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## **Revision history**

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### **Related documents**

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### **Overview**

Several elements have failure indicators that let the application client turn on a failure indicator:

- a) Device
  - A) Control element: RQST FAULT byte 3 bit 5
  - B) Status element: FAULT SENSED byte 3 bit 5, FAULT REQSTD byte 3 bit 5
- b) Array Device
  - A) Control element: RQST FAULT byte 3 bit 5
  - B) Status element: FAULT SENSED byte 3 bit 5, FAULT REQSTD byte 3 bit 5
- c) Power Supply
  - A) Control element: RQST FAIL byte 3 bit 6
  - B) Status element: FAIL byte 3 bit 6
- d) Cooling
  - A) Control element: RQST FAIL byte 3 bit 6
  - B) Status element: FAIL byte 3 bit 6
- e) Enclosure
  - A) Control element: REQUEST FAILURE byte 3 bit 1
  - B) Status element: FAILURE INDICATION byte 2 bit 1, FAILURE REQUESTED byte 3 bit 1

In each of those elements, the enclosure services process can report failures itself, and also lets the application client control the failure. In Power Supply and Cooling elements, there is only one status bit indicating a logical OR of the two causes.

Additional element types should also include a failure indicator status control, with a RQST FAIL bit added to the control element and a single FAIL bit added to the status element like in Power Supply and Cooling.

Table 1 shows the bits that are to be assigned in each type of element. Since there are 5 conflicts for byte 3 bit 6 and only one conflict for byte 1 bit 6, byte 1 bit 6 is generally chosen.

Table 1 — Elements to which failure indicator control/status bits are to be added

Element	Location					
Device	As-is					
Array Device	As-is					
Power Supply	As-is					
Cooling	As-is					
Temperature Sensor	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
Door Lock	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
Audible Alarm	byte 1 bit 6 OK byte 3 bit 6 is used by SET MUTE bit					
Enclosure Services Controller Electronics	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
SCC Controller Electronics	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
Nonvolatile Cache	byte 1 bit 6 OK byte 3 used in status element					
Invalid Operation Reason	none - not a physical element					
Uninterruptible Power Supply	byte 1 bit 6 used by BATTERY STATUS field byte 3 bit 6 OK (and adjacted to IDENT bit)					
Display	byte 1 bit 6 OK byte 3 used in both control and status					
Key Pad Entry	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
Enclosure	As-is					
SCSI Port/Transceiver	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
Language	none - not a physical element					
Communication Port	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
Voltage Sensor	byte 1 bit 6 OK byte 3 used in status element					
Current Sensor	byte 1 bit 6 OK byte 3 used in status element					
SCSI Target Port	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
SCSI Initiator Port	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
Simple Subenclosure	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
SAS Expander	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					
SAS Connector	byte 1 bit 6 OK, byte 3 bit 6 OK					

## Suggested changes to SES-2

Editor's Note 1: Included excerpts from Device, Array Device, Power Supply, Cooling, and Enclosure elements, which already have fault/failure bits

### 7.3.2 Device element

The Device element manages a SCSI device (e.g., a disk drive) in the enclosure.

Additional information about a Device element may be reported in the Additional Element Status diagnostic page (see 6.1.13).

The format of the control field for a Device element in the Enclosure Control diagnostic page (see 6.1.3) is defined in table 2.

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0		
0		COMMON CONTROL								
1		Reserved								
2	RQST ACTIVE	DO NOT REMOVE	Reserved	RQST MISSING	RQST INSERT	RQST REMOVE	RQST IDENT	Rsvd		
3	Rese	erved	RQST FAULT	DEVICE OFF	ENABLE BYP A	ENABLE BYP B	Reserved			

Table 2 — Device element for the Enclosure Control diagnostic page

The RQST ACTIVE (request device activity indication) bit has no effect if the enclosure provides no visual activity indication. The RQST ACTIVE bit may be set to one by the application client to cause a visual indication that the device is active. The enclosure services process shall sustain the active condition of the visual indicator for at least 0,5 seconds.

NOTE 1 - To maintain the active indication asserted (if present), the application client sets the bit to one at least once every 0,5 seconds.

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A RQST IDENT (request identify) bit set to one specifies that the enclosure services process identify the element (i.e., the device slot) by a visual indication. A RQST IDENT bit set to zero specifies that the enclosure services process not identify the element by a visual indication.

