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## A YANG Data Model for Static Context Header Compression (SCHC)

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### Abstract

This document describes a YANG data model for the Static Context Header Compression (SCHC) compression and fragmentation Rules.

This document formalizes the description of the Rules for better interoperability between SCHC instances either to exchange a set of Rules or to modify the parameters of some Rules.

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# 1. Introduction

SCHC is a compression and fragmentation mechanism for constrained networks defined in [RFC8724]. It is based on a static context shared by two entities at the boundary of the constrained network. [RFC8724] provides an informal representation of the Rules used either for compression/decompression (C/D) or fragmentation/reassembly (F/R). The goal of this document is to formalize the description of the Rules to offer:

- the same definition on both ends, even if the internal representation is different, and
- an update of the other end to set up some specific values (e.g., IPv6 prefix, destination address, etc.).

[LPWAN-ARCH] illustrates the exchange of Rules using the YANG data model.

This document defines a YANG data model [RFC7950] to represent both compression and fragmentation Rules, which leads to common representation for values for all the Rules' elements.

# 2. Requirements Language

The key words "MUST", "MUST NOT", "REQUIRED", "SHALL", "SHALL NOT", "SHOULD", "SHOULD NOT", "RECOMMENDED", "NOT RECOMMENDED", "MAY", and "OPTIONAL" in this document are to be interpreted as described in BCP 14 [RFC2119] [RFC8174] when, and only when, they appear in all capitals, as shown here.

### 3. Terminology

This section defines the terminology and acronyms used in this document. It extends the terminology of [\[RFC8376\]](#).

**App:** Low-Power WAN (LPWAN) Application, as defined by [\[RFC8376\]](#). An application sending/receiving packets to/from the Dev.

**Bi:** Bidirectional. Characterizes a Field Descriptor that applies to headers of packets traveling in either direction (Up and Dw; see this glossary).

**CDA:** Compression/Decompression Action. Describes the pair of actions that are performed at the compressor to compress a header field and at the decompressor to recover the original value of the header field.

**Context:** A set of Rules used to compress/decompress headers.

**Dev:** Device, as defined by [\[RFC8376\]](#).

**DevIID:** Device Interface Identifier. The IID that identifies the Dev interface.

**DI:** Direction Indicator. This field tells which direction of packet travel (Up, Dw, or Bi) a Field Descriptor applies to. This allows for asymmetric processing, using the same Rule.

**Dw:** Downlink direction for compression/decompression, from SCHC C/D in the network to SCHC C/D in the Dev.

**FID:** Field Identifier or Field ID. This identifies the protocol and field a Field Descriptor applies to.

**FL:** Field Length. This is the length of the original packet header field. It is expressed as a number of bits for header fields of fixed lengths or as a type (e.g., variable, token length, ...) for Field Lengths that are unknown at the time of Rule creation. The length of a header field is defined in the corresponding protocol specification (such as IPv6 or UDP).

**FP:** Field Position. When a field is expected to appear multiple times in a header, the Field Position specifies the occurrence this Field Descriptor applies to (for example, first Uri-Path option, second Uri-Path, etc. in a Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP) header), counting from 1. The value 0 is special and means "don't care" (see [Section 7.2](#) of [\[RFC8724\]](#)).

**IID:** Interface Identifier. See the IPv6 addressing architecture [\[RFC7136\]](#).

**L2 Word:** This is the minimum subdivision of payload data that the Layer 2 (L2) will carry. In most L2 technologies, the L2 Word is an octet. In bit-oriented radio technologies, the L2 Word might be a single bit. The L2 Word size is assumed to be constant over time for each device.

**MO:** Matching Operator. An operator used to match a value contained in a header field with a value contained in a Rule.

**RuleID:** Rule Identifier. An identifier for a Rule. SCHC C/D on both sides share the same RuleID for a given packet. A set of RuleIDs are used to support SCHC F/R functionality.

**TV:** Target Value. A value contained in a Rule that will be matched with the value of a header field.

**Up:** Uplink direction for compression/decompression, from the Dev SCHC C/D to the network SCHC C/D.

## 4. SCHC Rules

SCHC compression is generic; the main mechanism does not refer to a specific protocol. Any header field is abstracted through a Field Identifier (FID), a position (FP), a direction (DI), and a value that can be a numerical value or a string. [RFC8724] and [RFC8824] specify fields for IPv6 [RFC8200], UDP [RFC0768], and CoAP [RFC7252], including options defined for no server response [RFC7967] and Object Security for Constrained RESTful Environments (OSCORE) [RFC8613]. For the latter, [RFC8824] splits this field into subfields.

SCHC fragmentation requires a set of common parameters that are included in a Rule. These parameters are defined in [RFC8724].

The YANG data model enables the compression and the fragmentation selection using the feature statement.

### 4.1. Compression Rules

[RFC8724] proposes an informal representation of the compression Rule. A compression context for a device is composed of a set of Rules. Each Rule contains information to describe a specific field in the header to be compressed.

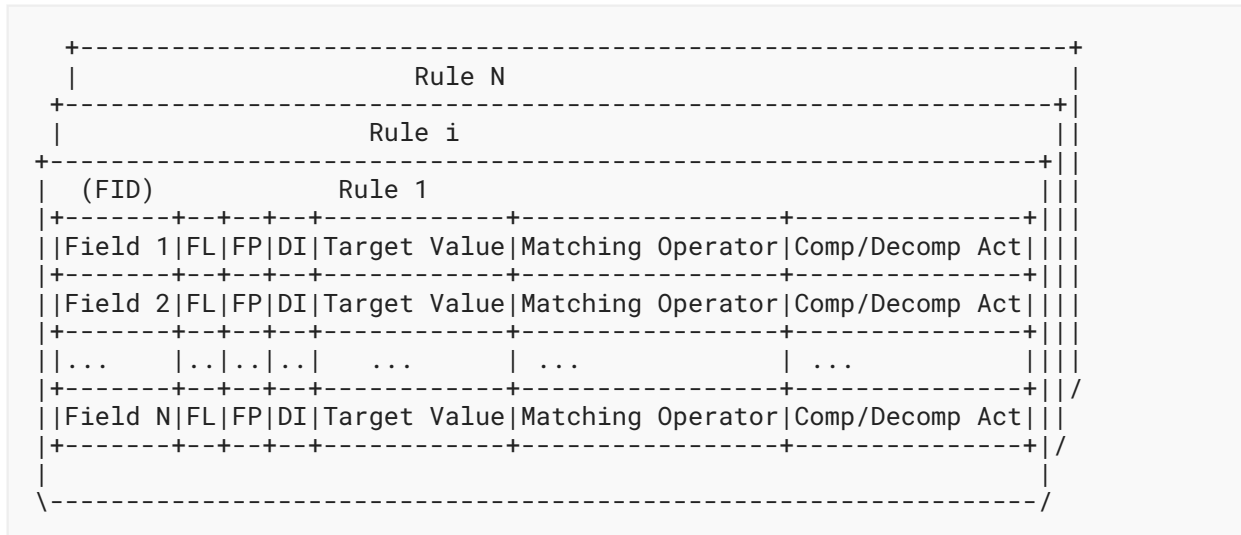


Figure 1: Compression Decompression Context

## 4.2. Identifier Generation

Identifiers used in the SCHC YANG data model are from the identityref statement to ensure global uniqueness and easy augmentation if needed. The principle to define a new type based on a group of identityref is the following:

- Define a main identity ending with the keyword base-type.
- Derive all the identities used in the data model from this base type.
- Create a typedef from this base type.

