "value": "AUTO"
  }
}
},

```

3.4 Extended boot location

For the two versions of the extended boot image, see the <edgeprotecttools-working-dir>/packets/apps/prov_oem directory, which is created as part of the Edge Protect Tools initialization. The policy file can be updated with the location of this extended boot image to provision the device with a new extended boot.

Note: See the [AN237849 – Getting started with PSOC™ Edge security](#) for the steps on replacing the extended boot image.

Table 7 Extended boot image types

Extended boot image	Description
extended-boot-serial.cbor	This version of the extended boot includes support for serial interfaces (UART, I2C, SPI). This is the default version in your device out of the box
extended-boot-no-serial.cbor	This version of the extended boot does not include support for serial interfaces. It saves around 27 KB of RRAM memory

The default policy does not include any extended boot image, as the default version is already provisioned at the Infineon factory.

The default policy configurations are shown in the following code block:

Extended boot image default configurations

```

"extended_boot_image": {
  "description": "Image of Extended Boot in CBOR format, signed by IFX",
  "value": ""
},

```

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3.5 User keys

On the EPC 4 part, the OEM can specify custom keys referred to as 'user keys' in the OEM policy file. These keys are imported using the PSA crypto API interface provided by the SE RT services library and stored in the protected nonvolatile memory (NVM) during the provisioning process. These keys can only be accessed using the SE RT services library.

The default policy does not include any user keys. The value field for the user_keys accepts a list of key objects and you can add more than one key object in this list.

Note: *Updating the same key (via provisioning) is not possible without a factory reset. User key data can be cleared only by using the Edge Protect Tools factory reset command.*

The default policy configurations are shown in the following code block:

User keys default configurations

```

"user_keys": {
  "description": "List of user keys. Fill in the key data with your values",
  "value": [
    {
      "kid": {
        "description": "The ID of the key in the PSA vault. The value between '0x40000000' and '0x7FFFEFFFF'",
        "value": null
      },
      "alg": {
        "description": "Key algorithm",
        "applicable_conf": "ECDSA, RSA, AES-CTR, AES-CBC, AES-ECB, NONE",
        "value": null
      },
      "use": {
        "description": "Key usage flags are encoded in a bitmask (usage example SIGN|ENCRYPT)",
        "applicable_conf": "EXPORT, COPY, CACHE, ENCRYPT, DECRYPT, SIGN_MESSAGE, VERIFY_MESSAGE, SIGN_HASH, VERIFY_HASH, DERIVE, VERIFY_DERIVATION",
        "value": null
      },
      "key": {
        "description": "Path to the key file in PEM, DER, or JWK format",
        "value": null
      }
    }
  ]
},

```

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User keys example configuration

```

{
  "kid": {
    "description": "The ID of the key in the PSA vault. The value between '0x40000000'
and '0x40000005'",
    "value": "0x40000000"
  },
  "alg": {
    "description": "Key algorithm",
    "applicable_conf": "ECDSA, RSA, AES-CTR, AES-CBC, AES-ECB, NONE",
    "value": "RSA"
  },
  "use": {
    "description": "Key usage flags are encoded in a bitmask (usage example SIGN|
ENCRYPT)",
    "applicable_conf": "EXPORT, COPY, CACHE, ENCRYPT, DECRYPT, SIGN_MESSAGE,
VERIFY_MESSAGE, SIGN_HASH, VERIFY_HASH, DERIVE, VERIFY_DERIVATION",
    "value": "EXPORT|VERIFY_MESSAGE|VERIFY_HASH"
  },
  "key": {
    "description": "Path to the key file in PEM, DER, or JWK format",
    "value": "test_keys/rsa_pub_1024.der"
  },
  "owner": {
    "description": "Key owner identifier. The value between '-2147483648' and
'2147483647'",
    "value": 0
  }
}
    
