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Introduction

The recent SNIA OSD TWG face-to-face meeting agreed to add a scatter/gather capability to OSD-2 Read and Write commands. However, the attributes-based method for describing the scatter/gather list (see T10/08-091r1) was found to present data ordering problems in the Data-Out Buffer.

A new CDB Continuation method was agreed upon to provide space for the scatter/gather list. The new method more nearly matches the concept of a SCSI Parameter List, but based on the existing OSD security mechanisms changes that more specifically match the OSD Data-Out Buffer definition are needed.

This proposal describes:

- The appropriate Data-Out Buffer format changes (see change 1);
- How the existing CDB is continued into the modified Data-Out Buffer (see change 2);
- How additional capabilities can be placed in the CDB continuation segment of the Data-Out Buffer (see change 3);
- How the CAPKEY Security Method is enhanced to support placing additional capabilities structures in the CDB Continuation (see change 4); and
- How the CMDRSP Security Method is enhanced to support continuing the CDB into the Data-Out Buffer (see change 5).

Based on the above general enhancements of the OSD CDB, the following new command features are defined:

- A scatter/gather list addition to the CREATE AND WRITE command, READ command, and WRITE command (see change 6); and
- A new COPY USER OBJECTS command (see change 8) and supporting object duplication model (see change 7).

These changes to the suite of OSD commands provide useful new OSD functions. They also demonstrate how the new CDB continuation feature can be used by other new and existing OSD commands.

Revision History

- r0 Initial revision
- r1 Incorporate changes requested by the March CAP working group.

Differences between r0 and r1 are identified by change bars.

Unless otherwise indicated additions are shown in **blue** or **purple**, deletions in **red-strikethrough**, and comments in **green**. **Purple** additions apply to a change other than the change in which they appear.

Each change is introduced by a brief description in which the markups described above are not used.

Change 1 – Data-Out Buffer format and related changes

Description

This change splits the Data-Out Buffer command data or parameter data segment into specific subsegments for each function. What SCSI would normally call the parameter data segment is called the CDB continuation segment. In some commands (e.g., WRITE) both the CDB continuation segment and the command data segment may be present in one Data-Out Buffer.

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4.12.4.5 The ALLDATA security method

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The application client also computes the data-out integrity check value using:

- a) The algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field (see 4.12.3);
- b) The used bytes in the following Data-Out Buffer segments (see 4.14.4):
 - ~~1) Command data or parameter data;~~
 - 1) CDB continuation;
 - 2) Command data;
 - 3) Set attributes; and
 - 4) Get attributes;
 and
- c) The credential capability key (see 4.12.5.2).

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4.14.2 OSD meta data

A single command may include the following types of data:

- a) Traditional command data or parameter data;
- b) OSD object meta data; and/or
- c) Integrity check values computed over all the other types of data.

The presence of generalized object meta data differentiates communications in the OSD model from those used by traditional block structured devices (i.e., SBC devices).

NOTE 4 - This standard provides for several segments in the Data-in and Data-out Buffers because the output meta data is typically too large to fit in the CDB, the input meta data is too large to fit in the single status byte returned by SCSI devices, and the ALLDATA security method (see 4.12.4.5) provides for the computation of integrity check values for all bytes exchanged between the application client and device server.

OSD meta data and integrity check values share the Data-In Buffer and Data-Out Buffer with the traditional command or parameter data as shown in table 34.

Table 34 — OSD Data-In Buffer and Data-Out Buffer model

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0 i-1	Command data and/or parameter data segment, if any							
i k-1	Unused bytes, if any							
k p-1	Meta data segments, if any							
p m-1	Unused bytes, if any							
m n	Integrity check value segment, if any							

The Data-In Buffer format is described in 4.14.3. The Data-Out Buffer format is described in 4.14.4.

Offset values (see 4.14.5) for each segment except the first are provided in CDB fields. The segments of the Data-In Buffer and Data-Out Buffer should not overlap. If they do, the results are unpredictable.

4.14.3 OSD Data-In Buffer format

{{Although not strictly necessary, the changes proposed for 4.14.3 are intended to make its contents consistent with those of 4.14.4. In 4.14.4, the proposed changes are needed to clarify the use of the newly defined buffer segment and the existing buffer segment.}}

The Data-In Buffer has the format shown in table 35.

Table 35 — OSD Data-In Buffer format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0 i-1	Command data or parameter data segment, if any							
i k-1	Unused bytes, if any							
k p-1	Retrieved attributes segment, if any							
p m-1	Unused bytes, if any							
m n	Data-In Buffer integrity check value segment, if any (see 4.12.4.5)							

The command data or parameter data segment contains data transferred from an object to the application client (e.g., data read by a READ command (see 6.23)) or data returned to the application client by the device server in response to a request made by the command (e.g., the matches list parameter data returned by a QUERY command (see 6.21)).

The retrieved attributes segment contains attribute values retrieved based on requests specified by the CDB (see 5.2.4).

The Data-In Buffer integrity check value segment contains security parameters related to the ALLDATA security method (see 4.12.4.5).

The CDB offset fields that assist in locating the Data-In Buffer segments are shown in table 36.

Table 36 — Summary of OSD Data-In Buffer offsets

CDB Data-In Buffer offset field	Reference	Buffer segment
none		Command data or parameter data
RETRIEVED ATTRIBUTES OFFSET	5.2.4	Retrieved attributes data
DATA-IN INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE OFFSET	5.2.8	Data-In Buffer integrity check value

If the device server sends data to the unused Data-In Buffer bytes in the initiator device, then the device server shall send bytes containing zero.

4.14.4 OSD Data-Out Buffer format

The Data-Out Buffer has the format shown in table 37.

Table 37 — OSD Data-Out Buffer format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Command data or parameter data							
h-1	CDB continuation segment (see 5.x), if any							
h	Command data segment, if any							
i-1	Unused bytes, if any							
i	Unused bytes, if any							
k-1	Set attributes segment, if any							
k	Set attributes segment, if any							
x-1	Unused bytes, if any							
x	Unused bytes, if any							
y-1	Get attributes segment, if any							
y	Get attributes segment, if any							
z-1	Unused bytes, if any							
z	Unused bytes, if any							
m-1	Unused bytes, if any							
m	Data-Out Buffer integrity check value segment, if any (see 4.12.4.5)							
n	Data-Out Buffer integrity check value segment, if any (see 4.12.4.5)							

The CDB continuation segment contains fields that elaborate on the command to be processed (see 5.x).

The command data segment contains data to be transferred to an object from the application client (e.g., data to be written by a WRITE command (see 6.32)).

The set attributes segment contains attribute values to be set based on requests specified by the CDB (see 5.2.4).

The get attributes segment contains a list of attribute values to be retrieved based on requests specified by the CDB (see 5.2.4).

The Data-Out Buffer integrity check value segment contains security parameters related to the ALLDATA security method (see 4.12.4.5).

The CDB offset fields that assist in locating the Data-Out Buffer segments are shown in table 38.

Table 38 — Summary of OSD Data-Out Buffer offsets

CDB Data-Out Buffer offset field	Reference	Buffer segment
none		Command data or parameter data
none		CDB continuation
CDB CONTINUATION LENGTH ^a	5.x	Command data
SET ATTRIBUTES LIST OFFSET	5.2.4	Set attributes
SET ATTRIBUTES OFFSET	5.2.4	Set attributes
GET ATTRIBUTES LIST OFFSET	5.2.4	Get attributes
DATA-OUT INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE OFFSET	5.2.8	Data-Out Buffer integrity check value
^a If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to zero, the command data segment begins at byte zero of the Data-Out Buffer. If the CONT bit is set to one, the CDB CONTINUATION LENGTH field (see 5.x) specifies the size of the CDB continuation segment and thus the beginning of the command data segment (i.e., there are no unused bytes between the end of the CDB continuation segment and the beginning of the command data segment, if any). The CDB continuation segment may be padded for alignment purposes.		

The device server shall ignore the contents of unused bytes in the Data-Out Buffer.

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5.x CDB continuation segment format

{{All of 5.x is new. The use of change markups is suspended for the remainder of 5.x.}}

If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one, the first bytes in the Data-Out Buffer (see 4.14.4) have the format shown in table x1.

Table x1 — CDB continuation segment format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	(MSB) CDB CONTINUATION LENGTH (n-7)							(LSB)
7								
8	CDB CONTINUATION FORMAT							
9	Reserved							
10	(MSB) CONTINUED SERVICE ACTION							(LSB)
11								
12	(MSB) CONTINUATION INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE							(LSB)
31								
CDB continuation descriptors								
32	CDB continuation descriptor [first] (see 5.y.1)							
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	CDB continuation descriptor [last] (see 5.y.1)							
Pad bytes (for alignment)								
n								

The CDB CONTINUATION LENGTH field specifies the number of bytes that follow in the CDB continuation segment. The command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST if the CDB CONTINUATION LENGTH field contains a value that is:

- a) Less than 56 (i.e., 38h);
- b) Greater than the value in the maximum CDB continuation length attribute in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8); or
- c) Not a multiple of eight.

The CDB CONTINUATION FORMAT field (see table x2) specifies the format of this CDB continuation segment.

Table x2 — CDB CONTINUATION FORMAT field

Value	Description
00h	Reserved
01h	The format defined by this standard
02h to FFh	Reserved

The CONTINUED SERVICE ACTION field specifies the service action for the command to which the CDB continuation is being applied. If the contents of the CONTINUED SERVICE ACTION field do not match the contents of the SERVICE ACTION field in the CDB (see 5.1), then the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

The CONTINUATION INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field contains an integrity check value (see 4.12.8) for the CDB continuation sent by the application client. The CONTINUATION INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field is used only by the CMDRSP security method. The CMDRSP security method for computing the continuation integrity check value is described in 4.12.4.4.

Each CDB continuation descriptor (see 5.y.1) contains one set of CDB continuation information. Unless otherwise stated, the order in which the CDB continuation descriptors appear in the CDB continuation segment has no significance.

The CDB continuation segment may be padded to meet alignment requirements determined by the application client. The minimum CDB continuation segment alignment is eight byte boundaries. Depending on the needed alignment, zero or more bytes containing zeros may be added at the end of the CDB continuation segment.

5.y CDB continuation descriptors

{{All of 5.y is new. The use of change markups is suspended for the remainder of 5.y.}}

5.y.1 Overview

Each CDB continuation descriptor (see table x3) contains one set of CDB continuation information formatted as a header with a format that is common to all CDB continuation descriptors followed by data that is specific to each CDB continuation descriptor type.

Table x3 — CDB continuation descriptor format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	CDB continuation descriptor header							
0	(MSB)	CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE						(LSB)
1		Reserved						
2		CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH (n-7)						
3		CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH (n-7)						
4	(MSB)	CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH (n-7)						(LSB)
7		CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH (n-7)						
	CDB continuation descriptor type specific data							
8		CDB continuation descriptor type specific data						
n		CDB continuation descriptor type specific data						

The CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field (see table x4) specifies the format of the CDB continuation descriptor type specific data.

Table x4 — CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field

Value	Description	Reference
0000h	No more continuation descriptors ^a	
{{Other rows of this table are filled in by other changes in this proposal.}} {{The most complete body for this table can be found in change 8 table x4.}}		
all other values	Reserved	
^a Since the CDB continuation segment pad bytes, if any, are set to zero (see 5.x), encountering a CDB continuation descriptor type of zero shall be processed in the same way as reaching the last byte of the CDB continuation segment.		

The CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH field specifies the number of bytes that follow in this CDB continuation descriptor. If the continuation descriptor length is not a multiple of eight, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

The format of the CDB continuation descriptor type specific data depends on the contents of the CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field (see table x4).

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7.1.2.8 Root Information attributes page

The Root Information attributes page (R+1h) shall contain the attributes listed in table 127.

