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Introduction to Open Device Framework (ODF)

Integrating new Mobile Broadband devices into Open Mobile has become increasingly challenging, especially as more and more devices are introduced to the market. Using a traditional engineering development approach incurs a three to sixmonth cycle. This delay can have a significant impact on the acceptability of Open Mobile to many customers, especially since most Mobile Broadband devices have about a six-month shelf life. Though most vendors will continue to support their devices for up to three years after End of Life is announced, the customer tends not to consider End of Life devices as viable, especially if contractual terms may mean that the device is no longer supported before the end of the contract.

The structure of the Mobile Broadband Subsystem (MBSS) on Open Mobile takes most of the TWWA system from the iPass legacy connection client, iPassConnect. As shown in Figure 1, the TWWA subsystem is common to both iPassConnect and Open Mobile. The significant difference between the two is the requirement for iPassMB (Open Mobile) and iPass3G (iPassConnect) to interface to TWWA in the Open Mobile and iPassConnect clients. In most cases, changes to support a fully integrated device have to make at the TWWA level. These changes require both development and QA effort to make and validate any device changes, especially if multiple versions of Open Mobile are considered.

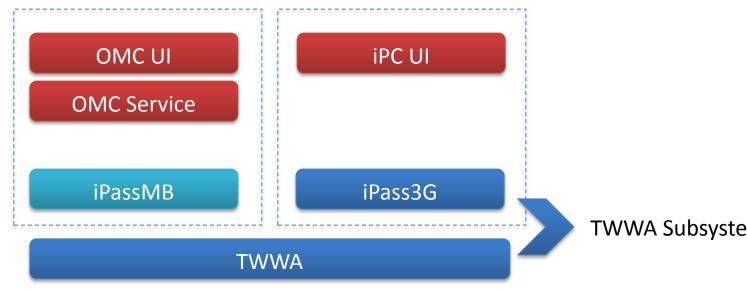


Figure 1: Mobile Broadband Subsystem Structure on iPassConnect and Open Mobile

In order to increase the speed at which Mobile Broadband devices may be introduced and supported on Open Mobile, the Open Device Framework (ODF) was created. ODF is completely integrated into the TWWA subsystem with an ODF DLL file. However, control of the subsystem is expressed at the user level using an XML-based configuration file.

Full device integration can take up to six months and becomes available as new versions of Open Mobile are released. ODF is a tool for integrating almost any device anywhere on the fly. ODF can even be implemented in the field and may only take a few hours to complete.



ODF Implementation

Open Mobile can support the two main mobile broadband network types: GSM/GPS and CDMA. (These terms are rapidly becoming obsolete and they are more normally referred to as 2G or 3G networks.) However, for the purposes of this training document the terms GSM/GPRS and CDMA will continue in use.

Table 1 shows there are a variety of bearer types on the market. All of these technologies can be quite easily supported with the Open Device Framework (ODF).

Bearer Technology	Peak Rate Available (Kbps)	Potential Rates (Kbps)	Year
GSM CSD (2G)	9.6	9.6	1991
HSCSD	115	115	~1999
CDMA2000 1xRTT	153	153	1999
GPRS (2.5G)	115	115	~2000
UMTS/3G	384	384	2002
1xEV-DO Rev.A	3,072	3,100	2007
HSDPA/HSUPA (3.5G)	2,000-5,760	1,200-14,400	2009
HSPA+ (~3.99G)	21,600	17,600-42,000	2009
WiMAX (~3.99G)	2,700	10,000	2009
3xEV-DO Rev.B	4,900-14,900	14,900	2010
DC-HSPA+	23,400-42,200	23,400-84,000	2010
LTE (~3.99G)	12,000	100,000	2010
LTE-Advanced (4G)	Х	100MBps-1GBps	>2012

Table 1: Bearer types currently deployed

By following a few simple steps as outlined in the following chapters, it is possible to create an ODF script that will allow you to run virtually any MBB device on Open Mobile. Figure 2 provides an overview of the process you can follow to determine if you need to request a full integration or can provide an ODF integration.



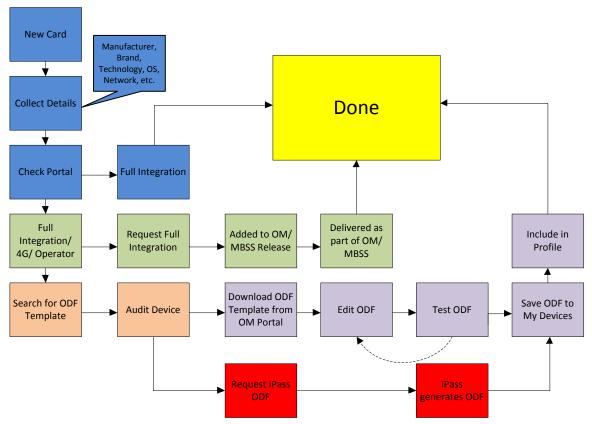


Figure 2: Simplified workflow for device integrations

Limitations

ODF is a great tool for quickly integrating devices, but there are limitations.

- Not Fully Supported by iPass: One implication of the speed of ODF integration is that ODF integrated devices do not pass through iPass QA testing. Therefore, they cannot be fully supported by iPass.
- No 4G/#G Switching: 4G devices have been successfully integrated using ODF. However, they are unable to switch from 4G to 3G, and therefore, only function where there is 4G coverage.

Prerequisites

Before beginning, ensure that you have the following:

- An XML editor (Notepad ++, XML Notepad, or others).
- Open Mobile 1.2 for Windows or later.
- SerialTerm (or another terminal emulator such as HyperTerminal).
- Access to the Open Mobile Portal.
- A Mobile Broadband device that supports AT commands (in rare cases AT command documentation may be necessary). In some cases, it may not be possible to use ODF integration for a Mobile Broadband device, and these devices have to go through Full Integration.



Supported Operating Systems

The Mobile Broadband ODF Integration has been tested on the following operating systems:

- Windows XP Professional with Service Pack 3 (32-bit)
- Windows Vista Enterprise with Service Pack 2 (32-bit and 64-bit)
- Windows 7 Enterprise (32-bit and 64-bit)

Knowledge Review Questions

- 1. What does ODF stand for?
- 2. Where does TWWA sit within Open Mobile?
- 3. What language is used to write ODF scripts?
- 4. Which of the following data bearer devices cannot be integrated with ODF?
- WiMAX
- HSPA+
- CDMA EVDO
- MiFi



Analyzing the Mobile Broadband Device

Preparation

Take the following steps to prepare the device for ODF integration.

- Make sure that you have an XML editor (Notepad ++, XML Notepad, or others), SerialTerm (or other terminal
 emulator), and the custom XML templates from iPass. The descriptions in this document are based on these
 tools, as they are known to work. Other tools may cause problems especially when generating XML files.
- 2. Install the Mobile Broadband device, its drivers, and its native connection client. Verify that it can connect to a network with the native client.
- 3. Verify that the device is not already fully integrated by seeing if it is recognized by Open Mobile:
- For Open Mobile client versions 1.3 or earlier, launch Open Mobile and see if the device is listed when you select **Tools | Manage Devices | Mobile Broadband**.
- For Open Mobile client version 1.4 or later, launch Open Mobile and see if the device is listed when you select **Tools | Mobile Broadband**.
- 4. Before proceeding, disable all connection clients without turning off the radio on the Mobile Broadband device or disabling the device in any other way.
- Disable all connection clients including iPassConnect (by exiting it) and Open Mobile (make sure that all services are discontinued).

You can discontinue Open Mobile services by launching the Command Prompt and entering "net stop iMobilityservice", and after iMobilityservice stops, entering "net stop iPlatformservice". Later, you can restart the services by entering "net start iMobilityservice" and after iMobilityservice restarts, entering "net start iPlatformservice".

- Make sure that the device does not go into Flight Mode when the native connection client is disabled (this can usually be fixed by changing the configuration option in the native client).
- Make sure that the device is not turned off when the native connection client is disabled.

Device Information

As part of the preparation, gather as much information about the device as you can from the box and label. Include this information in the first table in **Appendix B**.

3G Technology: Is the device GPRS or CDMA? Examples of GPRS technology include: UMTS, EDGE, GSM, HSPA, and WCDMA. Examples of CDMA technology include: 1xRTT, EV-DO, RevA.

4G Technology is not yet supported for ODF integration.

- **Brand Name:** The device's manufacturer (for example, Sierra Wireless, ZTE, Huawei, or Novatel). The device may be rebranded by the operator (which did not manufacture the device), but the manufacturer is the important information.
- Model: The model name for the device.
- Network (intended for use): The network, if any, that the devices was intended to be used with (examples include AT&T, Verizon, Telstra, O2, Vodafone, T-Mobile, and Sprint).



Any other information: Any other information included on the box or device label that would help identify the device.

Port Details in the Device Manager

Use the Device Manager to gather all necessary information about the device's ports and fill in the tables in Appendix A.

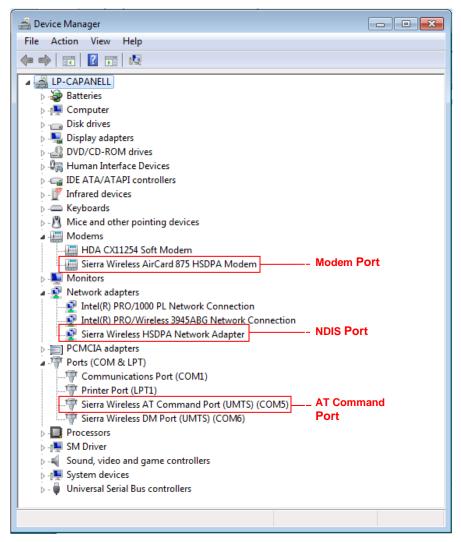
Identify the Ports

To identify all ports associated with the device:

- 1. Launch the Device Manager
- 2. Expand Modems, Network Adapters, and Ports.
- 3. Any ports associated with the device should be clearly indicated. If you are not sure which ports are associated with the device, unplug the device, and note any ports that disappear (after the Device Manager has enough time to refresh).
- Modem: There has to be a modem port to integrate the device. Go to the Modem Port section below to fill out the table in Appendix A.
- Network Adapter: If there is an NDIS Port, it will be listed here. If found, use the NDIS Port section below to fill out the table in Appendix A. Not all devices have an NDIS Port.
- Ports: If there is an AT Command Port, it will be listed here. Use the Additional Port section below to fill out the table in Appendix A. If the AT Command Port is not clearly indicated, then include any additional ports in Appendix A (and use the Primary Port process on page 10 to determine the AT Command Port).