A RQST FAULT (request fault indication) bit set to one specifies that the device slot be identified by a visual indication that a fault is present in the device. A RQST FAULT bit set to zero specifies that the fault indication shall be cleared if the indication is not also being set by the device or the enclosure services process.

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The format of the status field for a Device element in the Enclosure Status diagnostic page (see 6.1.4) is defined in table 3.

Byte\Bit 7 5 6 4 3 2 1 0 0 **COMMON STATUS** 1 SLOT ADDRESS APP CLIENT DO NOT **ENCLOSURE ENCLOSURE** READY TO 2 RMV IDENT REPORT BYPASSED REMOVE BYPASSED A BYPASSED B **INSERT** Α APP DEVICE DEVICE CLIENT **FAULT FAULT BYPASSED BYPASSED** 3 **DEVICE OFF BYPASSED BYPASSED** 

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Table 3 — Device element for the Enclosure Status diagnostic page

The COMMON STATUS field is specified in 7.2.3.

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**SENSED** 

**REQSTD** 

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An IDENT (identify) bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process is currently identifying the element by a visual indication because the RQST IDENT bit was set to one in the control-type diagnostic page. An IDENT bit set to zero indicates that the enclosure services process is not currently identifying the element by a visual indication based on the RQST IDENT bit in the control-type diagnostic page, or a visual indication is not implemented.

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A FAULT SENSED bit set to one indicates that the enclosure or device has detected a fault condition and may be displaying a visual indication of the fault condition. A FAULT SENSED bit set to zero indicates that there is no fault condition detected by the device or enclosure.

A FAULT REQSTD (fault requested) bit set to one indicates that the RQST FAULT control bit has set to one, specifying that the device slot be identified by a visual fault indication. A FAULT REQSTD bit set to zero indicates that the RQST FAULT control bit has been set to zero or that the RQST FAULT control bit is not implemented.

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# 7.3.3 Array Device element

The Array Device element manages a SCSI device (e.g., a disk drive) in an enclosure that is being used in a storage array (e.g., a RAID controller). The mapping between the visual indicators associated with the Array Device element and the requests to set those indicators is vendor specific.

Additional information about an Array Device element may be reported in the Additional Element Status diagnostic page (see 6.1.13).

The format of the control field for an Array Device element in the Enclosure Control diagnostic page (see 6.1.3) is defined in table 4.

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0		COMMON CONTROL							
1	RQST OK	RQST RSVD DEVICE	RQST HOT SPARE	RQST CONS CHECK	RQST IN CRIT ARRAY	RQST IN FAILED ARRAY	RQST REBUILD/ REMAP	RQST R/R ABORT	
2	RQST ACTIVE	DO NOT REMOVE	Reserved	RQST MISSING	RQST INSERT	RQST REMOVE	RQST IDENT	Rsvd	
3	Rese	erved	RQST FAULT	DEVICE OFF	ENABLE BYP A	ENABLE BYP B	Reserved		

Table 4 — Array Device element for the Enclosure Control diagnostic page

The COMMON CONTROL field is specified in 7.2.2.

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The RQST ACTIVE (request device activity indication) bit, DO NOT REMOVE bit, RQST INSERT (request insert) bit, RQST REMOVE (request removal) bit, RQST MISSING (request device missing indication) bit, RQST IDENT (request identify) bit, RQST FAULT (request fault indication) bit, DEVICE OFF bit, ENABLE BYP A (enable bypass A) bit, and ENABLE BYP B (enable bypass B) bit are defined in the Device element for the Enclosure Control diagnostic page (see 7.3.2).

The format of the status field for an Array Device element in the Enclosure Status diagnostic page (see 6.1.4) is defined in table 5.

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0		
0		COMMON STATUS								
1	ОК	RSVD DEVICE	HOT SPARE	CONS CHK	IN CRIT ARRAY	IN FAILED ARRAY	REBUILD/ REMAP	R/R ABORT		
2	APP CLIENT BYPASSED A	DO NOT REMOVE	ENCLOSURE BYPASSED A	ENCLOSURE BYPASSED B	READY TO INSERT	RMV	IDENT	REPORT		
3	APP CLIENT BYPASSED B	FAULT SENSED	FAULT REQSTD	DEVICE OFF	BYPASSED A	BYPASSED B	DEVICE BYPASSED A	DEVICE BYPASSED B		

Table 5 — Array Device element for the Enclosure Status diagnostic page

The COMMON STATUS field is specified in 7.2.3.