```

The usage flags are encoded in a bit-mask.

Table 8 Key usage flag

Key usage flag	Value	Description
EXPORT	0x00000001	Permission to export the key from the crypto processor
COPY	0x00000002	Permission to copy the key with the same policy or a more restrictive policy
CACHE	0x00000004	Permission for the implementation to cache the key
ENCRYPT	0x00000100	Permission to encrypt a message with the key
DECRYPT	0x00000200	Permission to decrypt a message with the key
SIGN_MESSAGE	0x00000400	Permission to sign a message with the key
VERIFY_MESSAGE	0x00000800	Permission to verify a message signature with the key
SIGN_HASH	0x00001000	Permission to sign a message hash with the key
VERIFY_HASH	0x00002000	Permission to verify a message hash with the key
DERIVE	0x00004000	Permission to derive other keys or produce a password hash from this key

(table continues...)

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Table 8 (continued) Key usage flag

Key usage flag	Value	Description
VERIFY_DERIVATION	0x00008000	Permission to verify the result of a key derivation, including password hashing

For more information on the usage flags, see [Key usage flags](#).

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4.1 SE RAM application (DLM)

SE RAM applications are executable codes loaded into the SRAM and executed within the Secure Enclave. Some device features, such as provisioning, are implemented using SE RAM applications or downloadable modules (DLMs). These applications are developed by Infineon, signed with Infineon keys, and can be verified and executed by the Secure Enclave (SE) on the device. Note that SE RAM applications cannot be developed by the OEMs.

SE RAM applications are wrapped in the MCUboot image format, which adds application metadata to verify image integrity and authenticity, and custom metadata in the tag-length-value (TLV) format.

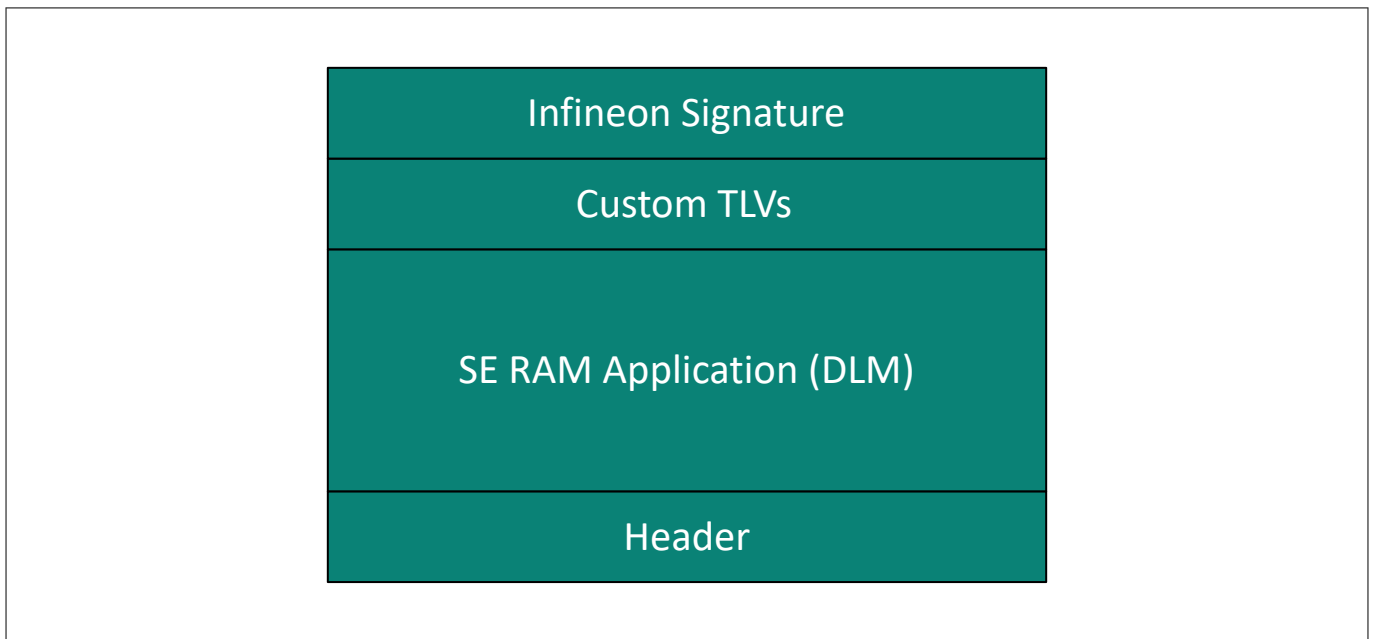


Figure 6 Signed SE RAM application

Note: CM33 RAM applications may be developed and loaded into the SRAM by the OEM and executed by CM33. This section focuses only on SE RAM applications.

4.2 DLM package

A DLM package consists of:

- Signed SE RAM application
- DLM input parameters
- Signatures

To sign the DLM package, it is wrapped in the MCUboot format with a header and signature. The DLM package is signed with the OEM_ROT_PRIVATE_KEY. The ROM boot always expects the DLM package format for processing, but the package signature is verified only in production LCS. The OEM signature allows the OEM to control which DLM is executed on the device in the production LCS and its input parameters. To change the input parameters within the package, it must be signed again using the OEM_ROT_PRIVATE_KEY.

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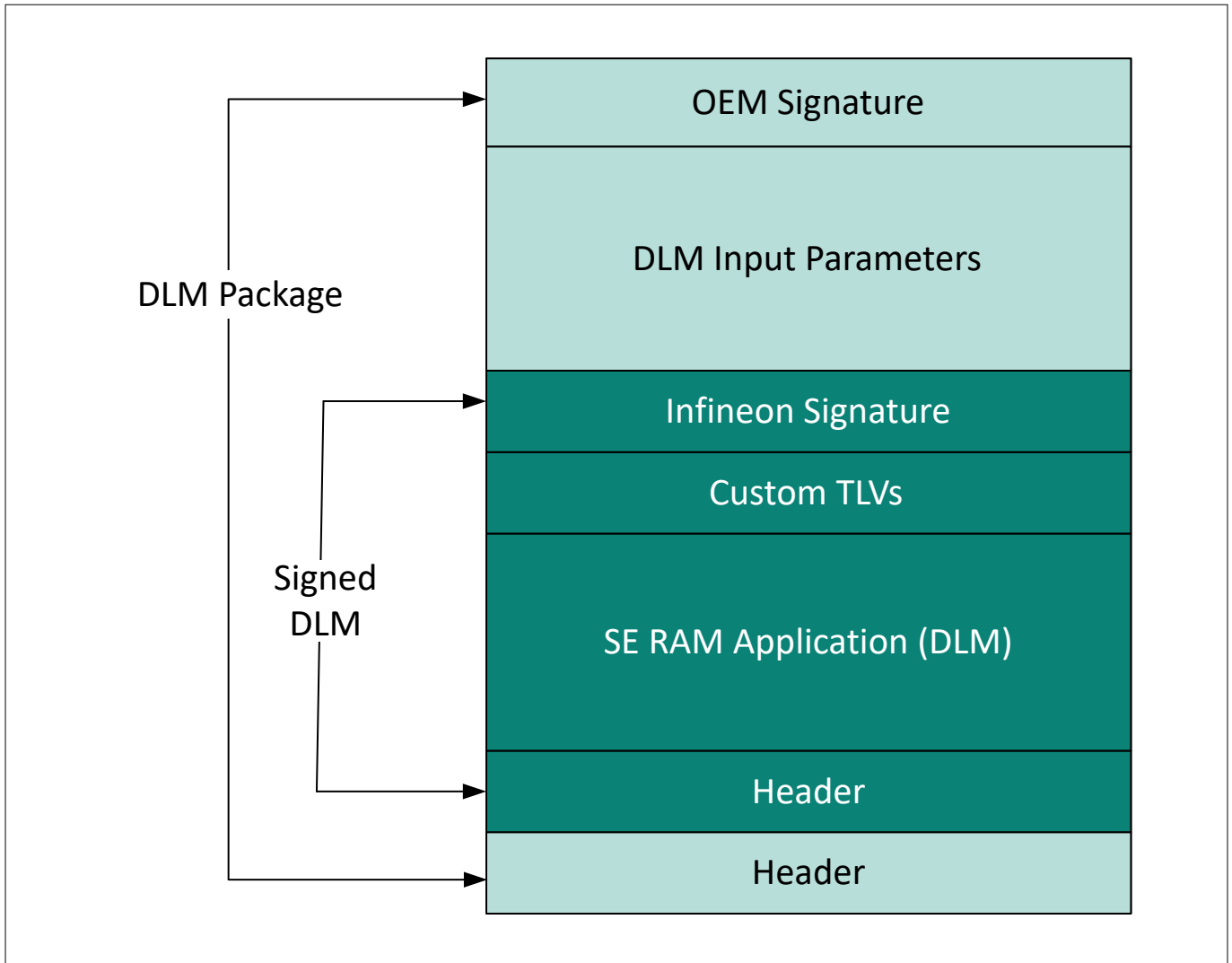


Figure 7 DLM package format

Figure 5 demonstrates the placement of the DLM package in the device's SRAM memory. The DLM package is uploaded into the internal SRAM using the debugger (SYS-AP) or firmware running on the device. Upon request, the SE boot validates the DLM package and copies the SE RAM application image into the Secure Enclave's local SRAM for execution (following successful validation). As a result, the SE RAM application is compiled to be executed in the local SRAM of the Secure Enclave. Subsequently, after being launched by the SE boot, the SE RAM application reads the input parameters from the device's SRAM. Before completion, the application copies the output results from the Secure Enclave's SRAM to the device's SRAM. Additionally, the SRSS registers (BOOT_DLM_CTL), accessible by the debugger, CM33 and SE, are used to submit requests to the SE Boot for DLM package validation and launch, as well as to report the DLM execution result.

Two SRAM regions, referred to as slots, are required for processing the DLM package. The first slot referred to as the staging slot, is used for the staging of the DLM package. The user defines the staging slot by setting the base address in the SRSS BOOT_DLM_CTL2 register, and the size of the slot is defined as (SRAM end address - BOOT_DLM_CTL2). The value of BOOT_DLM_CTL2 must be memory protection controller (MPC) size aligned (4 KB), and the DLM package must be uploaded into the staging slot starting from its base address. Additionally, the DLM output result is also placed inside the staging slot.

The second slot is where the DLM image resides and is executed by the SE, known as the DLM slot. The base address and size of the DLM slot are defined by design-time parameters. The base address of the DLM slot is aligned to meet the interrupt table alignment requirements of the DLM image. The DLM image is compiled to