The screenshot below is an example of a Mobile Broadband device (Sierra Wireless AirCard 875) in the Device Manager with the Modem Port, NDIS Port, and the AT Command Port labeled in red.



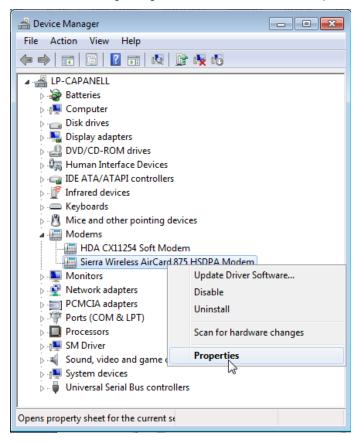


Modem Port

Use the following steps to fill out the first table in Appendix A.

1). Open Properties

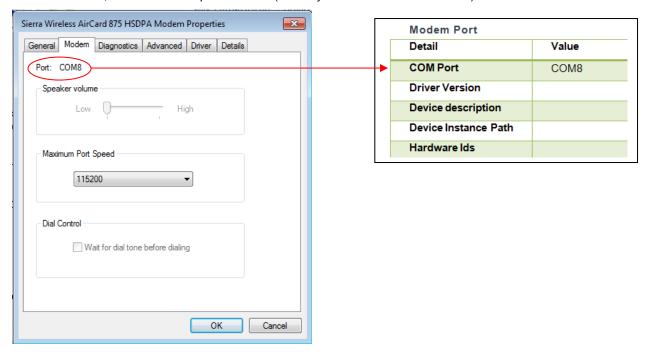
Launch Device Manger. Right click on the device's modem port and select Properties.





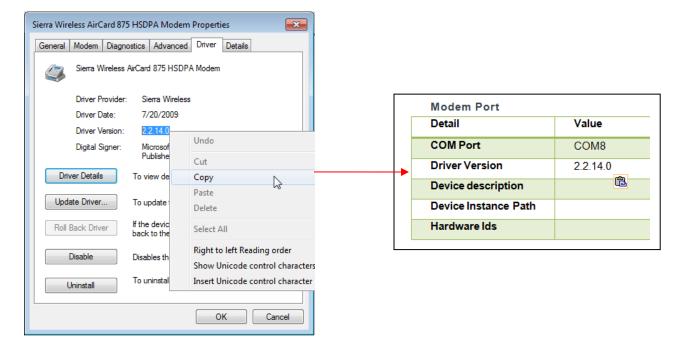
2) Record the COM Port

In the **Properties** dialog box, select the **Modem** tab and enter the COM Port in the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A**. In the screenshot below, the circled COM port is COM8 (this may be different for each device).



3) Driver Version

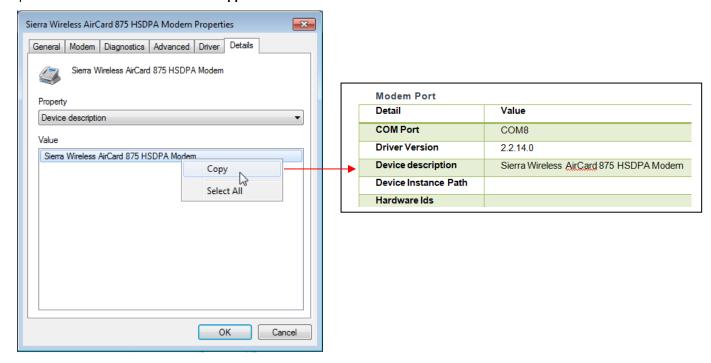
In the Properties dialog box, select the **Driver** tab. Copy the value after Driver Version and paste it in the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A**.





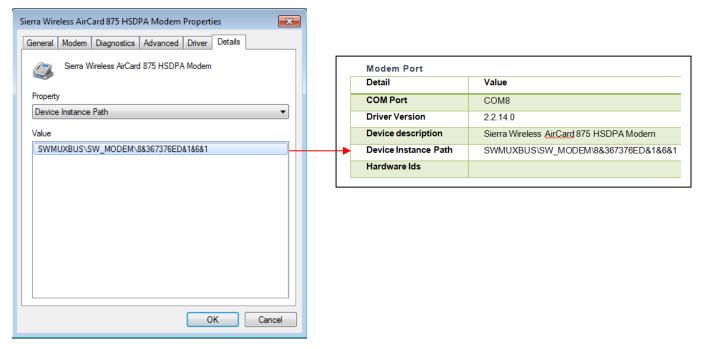
4) Device Description

In the Properties dialog box, select the **Details** tab. In the dropdown menu, select **Device description**, copy the Value, and paste it into the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A**.



5) Device Instance Path

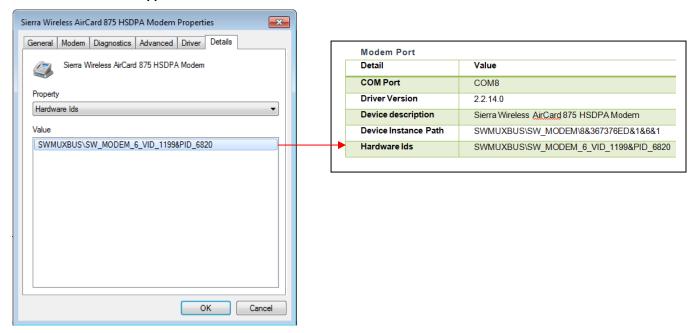
In the **Details** tab of the Properties dialog box, select **Device Instance Path** in the dropdown menu. Copy the Value and paste it in the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A**.





6) Hardware IDs

In the **Details** tab of the Properties dialog box, select **Hardware IDs** in the dropdown menu. Copy the Value and paste it in the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A**.



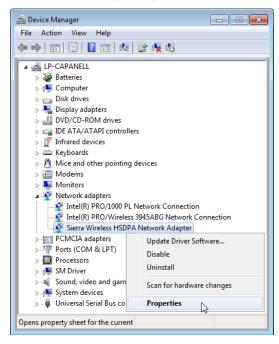


NDIS Port (If Found)

If an NDIS port for the device shows up under Network Adapters in the Device Manager, record the following information. You do not record a COM port.

1) Open Properties

Launch Device Manger. Right click on the device's NDIS port and select Properties.



2) Driver Version

In the Properties dialog box, select the **Driver** tab. Copy the value after Driver Version and paste it in the **NDIS Port** table in **Appendix A** (as shown for the Modem Port above).

3) Device Description

In the Properties dialog box, select the **Details** tab. In the dropdown menu, select **Device description**. Copy the value and paste it into the **NDIS Port** table in **Appendix A** (as shown for the Modem Port above).

4) Device Instance Path

In the **Details** tab of the Properties dialog box, select **Device Instance Path** in the dropdown menu. Copy the Value and paste it in the **NDIS Port** table in **Appendix A** (as shown for the Modem Port above).

5) Hardware Ids

In the **Details** tab of the Properties dialog box, select **Hardware Ids** in the dropdown menu. Copy the Value and paste it in the **NDIS Port** table in **Appendix A** (as shown for the Modem Port above).

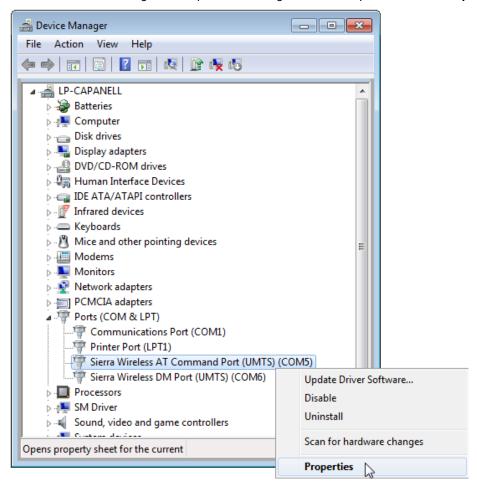


Additional (AT Command) Port (If Found)

If an AT Command Port appears under **Ports**, record the details in the **Additional Ports** table in **Appendix A** using the following process. If several device ports appear and it is not clear which one is the AT Command Port, record the details for each port and use the process for determining the Primary Port on page 10 to discover the AT Command Port.

1) Open Properties

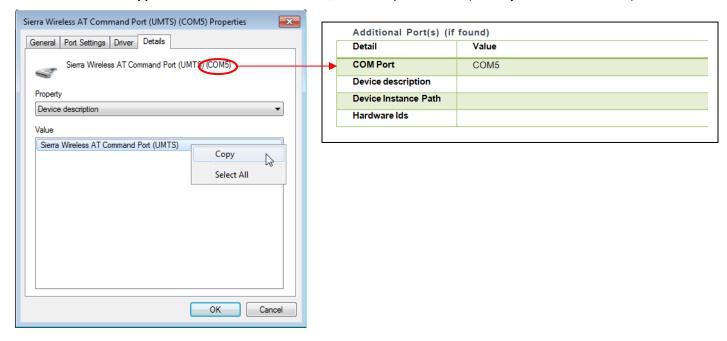
Launch the Device Manager and expand Ports. Right click on the port and select Properties.





2) COM Port

The COM Port is included at the end of the display name in parenthesis as COMX. Enter this as the **COM Port** in the **Additional Ports** table in **Appendix A**. In the screenshot below, the circled port is COM5 (this may differ for each device).



3) Device Description

In the Properties dialog box, select the **Details** tab. In the dropdown menu, select **Device description**. Copy the value and paste it into the **Additional Ports** table in **Appendix A** (as shown for the Modem Port above).

4) Device Instance Path

In the **Details** tab of the Properties dialog box, select **Device Instance Path** in the dropdown menu. Copy the Value and paste it in the **Additional Port** table in **Appendix A** (as shown for the Modem Port above).

4) Hardware IDs

In the **Details** tab of the Properties dialog box, select **Hardware Ids** in the dropdown menu. Copy the Value and paste it in the **Additional Port** table in **Appendix A** (as shown for the Modem Port above).

Audit the Device with SerialTerm

You can use any terminal emulator (such as HyperTerminal) that you prefer, but these instructions will deal with the freely available SerialTerm.

Primary Port

Before auditing the device, determine which COM Port is the Primary Port. In most cases, the AT Command Port (if found) is the Primary Port, otherwise it is the Modem Port. If there are several additional ports and none of them are clearly indicated as the AT Command Port, try each port until you receive the correct response. If none of the additional ports are the AT Command Port, use the Modem Port as your primary port (and ignore the additional ports).