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The DO NOT REMOVE bit, READY TO INSERT bit, RMV (remove) bit, IDENT (identify) bit, and REPORT bit are defined in the Device element for the Enclosure Status diagnostic page (see 7.3.2).

The FAULT SENSED bit, FAULT REQSTD bit, and DEVICE OFF bit are defined in the Device element for the Enclosure Status diagnostic page (see 7.3.2).

The APP CLIENT BYPASSED A bit, APP CLIENT BYPASSED B bit, ENCLOSURE BYPASSED A bit, ENCLOSURE BYPASSED B bit, BYPASSED B bit, DEVICE BYPASSED A bit, and DEVICE BYPASSED B bit are defined in the Device element for the Enclosure Status diagnostic page (see 7.3.2).

## 7.3.4 Power Supply element

The Power Supply element manages a power supply (e.g., providing power to devices (see 7.3.2), array devices (see 7.3.3), enclosure services process electronics (see 7.3.9), and/or SCC controller electronics (see 7.3.10)).

The format of the control field for a Power Supply element is defined in table 6.

Table 6 — Power Supply element for control-type diagnostic pages

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0		
0		COMMON CONTROL								
1	RQST IDENT		Reserved							
2			Reserved							
3	Rsvd	RQST FAIL	RQST FAIL RQST ON Reserved							

The COMMON CONTROL field is specified in 7.2.2.

A RQST IDENT (request identify) bit set to one specifies that the enclosure services process identify the element by a visual indication. A RQST IDENT bit set to zero specifies that the enclosure services process not identify the element by a visual indication.

A RQST FAIL (request failure indication) bit set to one specifies that the power supply be identified by a visual-indication that a failure is present. A RQST FAIL bit set to zero specifies that the failure indication may be turned off if the indication is not also being set by the power supply or the enclosure services process.

A ROST FAIL (request failure indication) bit set to one specifies that that the enclosure services process shall enable a visual indication that a failure is present in the element. A ROST FAIL bit set to zero specifies that the enclosure services process shall disable a visual indication that a failure is present in the element, unless the enclosure services process is itself detecting a failure in the element. Some failure indications in the STATUS INFORMATION field are latched. Setting the RQST FAIL bit to one and then setting it to zero shall reset any latched failure indications.

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The format of the status field for a Power Supply element is defined in table 7.

Table 7 — Power Supply element for status-type diagnostic pages

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0			
0		COMMON STATUS									
1	IDENT	DENT Reserved									
2		Rese	erved		DC OVER VOLTAGE	DC UNDER VOLTAGE	DC OVER CURRENT	Rsvd			
3	Rsvd	FAIL	RQSTED ON	OFF	OVRTMP FAIL	TEMP WARN	AC FAIL	DC FAIL			

The COMMON STATUS field is specified in 7.2.3.

An IDENT (identify) bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process is currently identifying the element by a visual indication because the RQST IDENT bit was set to one in the control-type diagnostic page. An IDENT bit set to zero indicates that the enclosure services process is not currently identifying the element by a visual indication based on the RQST IDENT bit in the control-type diagnostic page, or a visual indication is not implemented.

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A FAIL bit set to one indicates that the failure indication is on or has been set on. If there are no additional failures detected by the enclosure, setting the RQST FAIL control bit to zero shall cause the FAIL bit to be set to zero.

A FAIL bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process is currently identifying the element with a visual failure indication based on the ROST FAIL bit in the control-type diagnostic page or its own detection of a failure. A FAIL bit set to zero indicates that:

- a) the enclosure services process is not currently identifying the element with a visual failure indication based on the RQST FAIL bit in the control-type diagnostic page or its own detection of a failure (e.g., the ELEMENT STATUS CODE field is not set to 1h (i.e., OK)); or
- b) a visual failure indication is not implemented.

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## 7.3.5 Cooling element

The Cooling element manages a fan, blower, or other cooling mechanism.

The format of the control field for a Cooling element is defined in table 8.

Table 8 — Cooling element for control-type diagnostic pages

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0		
0		COMMON CONTROL								
1	RQST IDENT	Reserved								
2		Reserved								
3	Rsvd	RQST FAIL	RQST ON	Rese	erved	REQUESTED SPEED CODE				

The COMMON CONTROL field is specified in 7.2.2.

A RQST IDENT (request identify) bit set to one specifies that the enclosure services process identify the element by a visual indication. A RQST IDENT bit set to zero specifies that the enclosure services process not identify the element by a visual indication.