The example below (Figure 2) shows how an identityref is created for Reassembly Check Sequence (RCS) algorithms used during SCHC fragmentation.

```

identity rcs-algorithm-base-type {
  description
    "Identify which algorithm is used to compute RCS.
    The algorithm also defines the size of the RCS field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

identity rcs-crc32 {
  base rcs-algorithm-base-type;
  description
    "CRC32 defined as default RCS in RFC 8724. This RCS is
    4 bytes long.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

typedef rcs-algorithm-type {
  type identityref {
    base rcs-algorithm-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Define the type for RCS algorithm in Rules.";
}

```

Figure 2: Principle to Define a Type Based on identityref

### 4.3. Convention for Field Identifier

In the process of compression, the headers of the original packet are first parsed to create a list of fields. This list of fields is matched against the Rules to find the appropriate Rule and apply compression. [RFC8724] does not state how the Field ID value is constructed. In examples, identification is done through a string indexed by the protocol name (e.g., IPv6.version, CoAP.version, etc.).

The current YANG data model includes field definitions found in [RFC8724] and [RFC8824].

Using the YANG data model, each field **MUST** be identified through a global YANG identityref.

A YANG Field ID for the protocol is always derived from the fid-base-type. Then, an identity for each protocol is specified using the naming convention fid-<<protocol name>>-base-type. All possible fields for this protocol **MUST** derive from the protocol identity. The naming convention is "fid-" followed by the protocol name and the field name. If a field has to be divided into subfields, the field identity serves as a base.

The full field-id definition is found in Section 6. A type is defined for the IPv6 protocol, and each field is based on it. Note that the Diffserv bits derive from the Traffic Class identity.

#### 4.4. Convention for Field Length

The Field Length is either an integer giving the size of a field in bits or a specific function. [RFC8724] defines the "var" function, which allows variable-length fields (whose length is expressed in bytes), and [RFC8824] defines the "tkl" function for managing the CoAP Token Length field.

The naming convention is "fl-" followed by the function name.

The Field Length function can be defined as an identityref, as described in Section 6. Therefore, the type for the Field Length is a union between an integer giving the size of the length in bits and the identityref.

#### 4.5. Convention for Field Position

The Field Position is a positive integer that gives the occurrence times of a specific field from the header start. The default value is 1 and is incremented at each repetition. Value 0 indicates that the position is not important and is not considered during the Rule selection process.

The Field Position is a positive integer. The type is uint8.

#### 4.6. Convention for Direction Indicator

The Direction Indicator is used to tell if a field appears in both directions (Bi) or only uplink (Up) or Downlink (Dw). The naming convention is "di" followed by the Direction Indicator name.

The type is "di-type".

#### 4.7. Convention for Target Value

The Target Value is a list of binary sequences of any length, aligned to the left. In the Rule, the structure will be used as a list, with the index as a key. The highest index value is used to compute the size of the index sent in residue for the match-mapping Compression Decompression Action (CDA). The index can specify several values:

- For equal and most significant bits (MSBs), the Target Value contains a single element. Therefore, the index is set to 0.
- For match-mapping, the Target Value can contain several elements. Index values **MUST** start from 0 and **MUST** be contiguous.

If the header field contains text, the binary sequence uses the same encoding.

#### 4.8. Convention for Matching Operator

The Matching Operator (MO) is a function applied between a field value provided by the parsed header and the Target Value. [RFC8724] defines 4 MOs.

The naming convention is "mo-" followed by the MO name.



The type is "no-type".

#### 4.8.1. Matching Operator Arguments

They are viewed as a list, built with a tv-struct (see [Section 4.7](#)).

### 4.9. Convention for Compression Decompression Actions

The Compression Decompression Action (CDA) identifies the function to use for compression or decompression. [\[RFC8724\]](#) defines 7 CDAs.

The naming convention is "cda-" followed by the CDA name.

#### 4.9.1. Compression Decompression Action Arguments

Currently no CDA requires arguments, but some CDAs may require one or several arguments in the future. They are viewed as a list of target-value type.

### 4.10. Fragmentation Rule

Fragmentation is optional in the data model and depends on the presence of the "fragmentation" feature.

Most of the fragmentation parameters are listed in [Appendix D](#) of [\[RFC8724\]](#).

Since fragmentation Rules work for a specific direction, they **MUST** contain a mandatory Direction Indicator. The type is the same as the one used in compression entries, but bidirectional **MUST NOT** be used.

#### 4.10.1. Fragmentation Mode

[\[RFC8724\]](#) defines 3 fragmentation modes:

- No ACK: This mode is unidirectional; no acknowledgment is sent back.
- ACK Always: Each fragmentation window must be explicitly acknowledged before going to the next.
- ACK on Error: A window is acknowledged only when the receiver detects some missing fragments.

The type is "fragmentation-mode-type". The naming convention is "fragmentation-mode-" followed by the fragmentation mode name.

#### 4.10.2. Fragmentation Header

A data fragment header, starting with the RuleID, can be sent in the fragmentation direction. [\[RFC8724\]](#) indicates that the SCHC header may be composed of the following (cf. [Figure 3](#)):

- a Datagram Tag (DTag) identifying the datagram being fragmented if the fragmentation applies concurrently on several datagrams. This field is optional, and its length is defined by the Rule.

- a Window (*W*) used in ACK-Always and ACK-on-Error modes. In ACK-Always, its size is 1. In ACK-on-Error, it depends on the Rule. This field is not needed in No-ACK mode.
- a Fragment Compressed Number (FCN) indicating the fragment/tile position within the window. This field is mandatory on all modes defined in [RFC8724], and its size is defined by the Rule.

```

|-- SCHC Fragment Header ----|
      |-- T --|-M-|-- N --|
+-- ... -+- ... -+-----+ ... -+-----+~~~~~
| RuleID | DTag | W | FCN | Fragment Payload | padding (as needed)
+-- ... -+- ... -+-----+ ... -+-----+~~~~~

```

Figure 3: Data Fragment Header from RFC 8724

#### 4.10.3. Last Fragment Format

The last fragment of a datagram is sent with a Reassembly Check Sequence (RCS) field to detect residual transmission errors and possible losses in the last window. [RFC8724] defines a single algorithm based on Ethernet CRC computation.

The naming convention is "rcs-" followed by the algorithm name.

For ACK-on-Error mode, the All-1 fragment may just contain the RCS or can include a tile. The following parameters define the behavior:

- all-1-data-no: The last fragment contains no data, just the RCS.
- all-1-data-yes: The last fragment includes a single tile and the RCS.
- all-1-data-sender-choice: The last fragment may or may not contain a single tile. The receiver can detect if a tile is present.

The naming convention is "all-1-data-" followed by the behavior identifier.