To determine the Primary Port:

- 1. Open Command Prompt and go to the directory where serialterm.exe is stored.
- 2. Enter: serialterm.exe [COM Port] 115200.
- Start with AT Command Port (if found). For example: serialterm.exe com5 115200.
- In rare cases, you may need to adjust the speed (from 115200). If this happens, change the BaudRate Value in the MBLite: DeviceSettings table in Appendix C.
- 3. After the device responds, enter: AT+GMI.
- If the response is the device manufacturer, then the selected COM Port is the Primary Port, and you are finished.
- If the response is only OK or there is no response, you will need to try another port. Proceed to Step 4.
- 4. Press escape to exit and try each additional port. If none of the additional ports respond with the device manufacturer, try the modem port.

In the screenshot below, COM5 (in this case, the AT Command Port) responds with the manufacturer, indicating that it is the Primary Port.

```
C:\Users\ \Downloads>serialterm.exe com5 115200
press Esc or Ctrl+C to terminate
at+gmi
Sierra Wireless, Inc.
OK
```

Manufacturer and Model

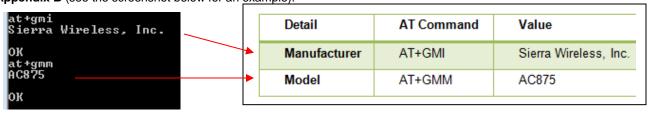
Use SerialTerm to determine the Manufacturer and Model of your device and enter them in the second table of **Appendix B**. You will use this information to edit the AdminWWDevice XML file.

1) Manufacturer

Connect to the Primary Port using SerialTerm and enter AT+GMI. Record the response after **Manufacturer** in the second table of **Appendix B** (see the screenshot below for an example).

2) Model

Connect to the Primary Port using SerialTerm and enter AT+GMI. Record the response after **Model** in the second table of **Appendix B** (see the screenshot below for an example).



Device Details

Fill out the third table in Appendix B by connecting to the Primary Port using SerialTerm and entering ATI. If any of the details are not included in the response, use the alternative AT Commands found in the table.



Audit AT Commands

Follow the instruction in **Appendix B** to audit the AT Commands. Make sure you only refer to the table(s) of AT Commands that apply to your device.

AT Commands Not Supported

If any AT Commands are not supported, you will need to find a working replacement in the AT Command documentation for that family of devices, or elsewhere. Once a replacement AT Command is found and tested, include it in the **AT Command** table in **Appendix C**. If you have to replace an AT Command, use the long.MBLite*.xml when editing the XML. Replacing non-supported AT Commands is the only purpose of the long schema. You only need to replace the AT Commands that are not supported (all other commands in the schema can be erased).

Completing Device Details

After you have finished auditing the device with SerialTerm, you should have completed all applicable tables in Appendixes A and B. Make sure that you have not skipped any steps before moving on. This information is also required if you approach customer care for support with the integration.

Knowledge Review Questions

- 1. How do you test if a device is fully integrated already?
- 2. What are three steps you should take before analyzing a device?
- 3. What Control Panel applet do you use to analyze the ports?
- 4. What are the three types of Ports you may find?
- 5. What are the four details you are looking for in each Port?
- 6. What is the default Baud Rate of the Primary Port?



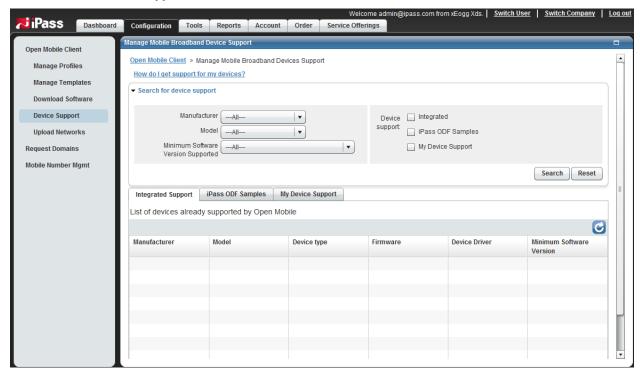
Using the ODF Library

This section will describe how to use the ODF Library on the Open Mobile Portal to search for the appropriate ODF template.

Navigating the Portal

Navigating to the ODF Library

- 1. Log in to the Open Mobile Portal (openmobile.ipass.com).
- 2. Select the Configuration tab.
- 3. Select Device Support.



Searching the ODF Library

You can search the ODF Library for devices that have been fully integrated by iPass (**Integrated Support**), sample ODF files (**iPass ODF Samples**), and devices that your organization has integrated using ODF (**My Device Support**).

To search the ODF Library:

Select the Manufacturer and Model in the dropdown menus, referring to the Manufacturer and Model you
recorded in Appendix B.

You may only find the manufacturer (not the model) or you may not even find the manufacturer (meaning that there are currently no devices by that manufacturer in the ODF library and you will have to use a blank ODF template).



- 2. After **Device support**, click on the box next to the section of the library you would like to search.
- Integrated corresponds with the Integrated Support tab that shows devices that have been fully integrated.
 Fully integrated devices will already work with Open Mobile (ODF integration is not necessary), and they are fully supported.
- iPass ODF Samples corresponds with the iPass ODF Samples tab that lists sample ODF templates. If you find a sample ODF template for your model of device, iPass strongly recommends that you edit and test the template before uploading and deploying it.
- My Device Support corresponds with the My Device Support tab and lists all of the ODF integrated devices your organization has uploaded.
- 3. Select Search.
- If there are matches, a green check will appear on the tab where they are found (a black x appears where no matches are found).

Downloading a Sample ODF Template

If you can find a sample ODF file in the library that matches your device's manufacturer and model (or even just manufacturer), you will be able to save yourself considerable time.

To download a sample ODF:

- 1. Select the **Manufacturer** and **Model** in the dropdown menus, referring to the Manufacturer and Model you recorded in Appendix B. If you cannot find the model of your device, leave it as **All**.
- 2. After **Device support**, click on the box next to **iPass ODF Samples**.
- 3. Select Search.
- 4. Search for your device's model in the list and select **Download**.
- If you find an exact match, move on to the **Test the ODF**. If the Sample fails any of the tests, go back to **Edit the ODF** to fix any problems before testing again. If the Sample passes all of the tests, then you can move on to **Uploading and Deploying the ODF**.
- Downloading an ODF Sample for a model from the same manufacturer (particularly one with similar features to your device) may make **Editing the ODF** easier than using a blank template.

Downloading a Blank ODF Template

If you cannot find a sample ODF that matches your device, you will have to start from scratch using a blank ODF Template.

To download a blank ODF Template:

- 1. Click the My Device Support tab.
- 2. Click on the Create Device Support button.
- 3. Select Download example device support XML and Operating System Files (zip).



Knowledge Review Questions

- 1. Under what tab in the Open Mobile Portal will you find Device Support?
- 2. What are the two search terms you can use to find a device in the ODF Library?
- 3. What does Integrated Support mean?
- 4. What is your next step if you find an exact match in the ODF Library?
- 5. Where is the **Create Device Support** button?



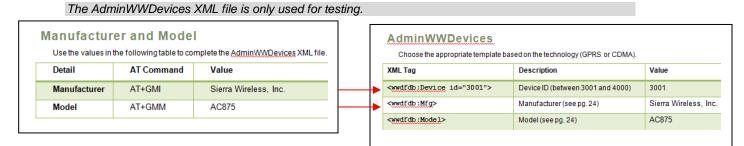
Editing the ODF

Assigning a Device ID

The default Device ID is 3001. Unless you are integrating multiple devices, it is best to keep the default Device ID (this ensures that the ID will be the same in both XML files and you will be altering the default templates less). The Device ID can be any numerical value between 3001 and 4000. Make sure you use the same Device ID in both the AdminWWDevices and the corresponding MBLite XML files. If you decide to change the Device ID, make sure that this is reflected in the first row of both the **AdminWWDevices** and **RegInfo** tables in Appendix C.

AdminWWDevices

All you need to complete the first table in **Appendix C** is to copy in the appropriate values from the **Manufacturer and Model Table** in **Appendix A**. Enter the Manufacturer Value for <wwdfdb:Mfg> and the Model Value for <wwdfdb:Model>.



MBLite: Device ID

Make sure the Device ID is the same for the MBLite as it is for the corresponding AdminWWDevices. The default value is 3001. It can be any number between 3001 and 4000.

MBLite: Ports

Use the Port Details you entered in Appendix A to complete the Ports tables in Appendix C.

Modem Port

<Modemport Primaryport = "[True/False]">

If the Modem Port is the Primary Port (determined by the process on page 10), the value is true (<ModemPort PrimaryPort = "true">). If there is an AT Command Port that is the Primary Port, the value is false (<ModemPort PrimaryPort = "false">).

<Portname>

Copy the device description value in the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A** and paste it here.



<Pnpenum>

In the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A**, the Device Instance Path consists of [PnPEnum]\[PnPID]\[Other Device Data]. For example, if the Device Instance Path is SWMUXBUS\SW_MODEM\8&367376ED&1&6&1 then the PnPEnum is SWMUXBUS (the data before the first backslash). Enter the PnPEnum Value here with proper formatting for XML (& becomes & amp;).

<Pnpid>

In the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A**, the Device Instance Path consists of [PnPEnum]\[PnPID]\[Other Device Data]. For example, if the Device Instance Path is SWMUXBUS\SW_MODEM\8&367376ED&1&6&1 then the PnPID is SW_MODEM (the data between the first and second backslashes). Enter the PnPID Value here with proper formatting for XML (& becomes & amp;).

Sample

The screenshots below show how the device data in **Appendix A** (first screenshot) is transferred to **Appendix C** (second screenshot).

Modem Port	
Detail	Value
COM Port	COM8
Driver Version	2.2.14.0
Device description	Sierra Wireless AirCard 875 HSDPA Modem
Device Instance Path	SWMUXBUS\SW_MODEM\8&367376ED&1&6&1
Hardware Ids	SWMUXBUS\SW_MODEM_6_VID_1199&PID_6820

XML Tag	Description	Value
<pre><modemport primaryport="[true/false]">.</modemport></pre>	Is the Modem Port the Primary Port: true or false?	false
<portname></portname>	Device Description (pg. 23)	Sierra Wireless <u>AirCard</u> 875 HSDPA Modem
<pnpenum></pnpenum>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 23)	SWMUXBUS
<pnpid></pnpid>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 23)	SW_MODEM

Additional Port

<Additionalport Primaryport = "[True/False]">

If there is an AT Command Port (determined by the process on page 10), the value is true (<ModemPort PrimaryPort = "true">). Otherwise, there is no need to list an Additional Port.