A ROST FAIL (request failure indication) bit set to one specifies that that the Cooling element be identified by a visual indication that a failure is present. When the ROST FAIL bit is set to zero, the failure indication may be turned off if the indication is not also being set by the enclosure services process.

A ROST FAIL (request failure indication) bit set to one specifies that that the enclosure services process shall enable a visual indication that a failure is present in the element. A ROST FAIL bit set to zero specifies that the enclosure services process shall disable a visual indication that a failure is present in the element, unless the enclosure services process is itself detecting a failure in the element.

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The format of the status field for a cooling element is defined in table 9.

Table 9 — Cooling element for status-type diagnostic pages

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0		
0		COMMON STATUS								
1	IDENT		Reserved (MSB)							
2			ACTUAL FAN SPEED (LSB)							
3	Rsvd	FAIL	RQSTED ON	OFF	Rsvd	ACTUAL SPEED CODE				

The COMMON STATUS field is specified in 7.2.3.

An IDENT (identify) bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process is currently identifying the element by a visual indication because the RQST IDENT bit was set to one in the control-type diagnostic page. An IDENT bit set to zero indicates that the enclosure services process is not currently identifying the element by a visual indication based on the RQST IDENT bit in the control-type diagnostic page, or a visual indication is not implemented.

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A FAIL bit set to one indicates that the failure indication is on or has been turned on. If there are no additional failures detected by the enclosure, setting the RQST FAIL control bit to zero shall cause the FAIL bit to be set to zero.

A FAIL bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process is currently identifying the element with a visual failure indication based on the RQST FAIL bit in the control-type diagnostic page or its own detection of a failure. A FAIL bit set to zero indicates that:

- a) the enclosure services process is not currently identifying the element with a visual failure indication based on the RQST FAIL bit in the control-type diagnostic page or its own detection of a failure (e.g., the ELEMENT STATUS CODE field is not set to 1h (i.e., OK)); or
- b) a visual failure indication is not implemented.

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#### 7.3.16 Enclosure element

The Enclosure element manages the enclosure itself.

The format of the control field for an Enclosure element is defined in table 10.

Table 10 — Enclosure element for control-type diagnostic pages

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0			
0		COMMON CONTROL									
1	RQST IDENT	Reserved									
2				Re	served						
3		Reserved REQUEST REQUEST FAILURE WARNING									

The COMMON CONTROL field is specified in 7.2.2.

If the REQUEST FAILURE bit is set to one, the enclosure shall enable a visual indication of enclosure failure (e.g., a failure LED). If the REQUEST FAILURE bit is set to zero, the enclosure may enable a visual indication of enclosure failure if the failure is self-detected.

If the REQUEST WARNING bit is set to one, the enclosure shall enable a visual indication of enclosure warning (e.g., a flashing LED or a second LED in addition to a failure LED). If the REQUEST WARNING bit is set to zero, the enclosure may enable a visual indication of enclosure warning if the warning is self-detected.

The format of the status field for an Enclosure element is defined in table 11.

Table 11 — Enclosure element for status-type diagnostic pages

Byte\Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0			
0		COMMON STATUS									
1	IDENT	ENT Reserved									
2			Rese	FAILURE INDICATION	WARNING INDICATION						
3			Reserved FAILURE WARNIN REQUESTED REQUEST								

The COMMON STATUS field is specified in 7.2.3.

A FAILURE INDICATION bit set to one indicates that a failed condition was detected by the enclosure and that the visual indication of enclosure failure is enabled. A FAILURE INDICATION bit set to zero indicates that a failed condition was not detected by the enclosure.

A WARNING INDICATION bit set to one indicates that a warning condition was detected by the enclosure and that the visual indication of enclosure warning is enabled. A WARNING INDICATION bit set to zero indicates that a warning condition was not detected by the enclosure.

A FAILURE REQUESTED bit set to one indicates that a failed condition has been requested by an application client with the Enclosure Control diagnostic page (see 6.1.3) and that the visual indication of enclosure failure is enabled. A FAILURE REQUESTED bit set to zero indicates that a failed condition has not been requested by an application client.

A WARNING REQUESTED bit set to one indicates that a warning condition has been requested by an application client with the Enclosure Control diagnostic page and that the visual indication of enclosure warning is enabled. A WARNING REQUESTED bit set to zero indicates that a warning condition has not been requested by an application client.

Editor's Note 2: Add changes to all the elements in table 1 as specified for the following element

### 7.3.6 Temperature Sensor element

The Temperature Sensor element provides temperature indications to the application client. The temperature values may be compared with values that correspond to over temperature and under temperature failures and warnings.