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execute in the DLM slot. The ROM boot is responsible for validating the DLM package and copying the DLM image from the staging slot to the DLM slot.

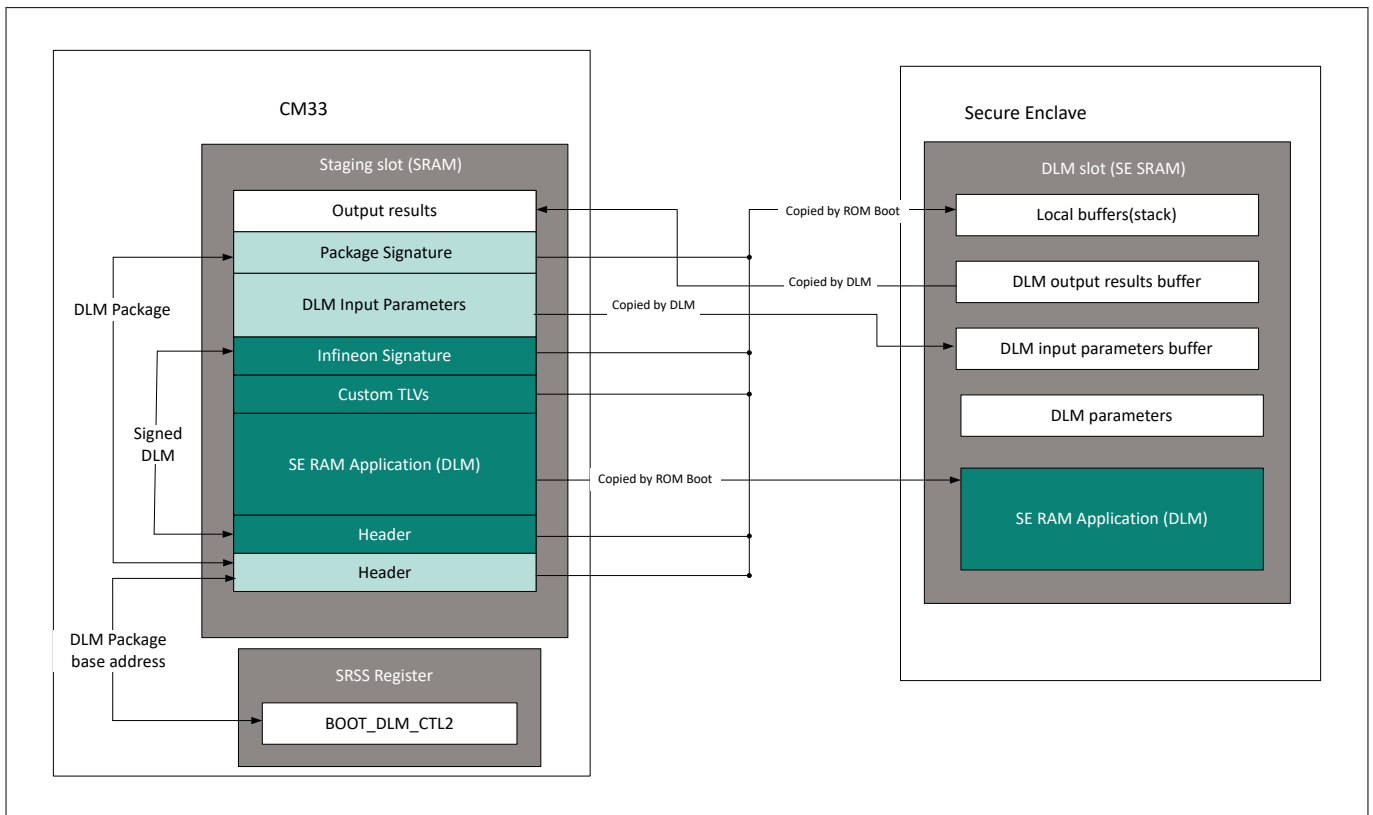


Figure 8 DLM package storage

Table 9 SRSS registers

SRSS register	Description
BOOT_DLM_CTL	Post requests for the DLM package processing to the ROM boot
BOOT_DLM_STATUS	Reports the DLM execution status
BOOT_DLM_CTL_2	Store the DLM package base address in the SRAM
RES_SOFT_CTL	Triggers device reset using debugger (SYS-AP)

The input parameters, which are a part of the DLM package placed in the device SRAM, have their base address in SRAM and maximum size stored by the ROM boot at a fixed SE SRAM location. This information is used by the SE RAM application to access the input parameters.

The output results that are populated by the SE RAM application in the device SRAM have their output result buffer base address in SRAM and maximum size stored by the ROM boot at a fixed SE SRAM location. This information is used by the SE RAM application to populate the output results.

See the [Appendix](#) section for the list of SE RAM application status codes.

4.3 Creating a DLM package

Edge Protect Tools generates the DLM package from the pre-signed Infineon SE RAM application using the DLM parameters provided as input. The resulting DLM package includes the OEM signature, which is created using the OEM_ROT_PRIVATE_KEY. Additionally, the pre-signed Infineon SE RAM application binaries are included as part of the Edge Protect Tools package.

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4.4 Download and launch of the DLM package

This section provides details on downloading and launching the RAM application using different methods available for the device.

The first method uses an external debugger, which requires a physical connection to the device through the serial wire debug (SWD) interface.

The second method uses firmware running on the device and does not require a physical connection, making it suitable for devices deployed in the field. To implement this method, the firmware must include functionality to obtain the SE RAM application and input parameters. For example, the firmware can upload the SE RAM application and input parameters using an over-the-air (OTA) update or by retrieving them from external memory.

4.4.1 Launch flow: Debugger (SYS-AP)

As a prerequisite for this flow, ensure that the system access port (SYS-AP) is in the enabled state. See the [Debug policy](#) section for more details.

The flow details are as follows:

1. Debugger sets `BOOT_DLM_CTL.REQUEST = 0x1` and issues software reset `RES_SOFT_CTL.TRIGGER_SOFT = 1`
2. **ROM boot:**
 - a. Detects valid requests in `BOOT_DLM_CTL.REQUEST`, stores it, and sets `BOOT_DLM_CTL.REQUEST = 0`
 - b. Reads DLM NV counter from one-time programmable (OTP) and stores it in the DLM package context to be used during DLM validation
 - c. Configures `DLM_LOAD` protections (allows SYS-AP to write into the SRAM)
 - d. Notifies the debugger that device waits for DLM package upload
 1. Sets `BOOT_STATUS = CYBOOT_SUCCESS`
 2. Sets `BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYBOOT_DLM_LOAD`
 3. Sets `BOOT_DLM_CTL.DEBUG_WFA = 1`
 - e. Configures SWJ pins to enable debugger access through SYS-AP
 - f. Waits until `(BOOT_DLM_CTL.DEBUG_WFA != 0)`
3. **Debugger:**
 - a. Detects that `BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYBOOT_DLM_LOAD`. Optionally, can check `BOOT_DLM_CTL.DEBUG_WFA = 1`
 - b. Uploads the DLM package into the SRAM
 - c. Writes the DLM package base address into `BOOT_DLM_CTL2`
 - d. Clears WFA bit, `BOOT_DLM_CTL.DEBUG_WFA = 0`
4. **ROM boot:**
 - a. Detects that `BOOT_DLM_CTL.DEBUG_WFA = 0`
 - b. Sets `BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYBOOT_DLM_VERIFY`
 - c. Disables debugger access through SYS-AP
 - d. Configures `DLM_VERIFY` protections
 - e. Reads `BOOT_DLM_CTL2` to know where DLM package resides in SRAM
 - f. Validates the DLM package
 - g. If the DLM package validation is SUCCESSFUL:
 1. Configure protections
 2. Update the DLM NV counter in OTP if value stored in the DLM context is not zero
 3. Copy DLM parameters from the context into the SE SRAM

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4. Enable debugger access through SYS-AP
5. Set `BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYBOOT_DLM_RUN` and `BOOT_STATUS = CYBOOT_SUCCESS`
6. Launch the DLM in the SE SRAM
 - **Note:** *The `CYBOOT_DLM_RUN` state is set for a short period until the DLM changes it to `CYAPP_APP_RUNNING` so that it might not be detected by the debugger. This status allows for the detection of cases where DLM validation is successful, but the DLM fails during launch*
- h. If the DLM package validation has FAILED:
 1. Deinitializes SWJ pins
 2. Restores protection to continue regular boot process
 3. Sets `BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYBOOT_DLM_PKG_INVALID`
5. **DLM:**
 - a. Updates `BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYAPP_APP_LAUNCHED` to indicate that it was launched
6. **Debugger:**
 - a. Checks `BOOT_DLM_STATUS` to understand that the application was launched by the ROM boot:
 1. App launched: `BOOT_DLM_STATUS == CYBOOT_DLM_RUN`
 2. App not launched: `BOOT_DLM_STATUS == CYBOOT_DLM_PKG_INVALID`
7. **DLM:**
 - a. Sets `BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYAPP_APP_RUNNING`
 - b. On completion, the DLM reports execution status in `BOOT_DLM_STATUS` register and populates the output results in SRAM (optional)
 1. Depends on `BOOT_DLM_CTL.APP_RESET`. The DLM resets device or waits in the idle loop
8. **Debugger:**
 - a. Poll the `BOOT_DLM_STATUS` until the DLM reports completion (`BOOT_DLM_STATUS != CYAPP_APP_RUNNING`)
 - b. Report the application execution results: read `BOOT_DLM_STATUS` and output results in SRAM

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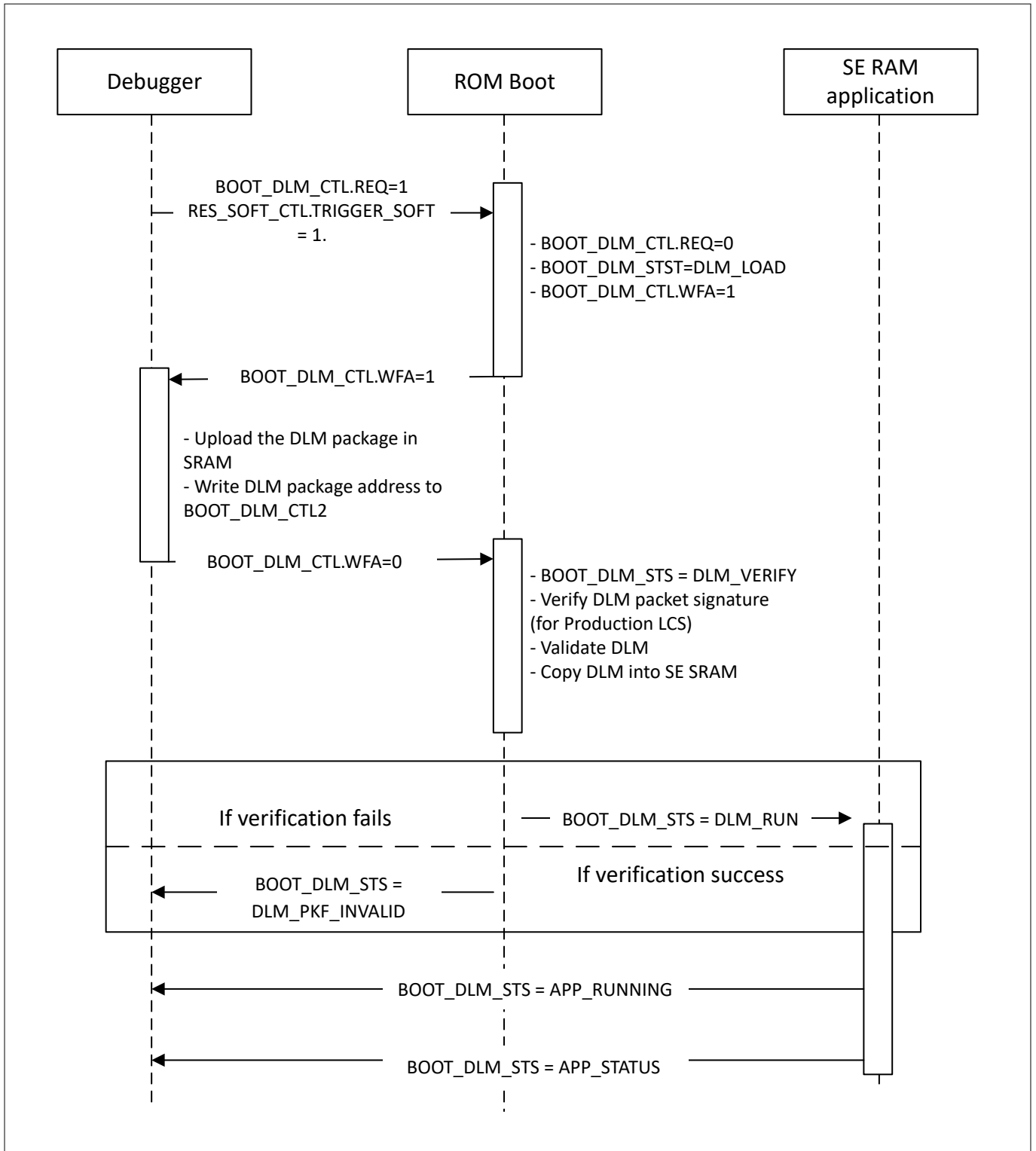


Figure 9 Launch DLM by debugger flow

4.4.2 Launch flow: Firmware on device

DLMs can also be launched by the firmware running on the CM33 core (CM33 FW). This functionality can be necessary when the debug port is disabled, or the device is in the field without a physical connection. It is important to note that only a trusted application running on the CM33 secure processing environment (SPE) can launch an SE RAM application.

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The flow details are as follows:

1. CM33 firmware:

- a. Upload the DLM package into the retained SRAM
- b. Configure the SRAM region to retain after reset. PPU_SRAM must be ON
- c. Store the flag into the NVM to indicate the firmware requested DLM launch
- d. Write the DLM package base address into BOOT_DLM_CTL2
- e. Set BOOT_DLM_CTL.REQUEST = 0x3 and issue software reset RES_SOFT_CTL.TRIGGER_SOFT = 1

2. ROM boot:

- a. Detects valid request in BOOT_DLM_CTL.REQUEST, stores it and sets BOOT_DLM_CTL.REQUEST = 0
- b. Reads DLM NV counter from OTP and stores it in the DLM package context to be used during DLM validation
- c. Sets BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYBOOT_DLM_VERIFY
- d. Configures protections
- e. Reads BOOT_DLM_CTL2 to know where the DLM package resides in SRAM
- f. Sets an unprivileged execution level
- g. Validates the DLM package
- h. Sets the privileged execution level
- i. If the DLM package validation is SUCCESSFUL:
 1. Configure DLM_RUN protections
 2. Update the DLM NV counter in OTP if value stored in the DLM context is not zero
 3. Copy DLM parameters from the context into the fixed address in the SE SRAM
 4. Set BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYBOOT_DLM_RUN and BOOT_STATUS = CYBOOT_SUCCESS
 5. Launch the DLM in the SE SRAM.
 - **Note:** *The CYBOOT_DLM_RUN set during a short period until DLM changes it to CYAPP_APP_RUNNING so it cannot be detected by the debugger. This status allows to detect a case when DLM validation is successful but DLM is failed to during launch*
- j. If the DLM package validation has FAILED:
 1. Restore protection to continue regular boot process
 2. Set BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYBOOT_DLM_PKG_INVALID

3. DLM:

- a. Update BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYAPP_APP_RUNNING and start application execution
- b. On completion, the DLM reports execution status in BOOT_DLM_STATUS register and populates the output results in SRAM (optional)
 1. Depends on BOOT_DLM_CTL.APP_RESET. The DLM resets device or waits in the idle loop

4. Boot ROM (after reset):

- a. Execute regular boot process and pass control to the CM33 firmware

5. CM33 firmware:

- a. Check flag in NVM that firmware requested DLM launch
- b. Check the application execution results in BOOT_DLM_STATUS and output results in SRAM (optional):
 1. Application completed successfully: BOOT_DLM_STATUS = CYAPP_SUCCESS
 2. Application failed: BOOT_DLM_STATUS = STATUS (multiple error status can be returned)

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Note: The CM33 firmware DLM launch sequence is provided as a reference to list the required steps for a successful DLM launch. The firmware implementer is free to customize this flow.

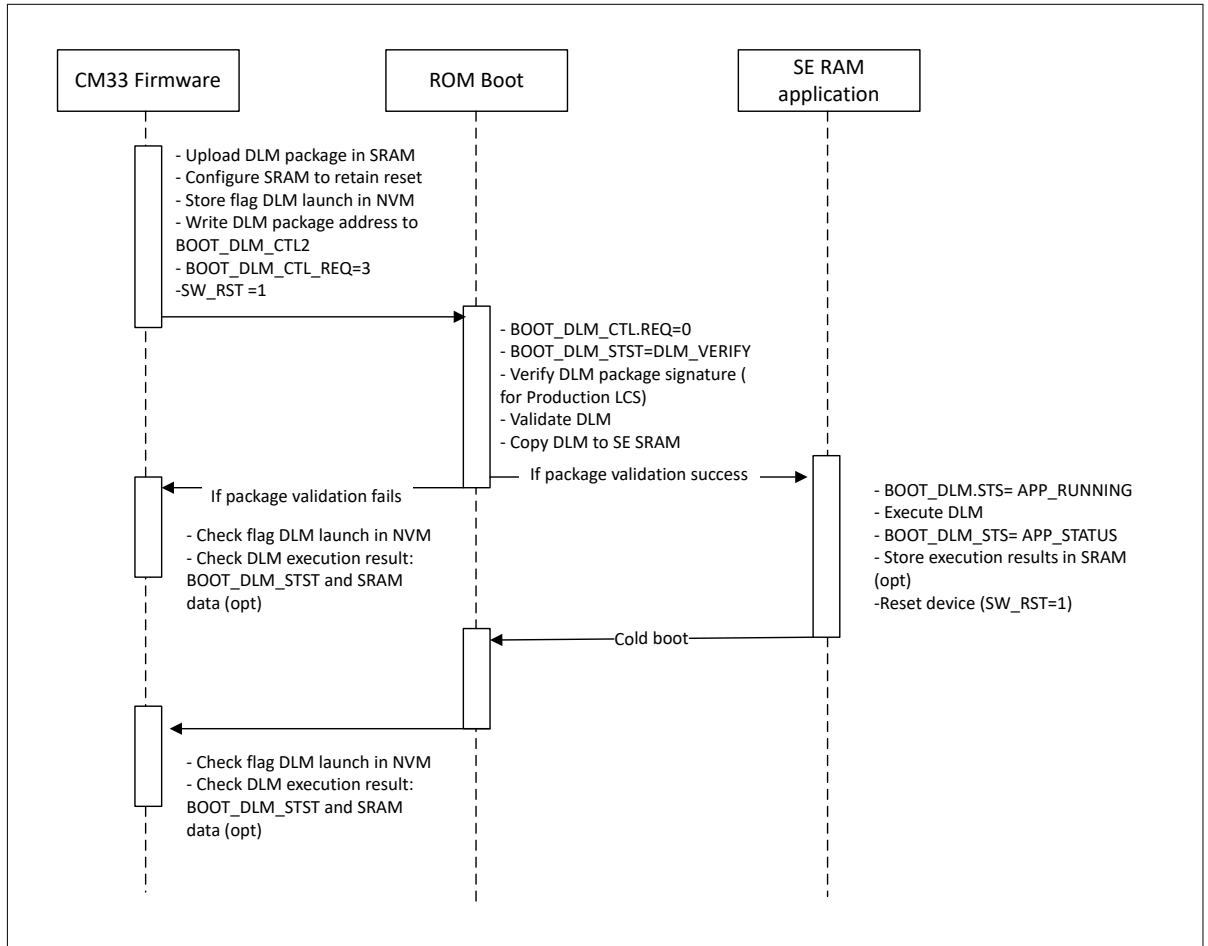


Figure 10 DLM launch by firmware

Extended boot supports the loading and staging of SE RAM application. The following procedure describes the loading and launch of the application:

1. The host downloads data (application descriptor, RAM application binary, input parameters) to the staging area (CM33 SRAM)