<Portname>

Copy the Device description Value in the **Additional Port** table in **Appendix A** and paste it here.



<Pnpenum>

In the **Additional Port** table in **Appendix A**, the Device Instance Path consists of [PnPEnum]\[PnPID]\[Other Device Data]. For example, if the Device Instance Path is SWMUXBUS\SW_SERIAL\8&367376ED&1&1&1 then the PnPEnum is SWMUXBUS (the data before the first backslash). Enter the PnPEnum Value here with proper formatting for XML (& becomes & amp;).

<Pnpid>

In the **Additional Port** table in **Appendix A**, the Device Instance Path consists of [PnPEnum]\[PnPID]\[Other Device Data. For example, if the Device Instance Path is SWMUXBUS\SW_SERIAL\8&367376ED&1&1&1 then the PnPID is SW_SERIAL (the data between the first and second backslashes). Enter the PnPID Value here with proper formatting for XML (& becomes & amp;).

Sample

The screenshots below show how the device data in **Appendix A** (first screenshot) is transferred to **Appendix C** (second screenshot).

Additional Port(s) (if found)	
Detail	Value
COM Port	COM5
Device description	Sierra Wireless AT Command Port (UMTS)
Device Instance Path	SWMUXBUS\SW_SERIAL\8&367376ED&1&1&1
Hardware Ids	SWMUXBUS\SW_SERIAL_1_VID_1199&PID_6820

XML Tag	Description	Value
<pre><additionalport primaryport="[true/false]">.</additionalport></pre>	Is this the Primary Port: true or false?	true
<portname></portname>	Device Description (pg. 23)	Sierra Wireless AT Command Port (UMTS)
<pnpenum></pnpenum>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 23)	SWMUXBUS
<pnpid></pnpid>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 23)	SW_SERIAL

NDIS Port

<Portname>

Copy the Device description Value in the NDIS Port table in Appendix A and paste it here.

<Pnpenum>

In the **NDIS Port** table in **Appendix A**, the Device Instance Path consists of [PnPEnum]\[PnPID]\[Other Device Data]. For example, if the Device Instance Path is SWMUXBUS\SW_NET\8&367376ED&1&0&1 then the PnPEnum is SWMUXBUS (the data before the first backslash). Enter the PnPEnum Value here with proper formatting for XML (& becomes & amp;).



<Pnpid>

In the **NDIS Port** table in **Appendix A**, the Device Instance Path consists of [PnPEnum]\[PnPID]\[Other Device Data]. For example, if the Device Instance Path is SWMUXBUS\SW_NET\8&367376ED&1&0&1 then the PnPID is SW_NET (the data between the first and second backslashes). Enter the PnPID Value here with proper formatting for XML (& becomes & amp;).

Sample

The screenshots below show how the device data in **Appendix A** (first screenshot) is transferred to **Appendix C** (second screenshot).

NDIS Port (if found)	
Value	
6.20.0.7	
Sierra Wireless HSDPA Network Adapter	
SWMUXBUS\SW_NET\8&367376ED&1&0&1	
SWMUXBUS\SW_NET_0_VID_1199&PID_6820	

NDIS Port (if found) Before filling out the table below, review the description on page 15.		
XML Tag	Description	Value
<portname></portname>	Device Description (pg. 23)	Sierra Wireless HSDPA Network Adapter
<pnpenum></pnpenum>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 23)	SWMUXBUS
<pnpid></pnpid>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 23)	SW_NET

MBLite: DeviceInfo

Enter the same data in **Appendix C** as you entered for AdminWWDevices.

MBLite: DeviceSettings

In the table in **Appendix C**, you decide how you would like to configure the settings. In most cases, the default settings included in the iPass templates can be left unchanged.

<Baudrate>

The default is 115200. If you had to enter a different connection speed to access the Primary Port in SerialTerm, then change the Value here to that speed.

<Pnpidshared>

- If you would like any device that shares this device's PnPID, and is fully integrated, to use the full integration, enter true.
- If you would like all devices that share this device's PnPID to use this ODF integration (even if it is fully integrated), enter false.



<Ratmodeenabled>

- If the device is part of one of the five families that support RAT Mode (Option, Novatel, Huawei, Sierra Wireless, or Ericsson), then enter true.
- Otherwise, enter false.

As long as you use the correct template, this should already be the case.

<Radioenabled>

- If the device is embedded, enter true.
- Otherwise, enter false.

<SMSSend>

- If the device supports sending SMS messages, enter true.
- Otherwise, enter false.

<SMSReceive>

- If the device supports receiving SMS messages, enter true.
- Otherwise, enter false.

In any case, both <SMSSend> and <SMSReceive> tags must be present.

A Note On <Deviceflags>

There are four manufacturers that require <DeviceFlags>: Novatel, Huawei, Ericsson, and Vtion. This node will already be filled out if you are using the correct template for that manufacturer. There is also a Device Flag for Plug & Play that only works on iPassConnect (and is therefore not relevant). The Device Flags for these four manufacturers are listed below strictly for illustrative purposes.

Manufacturer	<deviceflags></deviceflags>
Novatel	<deviceflags></deviceflags>
	<flag>1</flag>
	<flag>14</flag>
	<flag>0</flag>
Huawei	<deviceflags></deviceflags>
	<flag>1</flag>
	<flag>0</flag>
Ericsson	<deviceflags></deviceflags>
	<flag>100</flag>
	<flag>0</flag>



Vtion	<deviceflags></deviceflags>
	<flag>1</flag>
	<flag>12</flag>
	<flag>0</flag>

MBLite: DeviceFunctionality (Optional)

The table in **Appendix C** is optional, and in most cases, the default values under DeviceFunctionality in the iPass templates can be left unchanged.

Default Network Name

For devices that only use a single network (such as Verizon or Sprint), the Network Name can be fixed by entering it in DefaultOutput (after NetworkName). Otherwise, this can be left blank.

Use UPPER CASE letters for "VERIZON" and "SPRINT"

Default Network Type

If the device does not support a Family-based GetNetworkType, a default network type can be specified by entering it in DefaultOutput (after GetNetworkType). Otherwise, this can be left blank. Examples include the following:

- GPRS
- EDGE
- UMTS
- HSDPA
- HSUPA
- HSPA
- HSPA+
- DC-HSPA

Save the Files

Adminwwdevices

Save the AdminWWDevices file in iPass\Open Mobile\bin under one or more of the following names:

- For Windows 7, save as AdminWWDevicesWin7.xml
- For Windows Vista, save as AdminWWDevicesVista.xml
- For Windows XP, save as AdminWWDevices.xml

The AdminWWDevices file is only used to test the ODF. You do not upload it to the Open Mobile Portal.

Mblite

When the MBLite file is finished save it in the Open Mobile bin folder (iPass\Open Mobile\bin) as MBLiteGPRS.xml or MBLiteCdma.xml (depending on the technology of the device).



XML Editing

The templates provided by iPass include an admin override file for GPRS (gprs.AdminWWDevices.xml) and CDMA (cdma.AdminWWDevices.xml) and MBLite.xml files for Ericson, Huawei, Novatel, Option, Sierra Wireless, Vtion, ZTE, and generic (all other) families.

Choosing the Right Template

Adminwwdevices

Choose the AdminWWDevices template that corresponds with the technology of the device you are integrating (GPRS or CDMA).

Mblite

In the templates folder provided by iPass, choose the folder for the family of your device (if the family is not included choose the generic folder) and then choose the long or short XML file (based on your audit on page 10) that corresponds to the technology of your device (GPRS or CDMA).

Edit the XML Templates

Edit the AdminWWDevices and MBLite by following the tables in Appendix C. Any fields that are not covered by the tables should be left unchanged.

Verify the XML

Now that both files are saved in your bin folder, you can verify the XML. Open the ODFVerifier.html (located in the Open Mobile\bin folder) with Internet Explorer (do not use Firefox or any other web browser) and allow ActiveX to access your computer. Select the appropriate file from the dropdown menu to verify. If there are any errors in the XML, the verifier will indicates the section that needs to be corrected.

Knowledge Review Questions

- 1. When editing XML, what does the ampersand ("&") become?
- What is before the first and second backslashes in the Device Instance Path? What is the X, and Y in [X]\Y]\[Other Device Data]?
- 3. What value do you use to fill in <PortName>?
- 4. When is the Modem Port not the Primary Port?
- 5. What does it mean if the <PnpIDShared> is true?
- 6. What does it mean if the <RatModeEnabled> is true?
- 7. What does it mean if the <RadioEnabled> is true?
- 8. Where should you save the AdminWWDevices and MBLite files for testing?
- 9. What can you use to verify the XML and where do you find it?



Testing the ODF

Test

To test the integration,

- 1. Open Windows Task Manager, and stop the services iMobility.exe and iPlatform.exe. (Alternatively, you can restart the local system.)
- 2. Ensure that the new Mobile Broadband device is connected to your computer.
- 3. Make sure the device's connection client software is not running.
- 4. Re-launch Open Mobile.
- 5. For Open Mobile client versions 1.3 or earlier, select **Tools | Manage Devices | Mobile Broadband**. For Open Mobile client version 1.4, select **Tools | Mobile Broadband**.
- 6. Verify that the new device is detected and all the fields are populated as expected.
- 7. In Windows Explorer, navigate to the Logs folder
- Window 7 and Windows Vista: C:\ProgramData\NGC\Logs
- Windows XP: C:\Documents and Settings\All Users\Application Data\NGC\Logs
- 8. Open the file MBLite.log file to check for errors.
- 9. If there are no errors shown, you can now attempt to connect to the Mobile Broadband network using the newly integrated Mobile Broadband device.

Additional Tests

Visual Tests

Test	Functional Command	Result (Pass/Fail)
Manufacturer Device Name		
Device Serial Number		
Registered Network Name		
Registered Network Number		
Functioning Signal Indicator		
Roaming Indicator		
SIM Status		



Functional Tests

Ensure the proper functionality of the following by applying the appropriate SIM if required:

Test	Result (Pass/Fail)		
Device Arrival/Departure Detection			
Device information			
Device PIN Management			
Enable Pin (PIN 1)			
Change PIN to PIN 2			
Disable PIN (PIN 2)			
Enable PIN (PIN 2)			
Change PIN to PIN 1			
Disable PIN (PIN 1)			
Network information			
Network Type			
Network Name			
Rate Selection			
2G			
3G			
Network Type Display			
2G			
3G			
Connection to 2G Network			
Connection to 3G Network			

Knowledge Review Questions

- 1. What is the first step you should take before testing the ODF?
- 2. What is the name of the ODF log file and where do you find it?
- 3. What are three things you look for in a visual test?
- 4. What are three things you look for in a functional test?