Table 127 — Root Information attributes page contents

Attribute Number	Length (bytes)	Attribute	Application Client Settable	OSD Logical Unit Provided
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9h	variable	OSD name	Yes	No
Ah	8	Maximum CDB continuation length	No	Yes
Bh	4	Maximum capabilities per command	No	Yes
Ah Ch to 7Fh		Reserved	No	
80h	8	Total capacity	No	Yes
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The maximum CDB continuation length attribute (number Ah) shall contain the largest value allowed in the CDB CONTINUATION LENGTH field (see 5.x).

The maximum capabilities per command attribute (number Bh) shall contain the largest number of capabilities (i.e., one capability in the CDB and the others in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x)) allowed in one command. Zero is an allowable value for the maximum capabilities per command attribute. If the number of capabilities

detected in one command exceeds the value in the maximum capabilities per command attribute the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

{{The maximum capabilities per command attribute limits the device sever's obligation to process infinitely many capabilities in a single command (see change 3).}}

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{{The maximum CDB continuation length and maximum capabilities per command attributes must be added to Annex B too.}}

7.1.2.11 User Object Information attributes page

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If the OSD logical unit does not support the reserved data space attribute, the actual data space attribute (D1h) shall be undefined (see 3.1.50). If the reserved data space attribute is supported, the actual data space attribute shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and shall contain the number of bytes used by the user object to store data transferred in the command data ~~or parameter data~~ segment of the Data-Out Buffer (see 4.14.4) by APPEND commands (see 6.2), CLEAR commands (see 6.3), CREATE AND WRITE commands (see 6.5), and/or WRITE commands (see 6.32) to the user object.

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Change 2 – CDB Continuation into the Data-Out Buffer

Description

This change adds a single bit to the basic OSD CDB format to specify the presence of a CDB continuation segment in the Data-Out Buffer. Unlike other buffer segments, the CDB continuation segment is self describing, which means neither the CDB continuation segment nor the command data segment need an offset field defined in the CDB. If the CDB continuation segment is present, it contains all the information needed to describe both itself and the command data segment that it displaced.

The error handling for the new bit is also defined for all commands where no CDB continuation usage is currently defined.

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5.2 Fields commonly used in OSD commands

5.2.1 Overview

OSD commands employ the basic CDB structure shown in 5.1. Within the basic CDB structure, the OSD service action specific fields are organized so that the same field is in the same location in all OSD CDBs (see table 49). OSD service action specific fields that are unique to a small number of CDBs are not shown in this subclause.

Table 49 — OSD service action specific fields

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
10	Reserved			DPO ^a	FUA ^a	ISOLATION (see 5.2.5)		
11	Reserved		GET/SET CDBFMT ^b		Command specific options			
11	CONT ^b	Reserved	GET/SET CDBFMT ^c		Command specific options			
12	TIMESTAMPS CONTROL (see 5.2.10)							
13	{{No other changes in the body of table 49.}}							
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^a See 5.2.3. ^b See 5.2.x. ^c See 5.2.4.								

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{{Insert the following new subclause in the proper alphabetical order.}}

5.2.x CDB continuation

The CONT (CDB continuation) bit specifies whether the CDB is continued into the Data-Out Buffer. If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to zero, the CDB is not continued into the Data-Out Buffer. If the CONT bit is set to one, the CDB is continued into the CDB continuation segment of the Data-Out Buffer (see 4.14.4) using the format described in 5.x.

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6 Commands for OSD type devices

{{For all command definitions except CREATE AND WRITE, READ, and WRITE, the CDB format definition table and text that follows it must be modified as shown. The changes needed in the CREATE AND WRITE command, READ command, and WRITE command are shown in change 6.}}

Table nn — generic OSD command definition table

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
...	...							
11	Reserved		GET/SET CDBFMT		...			
11	CONT (0b)	Reserved	GET/SET CDBFMT		...			
12	{{No other changes in the body of this table.}}							
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The CONT bit is described in 5.2.x. If the CONT bit is set to one, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.

The GET/SET CDBFMT field specifies the format of the get and set attributes parameters as described in 5.2.4.

Change 3 – Placing additional capabilities in the CDB continuation segment

Description

The M_OBJECT permission bit allows the manipulation of the attributes in multiple user objects, but not manipulation of the data. This could be taken to mean that manipulation of data (i.e., the information for which a READ or WRITE permission bit is required) should be granted only if a full capability is provided for the object (user object, collection, or partition) that is being accessed. If this view is taken, then multiple capabilities need to be allowed and all but one of these capabilities need to be placed in the CDB continuation segment.

A limit on the number of capabilities associated with a single command is defined in change 1. In effect, this also limits the number of objects on which a single command can operate. It allows an implementation to appropriately constrain the demands placed on its resources for processing multiple objects in a single command.

Because of the scatter/gather aspects of the COPY USER OBJECTS command features (see change 8) it seems prudent to separate capability descriptors from object descriptors.

The changes below define CDB continuation descriptors that contain capabilities. The entire capability definition subclause is modified so that all the capabilities of a command (the one in the CDB and the possibly several in the CDB continuation) are checked, instead of the current single capability check.

In order properly secure these capabilities, CAPKEY security checking is required for each capability unless the security method is NOSEC (see also change 4 and change 5). The only way to prove the right to use a capability is to sign something which the capability key associated with the capability and have the device server validate that signature. CAPKEY appears to be the lowest overhead signature mechanism defined to date, which is why its usage is proposed in this case.

To avoid conflicts over security method, the security method in the capability in the CDB takes processing precedence over all other security method values in all other capabilities. However, if the security method in the CDB is less rigorous than the security method in any CDB continuation segment capability (e.g., NOSEC in the CDB and CAPKEY in as few as one of the continuation capabilities), the command is terminated before any significant capability validation is attempted. In effect, the security method in the CDB prevails, but it must be the most rigorous of any security method in any capability.

A review of OSD-2 r03 indicates that no additional wording is required to have the CDB security method take precedence. The more/less rigorous requirement is stated in the revised 4.11.2.2 below.

Warning: The subclauses changed by change 3 are shown out of numeric order to facilitate reviewing the changes.

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5.y.1 Overview

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The CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field (see table x4) specifies the format of the CDB continuation descriptor type specific data.

Table x4 — CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field

Value	Description	Reference
0000h	No more continuation descriptors ^a	
FFEEh	Capability	5.y.z
{{Other rows of this table are filled in by other changes in this proposal.}} {{The most complete body for this table can be found in change 8 table x4.}}		
all other values	Reserved	
^a Since the CDB continuation segment pad bytes, if any, are set to zero (see 5.x), encountering a CDB continuation descriptor type of zero shall be processed in the same way as reaching the last byte of the CDB continuation segment.		

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5.y.z Capability CDB continuation descriptors

{{All of 5.y.z is new. The use of change markups is suspended for the remainder of 5.y.z.}}

The capability CDB continuation descriptor (see table x5) adds one capability to the set of capabilities associated with the command.

Table x5 — Capability CDB continuation descriptor format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CDB continuation descriptor header								
0	(MSB)	CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE (FFEEh)						(LSB)
1								
2		Reserved						
3								
4	(MSB)	CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH (0080h)						(LSB)
7								
CDB continuation descriptor type specific data								
8	(MSB)	CAPABILITY INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE						(LSB)
27								
28		Reserved						
31								
32		Capability (see 4.11.2.2)						
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The CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field contains FFEEh (i.e., capability CDB continuation descriptor).

The CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH field contains the number of bytes that follow in this capability descriptor (i.e., 128 decimal or 0080h).

The CAPABILITY INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field contains an integrity check value (see 4.12.8) computed by the application client for the capability in this CDB continuation descriptor using:

- a) The algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field of the capability in this CDB continuation descriptor;
- b) The security token returned in the Security Token VPD page (see 7.5.3); and
- c) The credential capability key (see 4.12.5.2) for the capability in this CDB continuation descriptor.

For each capability CDB continuation descriptor found in the CDB continuation segment, the device server shall validate the credential in the descriptor by:

- 1) Reconstructing the credential containing the capability as described in 4.12.6.2;
- 2) Computing the credential integrity check value for the reconstructed credential using the algorithm, inputs, and secret key specified in 4.12.6.3;
- 3) Computing the capability integrity check value using:

- A) The algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field (see 4.12.3);
 - B) The security token (see 4.12.4.3); and
 - C) The credential integrity check value computed in step 2) as the secret key;
- and
- 4) Verifying that the computed credential integrity check value matches the contents of the CAPABILITY INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field in the descriptor. If the contents in the CAPABILITY INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field do not match the computed credential integrity check value, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, the sense key shall be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

{{Note: There has been some offline discussion of adding the CDB REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field contents to security token in the algorithm described above. Doing so would better link the CDB continuation segment to the CDB that it continues. However, the addition would potentially increase the computational overhead in both the application client and the device server (i.e., hashing more than the security token would prevent either or both entities from caching CAPKEY integrity check values). Therefore, CDB to continuation linkage has been eschewed in favor of hopefully better performance.}}

{{Subclauses reordered at this point to focus on the capability definition changes needed to support associating more than one capability with a command.}}

4.11.2 Capabilities

4.11.2.1 Introduction

Each CDB defined by this standard includes a capability (see 4.11.2.2) whose contents specify the command functions (see 3.1.10) that the device server is allowed to process in response to the command. [The CDB continuation segment \(see 5.x\), if any, is allowed to include zero or more additional capabilities.](#)

The device server validates that the requested command functions are allowed by ~~the~~ a capability based on:

- a) The type of functions (e.g., read, write, attributes setting, attributes retrieval); and
- b) The OSD object [or objects](#) on which the command functions are to be processed.

The policies that determine which capabilities are provided to which application clients are outside the scope of this standard.

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4.11.2.2 Capability format

4.11.2.2.1 Introduction

A capability (see table 12) is included in a CDB to enable the device server to verify that the sender is allowed to perform the command functions (see 3.1.10) described by the CDB.

Table 12 — Capability format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Reserved				CAPABILITY FORMAT (2h)			
1	KEY VERSION				INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM			
2	Reserved				SECURITY METHOD			
3	Reserved							
4	(MSB)							
9	CAPABILITY EXPIRATION TIME							
10	(LSB)							
29	AUDIT							
30	(MSB)							
41	CAPABILITY DISCRIMINATOR							
42	(MSB)							
47	OBJECT CREATED TIME							
48	OBJECT TYPE							
49	PERMISSIONS BIT MASK							
53	(LSB)							
54	Reserved							
55	OBJECT DESCRIPTOR TYPE				Reserved			
56	(MSB)							
59	ALLOWED ATTRIBUTES ACCESS							
60	(LSB)							
103	OBJECT DESCRIPTOR							

The CAPABILITY FORMAT field (see table 13) specifies the format of the capability. If capabilities are coordinated with the security manager, the capability format also is the credential format. The policy/storage manager shall set the CAPABILITY FORMAT field to ~~1h~~ 2h (i.e., the format defined by this standard).

Table 13 — Capability format values

Value	Description
0h	No capability
1h	Obsolete
2h	The format defined by this standard
3h - Fh	Reserved

If the CAPABILITY FORMAT field contains 2h, the device server shall verify that the command functions requested by a CDB and any CDB continuation descriptors (see 5.x) are permitted by ~~the capability~~ at least one of the capabilities associated with the command (i.e., by the capability in the CDB (see 5.2.1) or by a capability in a capability CDB continuation descriptor (see 5.y.z)) as described in this subclause. The device server may verify that a command function is permitted after other command functions are completed. The device server shall verify that a command function is permitted before any part of the command function is performed. (E.g., the device server may delay verifying that the set attributes command functions specified by a set attributes list are allowed until the requested read command function is completed, but all the capability permissions concerning the setting attributes are to be verified before any attribute values are changed.)

The KEY VERSION field, INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field, and SECURITY METHOD field are used by the security manager (see 4.12.3). If capabilities are not coordinated with the security manager, the KEY VERSION field, INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field, and SECURITY METHOD field are reserved.