#### 4.10.4. Acknowledgment Behavior

The acknowledgment fragment header goes in the opposite direction of data. [RFC8724] defines the header, which is composed of the following (see Figure 4):

- a DTag (if present).
- a mandatory window, as in the data fragment.
- a C bit giving the status of RCS validation. In case of failure, a bitmap follows, indicating the received tile.

```

|--- SCHC ACK Header ---|
|--- T ---M-| 1 |
+-- ... +- ... +-----+~~~~~
| RuleID | DTag | W |C=1| padding as needed           (success)
+-- ... +- ... +-----+~~~~~

+-- ... +- ... +-----+----- ... +-----+~~~~~
| RuleID | DTag | W |C=0|Compressed Bitmap| pad. as needed (failure)
+-- ... +- ... +-----+----- ... +-----+~~~~~

```

Figure 4: Acknowledgment Fragment Header for RFC 8724

For ACK-on-Error, SCHC defines when an acknowledgment can be sent. This can be at any time defined by the Layer 2, at the end of a window (FCN all-0), or as a response to receiving the last fragment (FCN all-1). The naming convention is "ack-behavior" followed by the algorithm name.

#### 4.10.5. Timer Values

The state machine requires some common values to handle fragmentation correctly.

- The Retransmission Timer gives the duration before sending an ACK request (cf. [Section 8.2.2.4](#) of [\[RFC8724\]](#)). If specified, the value **MUST** be strictly positive.
- The Inactivity Timer gives the duration before aborting a fragmentation session (cf. [Section 8.2.2.4](#) of [\[RFC8724\]](#)). The value 0 explicitly indicates that this timer is disabled.

[\[RFC8724\]](#) does not specify any range for these timers. [\[RFC9011\]](#) recommends a duration of 12 hours. In fact, the value range should be between milliseconds for real-time systems to several days for worse-than-best-effort systems. To allow a large range of applications, two parameters must be specified:

- the duration of a tick. It is computed by this formula:  $2^{\text{tick-duration}/10^6}$ . When tick-duration is set to 0, the unit is the microsecond. The default value of 20 leads to a unit of 1.048575 seconds. A value of 32 leads to a tick-duration of about 1 hour 11 minutes.
- the number of ticks in the predefined unit. With the default tick-duration value of 20, the timers can cover a range between 1.0 second and 19 hours, as recommended in [\[RFC9011\]](#).

#### 4.10.6. Fragmentation Parameter

The SCHC fragmentation protocol specifies the number of attempts before aborting through the parameter:

- max-ack-requests (cf. [Section 8.2.2.4](#) of [\[RFC8724\]](#))

#### 4.10.7. Layer 2 Parameters

The data model includes two parameters needed for fragmentation:

- `l2-word-size`: [RFC8724] base fragmentation, in bits, on a Layer 2 Word that can be of any length. The default value is 8 and corresponds to the default value for the byte-aligned Layer 2. A value of 1 will indicate that there is no alignment and no need for padding.
- `maximum-packet-size`: defines the maximum size of an uncompressed datagram. By default, the value is set to 1280 bytes.

They are defined as unsigned integers; see [Section 6](#).

## 5. Rule Definition

A Rule is identified by a unique Rule Identifier (RuleID) comprising both a RuleID value and a RuleID length. The YANG grouping `rule-id-type` defines the structure used to represent a RuleID. A length of 0 is allowed to represent an implicit Rule.

Three natures of Rules are defined in [RFC8724]:

- **Compression**: A compression Rule is associated with the RuleID.
- **No-compression**: This identifies the default Rule used to send a packet integrally when no-compression Rule was found (see [Section 6](#) of [RFC8724]).
- **Fragmentation**: Fragmentation parameters are associated with the RuleID. Fragmentation is optional, and the feature "fragmentation" should be set.

The YANG data model respectively introduces these three identities :

- `nature-compression`
- `nature-no-compression`
- `nature-fragmentation`

The naming convention is "nature-" followed by the nature identifier.

To access a specific Rule, the RuleID length and value are used as a key. The Rule is either a compression or a fragmentation Rule.

### 5.1. Compression Rule

A compression Rule is composed of entries describing its processing. An entry contains all the information defined in [Figure 1](#) with the types defined above.

The compression Rule described [Figure 1](#) is defined by `compression-content`. It defines a list of `compression-rule-entry`, indexed by their Field ID, position, and direction. The `compression-rule-entry` element represents a line in [Figure 1](#). Their type reflects the identifier types defined in [Section 4.1](#).

Some checks are performed on the values:

- When MO is ignore, no Target Value is needed; for other MOs, there **MUST** be a Target Value present.
- When MSB MO is specified, the matching-operator-value must be present.

## 5.2. Fragmentation Rule

A fragmentation Rule is composed of entries describing the protocol behavior. Some on them are numerical entries, others are identifiers defined in [Section 4.10](#).

## 5.3. YANG Tree

The YANG data model described in this document conforms to the Network Management Datastore Architecture defined in [\[RFC8342\]](#).

```

module: ietf-schc
  +--rw schc
    +--rw rule* [rule-id-value rule-id-length]
      +--rw rule-id-value          uint32
      +--rw rule-id-length         uint8
      +--rw rule-nature            nature-type
      +--rw (nature)?
        +--:(fragmentation) {fragmentation}?
          +--rw fragmentation-mode
          |   schc:fragmentation-mode-type
          +--rw l2-word-size?      uint8
          +--rw direction          schc:di-type
          +--rw dtag-size?         uint8
          +--rw w-size?           uint8
          +--rw fcn-size          uint8
          +--rw rcs-algorithm?     rcs-algorithm-type
          +--rw maximum-packet-size? uint16
          +--rw window-size?      uint16
          +--rw max-interleaved-frames? uint8
          +--rw inactivity-timer
          |   +--rw ticks-duration?  uint8
          |   +--rw ticks-numbers?   uint16
          +--rw retransmission-timer
          |   +--rw ticks-duration?  uint8
          |   +--rw ticks-numbers?   uint16
          +--rw max-ack-requests?   uint8
          +--rw (mode)?
            +--:(no-ack)
            +--:(ack-always)
            +--:(ack-on-error)
              +--rw tile-size?      uint8
              +--rw tile-in-all-1? schc:all-1-data-type
              +--rw ack-behavior?   schc:ack-behavior-type
          +--:(compression) {compression}?
            +--rw entry*
              [field-id field-position direction-indicator]
              +--rw field-id          schc:fid-type
              +--rw field-length      schc:fl-type
              +--rw field-position    uint8
              +--rw direction-indicator schc:di-type
              +--rw target-value* [index]
              |   +--rw index      uint16
              |   +--rw value?    binary
              +--rw matching-operator schc:mo-type
              +--rw matching-operator-value* [index]
              |   +--rw index      uint16
              |   +--rw value?    binary
              +--rw comp-decomp-action schc:cda-type
              +--rw comp-decomp-action-value* [index]
              |   +--rw index      uint16
              |   +--rw value?    binary

```

Figure 5: Overview of the SCHC Data Model

## 6. YANG Data Model

```

<CODE BEGINS> file "ietf-schc@2023-03-01.yang"

module ietf-schc {
  yang-version 1.1;
  namespace "urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-schc";
  prefix schc;

  organization
    "IETF IPv6 over Low Power Wide-Area Networks (lpwan) Working
    Group";
  contact
    "WG Web: <https://datatracker.ietf.org/wg/lpwan/about/>
    WG List: <mailto:lp-wan@ietf.org>
    Editor: Laurent Toutain
      <mailto:laurent.toutain@imt-atlantique.fr>
    Editor: Ana Minaburo
      <mailto:ana@ackl.io>";
  description
    "Copyright (c) 2023 IETF Trust and the persons identified as
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    Redistribution and use in source and binary forms, with or
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    The key words 'MUST', 'MUST NOT', 'REQUIRED', 'SHALL', 'SHALL
    NOT', 'SHOULD', 'SHOULD NOT', 'RECOMMENDED', 'NOT RECOMMENDED',
    'MAY', and 'OPTIONAL' in this document are to be interpreted as
    described in BCP 14 (RFC 2119) (RFC 8174) when, and only when,
    they appear in all capitals, as shown here.
    *****
    Generic data model for the Static Context Header Compression
    Rule for SCHC, based on RFCs 8724 and 8824. Including
    compression, no-compression, and fragmentation Rules.

    This module is a YANG data model for SCHC Rules (RFCs 8724 and
    8824). RFC 8724 describes compression Rules in an abstract
    way through a table.
  