If variable threshold values are implemented, the optional Threshold Out diagnostic page (see 6.1.8) may be used to override default temperature threshold values. The threshold field for Temperature Sensor elements shall have the same format and units as the TEMPERATURE field.

When the DISABLE bit (see 7.2.2) is set to one, the temperature sensor's output is not tested against any threshold values and no noncritical, critical, or unrecoverable conditions are indicated because of the temperature values sensed. When the DISABLE bit is set to zero, the temperature sensor's output is accepted normally by the enclosure services process.

The format of the control field for a Temperature Sensor element is defined in table 12.

Byte\Bit 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 0 COMMON CONTROL Reserved **RQST** 1 Reserved **IDENT RQST FAIL** 2 Reserved 3 Reserved

Table 12 — Temperature Sensor element for control-type diagnostic pages

The COMMON CONTROL field is specified in 7.2.2.

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A RQST IDENT (request identify) bit set to one specifies that the enclosure services process identify the element by a visual indication. A RQST IDENT bit set to zero specifies that the enclosure services process not identify the element by a visual indication.

A RQST FAIL (request failure indication) bit set to one specifies that that the enclosure services process shall enable a visual indication that a failure is present in the element. A RQST FAIL bit set to zero specifies that the enclosure services process shall disable a visual indication that a failure is present in the element, unless the enclosure services process is itself detecting a failure in the element.

The format of the status field for a Temperature Sensor element is defined in table 13.

Byte\Bit 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 0 **COMMON STATUS** Reserved 1 IDENT Reserved **FAIL** 2 **TEMPERATURE** OT OT UT UT 3 Reserved **FAILURE** WARNING **FAILURE** WARNING

Table 13 — Temperature Sensor element for status-type diagnostic pages

The COMMON STATUS field is specified in 7.2.3.

An IDENT (identify) bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process is currently identifying the element by a visual indication because the RQST IDENT bit was set to one in the control-type diagnostic page. An IDENT bit set to zero indicates that the enclosure services process is not currently identifying the element by a visual indication based on the RQST IDENT bit in the control-type diagnostic page, or a visual indication is not implemented.

A FAIL bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process is currently identifying the element with a visual failure indication based on the RQST FAIL bit in the control-type diagnostic page or its own detection of a failure. A FAIL bit set to zero indicates that:

- a) the enclosure services process is not currently identifying the element with a visual failure indication based on the RQST FAIL bit in the control-type diagnostic page or its own detection of a failure (e.g., the ELEMENT STATUS CODE field is not set to 1h (i.e., OK)); or
- b) a visual failure indication is not implemented.

The value in the TEMPERATURE field shall indicate the temperature at the sensor in degrees Celsius, offset by +20 degrees. The range of the value expresses a temperature between -19 and +235 degrees Celsius. The value of 0 is reserved. Thresholds may be set for the temperature element. The threshold value uses the same units and format.

An OT FAILURE (overtemperature failure) bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process has detected a temperature higher than a safe operating temperature or higher than the value indicated by the HIGH CRITICAL THRESHOLD field in the Threshold In diagnostic page (see 6.1.9). An OT FAILURE bit set to zero indicates that the temperature has fallen to a safe operating temperature or below the value specified by the HIGH CRITICAL THRESHOLD field.

An OT WARNING (overtemperature warning) bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process has detected a temperature higher than a normal operating temperature or higher than the value indicated by the HIGH WARNING THRESHOLD field in the Threshold In diagnostic page. An OT WARNING bit set to zero indicates that the temperature has fallen within the normal operating limits or below the value specified by the HIGH WARNING THRESHOLD field.

A UT FAILURE (undertemperature failure) bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process has detected a temperature lower than a safe operating temperature or lower than the value indicated by the LOW CRITICAL THRESHOLD field in the Threshold In diagnostic page. A UT FAILURE bit set to zero indicates that the temperature has risen to a safe operating temperature or the above the value specified by the LOW CRITICAL THRESHOLD field.

A UT WARNING (undertemperature warning) bit set to one indicates that the enclosure services process has detected a temperature lower than a normal operating temperature or lower than the value indicated by the LOW WARNING THRESHOLD field in the Threshold In diagnostic page. A UT WARNING bit set to zero indicates that the temperature has risen within the normal operating limits or above the value specified by the LOW WARNING THRESHOLD field.