~~If CDB contains a non-zero value in the SECURITY METHOD field, the integrity of the CDB shall be validated (see 4.12.6.1) before any other command processing actions are undertaken (i.e., before verifying that command functions requested in the CDB are permitted by the capability).~~

If CDB contains a non-zero value in the SECURITY METHOD field:

- 1) The integrity of the CDB shall be validated (see 4.12.6.1) before any other command processing actions are undertaken (i.e., before verifying that command functions requested in the CDB are permitted by the capability); and
- 2) If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one, every capability CDB continuation descriptor in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) shall be validated (see 4.12.6.1) before any other command processing actions are undertaken (i.e., before verifying that command functions requested in the CDB are permitted by any one of capabilities in the CDB continuation segment).

The command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST, if the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one and one of the following is true:

- a) The SECURITY METHOD field in the CDB capability is set to NONE and the SECURITY METHOD field in any capability in the CDB continuation segment specifies a security method other than NONE;
- b) The SECURITY METHOD field in the CDB capability is set to CAPKEY and the SECURITY METHOD field in any capability in the CDB continuation segment specifies the CMDRSP security method or the ALLDATA security method; or
- c) The SECURITY METHOD field in the CDB capability is set to CMDRSP and the SECURITY METHOD field in any capability in the CDB continuation segment specifies the ALLDATA security method.

~~{{I.e., The most stringent security method must be the one found in the CDB capability.}}~~

The command shall be terminated ~~as described in 4.11.2.2.n with a CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB~~, if the CDB SECURITY METHOD field or CAPABILITY FORMAT field contains zero and one of the following is true:

- a) The command is SET KEY (see 6.29) or SET MASTER KEY (see 6.30); or
- b) The default security method attribute in the attributes page that is located as follows based on the contents of the OBJECT TYPE field specifies a default security method other than NOSEC:
 - A) If the capability OBJECT TYPE field contains ROOT, the default security method attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21);
 - B) If the capability OBJECT TYPE field contains PARTITION, the default security method attribute in the Partition Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.22) for partition zero (see 4.6.4); or

- C) If the capability OBJECT TYPE field contains COLLECTION or USER, the default security method attribute in the Partition Policy/Security attributes page for the partition whose Partition ID is contained in the capability ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field.

The CAPABILITY EXPIRATION TIME field specifies the value of the clock attribute in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8) after which this capability is no longer valid. If a **CDB** CAPABILITY EXPIRATION TIME field contains a value other than zero and the value of the clock attribute in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8) is greater than the value in the CAPABILITY EXPIRATION TIME field, the command shall be terminated **as described in 4.11.2.2.n with a CHECK CONDITION status, the sense key shall be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.**

Successful use of the capability expiration time requires some degree of synchronization between the clocks of the device server, policy/storage manager, and security manager. The protocol for synchronizing the clocks is outside the scope of this standard.

The AUDIT field is a vendor specific value that the policy/storage manager and/or security manager may use to associate the capability and credential with a specific application client.

The CAPABILITY DISCRIMINATOR field contains a nonce (see 3.1.24) that differentiates one capability and credential from another.

The OBJECT CREATED TIME field specifies the contents of the created time attribute for the OSD object (see table 14) to which the capability applies. A value of zero specifies that any object created time is allowed.

Table 14 — Created time for OSD objects by type

Object Type (see table 15)	Attributes page containing created time attribute to which the capability OBJECT CREATED TIME field is applies
ROOT	Partition Timestamps attributes page (see 7.1.2.16) for partition zero (see 3.1.33)
PARTITION	Partition Timestamps attributes page
COLLECTION	Collection Timestamps attributes page (see 7.1.2.17)
USER	User Object Timestamps attributes page (see 7.1.2.18)

If a CDB OBJECT CREATED TIME field contains a value other than zero and the value in the OBJECT CREATED TIME field is not identical to the value in the created time attribute from the associated timestamps attributes page (see table 14), then the command shall be terminated **as described in 4.11.2.2.n with a CHECK CONDITION status, the sense key shall be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.**

The OBJECT TYPE field (see table 15) specifies the type of OSD object to which this capability allows access and aids in the determination of how to validate the capability. If capabilities are coordinated with the security manager, the OBJECT TYPE field is used to select the secret key that is used in validating the credential.

Table 15 — Object type values

Value	Name	OSD object type to which access is allowed
01h	ROOT	Root object
02h	PARTITION	Partition
40h	COLLECTION	Collection
80h	USER	User objects
all other values	Reserved	

If the command functions specified by the CDB and CDB continuation segment, if any, are not allowed for the OSD object type specified in the **CDB** OBJECT TYPE field of any capability associated with the command (i.e., the capability in the CDB (see 5.2.1) and the capabilities, if any, in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x)), the command shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n with a CHECK_CONDITION status, the sense key shall be set to ILLEGAL_REQUEST, and the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID_FIELD_IN_CDB.

The PERMISSIONS BIT MASK field (see table 16) specifies which functions are allowed by this capability. More than one permissions bit may be set within the constraints specified in 4.11.2.3 resulting in a single capability that allows more than one command function.

Table 16 — Permissions bit mask format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
49	READ	WRITE	GET_ATTR	SET_ATTR	CREATE	REMOVE	OBJ_MGMT	APPEND
50	DEV_MGMT	GLOBAL	POL/SEC	M_OBJECT	QUERY	Reserved		
51	Reserved							
52	Reserved							
53	Reserved							

A READ bit set to one allows read access to the data in an OSD object, but not to the attributes. For the root object, partitions, and collections the data in the OSD object is the list of other objects contained in the OSD object. A READ bit set to zero prohibits read access to the data in an OSD object.

A WRITE bit set to one allows processing of the WRITE command (see 6.32) or an equivalent command, but not access to user object attributes. A WRITE bit set to zero prohibits processing of the WRITE command or an equivalent command.

A GET_ATTR (get attributes) bit set to one allows retrieval of (i.e., read access to) the attributes associated with an OSD object. A GET_ATTR bit set to zero prohibits retrieval of attributes except for the attributes in the Current Command attributes page (see 7.1.2.29).

A SET_ATTR (set attributes) bit set to one allows the setting of (i.e., write access to) the attributes associated with an OSD object except for attributes located in the OSD object's policy/security attributes page (e.g., the User Object Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.24) if the OSD object is a user object). The setting of attributes located in

the OSD object's policy/security attributes page is allowed only if both the SET_ATTR bit and the POL/SEC bit are set to one. A SET_ATTR bit set to zero prohibits the setting of the attributes associated with an OSD object.

A CREATE bit set to one allows the creation of OSD objects. A CREATE bit set to zero prohibits the creation of OSD objects.

A REMOVE bit set to one allows the removal of OSD objects. A REMOVE bit set to zero prohibits the removal of OSD objects.

An OBJ_MGMT (object management) bit set to one allows command functions that may change how the OSD logical unit handles an OSD object without affecting the stored data, stored attributes, commands in the task set, policies, or security for the OSD object. An OBJ_MGMT bit set to zero prohibits such command functions.

An APPEND bit set to one allows processing of the APPEND command (see 6.2), but not access to user object attributes. A APPEND bit set to zero prohibits processing of the APPEND command.

A DEV_MGMT (device management) bit set to one allows command functions that affect the OSD logical unit. A DEV_MGMT bit set to zero prohibits command functions that affect the OSD logical unit.

A GLOBAL bit set to one allows command functions that may affect all the OSD objects in the OSD logical unit. A GLOBAL bit set to zero prohibits command functions that may affect all the OSD objects in the OSD logical unit.

A POL/SEC bit set to one allows command functions that affect the policy/security functions performed for one or more OSD objects. A POL/SEC bit set to zero prohibits command functions that affect the policy/security functions performed for one or more OSD objects.

A multiple objects (M_OBJECT) bit set to one in combination with other permissions bits allows retrieving attributes from multiple user objects, setting attributes in multiple user objects, and removing multiple user objects. An M_OBJECT bit set to zero prohibits multiple user object commands.

A QUERY bit set to one allows searching the user objects in a collection for specified attribute values. An QUERY bit set to zero prohibits searching the user objects in a collection.

The OBJECT_DESCRIPTOR_TYPE field (see table 17) specifies the format of information that appears in the OBJECT_DESCRIPTOR field.

Table 17 — Object descriptor types

Object Descriptor Type	Name	Description	Reference
0h	NONE	The OBJECT_DESCRIPTOR field shall be ignored	
1h	USER	A single user object	4.11.2.2.2
2h	PAR	A single partition, including partition zero	4.11.2.2.3
3h	COL	A single collection	4.11.2.2.4
3h - Fh		Reserved	

The ALLOWED ATTRIBUTES ACCESS field (see table 18) places additional restrictions on the attributes that the command is able to access.

Table 18 — ALLOWED ATTRIBUTES ACCESS field

Value	Description
0h	No additional restrictions are placed on attributes accesses.
1h to FFFF FFEh	The contents of the Attributes Access attributes page attribute for the partition specified by the ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field in the capability object descriptor specified by the ALLOWED ATTRIBUTES ACCESS field restrict the attributes to which access is allowed as described in 7.1.2.20.
FFFF FFFFh	Reserved

If the ALLOWED ATTRIBUTES ACCESS field specifies the attribute number of an attribute that is undefined (see 3.1.50) in the Attributes Access attributes page (see 7.1.2.20) attribute for the partition specified by the ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field in the capability object descriptor, then the command shall be terminated [as described in 4.11.2.2.n](#) ~~with a CHECK CONDITION, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.~~

4.11.2.2.2 USER capability object descriptor

If the object descriptor type is USER (i.e., 1h), the OBJECT DESCRIPTOR field shall have the format shown in table 19, specifying a single user object and a range of bytes with in that user object to which the capability allows access.

Table 19 — User object descriptor format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
60	(MSB)	POLICY ACCESS TAG						(LSB)
64	(MSB)	BOOT EPOCH						(LSB)
66	Reserved							
72	(MSB)	ALLOWED PARTITION_ID						(LSB)
80	(MSB)	ALLOWED USER_OBJECT_ID						(LSB)
88	(MSB)	ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH						(LSB)
96	(MSB)	ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE ADDRESS						(LSB)

If the POLICY ACCESS TAG field contains a value other than zero, the policy access tag attribute identified by the command and OBJECT TYPE field (see table 20) is compared to the POLICY ACCESS TAG field contents as part of verifying the capability. If the POLICY ACCESS TAG field contains zero, then no comparison is made to any policy

access tag attribute. The policy/storage manager or OSD logical unit changes the policy access tag to prevent unsafe or temporarily undesirable accesses to an OSD object (see 4.11.3.2).

Table 20 — Policy access tag usage for OSD object types and commands

Command	Object Type (see table 15)	Attributes page containing policy access tag attribute to which CDB POLICY ACCESS TAG field is compared
CREATE PARTITION or REMOVE PARTITION	PARTITION	Partition Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.22) for partition zero (see 3.1.33)
CREATE COLLECTION or REMOVE COLLECTION	COLLECTION	Partition Policy/Security attributes page
CREATE, CREATE AND WRITE, or REMOVE	USER	Partition Policy/Security attributes page
All other commands	ROOT	Partition Policy/Security attributes page for partition zero
	PARTITION	Partition Policy/Security attributes page
	COLLECTION	Collection Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.23)
	USER	User Object Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.24)

If the non-zero value in the **CDB** POLICY ACCESS TAG field is not identical to the value in the policy access tag attribute from the associated policy/security attributes page (see table 20), then the command shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n with a **CHECK CONDITION** status, the sense key shall be set to **ILLEGAL REQUEST**, and the additional sense code shall be set to **INVALID FIELD IN CDB**.