```

(FID)	Rule 1					
Field 1	FL	FP	DI	Target Value	Matching Operator	Comp/Decomp Act
Field 2	FL	FP	DI	Target Value	Matching Operator	Comp/Decomp Act
...	..	..	..	...	...	...
Field N	FL	FP	DI	Target Value	Matching Operator	Comp/Decomp Act

This module specifies a global data model that can be used for Rule exchanges or modification. It specifies both the data model format and the global identifiers used to describe some



```
operations in fields.
This data model applies to both compression and fragmentation.";

revision 2023-03-01 {
  description
    "Initial version from RFC 9363.";
  reference
    "RFC 9363 A YANG Data Model for Static Context Header
    Compression (SCHC)";
}

feature compression {
  description
    "SCHC compression capabilities are taken into account.";
}

feature fragmentation {
  description
    "SCHC fragmentation capabilities are taken into account.";
}

// -----
// Field ID type definition
//-----
// generic value TV definition

identity fid-base-type {
  description
    "Field ID base type for all fields.";
}

identity fid-ipv6-base-type {
  base fid-base-type;
  description
    "Field ID base type for IPv6 headers described in RFC 8200.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-version {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "IPv6 version field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-trafficclass {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "IPv6 Traffic Class field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-trafficclass-ds {
  base fid-ipv6-trafficclass;
  description
```

```
    "IPv6 Traffic Class field: Diffserv field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification,
     RFC 3168 The Addition of Explicit Congestion Notification
     (ECN) to IP";
}

identity fid-ipv6-trafficclass-ecn {
  base fid-ipv6-trafficclass;
  description
    "IPv6 Traffic Class field: ECN field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification,
     RFC 3168 The Addition of Explicit Congestion Notification
     (ECN) to IP";
}

identity fid-ipv6-flowlabel {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "IPv6 Flow Label field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-payload-length {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "IPv6 Payload Length field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-nextheader {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "IPv6 Next Header field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-hoplimit {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "IPv6 Next Header field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-devprefix {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "Corresponds to either the source address or the destination
     address prefix of RFC 8200 depending on whether it is an
     uplink or a downlink message.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}
```

```
identity fid-ipv6-deviid {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "Corresponds to either the source address or the destination
    address IID of RFC 8200 depending on whether it is an uplink
    or a downlink message.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-appprefix {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "Corresponds to either the source address or the destination
    address prefix of RFC 8200 depending on whether it is an
    uplink or a downlink message.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-ipv6-appiid {
  base fid-ipv6-base-type;
  description
    "Corresponds to either the source address or the destination
    address IID of RFC 8200 depending on whether it is an uplink
    or a downlink message.";
  reference
    "RFC 8200 Internet Protocol, Version 6 (IPv6) Specification";
}

identity fid-udp-base-type {
  base fid-base-type;
  description
    "Field ID base type for UDP headers described in RFC 768.";
  reference
    "RFC 768 User Datagram Protocol";
}

identity fid-udp-dev-port {
  base fid-udp-base-type;
  description
    "UDP source or destination port, if uplink or downlink
    communication, respectively.";
  reference
    "RFC 768 User Datagram Protocol";
}

identity fid-udp-app-port {
  base fid-udp-base-type;
  description
    "UDP destination or source port, if uplink or downlink
    communication, respectively.";
  reference
    "RFC 768 User Datagram Protocol";
}

identity fid-udp-length {
```

```
base fid-udp-base-type;
description
  "UDP length.";
reference
  "RFC 768 User Datagram Protocol";
}

identity fid-udp-checksum {
  base fid-udp-base-type;
  description
    "UDP length.";
  reference
    "RFC 768 User Datagram Protocol";
}

identity fid-coap-base-type {
  base fid-base-type;
  description
    "Field ID base type for UDP headers described.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-version {
  base fid-coap-base-type;
  description
    "CoAP version.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-type {
  base fid-coap-base-type;
  description
    "CoAP type.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-tkl {
  base fid-coap-base-type;
  description
    "CoAP token length.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-code {
  base fid-coap-base-type;
  description
    "CoAP code.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-code-class {
  base fid-coap-code;
  description
```

```
    "CoAP code class.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-code-detail {
  base fid-coap-code;
  description
    "CoAP code detail.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-mid {
  base fid-coap-base-type;
  description
    "CoAP message ID.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-token {
  base fid-coap-base-type;
  description
    "CoAP token.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option {
  base fid-coap-base-type;
  description
    "Generic CoAP option.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-if-match {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option If-Match.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-uri-host {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Uri-Host.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-etag {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option ETag.";
  reference
```

```
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
  }

  identity fid-coap-option-if-none-match {
    base fid-coap-option;
    description
      "CoAP option if-none-match.";
    reference
      "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
  }

  identity fid-coap-option-observe {
    base fid-coap-option;
    description
      "CoAP option Observe.";
    reference
      "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
  }

  identity fid-coap-option-uri-port {
    base fid-coap-option;
    description
      "CoAP option Uri-Port.";
    reference
      "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
  }

  identity fid-coap-option-location-path {
    base fid-coap-option;
    description
      "CoAP option Location-Path.";
    reference
      "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
  }

  identity fid-coap-option-uri-path {
    base fid-coap-option;
    description
      "CoAP option Uri-Path.";
    reference
      "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
  }

  identity fid-coap-option-content-format {
    base fid-coap-option;
    description
      "CoAP option Content Format.";
    reference
      "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
  }

  identity fid-coap-option-max-age {
    base fid-coap-option;
    description
      "CoAP option Max-Age.";
    reference
      "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
  }
}
```

```
identity fid-coap-option-uri-query {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Uri-Query.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-accept {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Accept.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-location-query {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Location-Query.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-block2 {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Block2.";
  reference
    "RFC 7959 Block-Wise Transfers in the Constrained
      Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-block1 {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Block1.";
  reference
    "RFC 7959 Block-Wise Transfers in the Constrained
      Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-size2 {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Size2.";
  reference
    "RFC 7959 Block-Wise Transfers in the Constrained
      Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-proxy-uri {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Proxy-Uri.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}
```

```
}

identity fid-coap-option-proxy-scheme {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Proxy-Scheme.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-size1 {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option Size1.";
  reference
    "RFC 7252 The Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-no-response {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option No response.";
  reference
    "RFC 7967 Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)
      Option for No Server Response";
}

identity fid-oscore-base-type {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "OSCORE options (RFC8613) split in suboptions.";
  reference
    "RFC 8824 Static Context Header Compression (SCHC) for the
      Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-oscore-flags {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option OSCORE flags.";
  reference
    "RFC 8824 Static Context Header Compression (SCHC) for the
      Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP) (see
      Section 6.4)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-oscore-piv {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option OSCORE flags.";
  reference
    "RFC 8824 Static Context Header Compression (SCHC) for the
      Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP) (see
      Section 6.4)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-oscore-kid {
  base fid-coap-option;
```



```
description
  "CoAP option OSCORE flags.";
reference
  "RFC 8824 Static Context Header Compression (SCHC) for the
  Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP) (see
  Section 6.4)";
}

identity fid-coap-option-oscore-kidctx {
  base fid-coap-option;
  description
    "CoAP option OSCORE flags.";
  reference
    "RFC 8824 Static Context Header Compression (SCHC) for the
    Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)(see
    Section 6.4)";
}

//-----
// Field Length type definition
//-----

identity fl-base-type {
  description
    "Used to extend Field Length functions.";
}

identity fl-variable {
  base fl-base-type;
  description
    "Residue length in bytes is sent as defined for CoAP.";
  reference
    "RFC 8824 Static Context Header Compression (SCHC) for the
    Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP) (see
    Section 5.3)";
}

identity fl-token-length {
  base fl-base-type;
  description
    "Residue length in bytes is sent as defined for CoAP.";
  reference
    "RFC 8824 Static Context Header Compression (SCHC) for the
    Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP) (see
    Section 4.5)";
}

//-----
// Direction Indicator type
//-----

identity di-base-type {
  description
    "Used to extend Direction Indicators.";
}

identity di-bidirectional {
  base di-base-type;
```

```
description
  "Direction Indicator of bidirectionality.";
reference
  "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
  Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
  Section 7.1)";
}

identity di-up {
  base di-base-type;
  description
    "Direction Indicator of uplink.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.1)";
}

identity di-down {
  base di-base-type;
  description
    "Direction Indicator of downlink.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.1)";
}

//-----
// Matching Operator type definition
//-----

identity mo-base-type {
  description
    "Matching Operator: used in the Rule selection process
    to check if a Target Value matches the field's value.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.2)";
}

identity mo-equal {
  base mo-base-type;
  description
    "equal M0.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.3)";
}

identity mo-ignore {
  base mo-base-type;
  description
    "ignore M0.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
```

```
        Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
        Section 7.3)";
    }

    identity mo-msb {
        base mo-base-type;
        description
            "MSB MO.";
        reference
            "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
            Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
            Section 7.3)";
    }

    identity mo-match-mapping {
        base mo-base-type;
        description
            "match-mapping MO.";
        reference
            "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
            Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
            Section 7.3)";
    }

    //-----
    // CDA type definition
    //-----

    identity cda-base-type {
        description
            "Compression Decompression Actions. Specify the action to
            be applied to the field's value in a specific Rule.";
        reference
            "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
            Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
            Section 7.2)";
    }

    identity cda-not-sent {
        base cda-base-type;