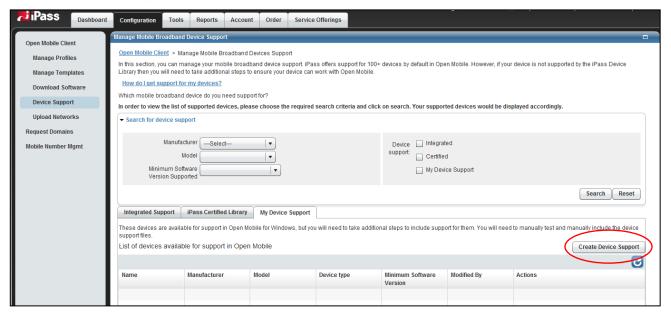


Uploading and Deploying the ODF

Upload the File to the Open Mobile Portal

To upload the file:

- 1. Log in to the Open Mobile Portal.
- 2. Select Configuration | Device Support.
- 3. Select the My Device Support tab and then select the Create Device Support button (circled below).



- 4. Browse to the MBLite file that you edited and upload it.
- 5. Fill out all required fields.
- For **Device Driver**, refer to the **Modem Port** table in **Appendix A**. Copy the value after **Driver Version** and paste it here.
- For **NDIS 6.2 compliant driver**, the default is **No**. If an NDIS Port was found, refer to the **NDIS Port** table in **Appendix A**. If the value after **Driver Version** is 6.2 or higher, then select **Yes**.
- For **Device firmware**, refer to the **Device Details** table in **Appendix B**. Copy the value after **Revision** (**Firmware**) and paste it here.
- 6. Select Save.



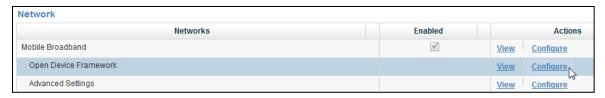
Deploy the ODF

To add the ODF integrated device to a profile:

- 1. Log in to the Open Mobile Portal.
- 2. Select Configuration | Manage Profiles.
- 3. Select Manage next to Profile to which you would like to add the device.
- 4. Next to Networks and Policies, select Configure (circled below).



5. Next to Open Device Framework, select Configure.



6. Select the ODF integrated device you would like to add to the profile.



7. Select Save.

Knowledge Review Questions

- 1. Under what tab do you find the Create Device Support button?
- 2. Where do you find the Device Driver?
- 3. Where do you find out if the NDIS port is 6.2-compliant?
- 4. Where do you find the Device Firmware?
- 5. What is the path you take to add the ODF device to a profile?



Troubleshooting

Support

If you are experiencing difficulties integrating the device and you cannot discover any errors in the XML, make sure you fill out as much information as possible in Appendixes A, B, and C. Attach the completed Appendixes and a copy of your XML template with any support case sent to Technical Support.

Tips

- Produce one device, one definition at a time. The Open Mobile Portal sequences multiple Definitions, Device ID and OS selections together into a Profile.
- Manual Test Sets containing multiple devices must be sequenced by unique Device ID by-hand.
- Multi-technology devices, such as GOBI, require a device definition (3001 & 3002) for each technology (GPRS & CDMA), but only one device can be flagged as InUse in the Admin File, according to the device's current Firmware configuration.
- Any upgrade of the device driver may necessitate a new ODF integration.
- Make sure that the native connection manager is stopped, as it will interfere with Open Mobile.
- Always try to integrate with the most up-to-date drivers.

MBLite.log

The MBLite.log records any errors in the ODF integration process. It is only written when there are errors. The log will be found in the following locations:

Windows 7 and Windows Vista: C:\ProgramData\NGC\Logs

Windows XP: C:\Documents and Settings\All Users\Application Data\NGC\Logs

MBLite.log File Format

Each line logged in MBLite.log file includes the following data:

- Date
- Time
- Thread ID
- Log Level
- Module
- File Name
- Line Number
- Failure Description

A sample log line is shown here.



09/01/2010 18:28:18.624 2380 ERROR MBLiteGPRS MBLiteGPRS.cpp 183 Failed to load database file C:\Program Files\iPass\Open Mobile\MBLiteGPRS.xml.

If the text is long, it may be pushed into the next line.

Because Open Mobile may check the same functionality up to 3 times, a single error may include up to three entries in the log file.

Error Messages

These error messages may be encountered during the integration process.

Macaga	Explanation
Message	Explanation
Failed to load database file C:\Program Files\iPass\Open Mobile\MBLite*.xml.	Check the file's XML. You can verify it using ODFVerifier.html (see page 31), or simply review the XML in a browser or with an XML editor.
Default implementation of functionality " <functionality>" has failed. Please try after including the XML block <functionality> in MBLiteGPRS.xml file. Please refer to the User Guide for more information.</functionality></functionality>	The device is not responding to the standard AT command for that functionality. Copy the failed functionality's entire XML block from the long form MBLiteGPRS.xml and include it within <devicefunctionality> XML node of your ODF template. Now audit the device and use the device manufacturer's list of proprietary AT Commands to find an alternate AT command. Configure the values within <responseheader> and <responseparser> XML blocks for the new AT command.</responseparser></responseheader></devicefunctionality>
AT command <command/> specified in <command1> for functionality <functionality> has failed. Please try an alternate AT command. Please refer to the User Guide for more information.</functionality></command1>	The device is not responding to the standard AT command for that functionality. Copy the failed functionality's entire XML block from the long form MBLiteGPRS.xml and include it within <devicefunctionality> XML node of your ODF template. Now audit the device and use the device manufacturer's list of proprietary AT Commands to find an alternate AT command. Configure the values within <responseheader> and <responseparser> XML blocks for the new AT command.</responseparser></responseheader></devicefunctionality>
In <functionality> XML element for Hardware Serial Number functionality, AT command in <command1> element is missing. Please enter valid info in MBLite*.xml. Please refer to the User Guide for more information.</command1></functionality>	An AT command has not been provided within the AT command node ATCommand for the named functionality. Check if the XML node ATCommand has been included within the Command1 XML block. Also check if a valid AT command has been specified within ATCommand XML node.
In <pre>HwSerialNumber> XML element for Hardware Serial Number functionality, <pre><parse1> XML element under <command1> is either missing or invalid. Please refer to the User Guide for more information.</command1></parse1></pre></pre>	The parsing configuration information for an output item (specified in <parsel>) for <commandl> in functionality <hwserialnumber> has been entered incorrectly (or not specified at all). Valid output parsing information specified under <commandl> of <hwserialnumber> functionality</hwserialnumber></commandl></hwserialnumber></commandl></parsel>



follows:

<ResponseParser>

<Parsel Type="string" Location="0"/>

</ResponseParser>

When copying the entire functionality XML block for an AT Command, make sure that the entire block is copied and nothing is left out. Removing any of the <ParseX> XML nodes would constitute an invalid parse configuration setting.

Response header string "<string>" specified in <Header1> XML node (enclosed within <ResponseHeader> which in turn is enclosed) within <Command1> for functionality <Functionality> was found to be invalid. Please specify a valid response header string. In case you are not sure of the valid response header string for an AT command, <Header1> XML node for an AT command may be left empty in which case, response header if present in the AT command response string will be clipped off by default. Please refer to the User Guide for more information.

An invalid response header string has been specified for an AT command. While specifying an alternate AT command for one of the functionalities, you might have forgotten to update the response header string.

For few of the AT commands, the output response may contain a header string which corresponds to the issued AT command. This response header string must be removed before extracting the required information from the AT command response string. A valid response header string must be added by parsing the required information.

When a response header string mismatch is found, it is reported as an error and results in a functionality failure.

To determine the correct response header string for the AT command, issue the AT command to the device manually using SerialTerm. The response header string is the substring that appears to the left of the colon in the output response string.

- If you are not able to determine the response header string for an AT command, then you can leave the <Header1> XML node empty.
- Not all AT commands may return a response containing a header string associated with it. In such cases, the response header string if specified within <Header1> is simply ignored.

Detection Failure

After your integration is complete, your device may not be detected by Open Mobile. There are a number of reasons why this may be the case.

- Log File: Check the MBLite.log for errors that may be causing detection to fail.
- Full Functionality: When a device is first connected to the computer or it returns from Standby or Sleep mode, it may not be fully functional. A device may take a few moments for full functionality. Any queries for device or network-related information may fail, and these failures are logged in MBLite.log.
- Device Drivers: Confirm that the drivers for the device are installed by exiting from Open Mobile and confirming a successful connection with the native client software.
- Native Connection Client: Make sure the native connection client is closed. Open Mobile will not be able to use the modem port if any native client is running.
- XML Node Values: Incorrect values for XML nodes may cause issues.
- Alternate Primary Port: The device may fail to respond with the standard modem port, in which case an



- alternate AT Command port is to be specified as the primary port by including the < AdditionalPort> XML node. See the Primary Port section on page 19. This behavior is generally observed in GPRS/GSM devices belonging to the Sierra family.
- Baud Rate: The Modem Port or Additional Port may respond only at a particular baud rate. Baud rate in bits per second can be specified in the <BaudRate> XML node in MBLite*.xml. Correct Baud rate for a device can be determined by either the device documentation or trial and error through SerialTerm. See the Primary Port section on page 19.
- HyperTerminal: make sure that HyperTerminal has been closed. Open Mobile cannot communicate with the COM port if HyperTerminal is already connected to the device on that port.
- Restart: make sure you have restarted Open Mobile by exiting the application and then re-launching it.

Resuming from Sleep Mode: In some cases, after resuming from sleep/hibernation, a device that has been ODF integrated with Open Mobile may be incorrectly detected as being fully integrated. Sample ODF files (SampleMBLiteGprs.xml and SampleMBLiteCdma.xml) contain default resume delay of 10 secs. To resolve this, try increasing the resume delay interval in the ODF file to 30 seconds.

Verification Failure

Although the verify*.html files verify the structure of the XML, verification will not determine whether the settings for a given device is correct.