If the **BOOT EPOCH** field contains zero or the boot epoch attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) contains zero, then the contents of the **BOOT EPOCH** field shall be ignored. If the non-zero values in the **BOOT EPOCH** field and the boot epoch attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page do not match, then the command shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n with a **CHECK CONDITION** status, the sense key shall be set to **ILLEGAL REQUEST**, and the additional sense code shall be set to **INVALID FIELD IN CDB**.

The **ALLOWED PARTITION_ID** field specifies the **Partition_ID** (see 4.6.4) of the partition to which access is allowed. If the **ALLOWED PARTITION_ID** field contains zero, the command shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n. The command shall be terminated with a **CHECK CONDITION** status, with the sense key set to **ILLEGAL REQUEST**, and the additional sense code set to **INVALID FIELD IN CDB**, if any of the following are true:

- a) The **ALLOWED PARTITION_ID** field contains zero; or
- b) The **ALLOWED PARTITION_ID** field contents do not match the contents of the **PARTITION_ID** field in the **CDB**.

The **ALLOWED USER_OBJECT_ID** field specifies the **User_Object_ID** (see 4.6.5) of the OSD object to which the capability allows access. If the **ALLOWED USER_OBJECT_ID** field contains zero and the command is not **CREATE** (see 6.4) or **CREATE AND WRITE** (see 6.5), then the command shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n. The command shall be terminated with a **CHECK CONDITION** status, with the sense key set to **ILLEGAL REQUEST**, and the additional sense code set to **INVALID FIELD IN CDB**, if any of the following are true:

- a) The command is not **CREATE** (see 6.4) or **CREATE AND WRITE** (see 6.5), and the **ALLOWED USER_OBJECT_ID** field contains zero; or
- a) The **ALLOWED USER_OBJECT_ID** field contents do not match the contents of the **CDB USER_OBJECT_ID** field or **REQUESTED USER_OBJECT_ID** field.

The **ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH** field specifies number of bytes in the range of user object bytes to which the capability allows access.

The ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field specifies the location of the first byte in the range of user object bytes to which the capability allows access relative to the first byte (i.e., byte zero).

~~The command shall be terminated with a CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB, if any of the following is true:~~

- ~~a) The range of bytes specified by the CDB LENGTH field and STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field in a CREATE AND WRITE command (see 6.5), READ command (see 6.23), or WRITE command (see 6.32) is not inside the range of bytes specified by the ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH field and ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field;~~
- ~~b) The range of bytes specified by the CDB LENGTH field in an APPEND command (see 6.2) and the value in the user object logical length attribute in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11) is not inside the range of bytes specified by the ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH field and ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field;~~
- ~~c) The range of bytes specified by the CDB CLEAR LENGTH field and CLEAR STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field in a CLEAR command (see 6.3) is not inside the range of bytes specified by the ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH field and ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field;~~
- ~~d) The range of bytes specified by the CDB PUNCH LENGTH field and PUNCH STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field in a PUNCH command (see 6.20) is not inside the range of bytes specified by the ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH field and ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field; or~~
- ~~e) The range of bytes from value in the CDB DATA MAP BYTE OFFSET field to the value in the user object logical length attribute in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11) in a READ MAP command (see 6.22) is not inside the range of bytes specified by the ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH field and ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field.~~

If the ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH field is set to FFFF FFFF FFFF FFFFh and the ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field is set to zero, then access is allowed to all bytes in the user object.

If the ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH field is set to FFFF FFFF FFFF FFFFh and the ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field is set to a non-zero value, then access is allowed to all bytes from the allowed range starting byte to byte FFFF FFFF FFFF FFFFh. This shall not be considered an error.

The command that accesses a user object shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n, if none of the capabilities associated with the command (i.e., the capability in the CDB (see 5.2.1) and the capabilities, if any, in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x)) match all of the following criteria:

- a) The partition that contains the user object (e.g., the partition specified by the PARTITION_ID field in the CDB of a READ command) matches the ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field in the capability;
- b) The user object being accessed (e.g., the user object specified by the USER_OBJECT_ID field in the CDB of a READ command) matches the ALLOWED USER_OBJECT_ID field in the capability; and
- c) If data is allowed to be transferred to or from the user object (i.e., if the READ permission bit or the WRITE permission bit (see 4.11.2.2.1) is set to one), then the specified range of bytes being transferred (e.g., the range of bytes specified by the LENGTH field and STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field in the CDB of a READ command with the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) set to zero) is inside the range of bytes specified by the ALLOWED RANGE LENGTH field and ALLOWED RANGE STARTING BYTE OFFSET field.

{{The above validation requirement differs from those in OSD-2 r03 in two significant ways.

First, the contents of a single capability are required to match both the partition_id and the user_object_id of one user object being accessed. This is necessary to support, for example a COPY USER OBJECTS command in which two or more user objects are accessed.

Second, the exponential increase in the ways user objects can be accessed has obliged me use examples of what to test in place of a detailed list of all possible cases.}}

4.11.2.2.3 PAR capability object descriptor

If the object descriptor type is PAR (i.e., 2h), the OBJECT DESCRIPTOR field shall have the format shown in table 21, specifying a single partition to which the capability allows access. For a LIST COLLECTION command with the M_OBJECT bit set to one (see 4.11.2.2.1), the PAR capability object descriptor allows access to a single partition and the attributes associated with each collection in the partition. For the LIST command with the M_OBJECT bit set to one, the PAR capability object descriptor allows access to:

- a) The root object and the attributes associated with each partition; or
- b) A partition and the attributes associated with each user object in the partition.

Table 21 — Partition descriptor format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
60	(MSB)	POLICY ACCESS TAG						(LSB)
63								
64	(MSB)	BOOT EPOCH						(LSB)
65								
66		Reserved						
71								
72	(MSB)	ALLOWED PARTITION_ID						(LSB)
79								
80		Reserved						
103								

The POLICY ACCESS TAG field and BOOT EPOCH field are described in 4.11.2.2.2. {{Note: bug fix here.}}

The ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field specifies the partition to which access is allowed. The command shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n, if any of the following are true:

- a) If the OBJECT TYPE field contains 02h (i.e., PARTITION), the command is not CREATE PARTITION (see 6.7), and the ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field contains zero;
- b) If the OBJECT TYPE field contains 01h (i.e., ROOT) and the ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field contains a value other than zero.

The command that accesses a partition shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n, if none of the capabilities associated with the command (i.e., the capability in the CDB (see 5.2.1) and the capabilities, if any, in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x)) match all of the following criteria:

- a) If the OBJECT TYPE field contains:
 - A) 02h (i.e., PARTITION), then the partition being accessed (e.g., the partition specified by the PARTITION_ID field in the CDB of a LIST command) matches the ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field in the capability; or
 - B) 01h (i.e., ROOT), then the partition being accessed (e.g., the partition specified by the PARTITION_ID field in the CDB of a LIST command) is zero;
 and
- b) The User_Object_ID (see 4.6.2) associated with the object being accessed, if any, is zero.

~~The command shall be terminated with a CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB, if any of the following are true:~~

- ~~a) The GDB_USER_OBJECT_ID field, REQUESTED_USER_OBJECT_ID field, COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field or REQUESTED_COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field, if any, contains a value other than zero;~~
- ~~b) The OBJECT TYPE field contains 02h (i.e., PARTITION) and one of the following is true:

 - ~~A) The command is not CREATE PARTITION (see 6.7) and the ALLOWED_PARTITION_ID field contains zero;~~
 - ~~or~~
 - ~~B) The ALLOWED_PARTITION_ID field contents do not match the contents of the CDB_PARTITION_ID field or REQUESTED_PARTITION_ID field;~~
 - ~~or~~~~
- ~~c) The OBJECT TYPE field contains 01h (i.e., ROOT) and one of the following is true:

 - ~~A) The ALLOWED_PARTITION_ID field contains a value other than zero; or~~
 - ~~B) The CDB_PARTITION_ID field, if any, contains a value other than zero.~~~~

4.11.2.2.4 COL capability object descriptor

If the object descriptor type is COL (i.e., 3h), the OBJECT DESCRIPTOR field shall have the format shown in table 22, specifying a single collection to which the capability allows access. If the M_OBJECT permission bit is set to one or the QUERY permission bit is set to one (see 4.11.2.2.1), the COL capability object descriptor allows access to a single collection and the attributes associated with each user object in the collection.

Table 22 — Collection descriptor format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
60	(MSB)								
63	POLICY ACCESS TAG								(LSB)
64	(MSB)								
65	BOOT EPOCH								(LSB)
66	Reserved								
71	Reserved								
72	(MSB)								
79	ALLOWED_PARTITION_ID								(LSB)
80	(MSB)								
87	ALLOWED_COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID								(LSB)
88	Reserved								
103	Reserved								

The POLICY ACCESS TAG field, BOOT EPOCH field, and ALLOWED_PARTITION_ID field are described in 4.11.2.2.2. {{Bug fix here too!}}

The ALLOWED_COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field specifies the Collection_Object_ID (see 4.6.6) of the collection to which the capability allows access. If the ALLOWED_COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field contains zero and the command is not CREATE_COLLECTION (see 6.6), then the command shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n. ~~The~~

~~command shall be terminated with a CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB, if any of the following are true:~~

- ~~a) The command is not CREATE COLLECTION (see 6.6) and the ALLOWED_COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field contains zero; or~~
- ~~b) The ALLOWED_COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field contents do not match the contents of the CDB-COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field or REQUESTED_COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field.~~

The command that accesses a collection shall be terminated as described in 4.11.2.2.n, if none of the capabilities associated with the command (i.e., the capability in the CDB (see 5.2.1) and the capabilities, if any, in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x)) match all of the following criteria:

- a) The partition that contains the collection (e.g., the partition specified by the PARTITION_ID field in the CDB of a SET MEMBER ATTRIBUTES command) matches the ALLOWED PARTITION_ID field in the capability; and
- b) The collection being accessed (e.g., the collection specified by the COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field in the CDB of a SET MEMBER ATTRIBUTES command) matches the ALLOWED COLLECTION_OBJECT_ID field in the capability.

4.11.2.2.n Command termination due to errors detected in a capability

If an error is detected during the validation of a capability, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set as follows:

- a) If the capability in which the error is detected is in the CDB (see 5.2.1), the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB; or
- b) If the capability in which the error is detected is in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x), the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

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{{The subclause reordering restarts here to cover a small set of subclauses in which very minor changes are needed to support associating more than one capability with a command.}}

3.1.4 capability: The fields in a CDB or CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) that specify what command functions (see 3.1.10) the command may request (e.g., what OSD object (see 3.1.29) may be accessed). The contents of capabilities may be managed for application clients by a policy/storage manager (see 3.1.34) and secured in credentials (see 3.1.11) by a security manager (see 3.1.41). See 4.11.2.

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4.4 Elements of the example configuration

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The policy/storage manager (see 4.11), if present, coordinates access constraints between OSD device servers and application clients, preparing the capabilities application clients place in CDBs or CDB continuations segments (see 5.x) to gain access to OSD objects and command functions.

The security manager (see 4.12), if present, secures capabilities in cryptographically protected credentials for OSD device servers and application clients.

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4.12.5.2 Capability key

All security methods except the NOSEC security method require the computation of one or more integrity check values using a capability key as the secret key (see 3.1.40).

For application clients, the capability key is the contents of the CREDENTIAL INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field (see 4.12.5.1).

The device server processing of each command relies on only the capability portion of the credential (see 4.12.5.1) that the application client has copied into the CDB or CDB continuation segment (see 5.x). Since the capability does not include the CREDENTIAL INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field, the device server needs to compute the capability key for each processed command by:

- 1) Reconstructing the credential containing the **CDB** capability as described in 4.12.6.2; and
- 2) Computing the credential integrity check value for the reconstructed credential using the algorithm, inputs, and secret key specified in 4.12.6.3.

NOTE 3 - The two steps used by the device server to compute capability key are the first two steps that the device server uses to validate a credential (see 4.12.6.1). The device server may perform these two steps only once for every command processed.