        description
            "not-sent CDA.";
        reference
            "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
            Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
            Section 7.4)";
    }

    identity cda-value-sent {
        base cda-base-type;
        description
            "value-sent CDA.";
        reference
            "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
            Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
            Section 7.4)";
    }
}
```

```
identity cda-lsb {
  base cda-base-type;
  description
    "Least Significant Bit (LSB) CDA.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.4)";
}

identity cda-mapping-sent {
  base cda-base-type;
  description
    "mapping-sent CDA.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.4)";
}

identity cda-compute {
  base cda-base-type;
  description
    "compute-* CDA.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.4)";
}

identity cda-deviid {
  base cda-base-type;
  description
    "DevIID CDA.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.4)";
}

identity cda-appiid {
  base cda-base-type;
  description
    "Application Interface Identifier (AppIID) CDA.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context
    Header Compression and Fragmentation (see
    Section 7.4)";
}

// -- type definition

typedef fid-type {
  type identityref {
    base fid-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Field ID generic type.";
```

```
reference
  "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
  Compression and Fragmentation";
}

typedef fl-type {
  type identityref {
    base fl-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Function used to indicate Field Length.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

typedef di-type {
  type identityref {
    base di-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Direction in LPWAN network: up when emitted by the device,
    down when received by the device, or bi when emitted or
    received by the device.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

typedef mo-type {
  type identityref {
    base mo-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Matching Operator (MO) to compare field values with
    Target Values.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

typedef cda-type {
  type identityref {
    base cda-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Compression Decompression Action to compress or
    decompress a field.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

// -- FRAGMENTATION TYPE
// -- fragmentation modes

identity fragmentation-mode-base-type {
  description
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```
    "Define the fragmentation mode.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

identity fragmentation-mode-no-ack {
  base fragmentation-mode-base-type;
  description
    "No-ACK mode.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

identity fragmentation-mode-ack-always {
  base fragmentation-mode-base-type;
  description
    "ACK-Always mode.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

identity fragmentation-mode-ack-on-error {
  base fragmentation-mode-base-type;
  description
    "ACK-on-Error mode.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

typedef fragmentation-mode-type {
  type identityref {
    base fragmentation-mode-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Define the type used for fragmentation mode in Rules.";
}

// -- Ack behavior

identity ack-behavior-base-type {
  description
    "Define when to send an Acknowledgment.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

identity ack-behavior-after-all-0 {
  base ack-behavior-base-type;
  description
    "Fragmentation expects ACK after sending All-0 fragment.";
}

identity ack-behavior-after-all-1 {
```

```
    base ack-behavior-base-type;
    description
        "Fragmentation expects ACK after sending All-1 fragment.";
}

identity ack-behavior-by-layer2 {
    base ack-behavior-base-type;
    description
        "Layer 2 defines when to send an ACK.";
}

typedef ack-behavior-type {
    type identityref {
        base ack-behavior-base-type;
    }
    description
        "Define the type used for ACK behavior in Rules.";
}

// -- All-1 with data types

identity all-1-data-base-type {
    description
        "Type to define when to send an Acknowledgment message.";
    reference
        "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
        Compression and Fragmentation";
}

identity all-1-data-no {
    base all-1-data-base-type;
    description
        "All-1 contains no tiles.";
}

identity all-1-data-yes {
    base all-1-data-base-type;
    description
        "All-1 MUST contain a tile.";
}

identity all-1-data-sender-choice {
    base all-1-data-base-type;
    description
        "Fragmentation process chooses to send tiles or not in All-1.";
}

typedef all-1-data-type {
    type identityref {
        base all-1-data-base-type;
    }
    description
        "Define the type used for All-1 format in Rules.";
}

// -- RCS algorithm types

identity rcs-algorithm-base-type {
```

```

description
  "Identify which algorithm is used to compute RCS.
  The algorithm also defines the size of the RCS field.";
reference
  "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
  Compression and Fragmentation";
}

identity rcs-crc32 {
  base rcs-algorithm-base-type;
  description
    "CRC32 defined as default RCS in RFC 8724. This RCS is
    4 bytes long.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

typedef rcs-algorithm-type {
  type identityref {
    base rcs-algorithm-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Define the type for RCS algorithm in Rules.";
}

// ----- RULE ENTRY DEFINITION -----

grouping tv-struct {
  description
    "Defines the Target Value element. If the header field
    contains a text, the binary sequence uses the same encoding.
    field-id allows the conversion to the appropriate type.";
  leaf index {
    type uint16;
    description
      "Index gives the position in the matching list. If only one
      element is present, index is 0. Otherwise, index is the
      order in the matching list, starting at 0.";
  }
  leaf value {
    type binary;
    description
      "Target Value content as an untyped binary value.";
  }
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}

grouping compression-rule-entry {
  description
    "These entries define a compression entry (i.e., a line),
    as defined in RFC 8724.
    +-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
    |Field 1|FL|FP|DI|Target Value|Matching Operator|Comp/Decomp Act|
    +-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
    An entry in a compression Rule is composed of 7 elements:

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- Field ID: the header field to be compressed
- Field Length : either a positive integer or a function
- Field Position: a positive (and possibly equal to 0)
integer
- Direction Indicator: an indication in which direction the
compression and decompression process is effective
- Target Value: a value against which the header field is
compared
- Matching Operator: the comparison operation and optional
associate parameters
- Comp./Decomp. Action: the compression or decompression
action and optional parameters
";
leaf field-id {
  type schc:fid-type;
  mandatory true;
  description
    "Field ID, identify a field in the header with a YANG
identity reference.";
}
leaf field-length {
  type union {
    type uint8;
    type schc:fl-type;
  }
  mandatory true;
  description
    "Field Length, expressed in number of bits if the length is
known when the Rule is created or through a specific
function if the length is variable.";
}
leaf field-position {
  type uint8;
  mandatory true;
  description
    "Field Position in the header is an integer. Position 1
matches the first occurrence of a field in the header,
while incremented position values match subsequent
occurrences.
Position 0 means that this entry matches a field
irrespective of its position of occurrence in the
header.
Be aware that the decompressed header may have
position-0 fields ordered differently than they
appeared in the original packet.";
}
leaf direction-indicator {
  type schc:di-type;
  mandatory true;
  description
    "Direction Indicator, indicate if this field must be
considered for Rule selection or ignored based on the
direction (bidirectional, only uplink, or only
downlink).";
}
list target-value {
  key "index";
  uses tv-struct;
}

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    description
      "A list of values to compare with the header field value.
      If Target Value is a singleton, position must be 0.
      For use as a matching list for the mo-match-mapping Matching
      Operator, index should take consecutive values starting
      from 0.";
  }
  leaf matching-operator {
    type schc:mo-type;
    must "../target-value or derived-from-or-self(.,
                                                'mo-ignore')" {
      error-message
        "mo-equal, mo-msb, and mo-match-mapping need target-value";
      description
        "target-value is not required for mo-ignore.";
    }
    must "not (derived-from-or-self(., 'mo-msb')) or
          ../matching-operator-value" {
      error-message "mo-msb requires length value";
    }
    mandatory true;
    description
      "MO: Matching Operator.";
    reference
      "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
      Compression and Fragmentation (see Section 7.3)";
  }
  list matching-operator-value {
    key "index";
    uses tv-struct;
    description
      "Matching Operator Arguments, based on TV structure to allow
      several arguments.
      In RFC 8724, only the MSB Matching Operator needs arguments
      (a single argument, which is the number of most significant
      bits to be matched).";
  }
  leaf comp-decomp-action {
    type schc:cda-type;
    must "../target-value or
          derived-from-or-self(., 'cda-value-sent') or
          derived-from-or-self(., 'cda-compute') or
          derived-from-or-self(., 'cda-appiid') or
          derived-from-or-self(., 'cda-deviid'" {
      error-message
        "cda-not-sent, cda-lsb, and cda-mapping-sent need
        target-value";
      description
        "target-value is not required for some CDA.";
    }
    mandatory true;
    description
      "CDA: Compression Decompression Action.";
    reference
      "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
      Compression and Fragmentation (see Section 7.4)";
  }
  list comp-decomp-action-value {

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```
    key "index";
    uses tv-struct;
    description
      "CDA arguments, based on a TV structure, in order to allow
      for several arguments. The CDAs specified in RFC 8724
      require no argument.";
  }
}

// --Rule nature

identity nature-base-type {
  description
    "A Rule, identified by its RuleID, is used for a single
    purpose. RFC 8724 defines 3 natures:
    compression, no-compression, and fragmentation.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation (see Section 6)";
}

identity nature-compression {
  base nature-base-type;
  description
    "Identify a compression Rule.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation (see Section 6)";
}

identity nature-no-compression {
  base nature-base-type;
  description
    "Identify a no-compression Rule.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation (see Section 6)";
}

identity nature-fragmentation {
  base nature-base-type;
  description
    "Identify a fragmentation Rule.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation (see Section 6)";
}

typedef nature-type {
  type identityref {
    base nature-base-type;
  }
  description
    "Defines the type to indicate the nature of the Rule.";
}

grouping compression-content {
  list entry {
```

```

    must "derived-from-or-self(..rule-nature,
                                'nature-compression')" {
      error-message "Rule nature must be compression";
    }
    key "field-id field-position direction-indicator";
    uses compression-rule-entry;
    description
      "A compression Rule is a list of Rule entries, each
       describing a header field. An entry is identified
       through a field-id, its position in the packet, and
       its direction.";
  }
  description
    "Define a compression Rule composed of a list of entries.";
  reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
     Compression and Fragmentation";
}

grouping fragmentation-content {
  description
    "This grouping defines the fragmentation parameters for
     all the modes (No ACK, ACK Always, and ACK on Error) specified
     in RFC 8724.";
  leaf fragmentation-mode {
    type schc:fragmentation-mode-type;
    must "derived-from-or-self(..rule-nature,
                                'nature-fragmentation')" {
      error-message "Rule nature must be fragmentation";
    }
    mandatory true;
    description
      "Which fragmentation mode is used (No ACK, ACK Always, or
       ACK on Error).";
  }
  leaf l2-word-size {
    type uint8;
    default "8";
    description
      "Size, in bits, of the Layer 2 Word.";
  }
  leaf direction {
    type schc:di-type;
    must "derived-from-or-self(., 'di-up') or
         derived-from-or-self(., 'di-down')" {
      error-message
        "Direction for fragmentation Rules are up or down.";
    }
    mandatory true;
    description
      "MUST be up or down, bidirectional MUST NOT be used.";
  }
  // SCHC Frag header format
  leaf dtag-size {
    type uint8;
    default "0";
    description
      "Size, in bits, of the DTag field (T variable from