Functionality Failure

When a manufacturer's implementation of an AT command differs from a default AT command, Open Mobile may detect the device, but one or more functionalities may fail. Such failures would be logged and may require additional steps on your part. Refer to the manufacturer's AT command implementation for the specific functionality.

In a few Huawei devices, when incorrect AT commands are issued, instead of logging an error, the string COMMAND NOT SUPPORTED is returned and displayed in Open Mobile.

To resolve functionality failure,

- 1. Using an XML editor, open your ODF template.
- 2. Open the long form MBLite.xml file.
- 3. Copy the entire XML block corresponding to the AT Command functionality that has failed.
- 4. Paste the copied functionality XML block with the <DeviceFunctionality> XML node of your ODF
 template.
- 5. Modify the AT command to match the manufacturer's AT command implementation for the specific functionality.
- 6. Save the file and close it.
- 7. Launch VerifyMBLite*.html to ensure that there are no errors in formatting.
- 8. Start Open Mobile to verify that the functionality works, and check the MBLite.log file for any error messages.



Knowledge Review Questions

- 1. How do you create and ODF integration for a multi-technology device (like GOBI)?
- 2. List three things you may find in the MBLite log file.
- 3. If you see the error message, Failed to load database file C:\Program Files\iPass\Open Mobile\MBLite*.xml. what should you do?
- 4. What are four things that may cause a detection failure?
- 5. How do you resolve a functionality failure for a particular AT command?



Appendix A: Port Details

Please print this Appendix or copy it into a new document so that you can fill it out as you audit the device. When you have finished the ODF integration please send the completed Appendix to your Help Desk or Sales Engineer.

Modem Port

Detail	Value
COM Port	
Driver Version	
Device description	
Device Instance Path	
Hardware Ids	

NDIS Port (If Found)

Detail	Value
Driver Version	
Device description	
Device Instance Path	
Hardware Ids	

Additional Port(S) (If Found)

Detail	Value	
COM Port		
Device description		
Device Instance Path		
Hardware Ids		

Detail	Value
COM Port	
Device description	
Device Instance Path	
Hardware Ids	



Appendix B: Audit Information

Please print this Appendix or copy it into a new document so that you can fill it out as you audit the device. When you have finished the ODF integration please send the completed Appendix to your Help Desk or Sales Engineer.

Device Information

In the following table please include all of the information you can gather from the box and the Mobile Broadband Card.

Attribute	Value
3G Technology	
Brand Name	
Model	
Network (intended for use)	
Any other information:	

Manufacturer and Model

Use the values in the following table to complete the AdminWWDevices XML file.

Detail	AT Command	Value
Manufacturer	AT+GMI	
Model	AT+GMM	

Device Details

Connect to the Primary Port with SerialTerm and enter ATI to fill out the table below. For any Attribute that does not appear, use an alternative AT Command (included in the table) to find the Value.

Attribute	Alternative AT Command	Value
Manufacturer:	AT+GMI AT!UDINFO?	
Model:	AT+GMM	
Revision: (Firmware)	AT+GMR	
IMEI:	AT+CGSN AT+GSN AT!GRELIMEI	
Capabilities:	AT+GCAP	



Audit AT Commands

Use the following tables to determine whether all of the AT Commands work. Choose the appropriate table based on the technology (GPRS or CDMA) and any additional family AT Commands that may apply.

GPRS

Principle AT Commands	ODF Function	Supported True/False
AT+CGATT?	Network Attached	
AT+COPS?	Network Name/Type	
AT+CGSN	Hardware Serial No.	
AT+GSN	Hardware Serial No.	
AT+CREG?	Home or Roaming	
AT+CIMI	Retrieve IMSI	
AT+CGMI	Device Manufacturer	
AT+GMI	Device Manufacturer	
AT+CGMM	Device Model	
AT+GMM	Device Model	
AT+CGMR	Software Revision	
AT+GMR	Software Revision	
AT+CPWD=?	Change PIN	
AT+CLCK=?	Disable PIN	
AT+CPIN?	SIM Operations	
AT+CSQ	Signal Strength	
AT+CSQ?	Signal Strength	

CDMA

Principle AT Commands	ODF Function	Supported True/False
AT+GSN	Hardware Serial No.	
AT+GMI	Device Manufacturer	
AT+GMM	Device Model	
AT+GMR	Software Revision	
AT+CAD?	Network Number	
AT+CSS?	Alt. Network Number	
AT+CSQ	Signal Strength	
AT+CSQ?	Signal Strength	

Additional Novatel Family Commands (GPRS)

Principle AT Commands	ODF Function	Supported True/False
AT\$NWRAT?	RAT Selection	
AT\$CNTI?	Network Type	

Additional Option Family Commands (GPRS)

Principle AT Commands	ODF Function	Supported True/False
AT_OWCTI?	Network Type	
AT_OCTI?	Alt. Network Type	
AT_OPSYS?	RAT Selection	



Additional Huawei Family Commands (GPRS)

Principle AT Commands	ODF Function	Supported True/False
AT^SYSCFG?	RAT Selection	
AT^SYSINFO	Network Type	

Additional Sierra Family Commands (GPRS)

Principle AT Commands	ODF Function	Supported True/False
AT!SELRAT?	RAT Selection	
AT!GETRAT?	CURRENT RAT Mode	

Additional Ericsson Family Commands (GPRS)

, community (0.110)		
Principle AT Commands	ODF Function	Supported True/False
AT*ERINFO?	Network Type	
AT+CFUN=?	RAT Selection	
AT+CFUN?	RAT Selection	

List All Commands

Connect to the Primary Port with SerialTerm and issue List All Command. Try AT+CLAC or AT&V (whichever is
supported) to receive a list of all supported AT Commands and record the information in the box below (either paste
screenshot or enter the result manually).

Appendix C: XML Reference

Please print this Appendix or copy it into a new document so that you can fill it out before you edit the XML files. When you have finished the ODF integration please send the completed Appendix to your Help Desk or Sales Engineer.

XML Format

Before entering any values in the tables in this appendix, make sure that they are formatted for XML. This means that ampersands (&) become "&".

For example: "vid_XXXX&pid_YYYY&mi_ZZ" should be entered as "vid_XXXX&pid_YYYY&mi_ZZ".

AdminWWDevices

Choose the appropriate template based on the technology (GPRS or CDMA).

XML Tag	Description	Value
<pre><wwdfdb:device id="3001"></wwdfdb:device></pre>	Device ID (between 3001 and 4000)	3001
<wwdfdb:mfg></wwdfdb:mfg>	Manufacturer (see pg. 26)	
<wwdfdb:model></wwdfdb:model>	Model (see pg. 26)	

MBLite: Device ID

XML Tag	Description	Value
<pre><device id="3001"></device></pre>	Device ID (between 3001 and 4000)	3001

MBLite: Ports

Modem Port

Before filling out the table below, review the description on page 13.

XML Tag	Description	Value
<modemport primaryport="[true/false]">.</modemport>	Is the Modem Port the Primary Port: true or false?	
<portname></portname>	Device Description (pg. 25)	
<pnpenum></pnpenum>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 25)	
<pnpid></pnpid>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 25)	



Additional Port (AT Command Port, If Found)

Before filling out the table below, review the description on page 14.

XML Tag	Description	Value
<pre><additionalport primaryport="[true/false]">.</additionalport></pre>	Is this the Primary Port: true or false?	
<portname></portname>	Device Description (pg. 25)	
<pnpenum></pnpenum>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 25)	
<pnpid></pnpid>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 25)	

NDIS Port (If Found)

Before filling out the table below, review the description on page 15.

XML Tag	Description	Value
<portname></portname>	Device Description (pg. 25)	
<pnpenum></pnpenum>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 25)	
<pnpid></pnpid>	From the Device Instance Path (pg. 25)	

MBLite: DeviceInfo

Enter the same data here as you entered for AdminWWDevices.

XML Tag	Description	Value
<manufacturer></manufacturer>	Manufacturer (see pg. 26)	
<model></model>	Model (see pg. 26)	



MBLite: DeviceSettings

See the description of page 16 before proceeding. In this table, decide how you would like to configure the settings. In most cases, the default settings included in the iPass templates can be left unchanged.

XML Tag	Description	Value
<baudrate></baudrate>	Connection Speed	115200
<pnpidshared></pnpidshared>	True or False. Should devices with this PnPID use this ODF integration only if there is not a Full integration available?	
<ratmodeenabled></ratmodeenabled>	True or False. Is the device part of the five families that support RAT Mode (Option, Novatel, Huawei, Sierra, or Ericsson)?	
<radioenabled></radioenabled>	True or False. Is the device embedded?	
<smssend> and <smsreceive></smsreceive></smssend>	True or False. Is SMS messaging enabled?	

MBLite: DeviceFunctionality (Optional)

See the description on page 17 before proceeding. In most cases, the default values under DeviceFunctionality included in the iPass templates can be left unchanged.

XML Tag	Description	Value
<pre><networkname> <defaultoutput></defaultoutput></networkname></pre>	Fix the Network name to a single value (or leave blank).	
<getnetworktype> <defaultoutput></defaultoutput></getnetworktype>	Fix the Network Type to a single value (or leave blank).	

AT Commands (Optional)

Principal Commands	ODF Function	Replacement AT Command



Appendix D: AT Commands

In rare cases, you may have to use an alternate AT command in your ODF template. While auditing the device with SerialTerm, you will be able to identify where an alternate AT command is necessary. Use the proprietary AT command documentation for that device's manufacturer to find a replacement AT command, and then test it in SerialTerm. When you have found the replacement AT command, use the long.MBLite*.xml file to find the block for any AT commands that need replacing. Copy the entire block and paste it into your ODF template. Then replace the old AT command with the functioning AT command. Below is an explanation of the AT command blocks found in the long.MBLite*.xml file.

Functionalities Used in ODF Integration

The following sections explain the functionalities listed in the long MBLiteGPRS.xml file.

Note On <Timeout>

The <Timeout> XML node is included for few of the AT commands. It indicates the maximum duration for which Open Mobile waits for the AT command response to arrive from the Mobile Broadband device. The time taken to get the response from the device may vary with each device.

The time taken by a few of the AT commands (especially commands that query for network-related information) may vary, and the default timeout value may not be sufficient. This AT command failure will be logged in the MBLite.log and Xda.log file as a functionality failure. In this case, a larger timeout value should be specified (in milliseconds) for a particular AT command within the <Timeout> XML node.

Hardware Serial Number

This functionality is used to get the device hardware serial number.