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4.12.9.2 Computing updated generation keys and new authentication keys

The SET KEY command (see 6.29) and SET MASTER KEY command (see 6.30) shall perform the steps described in this subclause to compute new generation and authentication keys.

The inputs to the process are:

- a) The input key value is one of the following:
 - A) For a SET KEY command, the generation key from the next higher level in the key hierarchy shall be used (e.g., the root key generation key is used to create the first partition keys for a newly created partition), as selected by the KEY TO SET field in the CDB of that command; or
 - B) For a SET MASTER KEY command, the previous master key generation key shall be used;
- b) The seed value is one of the following:
 - A) For a SET KEY command, the contents of the SEED field of the CDB for the command; or
 - B) For a SET MASTER KEY command key, the value computed after GOOD status has been returned in the SEED EXCHANGE step (see 6.30.2) and updated by CHANGE MASTER KEY step (see 6.30.3); and
- c) The integrity check value algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field (see 4.12.3) in the capability ~~in the CDB for the command~~.

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Change 4 – CAPKEY Security Method changes

Description

This change added the requirements necessary to apply the CAPKEY security method to capabilities located in the CDB continuation segment. Since CAPKEY security involves fixed inputs (i.e., the security token and the capability key), this change employs a unique integrity check value for each capability, which leads to a condition where each

integrity check value must be computed separately. At this time, it is unclear you the spirit of CAPKEY could be maintained with fewer integrity check value computations. Perhaps someone better versed in security methods can devise a way to avoid the multiple integrity check value computations.

Proposed Changes in OSD-2 r03

4.12.4.3 The CAPKEY security method

The CAPKEY security method validates the integrity of the capability information in each CDB and in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x), if any.

The application client computes the CDB REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field (see 5.2.8) contents using:

- a) The algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field (see 4.12.3);
- b) The security token returned in the Security Token VPD page (see 7.5.3); and
- c) The credential capability key (see 4.12.5.2) for the capability in the CDB.

If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one and the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) contains one or more capabilities, then the application client computes the CAPABILITY INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field contents in each descriptor as described in 5.y.z.

The device server validates the credential or credentials as described in 4.12.6.1.

The CAPKEY security method is useful when the service delivery subsystem between the OSD device server and application client is secured via methods specified in the applicable SCSI transport protocol, with both the CAPKEY security method and SCSI transport protocol secure channel contributing to securing communications as shown in table 28 (see 4.12.4.1).

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4.12.6 OSD device server security algorithms

4.12.6.1 Credential validation

{{Note: this subclause is littered with instances where the CDB security method takes precedence over all others as discussed in the description of change 3.}}

The processes described in this subclause do not apply if the CDB SECURITY METHOD field specifies the NOSEC security method (i.e., if the CDB SECURITY METHOD field contains zero).

If the CDB SECURITY METHOD field specifies the CMDRSP security method or the ALLDATA security method, the device server shall validate the CDB REQUEST NONCE field as described in 4.12.7.2.

The device server shall validate the credential associated with a CDB by:

- 1) Reconstructing the credential containing the capability as described in 4.12.6.2;
- 2) Computing the credential integrity check value for the reconstructed credential using the algorithm, inputs, and secret key specified in 4.12.6.3;
- 3) Computing the request integrity check value using:
 - A) The algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field (see 4.12.3);

- B) Based on the contents of the CDB SECURITY METHOD field, one of the following arrays of bytes:
 - a) For the CAPKEY security method, the security token (see 4.12.4.3); or
 - b) For the CMDRSP security method and the ALLDATA security method, all the bytes in the CDB with the bytes in the REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field set to zero;
 and
 - C) The credential integrity check value computed in step 2) as the secret key;
- and
- 4) Verifying that the [computed](#) request integrity check value matches the contents of the CDB REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field (see 5.2.8). If the contents in the REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field in the CDB do not match the computed [request](#) integrity check value, the command shall be terminated with a CHECK CONDITION status, the sense key shall be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB. {{Note: Four changes in this entry, including addition of a period at end.}}

If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one, then the device server shall validate all capability CDB continuation descriptors (see 5.y.z) in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) as described in 5.y.z.

If the validation of a credential results in a CHECK CONDITION status being returned, the state of the OSD objects and attributes shall not be altered in any detectable way.

Change 5 – CMDRSP Security Method changes

Description

This change extends the CDB integrity checking provided by the CMDRSP security method to the CDB continuation segment. Because the extended CMDRSP coverage of the CDB continuation segment protects all the capability CDB continuation descriptors located there, no capability-specific validation is required in this security method.

Proposed Changes in OSD-2 r03

4.12.4.4 The CMDRSP security method

The CMDRSP security method validates the integrity of the CDB, [the CDB continuation segment, if any](#), status, and sense data for each command.

The application client computes the CDB REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field (see 5.2.8) contents using:

- a) The algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field (see 4.12.3);
- b) All the bytes in the CDB with the bytes in the REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field set to zero; and
- c) The credential capability key (see 4.12.5.2).

If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one and the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) contains one or more capabilities, then the application client computes the CAPABILITY INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field contents in each descriptor as described in 5.y.z.

If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one, the application client also computes the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) CONTINUATION INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field contents using:

- a) The algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field in the CDB (see 4.12.3);

- b) All the following bytes:
 - 1) The contents of the CDB REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field; and
 - 2) All the bytes in the CDB continuation segment, including the pad bytes, if any, with the bytes in the CONTINUATION INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field set to zero;
 and
- c) The credential capability key (see 4.12.5.2).

The device server validates the credential or credentials as described in 4.12.6.1.

If the credential validation process successfully validates the integrity check value associated with the CDB and the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one, then the device server shall validate CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) by:

- 1) Computing the continuation integrity check value using:
 - A) The algorithm indicated by the attribute in the Root Policy/Security attributes page (see 7.1.2.21) whose attribute number is specified in the capability INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE ALGORITHM field in the CDB (see 4.12.3);
 - B) All the following bytes:
 - 1) The contents of the CDB REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field; and
 - 2) All the bytes in the CDB continuation segment, including the pad bytes, if any, with the bytes in the CONTINUATION INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field set to zero;
 and
 - C) The credential integrity check value computed in 4.12.6.1 as the secret key;
 and
- 2) Verifying that the computed continuation integrity check value matches the contents of the CONTINUATION INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field in the CDB continuation segment. If the contents in the CONTINUATION INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field do not match the computed continuation integrity check value, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, the sense key shall be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code shall be set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

If the credential validation process **successfully** validates the request integrity check value without errors and the continuation integrity check value, if any, is validated without errors ~~associated with the command~~, then the device server shall:

- 1) Compute an integrity check value for the response data using:

... {{Response validation needs no changes since only the CDB format is affected by this proposal.}}

4.12.4.5 The ALLDATA security method

The ALLDATA security method validates the integrity of all data in transit between an application client and device server.

The application client computes the CDB REQUEST INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field (see 5.2.8) contents using the same algorithm specified for the CMDRSP security method (see 4.12.4.4). If the CONT bit (see 5.2.1) is set to one and the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) contains one or more capabilities, then the application client computes the CAPABILITY INTEGRITY CHECK VALUE field contents in each descriptor as described in 5.y.z.

The device server validates the credential or credentials as described in 4.12.6.1.

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Change 6 – Scatter/Gather List additions

Description

This change defines a CDB continuation descriptor to allow scatter/gather transfers in CREATE AND WRITE commands, READ commands, and WRITE commands. The APPEND command is not proposed to have scatter/gather capability due to the difficulty of defining stable offset values for the scatter/gather list. When scatter/gather processing is desired, the WRITE command should be used instead of the APPEND command.

This change does not require the placement of capabilities in the CDB continuation segment.

Proposed Changes in OSD-2 r03

5.y.1 Overview

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The CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field (see table x4) specifies the format of the CDB continuation descriptor type specific data.

Table x4 — CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field

Value	Description	Reference
0000h	No more continuation descriptors ^a	
0001h	Scatter/gather list	5.y.c
FFEEh	Capability	5.y.z
{{Other rows of this table are filled in by other changes in this proposal.}} {{The most complete body for this table can be found in change 8 table x4.}}		
all other values	Reserved	
^a Since the CDB continuation segment pad bytes, if any, are set to zero (see 5.x), encountering a CDB continuation descriptor type of zero shall be processed in the same way as reaching the last byte of the CDB continuation segment.		

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5.y.c Scatter/gather list

{{All of 5.y.c is new. The use of change markups is suspended for the remainder of 5.y.c.}}

The scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor (see table x6) specifies the relationship between contents of the command data buffer segment (see 4.14.3 for the Data-In Buffer or 4.14.4 for the Data-Out Buffer) and the bytes in the user object.

Table x6 — Scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CDB continuation descriptor header								
0	(MSB)		CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE (0001h)				(LSB)	
1								
2	Reserved							
3								
4	(MSB)		CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH (n-7)				(LSB)	
7								
CDB continuation descriptor type specific data								
8			Scatter/gather list entry [first] (see table x7)					
23								
⋮								
n-15			Scatter/gather list entry [last] (see table x7)					
n								

The CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field contains 0001h (i.e., scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor).

The CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH field specifies the number of bytes that follow in this capability descriptor.

Each scatter/gather list entry (see table x7) specifies the starting byte offset in the user object and number of bytes to be transferred to or from the command data buffer segment.

The first byte in the command data buffer segment is transferred to or from the user object byte offset indicated by the first scatter/gather list entry. Additional bytes are transferred to or from the byte by byte until the number of bytes indicated by the first scatter/gather list entry have been transferred.

The next byte in the command data buffer segment (i.e., the first byte in the command data buffer segment that was not transferred by the first scatter/gather list entry) is transferred to the user object byte offset indicated by the second scatter/gather list entry. Additional bytes are transferred to or from the byte by byte until the number of bytes indicated by the second scatter/gather list entry have been transferred.

This process is repeated until all the bytes indicated by the CDB LENGTH field have been transferred or all the scatter/gather list entries have been processed, which ever occurs first.

Each scatter/gather list entry has the format shown in table x7.

Table x7 — Scatter/gather list entry format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0	(MSB)								
7	USER OBJECT BYTE OFFSET								(LSB)
8	(MSB)								
15	BYTES TO TRANSFER								(LSB)

The USER OBJECT BYTE OFFSET field specifies the starting byte offset in the user object for this scatter/gather list entry.

The BYTES TO TRANSFER field specifies the number of bytes to transfer for this scatter/gather list entry.

The byte ranges specified by individual scatter/gather list entries are allowed to overlap (e.g., the second scatter/gather list entry may transfer some or all of the same bytes that were transferred by the first scatter/gather list entry).

If the values in the BYTES TO TRANSFER field and USER OBJECT BYTE OFFSET field result an attempt to read a byte that is beyond the user object logical length attribute value in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11), then:

- The bytes between the user object byte offset and the user object logical length shall be transferred;
- The command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key shall be set to RECOVERED ERROR and the additional sense code set to READ PAST END OF USER OBJECT;
- The command-specific information sense data descriptor (see SPC-3) shall be included in the sense data; and
- The COMMAND-SPECIFIC INFORMATION field shall contain the number of bytes transferred by the command, including but not limited to the bytes transferred by this scatter/gather list entry.

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6.5 CREATE AND WRITE

{{Add the CONT bit to byte 11 of table 61 as shown in change 2.}}

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The CONT bit is described in 5.2.x. If the CONT bit is set to one and the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) contains a scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor, that descriptor shall be processed as described in 5.y.c.

The command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST, if the CONT bit is set to one and any of the following are true:

- The CDB continuation segment contains more than one scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor; or
- The CDB continuation segment contains any CDB continuation descriptors other than the scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor.

The GET/SET CDBFMT field specifies the format of the get and set attributes parameters as described in 5.2.4.