2. The host sends the Stage SE RAM App Device Firmware Update (DFU) command with the start address of DLM to the device
3. The Stage SE RAM App DFU command handler takes the DLM start address from the received data packet and writes it to SRSS->BOOT_DLM_CTL2 register. Then the handler sets SRSS->BOOT_DLM_CTL = 0x3
4. The Stage SE RAM App DFU command handler sets the STAGING_SE_RAM_APP flag in the UPGRADE FLAGS area in the MAIN_NVM section of RRAM and resets the device
5. After reboot, the extended boot checks the STAGING_SE_RAM_APP flag. If STAGING_SE_RAM_APP is set, the extended boot clears it
6. If selecting serial mode GPIO pins are configured to enter to alternate serial mode then extended boot goes to this mode and allows it to perform the next steps (read status of SE RAM App). Otherwise, extended boot launches the next OEM App from NVM memory and the status of SE RAM App cannot be read
7. The host sends the read memory DFU command to the device
8. In the Read memory, the DFU command handler the SE RT status buffer is sent to the host

Handlers of all DFU commands are implemented in extended boot firmware.

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See details about the alternate serial interface (ASF) and DFU commands supported by the extended boot in the [AN237849 – Getting started with PSOC™ Edge security](#).

5 Edge Protect Tools

5.1 Overview

Edge Protect Tools is a Python-based security package that provides a command-line interface for interacting with the MCU. It supports various functionalities, including provisioning, device integrity checks, RMA transition, factory reset, and more. This tool is implemented in the Python programming language and uses several third-party Python modules to manage configuration files (JSON), object files (ELF), and perform cryptographic operations.

The tool can be accessed using any shell-based command-line interface. However, Infineon recommends using modus-shell, which is included in the ModusToolbox™ installation package, for seamless interaction with the Edge Protect Tools package.

When executing commands that require MCU interaction, such as provisioning, the tool prepares the necessary provisioning packets and communicates with the device using programming tools. It supports tools like OpenOCD via the SWD interface or the DFU Host Tool via serial interfaces such as I²C, SPI, or UART, or USB.

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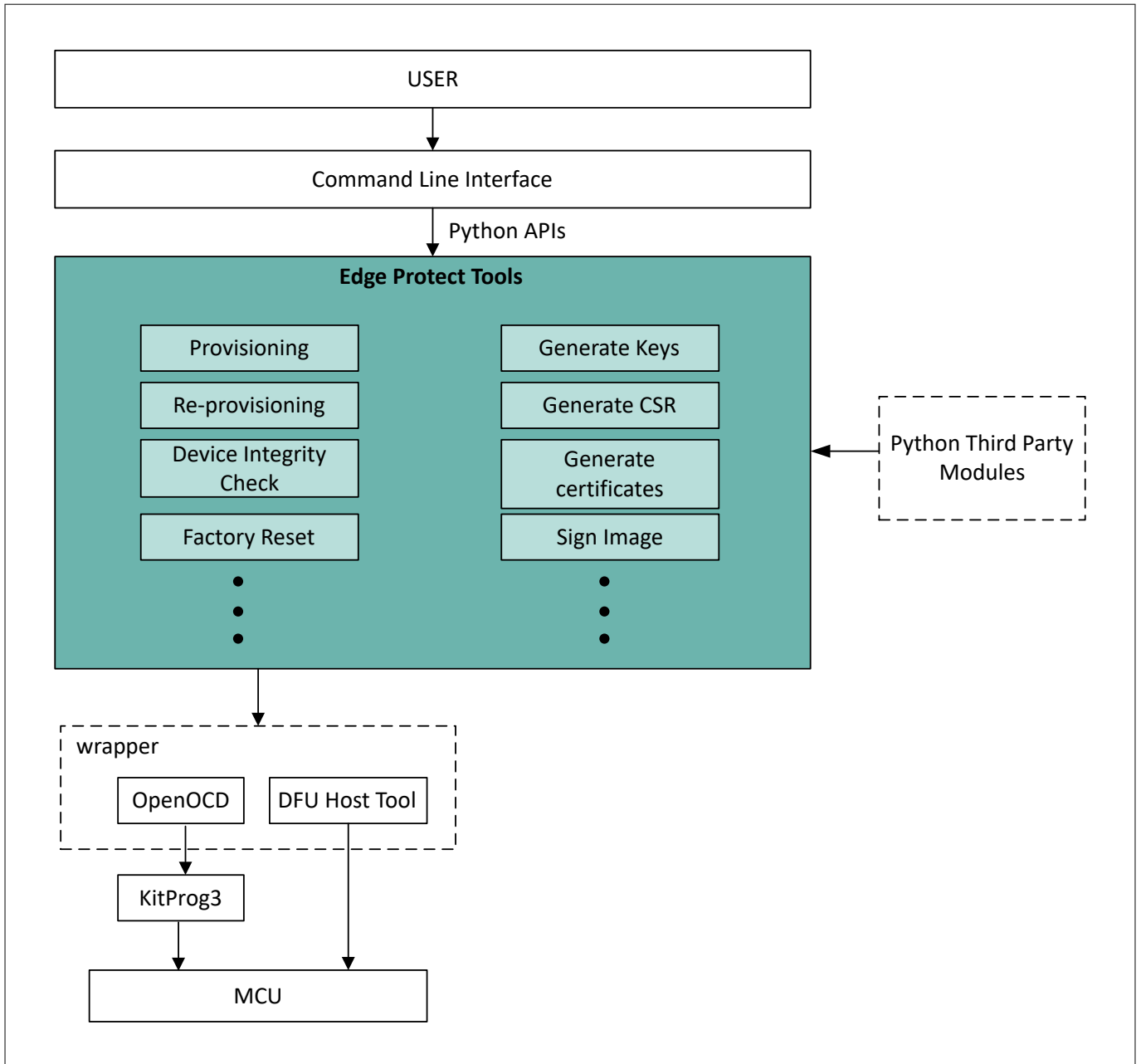


Figure 11 Edge Protect Tools overview

The operations supported by the tool include:

- **Provisioning:** Injecting keys and policies into the device
- **Re-provisioning:** Modifying specific configurations after provisioning
- **Device integrity exam:** Ensuring the device is genuine and in a known state
- **Factory reset:** Reverting the device to use Infineon's default policy, default IFX OEM_ROT_KEY, and default extended boot configuration
- **Key pair generation:** Creating key pairs for ownership transfer, provisioning, and image signing
- **Certificate generation:** Generating certificates for debugging and RMA transition
- **Signing images:** Signing images with the OEM key

For the complete list of commands supported by the Edge Protect Tools package, see the [Appendix](#) section.

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5.2 Device communication

The Edge Protect Tools package supports communication with the device through programming tools such as the OpenOCD tool via the SWD interface or the DFU Host Tool via serial interfaces like I²C, SPI, or UART, or USB. Instead of directly invoking programming tool commands, the Edge Protect Tools package uses a wrapper mechanism to interface with these tools. This design is extendable, allowing for potential integration with other programming tools, although this is currently out of scope.

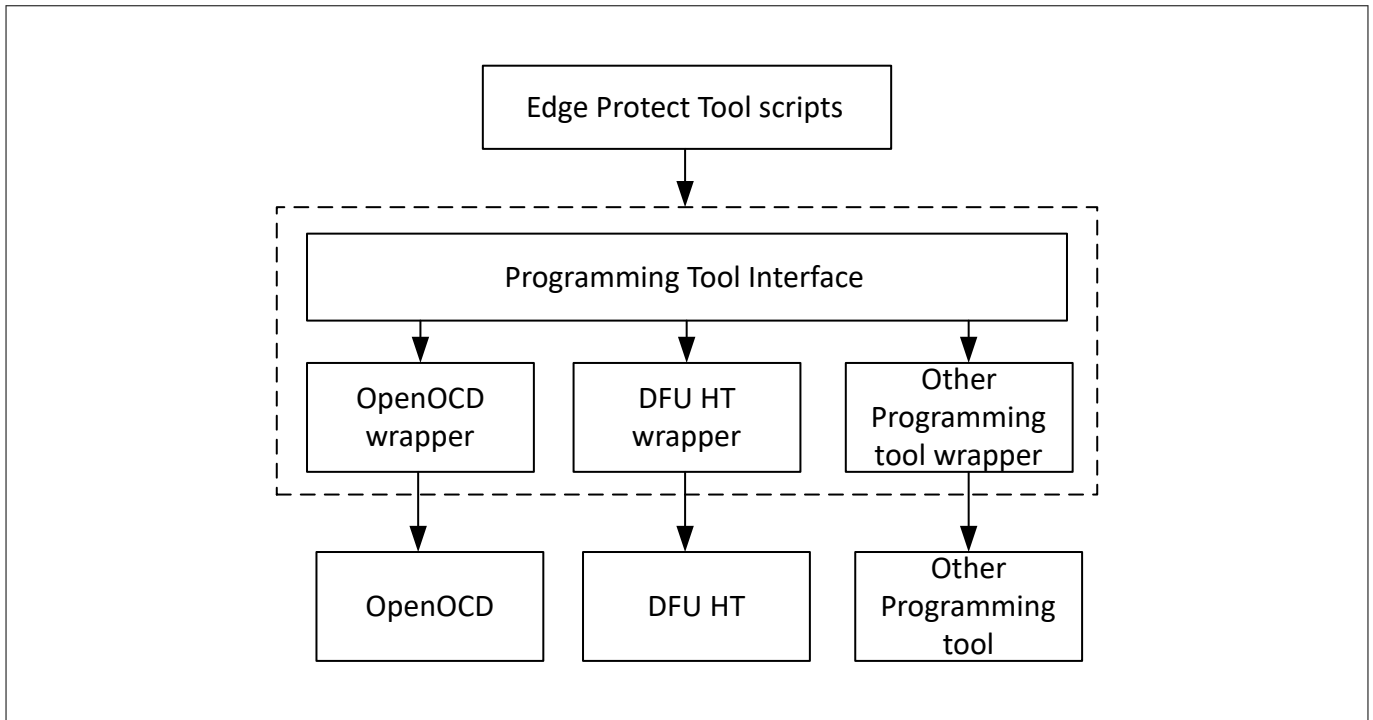


Figure 12 Edge Protect Tools device communication

5.3 Edge Protect Tools package for PSOC™ Edge

The Edge Protect Tools is included as part of the Edge Protect Security Suite (EPSS) for the PSOC™ Edge device. For installation of the EPSS, see [AN235935 - Getting started with PSOC™ Edge E84 on ModusToolbox™](#)

. After installing the EPSS, the Edge Protect Tools package will be located in the c:/Users/<username>/Infineon/Tools/ModusToolbox-Edge-Protect-Security-Suite-1.6/tools/edgeprotecttools/ directory.

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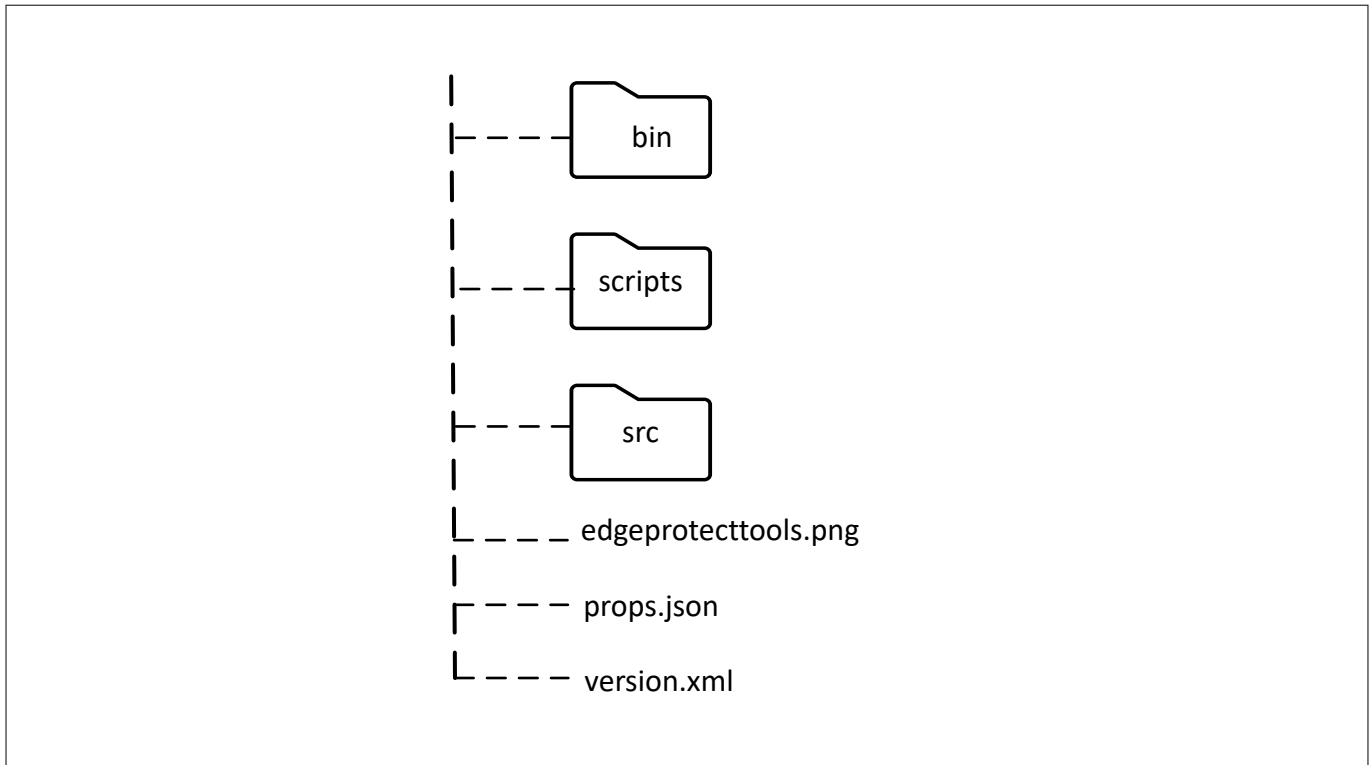


Figure 13 Edge Protect Tools in package

The ./bin directory contains a pre-compiled executable file for Windows, Linux, and macOS, which can be used directly. Add the executable path to your system's environment variable path:

```
C:/Users/<username>/Infineon/Tools/ModusToolbox-Edge-Protect-Security-Suite-1.6/tools/edgeprotecttools/bin
```

Before starting, Edge Protect Tools must be initialized for a specific target.

Two targets are supported for PSOC™ Edge E84 by Edge Protect Tools:

- pse8xs2 for the EPC 2 device
- pse8xs4 for the EPC 4 device

This document uses pse8xs2 target for demonstration.

To initialize, navigate to your working directory and execute the following command in a shell CLI:

```
edgeprotecttools -t pse8xs2 init
```

After initialization, the following folder structure as shown [Figure 14](#) in will be created in your working directory.

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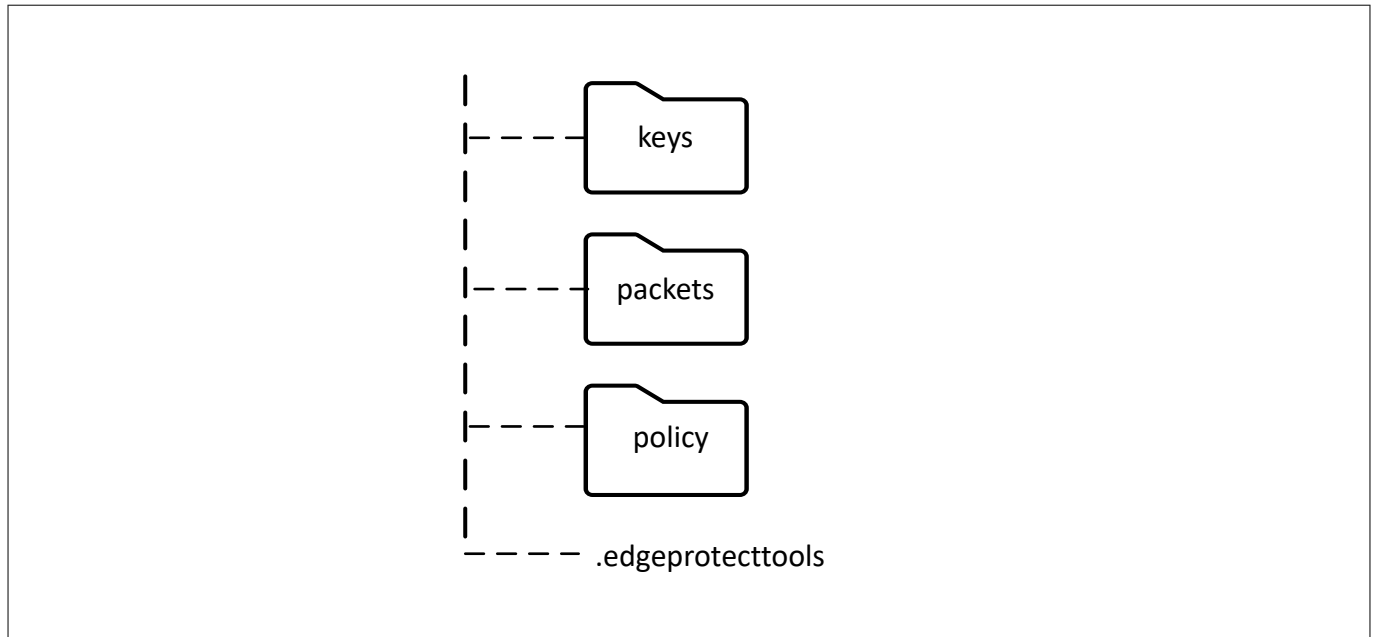


Figure 14 Edge Protect Tools project directory

Setting up the OpenOCD path:

To set up the OpenOCD path for use with the tools, execute the following command:

```
edgeprotecttools set-ocd --name openocd --path <openocd_path>
```

Note: Here, <openocd_path> is the path to the OpenOCD tool on your system. Typically, it will be located in the default installation directory: `C:/Infineon/Tools/ModusToolboxProgTools-1.5/openocd`.

Note: To configure Edge Protect Tools to use an alternate serial interface, see the instructions provided in [AN237849 – Getting started with PSOC™ Edge security](#).

Installing Edge Protect Tools from the source:

If you need to make changes to the source files, you must install the tools from the source after editing. Follow the steps below to install Edge Protect Tools from the source.

- On Windows, ensure that the following Python installation paths are added to the Path environment variable. Reorder them so they appear at the top of the list:

```
<python-install-path>/python  
<python-install-path>/python/Scripts
```

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- If you are using Linux or macOS, grant superuser privileges to the source directory by running the following command before installation:

```
sudo chmod 0777 C:/Users/<username>/Infineon/Tools/ModusToolbox-Edge-Protect-Security-Suite-1.6/tools/edgeprotecttools/src
```

- On windows, open modus-shell and execute the following command. For Linux or macOS, run the same command in their respective terminals:

```
pip install --upgrade --force-reinstall C:/Users/<username>/Infineon/Tools/ModusToolbox-Edge-Protect-Security-Suite-1.6/tools/edgeprotecttools/srcs/src
```

Notes:

- On Windows, use a Windows-style path (that is, not a path like /cygdrive/c/). Additionally, use forward slashes (/). For example, C:/Users
- After installing Edge Protect Tools on Linux or macOS, follow any additional instructions provided by pip during the installation process

5.3.1 Packaged assets

The following assets are included in the Edge Protect Tools package and can be seen in the <working-dir> where the Edge Protect Tools is initialised:

- Extended boot image:** Two extended boot images in CBOR format are provided in the <working-dir>/packets/apps/prov_oem/ directory. These extended boot images can be used to replace the extended boot on your device

Name	Description
extended-boot-serial.cbor	Extended boot with serial interface support
extended-boot-no-serial.cbor	Extended boot without serial interface support (smaller image size)

- OEM policy:** The OEM policy file (policy_oem_provisioning.json) is used to configure device policy settings. This file is located in the <working-dir>/policy folder
- SE RAM application:** Infineon-signed SE RAM application (DLM) binaries are available in the <working-dir>/packets/apps folder. SE RAM applications are owned by Infineon and cannot be customized by users
- JSON template files:** JSON template files used by the Edge Protect Tools package are located in the <working-dir>/packets folder

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6.1 Device integrity exam

The device integrity exam feature can be used by the OEM to verify that the device is genuine and in a known state. For example, it can be used when the device is being transported from one manufacturing facility to another. The integrity exam operates as a combination of an SE RAM application collecting device measurements and the Edge Protect Tools package validating those device measurements. The device measurements collected by the device integrity exam RAM application are signed with the alias private key and verified by the Edge Protect Tool running on the host PC.

The device integrity exam DLM package includes a nonce to protect against replay attacks. The SE RAM application retrieves the nonce from the command packet and copies it into the response packet that is signed. The Edge Protect Tools package generates a unique nonce value each time the DLM package for device integrity is created. Subsequently, the Edge Protect Tools validates that the nonce value in the response corresponds to the value sent in the command packet.

The SE RAM application execution status is provided in the BOOT_DLM_STATUS register. The application populates the response packet after successfully completing all operations preceding its creation. If an error occurs before or during the response packet creation, the packet is not provided, and the packet size is set to zero. The response packet is stored in the SRAM region dedicated for output parameters, with the first 4 bytes before the response packet storing the size of the response packet in bytes.

The integrity exam hashes are calculated for two types of memory regions:

- **Infineon memory region:** The Infineon memory region hashes are not expected to change after the device leaves the Infineon factory, as these regions comprise the Infineon factory-provisioned assets
- **OEM memory region:** The OEM memory region consists of firmware regions that can be modified by the OEM. The hashes for these regions can be updated by the OEM to perform device integrity checks. For example, if the OEM modifies the extended boot policy, the hash of the extended boot policy region will change from the Infineon default hash value. The OEM can update the file `integrity_exam_custom_regions.json` located in the `<edgeprotecttools-working-directory>/packets` directory with the updated hash value for this region

See the `<working-dir>/packets/apps/device_integrity_exam/pse8*_*.json` file for the memory regions and hashes considered.

The integrity exam can be performed on your device with the following Edge Protect Tools command:

```
edgeprotecttools -t pse8xs2 integrity-exam --device-cert dev_cert.cbor --alias-cert
alias_cert.cbor --chain-of-trust manufacturing_cert.cbor
```

To update the OEM region hash values, update the file `integrity_exam_custom_regions.json` located in the `<edgeprotecttools-working-directory>/packets` directory and pass it as an argument for the command.

```
edgeprotecttools -t pse8xs2 integrity-exam --custom-regions packets/
integrity_exam_custom_regions.json
```

To execute the integrity exam in production LCS, provide the path to the OEM_ROT_PRIVATE_KEY for signing the DLM package. The DLM package signature is verified only in the production LCS.

```
edgeprotecttools -t pse8xs2 integrity-exam --custom-regions packets/
integrity_exam_custom_regions.json --key-path ./keys/oem_rot_priv_key.pem
```

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6.2 SE RT services update

The EPC 4 device contains a Secure Enclave runtime (SE RT) services library field upgradeable by the OEM. SE RT services library provides root of trust services for secure storage, secure key management, and so on. The SE RT services library is executed in the Secure Enclave which is isolated from the non-secure cores.

If the default SE RT services requires an update, the OEM can perform this update using Edge Protect Tools. An SE RT services upgrade image, which is encrypted and signed by Infineon is provided as part of the Edge Protect Tools package. The SE RAM application that performs the update and the encrypted SE RT services image will be available in the <application-directory>/packets/apps/se_rt_services_update/ directory once the Edge Protect Tools has been initialized in this directory. See the "Getting started" section in the [AN237849 – Getting started with PSOC™ Edge security](#) application note for instructions on initializing Edge Protect Tools and taking ownership of the device. After the device ownership has been transferred to the OEM, the OEM can execute the following command to update the SE RT services library image.