Example

Command Issued

AT+CGSN

Response Received

354535020076797, RE2989R1D8 (resultant response obtained)



If present in the output response string, the header string is removed. The <Parse1> XML node is configured to extract the 0th item (items are separated by a comma) in the output response string. The extracted item is the string corresponding to the device Hardware serial number.

Network Abbreviated Name

This functionality is used to get the registered network's abbreviated name.

Example

```
<NetworkAbbreviatedName>
      <Command1>
            <ATCommand>AT+COPS=3,1</ATCommand>
      </Command1>
      <Command2>
            <ATCommand>AT+COPS?</ATCommand>
            <Timeout>20000</Timeout>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1>+COPS</Header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <!- Response is zero-based indexed -->
                  <Parse1 Type="int" Location="1" ExpectedResponse="1" />
                  <Parse2 Type="string" Location="2" />
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command2>
</NetworkAbbreviatedName>
```

Command Issued

AT+COPS=3,1

Response Received

OK

Command Issued

AT+COPS?

Response Received

```
+COPS: 0,1,"SPICE",0
```

Description

<Command1> is used to set an abbreviated output format.

```
AT+COPS=<mode>,<format>
```

<mode> = 3, specifies that output format is being configured or set.

```
<format> = 1, output format is set to short alphanumeric.
```

<Command2> will return the network information in the abbreviated format as this format was configured in
<Command1>.

AT+COPS?



<Parse1> is configured to extract the second integer item from the output response string. This item identifies the format
of the displayed output. When this value matches the value specified in the 'ExpectedResponse' attribute (which is the
same as the <format> specified in <Command1>), the output is in the short alphanumeric format. <Parse2> is configured to
parse the third item, which is a string of the abbreviated network name.

Network Name

This functionality is used to get the registered network's name.

Example

```
<NetworkName>
      <Command1>
            <ATCommand>AT+COPS=3,0</ATCommand>
      </Command1>
      <Command2>
            <ATCommand>AT+COPS?</ATCommand>
            <Timeout>20000</Timeout>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1>+COPS</Header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <Parse1 Type="int" Location="1" ExpectedResponse="0" />
                  <Parse2 Type="string" Location="2" />
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command2>
      <DefaultOutput></DefaultOutput>
</NetworkName>
```

Command Issued

AT+COPS=3,0

Response Received

Οŀ

Command Issued

AT+COPS?

Response Received

```
+COPS: 0,0, "Spice Telecom", 0
```

Description

<Command1> is used to set the output format to long alphanumeric.

```
AT+COPS=<mode>, <format>
```

<mode> = 3 and specifies that output format is being configured or set.

```
<format> = 0, output format is set to long alphanumeric.
```

< Command2 > is will return the network information in the long format as this format was configured in < Command1 > .

AT+COPS?



<Parse1> is configured to extract the second integer item from the output response string. This item identifies the format
of the output. When this value matches the value specified in the 'ExpectedResponse' attribute (same as the <format>
specified in <Command1>), the output is the long alphanumeric format. <Parse2> is configured to parse the third item,
which is a string of the network name in long format.

If a device fails to respond to the standard AT command used to query for network name (and if no alternate AT commands are known), then a string may be specified in the <DefaultOutput> node. The specified string will be considered the current network name.

Network Number

This functionality is used to get the registered network number.

Example

```
<NetworkNumber>
         <Command1>
                <ATCommand>AT+COPS=3,2</ATCommand>
         </Command1>
         <Command2>
                <ATCommand>AT+COPS?</ATCommand>
                <Timeout>20000</Timeout>
                <ResponseHeader>
                      <Header1>+COPS</Header1>
                </ResponseHeader>
                <ResponseParser>
                    Response is zero-based indexed -->
                      <Parsel Type="int" Location="1" ExpectedResponse="2" />
                      <Parse2 Type="string" Location="2" />
                </ResponseParser>
         </Command2>
   </NetworkNumber>
```

Command Issued

AT+COPS=3,2

Response Received

OK

Command Issued

AT+COPS?

Response Received

```
+COPS: 0,2,"40444",0
```

Description

<Command1> sets the output network information to numeric format.

```
AT+COPS=<mode>,<format>
```

<mode> = 3 and specifies that output format is being configured/set.

<format> = 2, output format set to numeric.



<Command2> will return the network information in the numeric format as this format was configured in <Command1>.

AT+COPS?

<Parse1> is configured to extract the second integer item from the output response string. This item identifies the format
of the displayed output. When this value matches the value specified in the 'ExpectedResponse' attribute (the same as
the <format> specified in <Command1>), the output obtained is in the numeric format. <Parse2> is configured to parse the
third item, which is a string of the network number.

Roaming Status

This functionality is used to determine if the registered network is a home network or a roaming network.

Example

Command Issued

AT+CREG?

Response Received

+CREG: 0,1

Details

<Command1> is used to determine if the registered network is a roaming network.

When registered with a roaming network, the second item always has a value of 5. This value signifies that the registration to a roaming network is specified for the 'ExpectedResponse' attribute in <Parsel>. <Parsel> is configured to extract the second item from the output response string (after clipping the +CREG: header if any). If the extracted item's value matches the value of the 'ExpectedResponse' attribute, then the current registered network is a roaming network. If the values are not the same, then it can be concluded that the currently registered network is a home network.

Signal Level

This functionality is used to get the signal strength of the network to which the device is currently registered.



Command Issued

AT+CSQ

Response Received

+CSQ: 31,99

Details

<Command1> returns the received signal strength indication (RSSI) and channel bit error rate from the Mobile Broadband Device. The first item corresponds to the RSSI on a scale of 31. The scaling factor value is assigned to 'ExpectedResponse' in the <Parse1> node. The second item corresponds to the Signal Level and is calculated on a scale of 100.

If a device fails to respond to the signal strength querying AT command (and no alternate AT command is available), then a default signal strength value may be specified in the <DefaultOutput> node. If the Signal Level is incorrectly configured, the signal strength will typically be shown as '0'.

Subscriber Identity

This functionality is used to get the IMSI number.

Example

Command Issued

AT+CIMI

Response Received

404862434037629

Description

<Command1> returns the International Mobile Subscriber Identity that uniquely identifies a SIM.



Network Attached

This functionality is used to determine if the device is attached to a GPRS or packet domain service.

Example

Command Issued

AT+CGATT?

Response Received

+CGATT: 1

Description

<Command1> is issued to determine if the Mobile Broadband device is attached to the GPRS or packet domain service.
After clipping the response header, the 0th item contains the required attached or detached information. The extracted item value of '1' indicates that it is attached to the GPRS or packet domain service and a '0' indicates that it is not.

When the extracted item's value matches with that of the value specified for 'ExpectedResponse' attribute within <Parsel>, it signifies that the device is currently not attached to an GPRS or packet domain service. In this example above, it does not match, so the device is attached to the network's GPRS or packet domain service.

Setting Network Mode

This functionality is used when the user performs an automatic, manual, or preferred network type selection from Open Mobile user interface.



Command Issued

When a Hutch network (N/W number 40486) is to be manually selected, the resultant AT command issued to the device follows:

```
AT+COPS=1,2,"40486"
```

Description

<Command1>, <Command2> and <Command3> for functionality <SettingNetworkMode> perform operator selection
operations.

The AT command specified within <Command1> is used to select an operator automatically. The AT command specified within <Command2> and <Command3> are for the format

```
AT+COPS=<mode>, <format>, "Network Operator".
```

In <Command2>, the <mode> is set to 1 signifying that a network is manually selected. The <format> is set to 2, indicating that the manually selected network information is specified in numeric format (%s in <Command2> and <Command3> will be replaced with the manually selected network's network number).

In <Command3>, the <mode> is set to 4, which indicates that if manual selection fails, automatic mode is entered. The <format> is set to 2, which implies that the network has to be manually selected and will be replaced by %s within the AT command, specifying numeric format.

AT commands specified within <Command1> and <Command2> are used to switch between automatic and manually selected network modes respectively. AT command specified within <Command3> is currently reserved and is never executed.

Device Manufacturer

This functionality is used to get the device manufacturer.

Example 1

Description

<Command1> is queries for the device manufacturer information.

An alternate AT command set used with GPRS devices is given below.



</Command1>

Device Model

This functionality is used to get the device model.

Example 1

Description

<Command1> is queries for the device's model information.

An alternate AT command set for GPRS devices is given below.

Example 2

Software Version

This functionality is used to get the device's software version information.

Example 1

Description

<Command1> queries for the software version information.

An alternate AT command set for GPRS devices is given below.



```
</ResponseHeader>
</Command1>
```

Query Available Networks

This functionality returns the list of available Mobile Broadband networks.

Example

```
<QueryAvailableNetworks>
      <Command1>
            <ATCommand>AT+CREG?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1>+CREG:</header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
            <!- Response is zero-based indexed -->
                  <Parse1 Type="int" Location="1" ExpectedResponse="0" />
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command1>
      <Command2>
            <ATCommand>AT+COPS=?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <!- Response is zero-based indexed -->
                  <Parse1 Type="int" Location="0" />
                  <Parse2 Type="string" Location="1" />
                  <Parse3 Type="string" Location="2" />
                  <Parse4 Type="string" Location="3" />
            </ResponseParser>
     b</Command2>
      <Command3>
            <ATCommand>AT+COPS=3,2</ATCommand>
      </Command3>
      <Command4>
            <ATCommand>AT+COPS?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1>+COPS</Header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <Parse1 Type="int" Location="1" ExpectedResponse="2" />
                  <Parse2 Type="string" Location="2" />
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command4>
</QueryAvailableNetworks>
```

Command Issued

AT+COPS=?

Response Received

```
+COPS: (2,"VODAFONE","VF@","40486",0),(3,"","","405034",0),(1,"AirTel","AirTel","40445",0),(3,"INA SPICE","SPICE","40444",0),(3,"CellOne","CellOne","40471",0),(3,"","","40510",0),,(0,1,2,3,4),(0,1,2)
```



QueryAvailableNetworks functionality returns the list of available Mobile Broadband networks.

The AT command 'AT+COPS=?' specified within <Command2> returns the list of available Mobile Broadband networks. As observed in the example above, each operator's network information is enclosed in parentheses. One operator's network information set (such as: 2,"VODAFONE","VF@","40486",0) is considered at a time. Through the <Parse1> configuration in <Command2>, the 0th item (integer type) is extracted and this item contains the network status information. If a network status is found to be forbidden, then that network is not considered at all.