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The contents of the STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field are defined in 5.2.9. If the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x), if any, contains a scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor and the STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field contains a value other than zero, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.

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6.23 READ

{{Add the CONT bit to byte 11 of table 107 as shown in change 2.}}

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The CONT bit is described in 5.2.x. If the CONT bit is set to one and the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) contains a scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor, that descriptor shall be processed as described in 5.y.c.

The command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST, if the CONT bit is set to one and any of the following are true:

- a) The CDB continuation segment contains more than one scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor; or
- b) The CDB continuation segment contains any CDB continuation descriptors other than the scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor.

The GET/SET CDBFMT field specifies the format of the get and set attributes parameters as described in 5.2.4.

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The contents of the STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field are defined in 5.2.9.

If the STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field specifies a byte that is beyond the user object logical length attribute value in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11), then:

- a) No bytes shall be transferred; and
- b) The command shall be terminated with a CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.

If the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x), if any, contains a scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor and the STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field contains a value other than zero, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.

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6.32 WRITE

{{Add the CONT bit to byte 11 of table 120 as shown in change 2.}}

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The CONT bit is described in 5.2.x. If the CONT bit is set to one and the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) contains a scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor, that descriptor shall be processed as described in 5.y.c.

The command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST, if the CONT bit is set to one and any of the following are true:

- a) The CDB continuation segment contains more than one scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor; or
- b) The CDB continuation segment contains any CDB continuation descriptors other than the scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor.

The GET/SET CDBFMT field specifies the format of the get and set attributes parameters as described in 5.2.4.

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The contents of the STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field are defined in 5.2.9. If the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x), if any, contains a scatter/gather list CDB continuation descriptor and the STARTING BYTE ADDRESS field contains a value other than zero, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.

Change 7 – Object duplication model

Description

The definition of the COPY USER OBJECTS command (see change 8) requires that portions of the snapshot/clone model be introduced by this proposal.

Proposed Changes in OSD-2 r03

4.d Object duplication

{{All of 4.d is new. The use of change markups is suspended for the remainder of 4.d. It is suggested that 4.d be placed between 4.11 (Policy/Storage management) and 4.12 (Security).}}

4.d.1 Overview

The following mechanisms are defined for duplicating the data and attributes contained in one or more user objects and collections in new user objects and collections:

- a) The CREATE SNAPSHOT command (see 4.d.2);
- b) The CREATE CLONE command (see 4.d.2); and
- c) The COPY USER OBJECTS command (see 6.h).

A model for the partition snapshot and clone mechanisms appears in 4.d.2.

The COPY USER OBJECTS command:

- 1) Creates a destination user object; and
- 2) Copies the data and maybe the attributes from one or more source user objects to that destination user object using:
 - A) The object duplication methods described in 4.d.3;
 - B) The object duplication state management methods described in 4.d.4; and

C) The object duplication space accounting methods described in 4.d.5.

4.d.2 Partition snapshots and clones

TBD

4.d.3 Object duplication methods

Duplicating user object data, collection data, partition data, and attributes may or may not involve making two copies of the same bytes on stable storage (see table x8).

Table x8 — Object duplication methods

Name	Code ^a	Description
DEFAULT	00h	Used to specify one of the other codes in this table that is selected via a specified attribute value.
SPACE EFFICIENT	01h	Duplicated bytes belong to a particular object only when specific application client actions necessitate it (e.g., a copy-on-write mechanism in which duplicated bytes become associated with a particular object only when changes in their contents necessitate it).
PRE-ALLOCATED COPY ON WRITE	41h	Similar to SPACE EFFICIENT except that bytes are reserved for physical copies of all duplicated bytes (e.g., the reserved data space attribute in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11) is set to ensure that space is available for all duplicated bytes when application client actions necessitate copying them).
BYTE BY BYTE COPY	81h	A copy shall be made of every duplicated byte, and each object shall have its own, unique copy of the duplicated bytes.
FASTER COPY PERFORMANCE	FDh	A vendor specific object duplication mechanism whose characteristics are similar to those of the SPACE EFFICIENT object duplication method.
HIGHER DATA DUPLICATON	FEh	A vendor specific object duplication mechanism whose characteristics are similar to those of the BYTE BY BYTE COPY object duplication method.
DO NOT CARE	FFh	The device sever may use any duplication method or combination of methods.
^a These codes are used in field, attribute numbers, and attribute values. All codes not listed in this table are reserved.		

Except for the BYTE BY BYTE COPY object duplication method, the device server may use the object duplication method specified by the application client as a recommendation while still employing aspects of any supported object duplication method to achieve optimum processing times and/or space utilization.

Support for the various object duplication methods is indicated by attributes in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8).

4.d.4 Object duplication state management

Duplicating user object data, collection data, partition data, and attributes may take a significant interval of time. The following mechanisms are provided so that application clients may specify how changes in source objects are to be handled during a duplication operation:

- a) Time of duplication (see 4.d.4.1); and
- b) Source object freeze (see 4.d.4.2).

These mechanisms are complementary. The use of one tends to eliminate the need to use any of the others.

4.d.4.1 Time of duplication source object management

Time of duplication codes (see table x9) allow the application client to specify what time in the life of a source object is to be used for purposes of duplicating that object. If multiple objects are duplicated by a single command, the time of duplication requirements apply separately to each duplicated object.

Table x9 — Time of duplication source object management

Name	Code ^a	Description
DEFAULT	0h	Used to specify one of the other codes in this table that is selected via a specified attribute value.
BEGINNING	1h	The duplicated object shall have the contents of the source object at the time the duplication was begun.
DO NOT CARE	8h	The duplicated object may have any contents of the source object, including contents that were not in effect at either the beginning or the end of the duplication.
END	Fh	The duplicated object shall have the contents of the source object at the time the duplication was completed.
^a These codes are used in field, attribute numbers, and attribute values. All codes not listed in this table are reserved.		

Support for the various time of duplication methods is indicated by attributes in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8).

4.d.4.2 Source object freeze duplication management

A way to ensure the state of a source object during duplication is to set the object's object accessibility attribute (e.g., the object accessibility attribute in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11)) to disable write access (i.e., to 0000 00001h). This is described as freezing the source object.

Support for source object freeze duplication management is indicated by the support for duplicated object freezing attribute in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8).

4.d.5 Object duplication space accounting

Some object duplication methods (e.g., the SPACE EFFICIENT object duplication method described in table x8 (see 4.d.3)) result in a situation where the used capacity (e.g., the used capacity attribute in a Partition Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.9)) of the original object plus the used capacity of the duplicate object almost equals the used capacity of the original object alone. However, such situations also may evolve in ways where the used capacity increases for reasons that are not obvious consequences of the commands being processed. Such

increases in the used capacity attribute value shall not result in CHECK CONDITION status being returned for a command that has already begun processing, but they result in quota errors being generated (see 4.10.2) for future commands.

To assist application clients in managing capacity usage and the quotas (see 4.10) on capacity usage, the potential used capacity increment attribute in the Partition Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.9) indicates the maximum number of bytes by which the used capacity attribute in the same Partition Information attributes page might increase due to ongoing command processing.

{{No differences could be detected between the attribute called charged-to-partition in the Snapshots proposal v3.14 and the attribute called used capacity in OSD-2 r03. Therefore, no charged-to-partition attribute has been created.}}

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7.1.2.8 Root Information attributes page

The Root Information attributes page (R+1h) shall contain the attributes listed in table 127.

Table 127 — Root Information attributes page contents

Attribute Number	Length (bytes)	Attribute	Application Client Settable	OSD Logical Unit Provided
...
123h	1	Data/attributes atomicity multiplier	No	Yes
124h to 1FFh		Reserved	No	
200h to 2FFh	0 or 4	Supported object duplication method	No	Yes
300h to 30Fh	0 or 4	Supported time of duplication method	No	Yes
310h	0 or 4	Support for duplicated object freezing	No	Yes
124h 311h to FFFF FFFEh		Reserved	No	
...

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The used capacity attribute (number 81h) shall contain the number of bytes used by all root object attributes, partitions, collections and user objects stored by the OSD logical unit including attributes bytes for the partition, collections, and user objects. *If any object in the OSD logical unit are the result of object duplications (see 4.d), the value of the used capacity attribute may increase for reasons that are not obvious consequences of the commands being processed as described in 4.d.5.*

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Each supported object duplication method attribute (numbers 200h to 2FFh) shall contain support information for one object duplication method. The attribute number is 200h plus the code shown in table x8 (see 4.d.3) for the object duplication method for which support information is being provided. If an attribute in the range 200h to 2FFh is undefined (see 3.1.50), then the associated object duplication method is not supported for any usage. If an attribute in the range 200h to 2FFh is defined (see 3.1.15), then the attribute value (see table x10) indicates the functions for which the object duplication method is supported.

Table x10 — Supported object duplication method attributes contents

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Reserved							SNAPSHOT
1	Reserved							CLONE
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							COPY_UO

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If the SNAPSHOT bit is set to zero, the object duplication method indicated by the attribute number is not supported for use by the CREATE SNAPSHOT command (see TBD). If the SNAPSHOT bit is set to one, the object duplication method indicated by the attribute number is supported for use by the CREATE SNAPSHOT command.

If the CLONE bit is set to zero, the object duplication method indicated by the attribute number is not supported for use by the CREATE CLONE command (see TBD). If the CLONE bit is set to one, the object duplication method indicated by the attribute number is supported for use by the CREATE CLONE command.

If the COPY_UO bit is set to zero, the object duplication method indicated by the attribute number is not supported for use by the COPY USER OBJECTS command (see 6.h). If the COPY_UO bit is set to one, the object duplication method indicated by the attribute number is supported for use by the COPY USER OBJECTS command.

If any form of object duplication is supported (see 4.d), attribute number 200h (i.e., the supported object duplication method attribute for the DEFAULT object duplication method) and attribute number 2FFh (i.e., the supported object duplication method attribute for the DO NOTE CARE object duplication method) shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and the attribute value shall be FFFF FFFFh (i.e., all uses of the DEFAULT object duplication method and the DO NOT CARE object duplication method shall be supported). The value of attribute number 200h or attribute number 2FFh should not be used to determine which object duplication commands are supported. This information is returned by the REPORT SUPPORTED OPERATION CODES command (see 6.18 and SPC-4).

Each supported time of duplication method attribute (numbers 300h to 30Fh) shall contain support information for one time of duplication source object management method. The attribute number is 300h plus the code shown in table x9 (see 4.d.4.1) for the time of duplication method for which support information is being provided. If an attribute in the range 300h to 30Fh is undefined (see 3.1.50), then the associated time of duplication method is not supported for any usage. If an attribute in the range 300h to 30Fh is defined (see 3.1.15), then the attribute value (see table x11) indicates the functions for which the object duplication method is supported.

Table x11 — Supported time of duplication method attributes contents

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Reserved							SNAPSHOT
1	Reserved							CLONE
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							COPY_UO

...

If the SNAPSHOT bit is set to zero, the time of duplication method indicated by the attribute number is not supported for use by the CREATE SNAPSHOT command (see TBD). If the SNAPSHOT bit is set to one, the time of duplication method indicated by the attribute number is supported for use by the CREATE SNAPSHOT command.

If the CLONE bit is set to zero, the time of duplication method indicated by the attribute number is not supported for use by the CREATE CLONE command (see TBD). If the CLONE bit is set to one, the time of duplication method indicated by the attribute number is supported for use by the CREATE CLONE command.

If the COPY_UO bit is set to zero, the time of duplication method indicated by the attribute number is not supported for use by the COPY USER OBJECTS command (see 6.h). If the COPY_UO bit is set to one, the time of duplication method indicated by the attribute number is supported for use by the COPY USER OBJECTS command.