```
edgeprotecttools -t pse8xs4 se-rt-services-update --image packets/apps/se_rt_services_update/enc_se_rt_services.cbor --key keys/oem_rot_private_key_0.pem
```

Note: The OEM private key must be the same key the is used to take the ownership of the device.

Table 10 Command-line parameters

Command option	Example parameter	Description
--image	packets/apps/se_rt_services_update/enc_se_rt_services.cbor	Path to encrypted SE RT services image
--key	keys/oem_rot_private_key_0.pem	OEM ROT Private Key

6.3 SE RAM application (DLM) status codes

The SE RAM application status code is written to the BOOT_DLM_STATUS register, which is read by the Edge Protect Tools package and provides the command execution logs.

Table 11 SE RAM application status codes

Code	Status name	Description
0xF2A00001	CYAPP_SUCCESS	The RAM application is completed successfully
0xF2A00010	CYAPP_APP_RUNNING	The RAM application is in progress
0x0D500070	CYBOOT_DLM_LOAD	ROM Boot notifies that it is waiting for DLM package upload
0x0D500071	CYBOOT_DLM_VERIFY	ROM Boot is verifying the DLM package
0x0D500072	CYBOOT_DLM_RUN	DLM validation is successful
0xBAF00073	CYBOOT_DLM_PKG_INVALID	DLM validation failed
0x45000002	CYAPP_BAD_PARAM	One or more invalid parameters.
0x45000003	CYAPP_LOCKED	Resource lock failure

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Table 11 (continued) SE RAM application status codes

Code	Status name	Description
0x45000004	CYAPP_STARTED	Operation started, but not necessarily completed yet
0x45000005	CYAPP_FINISHED	Operation finished
0x45000006	CYAPP_CANCELED	Operation canceled
0x45000007	CYAPP_TIMEOUT	Operation timed out
0x45000008	CYAPP_FAILED	RAM application failed
0x45000020	CYAPP_OTP_INIT_FAILED	Fail to initialize OTP
0x45000021	CYAPP_OTP_BOOTROW_WRITE_FAILED	Fail to update LCS
0x45000022	CYAPP_OTP_BOOTROW_READ_FAILED	Fail to read LCS
0x45000023	CYAPP_OTP_WRITE_FAILED	Fail to program object into the OTP
0x45000024	CYAPP_OTP_READ_FAILED	Fail to read object from the OTP
0x45000030	CYAPP_LCS_INVALID	Current device LCS is invalid for the execution of the RAM application
0x45000031	CYAPP_CBOR_INVALID	Object in CBOR has an illegal value
0x45000032	CYAPP_RESPONSE_GEN_FAILED	Object does not exist in the CBOR package
0x45000033	CYAPP_DEVICEID_CERT_GEN_FAILED	Object does not exist in the CBOR package
0x45000034	CYAPP_DEVICE_ID_KEYPAIR_FAILED	Fail to retrieve DeviceID key pair
0x45000035	CYAPP_ALIAS_CERT_GEN_FAILED	Alias certificate generation failed
0x45000036	CYAPP_DEVICE_ID_GENERATION_FAILED	Fail to generate device identity
0x45000037	CYAPP_CDI_COMPUTE_FAILED	Fail to compute CDI hash
0x45000038	CYAPP_HLO_COMPUTE_FAILED	Fail to compute HLO hash
0x45000039	CYAPP_DEVICE_ID_PROGRAM_FAILED	Fail to program device identity data, non-recoverable error
0x4500003A	CYAPP_SIGN_VERIFY_FAILED	Signature validation failed
0x4500003B	CYAPP_ASSET_VERIFY_FAILED	RRAM asset validation failed
0x4500003C	CYAPP_NVM_WRITE_FAILED	Fail to program object into NVM
0x4500003D	CYAPP_NVM_READ_FAILED	Fail to read object from NVM
0x4500003E	CYAPP_HASH_CALCULATION_FAILED	Fail to calculate hash
0x4500003F	CYAPP_PROVISIONING_LIMITS_FAILED	Exceed provisioning limits
0x45000040	CYAPP_ALIAS_KEYPAIR_GEN_FAILED	Fail to generate Alias key pair
0x45000041	CYAPP_HASH_VALIDATION_FAILED	Fail to validate hash
0x45000042	CYAPP_SE_RT_SERVICES_FAILED	Call of SE RT Services API failed
0x45000043	CYAPP_RMA_TOKEN_INVALID	RMA token validation failed
0x45000044	CYAPP_PUB_KEY_ACCESS_FAILED	Public key access failed

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Table 11 (continued) SE RAM application status codes

Code	Status name	Description
0x45000045	CYAPP_RMA_TRIAL_COUNTER_PROCESS_FAILED	Fail to process RMA trial counter
0x45000046	CYAPP_RMA_ASSET_INVALIDATION_FAILED	Fail to invalidate RMA asset
0x45000047	CYAPP_REPROV_DEBUG_CM33_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of CM33 debug policy is protected
0x45000048	CYAPP_REPROV_DEBUG_CM55_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of CM55 debug policy is protected
0x45000049	CYAPP_REPROV_DEBUG_SYSTEM_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of system debug policy is protected
0x4500004A	CYAPP_REPROV_DEBUG_RMA_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of permission transition to RMA is protected
0x4500004B	CYAPP_REPROV_DEBUG_KEY_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of debug key is protected
0x4500004C	CYAPP_REPROV_CM33_L1_BOOT_POLICY_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of L1 BOOT policy is protected
0x4500004D	CYAPP_REPROV_OEM_KEYS_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of OEM keys is protected
0x4500004E	CYAPP_REPROV_CHAIN_OF_TRUST_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of chain-of-trust certificates is protected
0x4500004F	CYAPP_REPROV_CM33_L1_BOOT_NOT_ALLOWED	Re-provisioning of CM33 L1 BOOT image cannot be updated in SECURE LCS
0x45000050	CYAPP_PROV_IFX_OEM_CERT_NOT_ALLOWED	Injection of IFX_OEM_CERT is not allowed in SECURE LCS
0x45000051	CYAPP_REPROV_POLICY_INVALID	Re-provisioning policy invalid
0x45000052	CYAPP_CMD_INVALID	Invalid command code
0x45000053	CYAPP_OBJ_NUM_INVALID	The number of data objects exceeds the maximum allowed value
0x45000054	CYAPP_KEY_IMPORT_FAILED	Key import failed
0x45000055	CYAPP_TRANSITION_TO_RMA_NOT_ALLOWED	Transition to RMA not allowed by policy
0x45000057	CYAPP_UDS_ACCESS_FAILED	Access to UDS failed
0x45000058	CYAPP_SE_RT_SERVICES_INSUFFICIENT_STORAGE	There is not enough persistent storage
0x45000059	CYAPP_RRAM_TEMP_COMP_FAILED	RRAM IP temperature compensation failed
0x4500005A	CYAPP_MANUFACTURING_CERT_INVALID	Fail to validate Manufacturing certificate
0x4500005B	CYAPP_IFX_DEVICE_CERT_INVALID	Fail to validate IFX_DEVICE certificate
0x4500005C	CYAPP_RT_SERVICES_INVALID	Fail to validate RT_SERVICES
0x4500005D	CYAPP_RT_SERVICES_BASE_INVALID	Fail to validate RT_SERVICES_BASE
0x4500005E	CYAPP_RRAM_SE_BOOT_INVALID	Fail to validate RRAM SE BOOT
0x4500005F	CYAPP_CM33_L1_BOOT_INVALID	Fail to validate Extended BOOT
0x45000060	CYAPP_INTEGRITY_CERT_INVALID	Integrity certificate is invalid

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6.4 Edge Protect Tools supported commands

Table 12 List of supported commands for PSE84X target device

Command	Description
bin2hex	Converts a binary image to a hex image
build-ramapp-package	Builds the DLM package with the SE RAM application and input parameters
cbor2json	Converts CBOR to JSON format
convert-key	Converts key to other formats
cose-sign	Creates a COSE_Sign message
cose-sign1	Creates a COSE_Sign1 message
cose-verify	Verifies the COSE_Sign message
create-key	Creates private and public key pairs
create-provisioning-packet	Creates a binary packet for device provisioning
create-x509-cert	Creates certificate in x509 format
create-x509-csr	Creates CSR for X509 certificate
debug-token	Creates debug token binary-based on template
device-info	Reads device information - Silicon ID, Family ID, Silicon revision
device-list	Lists the supported devices
encrypt-aes	Encrypts binary files using AES encryption
factory-reset	Executes factory reset to restore device to default policy setting
hash	Calculates hash of a file
hex-segment	Extracts a segment from the hex. file
hex2bin	Converts hex image to binary image
init	Initializes a new project
integrity-exam	Executes the integrity exam app
merge-bin	Merges different binary files into one
merge-hex	Merges different hex files into one
oem-csr	Creates a certificate signing request (CSR)
provision-device	Executes device provisioning
read-die-id	Reads die ID from the device
reprovision-device	Executes device re-provisioning
rma-token	Creates 'transit to RMA' or 'open RMA' token
serial-config	Configures serial interfaces
serial-ports	Lists connected compatible hardware
set-ocd	Sets on-chip debugger
transit-to-rma	Transitions device to RMA lifecycle stage

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Table 12 (continued) List of supported commands for PSE84X target device

Command	Description
verify-image	Verifies image with a key
verify-packet	Verifies provisioning packet with a key
verify-x509	Verifies x509 certificate
version	Shows firmware version

To view a list of options for a specific command, execute the following in the shell CLI:

```
edgeprotecttools -t pse8xs2 <COMMAND> --help
```

6.5 CBOR and COSE format

The Concise Binary Object Representation (CBOR) is a data format used in PSOC™ Edge devices for concise data representation. The CBOR data format is defined as an Internet standard by [RFC 8949](#), while the CBOR Object Signing and Encryption (COSE) format is defined in [RFC 8152](#). COSE is used to ensure authentication, integrity, and confidentiality of exchanged data. Based on the JSON data model, the CBOR/COSE format is used to transport binary data such as certificates, firmware images, policy files, etc., by the Edge Protect Tools. Additionally, the CBOR web token (CWT), an open industry standard defined in [RFC 8392](#) is used for wrapping a CBOR packet.

For example, policy files are represented in JSON format. During the creation of a provisioning packet, the Edge Protect Tools converts the policy to CBOR, then wrap the payload to CWT for use as RAM application input parameters.

When a COSE object is used, the optional parameter 'cose-type' can be used to identify the embedded object. The value to use with the parameter for each of the structures is defined in [Table 13](#).

Table 13 CBOR tag and cose-type

CBOR tag	cose-type	Data item	Semantics
98	cose-sign	COSE-Sign	COSE Signed data object
18	cose-sign1	COSE_Sign1	COSE Single signer data object
96	cose-encrypt	COSE_Encrypt	COSE Encrypted data object
16	cose-encrypt0	COSE_Encrypt0	COSE Single recipient encrypted data object
97	cose-mac	COSE_Mac	COSE Mac data object
17	cose-mac0	COSE_Mac0	COSE Mac without recipient object

Edge Protect Tools can be used for conversion from CBOR to JSON format to create COSE_Sign and COSE_Sign1 messages, and to verify a COSE_Sign message. See [Edge Protect Tools supported commands](#).

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Certificate authority

CBOR

Concise Binary Object Representation. See the [CBOR webpage](#).

CLI

Command-line interface

COSE

CBOR Object Signing and Encryption

CoT

Chain of Trust

CSR

Certificate signing request

CWT

CBOR web token

DFU

Device Firmware Update

DFU HT

Device Firmware Update Host Tool

DLM

Downloadable module. Alternatively referred to in this document as SE RAM application.

DLM package

Package consisting of the SE RAM application (DLM), input parameters, and the OEM signature.

EPC 2

Edge Protect Category 2. See [Infineon Edge Protect](#).

EPC 4

Edge Protect Category 4. See [Infineon Edge Protect](#).

EPSS

Edge Protect Signing Service. Used to generate the OEM certificates. See [Infineon online tools and services](#).

FW

Firmware

GPIO

General-purpose input/output

Glossary

I2C

Inter-integrated circuit

LCS

Lifecycle stage

MCU

Microcontroller unit

MFG

Manufacturing

MPC

Memory protection controller

NVM

Non-volatile memory

OEM

Original Equipment Manufacturer. Infineon's customers.

OEM_ROT_KEY

OEM Root of Trust key pair

OEM_ROT_PRIVATE_KEY

Private part of the OEM_ROT key pair.

OEM_ROT_PUBLIC_KEY

Public part of the OEM_ROT key pair.

OTA

Over-the-air

OTP

One-time programmable

PC

Personal computer

PEM

Privacy Enhanced Mail

PSA

Platform Security Architecture

QSPI

Quad Serial Peripheral Interface

RMA

Return merchandise authorization

RoT

Root of Trust

Glossary

RRAM

Resistive RAM

RSA

Rivest–Shamir–Adleman

SE

Secure Enclave

SE RAM application

Application loaded into the SRAM to be executed by the Secure Enclave. Developed and signed by Infineon.

SE RT services

Secure Enclave runtime services (available only on EPC 4 parts)

SFDP

Serial Flash Discoverable Parameter

SMIF

Serial memory interface

SPE

Secure processing environment

SPI

Serial Peripheral Interface

SRSS

System resources subsystem

SWD

Serial Wire Debug

TLV

Tag-length-value

UART

Universal Asynchronous Receiver Transmitter

USB

Universal Serial Bus

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