```

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        RFC 8724).";
    }
    leaf w-size {
        when "derived-from-or-self(../fragmentation-mode,
            'fragmentation-mode-ack-on-error')
            or
            derived-from-or-self(../fragmentation-mode,
            'fragmentation-mode-ack-always') ";
        type uint8;
        description
            "Size, in bits, of the window field (M variable from
            RFC 8724).";
    }
    leaf fcw-size {
        type uint8;
        mandatory true;
        description
            "Size, in bits, of the FCW field (N variable from
            RFC 8724).";
    }
    leaf rcs-algorithm {
        type rcs-algorithm-type;
        default "schc:rcs-crc32";
        description
            "Algorithm used for RCS. The algorithm specifies the RCS
            size.";
    }
    // SCHC fragmentation protocol parameters
    leaf maximum-packet-size {
        type uint16;
        default "1280";
        description
            "When decompression is done, packet size must not
            strictly exceed this limit, expressed in bytes.";
    }
    leaf window-size {
        type uint16;
        description
            "By default, if not specified, the FCW value is  $2^{w-size} - 1$ .
            This value should not be exceeded. Possible FCW values
            are between 0 and window-size - 1.";
    }
    leaf max-interleaved-frames {
        type uint8;
        default "1";
        description
            "Maximum of simultaneously fragmented frames. Maximum value
            is  $2^{dtag-size}$ . All DTag values can be used, but more than
            max-interleaved-frames MUST NOT be active at any time.";
    }
    container inactivity-timer {
        leaf ticks-duration {
            type uint8;
            default "20";
            description
                "Duration of one tick in microseconds:
                 $2^{ticks-duration}/10^6 = 1.048s$ .";
        }
    }
}

```