If any form of time of duplication source object management is supported (see 4.d.4.1), attribute number 300h (i.e., the supported time of duplication method attribute for the DEFAULT time of duplication method) and attribute number 308h (i.e., the supported time of duplication method attribute for the DO NOT CARE time of duplication method) shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and the attribute value shall be FFFF FFFFh (i.e., all uses of the DEFAULT time of duplication method and the DO NOT CARE time of duplication method) shall be supported if any time of duplication source object management is supported).

The support for duplicated object freezing attribute (number 310h) shall contain support information for source object freeze duplication management (see 4.d.4.2). If the support for duplicated object freezing attribute is undefined (see 3.1.50), then source object freeze duplication management is not supported for any usage. If the support for duplicated object freezing attribute is defined (see 3.1.15), then the attribute value (see table x12) indicates the functions for which source object freeze duplication management is supported.

Table x12 — Support for duplicated object freezing attribute contents

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Reserved							SNAPSHOT
1	Reserved							CLONE
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							COPY_UO

...

If the SNAPSHOT bit is set to zero, source object freeze duplication management (see 4.d.4.2) is not supported for use by the CREATE SNAPSHOT command (see TBD). If the SNAPSHOT bit is set to one, source object freeze duplication management is supported for use by the CREATE SNAPSHOT command.

If the CLONE bit is set to zero, source object freeze duplication management (see 4.d.4.2) is not supported for use by the CREATE CLONE command (see TBD). If the CLONE bit is set to one, source object freeze duplication management is supported for use by the CREATE CLONE command.

If the COPY_UO bit is set to zero, source object freeze duplication management (see 4.d.4.2) is not supported for use by the COPY USER OBJECTS command (see 6.h). If the COPY_UO bit is set to one, source object freeze duplication management is supported for use by the COPY USER OBJECTS command.

{{The supported object duplication method attributes, supported time of duplication method attributes, and support for duplicated object freezing attribute (no s) must be added to Annex B too.}}

7.1.2.9 Partition Information attributes page

The Partition Information attributes page (P+1h) shall contain the attributes listed in table 131.

Table 131 — Partition Information attributes page contents

Attribute Number	Length (bytes)	Attribute	Application Client Settable	OSD Logical Unit Provided
...
83h	4	Object accessibility	Yes	No
84h	0 or 8	Potential used capacity increment	No	Yes
84h 85h to BFh		Reserved	No	
...
D2h	0 or 8	Reserved data space	Yes	No
D3h to 1FFh		Reserved	No	
200h	0 or 4	Default snapshot duplication method	Yes	No
201h	0 or 4	Default clone duplication method	Yes	No
202h	0 or 4	Default copy user objects duplication method	Yes	No
203 to 1FFh		Reserved	No	
300h	0 or 4	Default snapshot time of duplication method	Yes	No
301h	0 or 4	Default clone time of duplication method	Yes	No
302h	0 or 4	Default copy user objects time of duplication method	Yes	No
D3h 303h to FFFF FFEh		Reserved	No	
...

...

For all partitions except partition zero, the used capacity attribute (number 81h) shall contain the number of allocated bytes for the partition as described in this subclause. For partition zero, the used capacity attribute shall contain the number of allocated bytes for partition zero and all other partitions described in this subclause. The number of allocated bytes shall be computed as the sum of the following:

- a) The number of bytes used by:
 - A) The partition or partitions;
 - B) All collections within the partition or partitions; and
 - C) All user objects within the partition or partitions including attributes bytes; ~~and~~
and
- b) The number of unused reserved bytes computed as:
 - A) Value in the reserved data space attribute in this Partition Information attributes page minus the value in the actual data space attribute in this Partition Information attributes page; or

- B) Zero if the value in the actual data space attribute in this Partition Information attributes page is larger than the value in the reserved data space attribute in this Partition Information attributes page.

If any object in the partition the result of object duplications (see 4.d), the value of the used capacity attribute may increase for reasons that are not obvious consequences of the commands being processed as described in 4.d.5.

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The potential used capacity increment (number 84h) shall contain the maximum number of bytes by which the used capacity attribute in this Partition Information attributes page might increase due to ongoing command processing as described in 4.d.5.

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If snapshot object duplication is supported (see 4.d), the default snapshot duplication method attribute (number 200h) shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and shall contain one of the codes in table x8 (see 4.d.3) other than DEFAULT. A CREATE PARTITION command (see 6.6) shall set the default snapshot duplication method attribute to DO NOT CARE (see table x8). If set attributes list (see 5.2.4.4) contains an entry attempts to set the default snapshot duplication method attribute to DEFAULT or to a code that the supported object duplication method attributes in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8) indicate is not supported, then the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

If clone object duplication is supported (see 4.d), the default clone duplication method attribute (number 201h) shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and shall contain one of the codes in table x8 (see 4.d.3) other than DEFAULT. A CREATE PARTITION command (see 6.6) shall set the default clone duplication method attribute to DO NOT CARE (see table x8). If set attributes list (see 5.2.4.4) contains an entry attempts to set the default clone duplication method attribute to DEFAULT or to a code that the supported object duplication method attributes in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8) indicate is not supported, then the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

If the copy user objects form of object duplication is supported (see 4.d), the default copy user objects duplication method attribute (number 202h) shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and shall contain one of the codes in table x8 (see 4.d.3) other than DEFAULT. A CREATE PARTITION command (see 6.6) shall set the default copy user objects duplication method attribute to DO NOT CARE (see table x8). If set attributes list (see 5.2.4.4) contains an entry attempts to set the default copy user objects duplication method attribute to DEFAULT or to a code that the supported object duplication method attributes in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8) indicate is not supported, then the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

If snapshot object duplication is supported (see 4.d), the default snapshot time of duplication method attribute (number 300h) shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and shall contain one of the codes in table x9 (see 4.d.4.1) other than DEFAULT. A CREATE PARTITION command (see 6.6) shall set the default snapshot time of duplication method attribute to DO NOT CARE (see table x9). If set attributes list (see 5.2.4.4) contains an entry attempts to set the default snapshot time of duplication method attribute to DEFAULT or to a code that the supported time of duplication method attributes in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8) indicate is not supported, then the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

If clone object duplication is supported (see 4.d), the default clone time of duplication method attribute (number 301h) shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and shall contain one of the codes in table x9 (see 4.d.4.1) other than DEFAULT. A CREATE PARTITION command (see 6.6) shall set the default clone time of duplication method attribute to DO NOT CARE (see table x9). If set attributes list (see 5.2.4.4) contains an entry attempts to set the

default clone time of duplication method attribute to DEFAULT or to a code that the supported time of duplication method attributes in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8) indicate is not supported, then the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

If the copy user objects form of object duplication is supported (see 4.d), the default copy user objects time of duplication method attribute (number 303h) shall be defined (see 3.1.15) and shall contain one of the codes in table x9 (see 4.d.4.1) other than DEFAULT. A CREATE PARTITION command (see 6.6) shall set the default copy user objects time of duplication method attribute to DO NOT CARE (see table x9). If set attributes list (see 5.2.4.4) contains an entry attempts to set the default copy user objects time of duplication method attribute to DEFAULT or to a code that the supported time of duplication method attributes in the Root Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.8) indicate is not supported, then the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

{{The potential used capacity increment attribute, default snapshot duplication method attribute, default clone duplication method attribute, default copy user objects duplication method attribute, default snapshot time of duplication method attribute, default clone time of duplication method attribute, and default copy user objects time of duplication method attribute must be added to Annex B too.}}

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7.1.2.10 Collection Information attributes page

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The used capacity attribute (number 81h) shall contain the number of bytes used by the collection including attributes bytes. If the collection the result of an object duplication (see 4.d), the value of the used capacity attribute may increase for reasons that are not obvious consequences of the commands being processed as described in 4.d.5.

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7.1.2.11 User Object Information attributes page

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The used capacity attribute (number 81h) shall contain the sum of:

- a) The number of bytes used by the user object including attributes bytes; and
- b) The number of unused reserved bytes computed as:
 - A) Value in the reserved data space attribute in this User Object Information attributes page minus the value in the actual data space attribute in this User Object Information attributes page; or
 - B) Zero if the value in the actual data space attribute in this User Object Information attributes page is larger than the value in the reserved data space attribute in this User Object Information attributes page.

If the user object the result of an object duplication (see 4.d), the value of the used capacity attribute may increase for reasons that are not obvious consequences of the commands being processed as described in 4.d.5.

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Change 8 – Definition of a COPY USER OBJECTS command

Description

This change defines an approximation of the `object_copy` function described in a half page of the OSD-Snapshot-proposal-v3.14.

The CDB will not accommodate a new capability object descriptor format that contains two complete user object descriptions (policy access tag, partition/user object IDs, byte ranges – an additional 36 bytes) plus a second user object byte range (partition/user object ID, byte range – an additional 32 bytes), so this change places the destination object information in the CDB and the source object information in the CDB continuation segment.

It should also be noted that the mechanism in this change does not require the double key signature function described in OSDv2-SecurityRev0.7.

If a range-less copy without CDB continuation is deemed desirable, that would fit in the allowed CDB size, but it would require the double key signature function described in OSDv2-SecurityRev0.7 as well as a new capability object descriptor format definition.

The OSD-Snapshot-proposal-v3.14 `object_copy` function includes control over whether the bytes are physically copied or not. This control is not provided here because the options for the 'not' case are not yet defined. Reserved bytes are provided in several locations that can be used to add this control later.

This proposal assumes that the destination user object does not already exist and is to be created by the command (a la CREATE AND WRITE). The traditions of the OSD standard dictate that a command cannot optionally create a user object if it does not already exist (e.g., the CREATE AND WRITE command verses the WRITE command). If the intention of the OSD-Snapshot-proposal-v3.14 `object_copy` function was that the user object already existed prior to the copy command processing, this proposal will need to be modified accordingly.

This proposal extends the OSD-Snapshot-proposal-v3.14 `object_copy` function in the following ways:

- Multiple byte ranges are allowed in a single copy command.
- Copies from multiple user objects to a single destination object are allowed. (The DOS copy command has provided this function since the age of stone knives and bear skins, why not OSD-2?)

This change makes use of all the CDB continuation features defined elsewhere in this proposal.

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Table 23 — Commands allowed by specific capability field values

Commands allowed and CDB fields whose contents are restricted by capability field contents, if any	Capability Field values that allow a command		
	Object Type Name	Permission Bits That Are Set To One	Object Descriptor Name
...
A COPY USER OBJECTS command with one destination user object and one or more source user objects ^a			
Destination user object	USER	CREATE and WRITE	USER
Source user object or user objects	USER	READ	USER
...
Combinations of OBJECT TYPE field, PERMISSION BITS field, and OBJECT DESCRIPTOR TYPE field values not shown in this table and table 24 are reserved. The capability fields not shown in this table may place additional limits on the objects that are allowed to be accessed.			
^a This command accesses multiple objects. One capability is necessary for each object accessed. The capability with the highest value (see table 27 in 4.12.4.1) in the SECURITY METHOD field appears in the CDB (see 5.2.1). The other capabilities appear in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x).			

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Table 47 — OSD commands that are allowed in the presence of various reservations

OSD Command	Addressed logical unit has this type of persistent reservation held by another I_T nexus				
	From any I_T nexus		From registered I_T nexus (RR all types)	From not registered I_T nexus	
	Write Excl	Excl Access		Write Excl RR	Excl Access – RR
...
COPY USER OBJECTS	Conflict	Conflict	Allowed	Conflict	Conflict
...
Key: Excl =Exclusive, RR =Registrants Only or All Registrants					

...

Table 57 — Commands for OSD type devices

Command name	Operation code	Service action ^a	Type	Reference
...
COPY USER OBJECTS	7Fh	8893h	M	6.h
Type Key: M = Command implementation is mandatory. O = Command implementation is optional.				
^a No entry in the service action column means that the SERVICE ACTION field does not apply to the command. Service action codes values between 8800h and 8F7Fh that are not listed in this table are reserved for future standardization. Service action code values between 8F80h and 8FFFh may have vendor specific command assignments.				
^b ...				

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The CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field (see table x4) specifies the format of the CDB continuation descriptor type specific data.

Table x4 — CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field

Value	Description	Reference
0000h	No more continuation descriptors ^a	
0001h	Scatter/gather list	5.y.c
0101h	Copy user object source	5.y.h
FFEEh	Capability	5.y.z
{{This is the most complete version of table x4. However, when copying the table, the first instance of table x4 should be used for the table title and basic format. The table rows can be copied from this table after the blue-line formatting is removed.}}		
all other values	Reserved	
^a Since the CDB continuation segment pad bytes, if any, are set to zero (see 5.x), encountering a CDB continuation descriptor type of zero shall be processed in the same way as reaching the last byte of the CDB continuation segment.		

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5.y.h Copy user object source

{{All of 5.y.h is new. The use of change markups is suspended for the remainder of 5.y.h.}}

The copy user object source CDB continuation descriptor (see table x13) specifies all or part of a user object as the source of bytes for a command (e.g., the source of bytes for a COPY USER OBJECTS command (see 6.h)).

Table x13 — Copy user object source CDB continuation descriptor format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CDB continuation descriptor header								
0	(MSB)		CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE (0101h)				(LSB)	
1								
2								
3	Reserved							
4	(MSB)		CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH (n-7)				(LSB)	
7								
CDB continuation descriptor type specific data								
8	(MSB)		SOURCE PARTITION_ID				(LSB)	
15								
16	(MSB)		SOURCE USER_OBJECT_ID				(LSB)	
23								
24	Reserved							
25	FREEZE	Reserved			TIME OF DUPLICATION			
26								
27	Reserved							
28	(MSB)		RANGE DESCRIPTORS LENGTH (n-31)				(LSB)	
31								
Range descriptors, if any								
32								
47	Range descriptor [first] (see table x14)							
⋮								
n-15	Range descriptor [last] (see table x14)							
n								

The CDB CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR TYPE field contains 0101h (i.e., source user object CDB continuation descriptor).

The CONTINUATION DESCRIPTOR LENGTH field contains the number of bytes that follow in this capability descriptor.

The SOURCE PARTITION_ID field specifies the Partition_ID (see 4.6.4) of the partition that contains the source user object. If the partition identified by the SOURCE PARTITION_ID field does not exist, the command shall be terminated

with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

The SOURCE_USER_OBJECT_ID field specifies the User_Object_ID of the source user object (see 4.6.5). If the user object identified by the SOURCE_USER_OBJECT_ID field does not exist, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

The CPY_ATTR (copy attributes) bit specifies whether the attributes from this source user object are copied to the destination user object. If the CPY_ATTR bit is set to zero, no attributes are copied from this source user object to the destination user object. If the CPY_ATTR bit is set to one, all application client settable attributes (see 7.2.1) are copied from this source user object to the destination user object. If the CPY_ATTR bit is set to one, in more than one copy user object source CDB continuation descriptor, attributes copied from one source user object may overwrite attributes copied from another source user object.

If the CPY_ATTR bit is set to one and the reserved data space attribute in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11) of the source user object is set to a value other than zero, the reserved data space attribute in the destination user object shall be increased by the amount of data space reserved for the source user object (i.e., the copy operation shall be treated as appending the source user object to data already in the destination user object).

If the FREEZE bit is set to zero, the copy operation should not modify the contents of the object accessibility attribute in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11) of the source user object. If the FREEZE bit is set to one and source object freeze duplication management is supported (see 4.d.4.2), then the device server shall:

- 1) Set the object accessibility attribute in the User Object Information attributes page of the source user object to 0000 0001h before starting any copy operations that access the source user object; and
- 2) Restore the object accessibility attribute in the User Object Information attributes page of the source user object to its previous value after all copy operations that access the source user object are completed.

If the FREEZE bit is set to one and source object freeze duplication management is not supported, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

The TIME OF DUPLICATION field specifies which time of duplication source object management method (see 4.d.4.1) applies to the source user object. If the TIME OF DUPLICATION field is set to DEFAULT (see table x9 in 4.d.4.1), then the default copy user objects time of duplication method attribute in the Partition Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.9) specifies which time of duplication source object management method applies to the source user object.

The RANGE DESCRIPTORS LENGTH field specifies the number of bytes in the range descriptors that follow. If the RANGE DESCRIPTORS LENGTH field is set to zero, the entire source user object shall be appended to (i.e., copied to the end of) the destination user object.

Each range descriptor (see table x14) specifies a number of bytes to copy, a starting byte offset in the source user object, and a starting byte offset in the destination user object.

Table x14 — Range descriptor format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	(MSB)							
7	BYTES TO COPY							(LSB)
8	(MSB)							
15	SOURCE BYTE OFFSET							(LSB)
16	(MSB)							
23	DESTINATION BYTE OFFSET							(LSB)

The BYTES TO COPY field indicates the number of bytes to copy for this range descriptor.

The SOURCE BYTE OFFSET field indicates the starting byte offset in the user object specified by the SOURCE PARTITION_ID field and the SOURCE USER_OBJECT_ID field from which bytes are to be read for the copy operation.

The DESTINATION BYTE OFFSET field indicates the starting byte offset in the destination user object to which bytes are to be written by the copy operation. If the DESTINATION BYTE OFFSET field is set to FFFF FFFF FFFF FFFFh, the bytes shall be appended to the destination user object.

The byte ranges specified by individual range descriptors are allowed to overlap (e.g., the second range descriptor may transfer some or all of the same bytes that were transferred by the first range descriptor).

If the values in the BYTES TO COPY field and SOURCE BYTE OFFSET field result an attempt to read a byte that is beyond the user object logical length attribute value in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11) for the user object specified by the SOURCE PARTITION_ID field and the SOURCE USER_OBJECT_ID field, then:

- a) The bytes between the user object byte offset and the user object logical length shall be transferred;
- b) The command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key shall be set to RECOVERED ERROR and the additional sense code set to READ PAST END OF USER OBJECT;
- c) The command-specific information sense data descriptor (see SPC-3) shall be included in the sense data; and
- d) The COMMAND-SPECIFIC INFORMATION field shall contain the number of bytes transferred by the command, including but not limited to the bytes transferred by this range descriptor.

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6.h COPY USER OBJECTS

{{All of 6.h is new. The use of change markups is suspended for the remainder of 6.h.}}

The COPY USER OBJECTS command (see table x15) causes the OSD device server to allocate and initialize one user object and then copy data from one or more source user objects to the newly created user object.

Table x15 — COPY USER OBJECTS command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
8	(MSB) _____							
9	SERVICE ACTION (8893h) _____ (LSB)							
10	Reserved			DPO	FUA	ISOLATION		
11	CONT (1b)	Reserved	GET/SET CDBFMT		Reserved			
12	TIMESTAMPS CONTROL							
13	_____							
15	Reserved _____							
16	(MSB) _____							
23	DESTINATION PARTITION_ID _____ (LSB)							
24	(MSB) _____							
31	REQUESTED DESTINATION USER_OBJECT_ID _____ (LSB)							
32	DUPLICATION METHOD							
33	_____							
51	Reserved _____							
52	_____							
79	Get and set attributes parameters (see 5.2.4) _____							
80	_____							
183	Capability (see 4.11.2.2) _____							
184	_____							
223	Security parameters (see 5.2.8) _____							

The contents of the DPO bit and the FUA bit are defined in 5.2.3.

The contents of the ISOLATION field are defined in 5.2.5.

The CONT bit is described in 5.2.x. If the CONT bit is set to zero, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.

The command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST, if the CONT bit is set to one and any of the following are true:

- a) The CDB continuation segment does not contain at least one copy user object source CDB continuation descriptor (see 5.y.h); or
- b) The CDB continuation segment (see 5.x) contains any CDB continuation descriptors other than the following:
 - A) Copy user object source CDB continuation descriptor (see 5.y.h);
 - B) Capability CDB continuation descriptor (see 5.y.z); and
 - C) Capability with CAPKEY integrity check value CDB continuation descriptor (see 5.y.z).

The copy user object source CDB continuation descriptor or descriptors specify the data that is to be written to the created user object. The copy user object source CDB continuation descriptors shall be processed in the order in which they appear in the CDB continuation segment (i.e., the copy user object source CDB continuation descriptor closest to the beginning of the CDB continuation segment shall be processed first, the next closest descriptor shall be processed second, etc.).

Each copy user object source CDB continuation descriptor may reference the same user object, or a different user object. One capability is necessary for each object accessed, but multiple copy user object CDB continuation descriptors may rely on the capability provided by a single capability.

The GET/SET CDBFMT field specifies the format of the get and set attributes parameters as described in 5.2.4.

The contents of the TIMESTAMPS CONTROL field are defined in 5.2.10.

The contents of the DESTINATION PARTITION_ID field are defined in 5.2.7. If the DESTINATION PARTITION_ID field contains zero, the command shall be terminated with a CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.

The contents of the REQUESTED DESTINATION USER_OBJECT_ID field specify the User_Object_ID (see 4.6.5) to be assigned to the created user object that is to serve as the destination for the data copies from the source user object or user objects. If the REQUESTED DESTINATION USER_OBJECT_ID field contains zero, any User_Object_ID may be assigned. If the REQUESTED DESTINATION USER_OBJECT_ID field contains any value other than zero and the device server is unable to assign the requested User_Object_ID to the created user object, the command shall be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status, with the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN CDB.

Within a partition, the device server shall not allow:

- a) The same User_Object_ID to be associated with more than one user object at any point in time; or
- b) A User_Object_ID to have the same value as any assigned Collection_Object_ID.

The DUPLICATION METHOD field specifies which duplication method (see 4.d.3) applies to the COPY USER OBJECTS command. If the DUPLICATION METHOD field is set to DEFAULT (see table x8 in 4.d.3), then the default copy user objects duplication method attribute in the Partition Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.9) specifies which duplication method applies to the COPY USER OBJECTS command.

The get and set attributes parameters are defined in 5.2.4. The format of the Data-In Buffer and Data-Out Buffer when attributes are being retrieved or set is described in 4.14. The User_Object_ID assigned by the COPY USER OBJECTS command may be obtained from the Current Command attributes page (see 7.1.2.29).

The capability is defined in 4.11.2.2. The COPY USER OBJECTS command accesses multiple objects. One capability is necessary for each object accessed. The capability with the highest value (see table 27 in 4.12.4.1)

in the SECURITY METHOD field appears in the CDB. The other capabilities appear in the CDB continuation segment (see 5.x).

The security parameters are defined in 5.2.8.

The assigned User_Object_ID shall be placed in the Collection_Object_ID or User_Object_ID attribute in the Current Command attributes page (see 7.1.2.29).

- | If a COPY USER OBJECTS command causes the value in the number of collections and user objects attribute in the Partition Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.9) to exceed the value in the object count attribute in the Partition Quotas attributes page (see 7.1.2.13), then a quota error shall be generated (see 4.10.2). The quota testing principles described in 4.10.3 apply to the testing of the object count quota.
- | If a COPY USER OBJECTS command causes the value in the user object logical length attribute in the User Object Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.11) to exceed the value in the maximum user object length attribute in the User Object Quotas attributes page (see 7.1.2.14), then a quota error shall be generated (see 4.10.2). The quota testing principles described in 4.10.3 apply to the testing of the maximum user object length quota.
- | If a COPY USER OBJECTS command causes the value in the used capacity attribute in the Partition Information attributes page (see 7.1.2.9) to exceed the value in the capacity quota attribute in the Partition Quotas attributes page (see 7.1.2.13), then a quota error shall be generated (see 4.10.2). The quota testing principles described in 4.10.3 apply to the testing of the capacity quota.

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Table B.1 — Numerical order OSD service action codes

Service Action	Command
...	...
8890h to 8891h	Reserved
8892h	CREATE AND WRITE
8893h	COPY USER OBJECTS
8893h to 8894h	Reserved
...	...