```

leaf ticks-numbers {
  type uint16 {
    range "0..max";
  }
  description
    "Timer duration = ticks-numbers*2^ticks-duration / 10^6.";
}

description
  "Duration in seconds of the Inactivity Timer; 0 indicates
  that the timer is disabled.

  Allows a precision from microsecond to year by sending the
  tick-duration value. For instance:

  tick-duration: smallest value  <-> highest value

  20: 00y 000d 00h 00m 01s.048575<->00y 000d 19h 05m 18s.428159
  21: 00y 000d 00h 00m 02s.097151<->00y 001d 14h 10m 36s.856319
  22: 00y 000d 00h 00m 04s.194303<->00y 003d 04h 21m 13s.712639
  23: 00y 000d 00h 00m 08s.388607<->00y 006d 08h 42m 27s.425279
  24: 00y 000d 00h 00m 16s.777215<->00y 012d 17h 24m 54s.850559
  25: 00y 000d 00h 00m 33s.554431<->00y 025d 10h 49m 49s.701119

  Note that the smallest value is also the incrementation
  step.";
}
container retransmission-timer {
  leaf ticks-duration {
    type uint8;
    default "20";
    description
      "Duration of one tick in microseconds:
      2^ticks-duration/10^6 = 1.048s.";
  }
  leaf ticks-numbers {
    type uint16 {
      range "1..max";
    }
    description
      "Timer duration = ticks-numbers*2^ticks-duration / 10^6.";
  }
  when "derived-from-or-self(../fragmentation-mode,
    'fragmentation-mode-ack-on-error')
    or
    derived-from-or-self(../fragmentation-mode,
    'fragmentation-mode-ack-always') ";
  description
    "Duration in seconds of the Retransmission Timer.
    See the Inactivity Timer.";
}
leaf max-ack-requests {
  when "derived-from-or-self(../fragmentation-mode,
    'fragmentation-mode-ack-on-error')
    or
    derived-from-or-self(../fragmentation-mode,
    'fragmentation-mode-ack-always') ";
  type uint8 {

```

```

    range "1..max";
  }
  description
    "The maximum number of retries for a specific SCHC ACK.";
}
choice mode {
  case no-ack;
  case ack-always;
  case ack-on-error {
    leaf tile-size {
      when "derived-from-or-self(..//fragmentation-mode,
        'fragmentation-mode-ack-on-error')";
      type uint8;
      description
        "Size, in bits, of tiles.  If not specified or set to 0,
        tiles fill the fragment.";
    }
    leaf tile-in-all-1 {
      when "derived-from-or-self(..//fragmentation-mode,
        'fragmentation-mode-ack-on-error')";
      type schc:all-1-data-type;
      description
        "Defines whether the sender and receiver expect a tile in
        All-1 fragments or not, or if it is left to the sender's
        choice.";
    }
    leaf ack-behavior {
      when "derived-from-or-self(..//fragmentation-mode,
        'fragmentation-mode-ack-on-error')";
      type schc:ack-behavior-type;
      description
        "Sender behavior to acknowledge, after All-0 or All-1 or
        when the LPWAN allows it.";
    }
  }
}
description
  "RFC 8724 defines 3 fragmentation modes.";
}
reference
  "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
  Compression and Fragmentation";
}

// Define RuleID.  RuleID is composed of a RuleID value and a
// RuleID length

grouping rule-id-type {
  leaf rule-id-value {
    type uint32;
    description
      "RuleID value.  This value must be unique, considering its
      length.";
  }
  leaf rule-id-length {
    type uint8 {
      range "0..32";
    }
    description

```

```

        "RuleID length, in bits. The value 0 is for implicit
        Rules.";
    }
    description
        "A RuleID is composed of a value and a length, expressed in
        bits.";
    reference
        "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
        Compression and Fragmentation";
}

// SCHC table for a specific device.

container schc {
    list rule {
        key "rule-id-value rule-id-length";
        uses rule-id-type;
        leaf rule-nature {
            type nature-type;
            mandatory true;
            description
                "Specify the Rule's nature.";
        }
        choice nature {
            case fragmentation {
                if-feature "fragmentation";
                uses fragmentation-content;
            }
            case compression {
                if-feature "compression";
                uses compression-content;
            }
        }
        description
            "A Rule is for compression, for no-compression, or for
            fragmentation.";
    }
    description
        "Set of compression, no-compression, or fragmentation
        Rules identified by their rule-id.";
}
description
    "A SCHC set of Rules is composed of a list of Rules that are
    used for compression, no-compression, or fragmentation.";
reference
    "RFC 8724 SCHC: Generic Framework for Static Context Header
    Compression and Fragmentation";
}
}
<CODE ENDS>

```

Figure 6: SCHC YANG Data Model

## 7. IANA Considerations

This document registers one URI and one YANG data model.



## 7.1. URI Registration

IANA registered the following URI in the "IETF XML Registry" [[RFC3688](#)]:

URI: urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-schc  
Registrant Contact: The IESG.  
XML: N/A; the requested URI is an XML namespace.

## 7.2. YANG Module Name Registration

IANA has registered the following YANG data model in the "YANG Module Names" registry [[RFC6020](#)].

name: ietf-schc  
namespace: urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-schc  
prefix: schc  
reference: RFC 9363

## 8. Security Considerations

The YANG module specified in this document defines a schema for data that is designed to be accessed via network management protocols such as NETCONF [[RFC6241](#)] or RESTCONF [[RFC8040](#)]. The lowest NETCONF layer is the secure transport layer, and the mandatory-to-implement secure transport is Secure Shell (SSH) [[RFC6242](#)]. The lowest RESTCONF layer is HTTPS, and the mandatory-to-implement secure transport is TLS [[RFC8446](#)].

The Network Configuration Access Control Model (NACM) [[RFC8341](#)] provides the means to restrict access for particular NETCONF or RESTCONF users to a preconfigured subset of all available NETCONF or RESTCONF protocol operations and content.

There are a number of data nodes defined in this YANG module that are writable/creatable/deletable (i.e., config true, which is the default). These data nodes may be considered sensitive or vulnerable in some network environments. Write operations (e.g., edit-config) to these data nodes without proper protection can have a negative effect on network operations. These are the subtrees and data nodes and their sensitivity/vulnerability:

/schc: All the data nodes may be modified. The Rule contains sensitive information, such as the application IPv6 address where the device's data will be sent after decompression. An attacker may try to modify other devices' Rules by changing the application address and may block communication or allows traffic eavesdropping. Therefore, a device must be allowed to modify only its own rules on the remote SCHC instance. The identity of the requester must be validated. This can be done through certificates or access lists. Modification may be allowed regarding the Field Descriptor (i.e., IPv6 addresses field descriptors should not be modified, but UDP dev port could be changed).

Some of the readable data nodes in this YANG module may be considered sensitive or vulnerable in some network environments. It is thus important to control read access (e.g., via get, get-config, or notification) to these data nodes. These are the subtrees and data nodes and their sensitivity/vulnerability:

/schc: By reading a module, an attacker may learn the traffic generated by a device and can also learn about application addresses or REST API.

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## Appendix A. Example

The informal Rules given [Figure 7](#) are represented in XML, as shown in [Figure 8](#).

```

/-----\
|Rule 6/3      110  |
|-----+--+--+-----+-----+-----\
|IPV6.VER      | 4| 1|BI|                | 6|EQUAL| NOT-SENT |
|IPV6.TC       | 8| 1|BI|                | 0|EQUAL| NOT-SENT |
|IPV6.FL       |20| 1|BI|                | 0|IGNORE| NOT-SENT |
|IPV6.LEN      |16| 1|BI|                |   |IGNORE| COMPUTE-LENGTH |
|IPV6.NXT      | 8| 1|BI|                |58|EQUAL| NOT-SENT |
|IPV6.HOP_LMT  | 8| 1|BI|                |255|IGNORE| NOT-SENT |
|IPV6.DEV_PREFIX|64| 1|BI|200104701f2101d2|EQUAL| NOT-SENT |
|IPV6.DEV_IID  |64| 1|BI|0000000000000003|EQUAL| NOT-SENT |
|IPV6.APP_PREFIX|64| 1|BI|                |   |IGNORE| VALUE-SENT |
|IPV6.APP_IID  |64| 1|BI|                |   |IGNORE| VALUE-SENT |
|-----+--+--+-----+-----+-----\
/-----\
|Rule 12/11    00001100 |
|=====|
|^ Fragmentation mode : NoAck   header dtag 2 Window 0 FCN 3 UP ^!
|^ No Tile size specified                ^!
|^ RCS Algorithm: RCS_CRC32                ^!
|=====|
/-----\
|Rule 100/8    01100100 |
| NO-COMPRESSSION RULE |
|-----\

```

Figure 7: Rules Example

```
<?xml version='1.0' encoding='UTF-8'?>
  <schc xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-schc">
    <rule>
      <rule-id-value>6</rule-id-value>
      <rule-id-length>3</rule-id-length>
      <rule-nature>nature-compression</rule-nature>
      <entry>
        <field-id>fid-ipv6-version</field-id>
        <field-length>4</field-length>
        <field-position>1</field-position>
        <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
        <matching-operator>mo-equal</matching-operator>
        <comp-decomp-action>cda-not-sent</comp-decomp-action>
        <target-value>
          <index>0</index>
          <value>AAY=</value>
        </target-value>
      </entry>
      <entry>
        <field-id>fid-ipv6-trafficclass</field-id>
        <field-length>8</field-length>
        <field-position>1</field-position>
        <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
        <matching-operator>mo-equal</matching-operator>
        <comp-decomp-action>cda-not-sent</comp-decomp-action>
        <target-value>
          <index>0</index>
          <value>AA==</value>
        </target-value>
      </entry>
      <entry>
        <field-id>fid-ipv6-flowlabel</field-id>
        <field-length>20</field-length>
        <field-position>1</field-position>
        <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
        <matching-operator>mo-ignore</matching-operator>
        <comp-decomp-action>cda-not-sent</comp-decomp-action>
        <target-value>
          <index>0</index>
          <value>AA==</value>
        </target-value>
      </entry>
      <entry>
        <field-id>fid-ipv6-payload-length</field-id>
        <field-length>16</field-length>
        <field-position>1</field-position>
        <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
        <matching-operator>mo-ignore</matching-operator>
        <comp-decomp-action>cda-compute</comp-decomp-action>
      </entry>
      <entry>
        <field-id>fid-ipv6-nextheader</field-id>
        <field-length>8</field-length>
        <field-position>1</field-position>
        <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
        <matching-operator>mo-equal</matching-operator>
        <comp-decomp-action>cda-not-sent</comp-decomp-action>
      </entry>
    </rule>
  </schc>
</pre>
```

```

    <target-value>
      <index>0</index>
      <value>ADo=</value>
    </target-value>
  </entry>
  <entry>
    <field-id>fid-ipv6-hoplimit</field-id>
    <field-length>8</field-length>
    <field-position>1</field-position>
    <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
    <matching-operator>mo-ignore</matching-operator>
    <comp-decomp-action>cda-not-sent</comp-decomp-action>
    <target-value>
      <index>0</index>
      <value>AP8=</value>
    </target-value>
  </entry>
  <entry>
    <field-id>fid-ipv6-devprefix</field-id>
    <field-length>64</field-length>
    <field-position>1</field-position>
    <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
    <matching-operator>mo-equal</matching-operator>
    <comp-decomp-action>cda-not-sent</comp-decomp-action>
    <target-value>
      <index>0</index>
      <value>IAEEcB8hAdI=</value>
    </target-value>
  </entry>
  <entry>
    <field-id>fid-ipv6-deviid</field-id>
    <field-length>64</field-length>
    <field-position>1</field-position>
    <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
    <matching-operator>mo-equal</matching-operator>
    <comp-decomp-action>cda-not-sent</comp-decomp-action>
    <target-value>
      <index>0</index>
      <value>AAAAAAAAAAM=</value>
    </target-value>
  </entry>
  <entry>
    <field-id>fid-ipv6-appprefix</field-id>
    <field-length>64</field-length>
    <field-position>1</field-position>
    <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
    <matching-operator>mo-ignore</matching-operator>
    <comp-decomp-action>cda-value-sent</comp-decomp-action>
  </entry>
  <entry>
    <field-id>fid-ipv6-appiid</field-id>
    <field-length>64</field-length>
    <field-position>1</field-position>
    <direction-indicator>di-bidirectional</direction-indicator>
    <matching-operator>mo-ignore</matching-operator>
    <comp-decomp-action>cda-value-sent</comp-decomp-action>
  </entry>
</rule>

```

```
<rule>
  <rule-id-value>12</rule-id-value>
  <rule-id-length>11</rule-id-length>
  <rule-nature>nature-fragmentation</rule-nature>
  <direction>di-up</direction>
  <rsc-algorithm>rsc-crc32</rsc-algorithm>
  <dtag-size>2</dtag-size>
  <fcn-size>3</fcn-size>
  <fragmentation-mode>
    fragmentation-mode-no-ack
  </fragmentation-mode>
</rule>
<rule>
  <rule-id-value>100</rule-id-value>
  <rule-id-length>8</rule-id-length>
  <rule-nature>nature-no-compression</rule-nature>
</rule>
</schc>
```

Figure 8: XML Representation of the Rules

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