AT commands specified in <Command3> and <Command4> are executed only when the currently registered network is not included in the list of available networks. In such a case, the currently registered network information is queried using the command specified in <Command3> and <Command4> and the required information is extracted (from the output response). This network (with the extracted information) is added to the available networks list.

AT command specified in <Command1> is executed only for devices for which the flag value of '1' is included.

AT command specified within <Command1> is used to determine if the device is registered to a network or not and this check is performed before the query for available networks is carried out. When not registered, the registration check is performed periodically, until the device registers to a Mobile Broadband network, or until the 30-second timeout elapses, whichever occurs first.

AT Commands for the SIM Card

SIM Status

This functionality returns the current SIM status.

Example

Command Issued

AT+CPIN?



Response Received

```
+CPIN: SIM PIN (Response when the SIM is PIN Locked)
```

Description

This functionality determines the device's SIM status.

The AT command 'AT+CPIN?' specified within <ATCommand> node returns the SIM status. After clipping the header string from the output response string, the output response string is compared with the pre-determined header strings (as explained below) to determine the SIM status.

If the string specified in <Header2> ('PIN2') is not a subset of the output response string and string specified in <Header3> ('PIN') is a subset of the output response string, the current SIM status is PIN Locked.

If the strings specified in <Header4> ('PUK2') or in <Header5> ('PUK') appear as substrings in the output response string, the SIM status is PUK Locked.

If the strings specified in <Header6> ('READY') or in <Header2> ('PIN2') appear as substrings in the output response string, the SIM status is in the Ready state (it is not in the SIM Locked or PUK Locked state).

Change SIM PIN

This functionality is used to change the PIN of the device's SIM.

Example

Command Issued

```
AT+CPWD="SC","0000","1111" (0000 is the current SIM PIN and 1111 is the newly assigned SIM PIN)
```

Response Received

OK

Description

The <Command1> assigns a new PIN to the device's SIM. In the AT command 'AT+CPWD="SC", "%s", "%s", the first placeholder '%s' gets replaced with the current PIN and the last '%s' gets replaced with the newly assigned PIN as illustrated in the example above.

Once configured successfully, the new PIN will be required to unlock the SIM.

Disable SIM PIN

This functionality disables the PIN for the device's SIM.



```
</DisableSIMPin>
```

Command Issued

```
AT+CLCK="SC", 0, "1111" ('1111' is the current SIM PIN)
```

Response Received

OK

Description

The <Command1> disables the PIN. Once disabled, the device's SIM will no longer prompt for a PIN.

The "SC" in the AT command (1st item) signifies that a PIN Lock related operation is being performed. A value of '0' specified in the second item signifies that the SIM PIN Lock facility is to be disabled. The current PIN replaces the placeholder identified by '%s' above.

Enable SIM PIN

This functionality enables a PIN for the device's SIM.

Example

Command Issued

```
AT+CLCK="SC", 1, "1111"
```

Response Received

OK

Description

The <Command1> enables a PIN for the device's SIM. The "SC" in the AT command (1st item) signifies that a PIN Lock related operation is being performed. A value of '1' in the second item signifies that the PIN Lock for the SIM is enabled. The placeholder string '%s' is replaced by the PIN.

SIM Lock Status

This functionality determines whether or not the PIN Lock is enabled.



Command Issued

AT+CLCK="SC", 2, "1111"

Response Received

+CLCK: 0

Command Issued

AT+CLCK="SC", 2

Response Received

+CLCK: 1

Description

In this functionality, <Command1> and <Command2> determine if the PIN Lock is enabled or disabled.

The "SC signifies that a SIM Lock related operation is being performed. A value of '2' signifies that the SIM Lock status is being queried.

When the device's SIM is not PIN Locked, <Command1> will be executed, and when the device's SIM is PIN Locked, <Command2> will be executed.

A response value of '1' indicates that the PIN Lock is enabled and '0' indicates that PIN Lock is disabled.

SIM Unlock

This functionality unlocks a locked SIM.

Example

Response Received

AT+CPIN="1111"

Description

<Command1> unlocks the SIM. The PIN is replaced with the placeholder "%s" in the AT command above.

SIM PUK Unlock

This functionality unlocks a PUK-locked SIM.



Example

Response Received

```
AT+CPIN="84129909","1111" (PUK code and the new SIM PIN specified)
```

Description

<Command1> is called when the SIM is PUK Locked. A PIN enabled SIM enters a PUK Locked state when three consecutive attempts are made to unlock an SIM with an incorrect PIN. The PUK code (an 8-digit number) is required to unlock the SIM device, and this code may be provided by the operator.

In the AT command 'AT+CPIN="%s", "%s", the first placeholder %s gets replaced with the actual 8-digit PUK code and the next placeholder %s gets replaced with the newly specified PIN.

SetRat Mode Functionality

SetRatMode is called when a Radio Access Technology (RAT) type is selected. The options available in Open Mobile are: Automatic, 3G, and 2G. When Automatic is specified, the best available Radio Access Technology is selected.

As there are no generic AT commands for RAT mode selection operation, family-specific AT commands are used. RAT Mode is currently supported for devices belonging to "Option", "Novatel", "Huawei", "Ericsson" and "Sierra" family only.

For a new device, the <SetRatMode> functionality may fail because the device no longer supports the AT command (and the current AT command should be used in its place).

The SetRatMode functionality applicable for the selected device family is listed below.

Option Family Of Devices

This XML block included for SetRatMode functionality for devices belonging to Option family only.

```
<SetRatMode Family="Option">
      <Command1>
            <!--for automatic mode select-->
                  ATCommand>AT OPSYS=5,4</ATCommand>
      </Command1>
      <Command2>
            <!--to set mode to 3G mode only-->
            <ATCommand>AT OPSYS=1,4</ATCommand>
      </Command2>
      <Command3>
            <!--to set to 2G mode only-->
            <ATCommand>AT OPSYS=0,4</ATCommand>
      </Command3>
      <Command4>
            <!--for no change in mode-->
            <ATCommand>AT OPSYS=4,4</ATCommand>
      </Command4>
```



```
</SetRatMode>
```

The AT command specified within <Command1>, <Command2>, and <Command3> are used to select Automatic, 3G, and 2G respectively. The AT command in <Command4> does not change the technology type. This option is reserved and is not currently available in Open Mobile.

The AT command format is as follows: AT_OPSYS=<mode>, <domain>

Where the value assigned to <mode> determines the technology type selected:

```
5 for auto1 for 3G mode0 for 2G mode4 for no change in mode
```

Huawei Family of Devices

This XML block is for Huawei family only.

Example

```
<SetRatMode Family="Huawei">
      <Command1>
            <!-- for automatic mode select -->
            <ATCommand>AT^SYSCFG=2,3,4F80380,2,4</ATCommand>
      </Command1>
      <Command2>
            <!-- to set mode to 3G mode only -->
            <ATCommand>AT^SYSCFG=14,3,4F80380,2,4</ATCommand>
      </Command2>
      <Command3>
            <!-- to set to 2G mode only -->
            <ATCommand>AT^SYSCFG=13,3,4F80380,2,4</ATCommand>
      </Command3>
      <Command4>
            <!-- for no change in mode -->
            <ATCommand>AT^SYSCFG=16,3,4F80380,2,4</ATCommand>
      </Command4>
</SetRatMode>
```

Description

The AT command specified within <Command1>, <Command2>, and <Command3> are used to select Automatic, 3G, and 2G respectively. The AT command in <Command4> does not change the technology type. This option is reserved and is not currently available in Open Mobile.

AT command format is as follows: AT^SYSCFG=<mode>,<acqorder>,<band>,<roam>,<srvdomain>

Where the value assigned to <mode> determines the technology type selected:

```
2 for auto
14 for 3G mode
13 for 2G mode
```



16 for no change in mode

Sierra Family of Devices

This XML block is for Sierra family only.

Example

Description

The AT command specified within <Command1>, <Command2>, and <Command3> are used to select Automatic, 3G, and 2G respectively.

AT command format is as follows: AT!SELRAT=<mode>

Where the value assigned to <mode> determines the technology type selected:

- 0 for auto
- 1 for 3G mode
- 2 for 2G mode

Ericsson Family of Devices

This XML block is for Ericsson family only.



The AT command specified within <Command1>, <Command2>, and <Command3> are used to select Automatic, 3G, and 2G respectively.

AT command format is as follows: AT+CFUN= <fun>

Where the value assigned to <fun> determines the technology type selected:

- 1 for auto
- 6 for 3G mode
- 5 for 2G mode

Novatel Family of Devices

This XML block is for Novatel family only.

Example

```
<SetRatMode Family="Novatel">
      <Command1>
            <!-find current -->
            <ATCommand>AT$NWRAT?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1>$NWRAT:
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <!-- item corresponds to mode -->
                  <Parsel Type="int" Location="0" />
                  <!-- item corresponds to domain -->
                  <Parse2 Type="int" Location="1" />
                  <!-- item corresponds to state -->
                  <Parse3 Type="int" Location="2" />
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command1>
      <Command2>
      <!- %i below will be replaced by current domain got by Command1 above
      <!-- for automatic mode select -->
            <ATCommand>AT$NWRAT=0,%i</ATCommand>
      </Command2>
      <Command3>
      <!-- to set mode to 3G mode only -->
            <ATCommand>AT$NWRAT=2,%i</ATCommand>
      </Command3>
      <Command4>
      <!-- to set to 2G mode only -->
            <ATCommand>AT$NWRAT=1,%i</ATCommand>
      </Command4>
</SetRatMode>
```

Description

<Command1> determines the current mode, domain, and state. The current domain has to be specified when selecting a technology type, and in the above AT commands, the placeholder '%i' gets replaced with the current domain from <Command1>.



The AT commands specified in <Command2>, <Command3>, and <Command4> select Automatic, 3G, and 2G respectively.

The AT command format is as follows: AT\$NWRAT=<mode>,<domain>

The value assigned to <mode> determines the technology type selected:

- 0 for auto
- 2 for 3G mode
- 1 for 2G mode

Get Network Type Functionality

This functionality determines the network type. As there are no generic AT commands to determine the currently registered network's type, family-specific AT commands are used.

GetNetworkType functionality is currently supported for devices belonging to the Option, Novatel, Huawei, and Ericsson families only.

For a new device, <GetNetworkType> functionality may fail because the device no longer supports old AT commands (and the current AT command should be used in its place). If any of the AT command fails, then the default GPRS network type is considered and returned by this functionality and the same will be displayed in Open Mobile.

For devices with no available commands to query for the current network type, the default network type of GPRS is used. The default GPRS can be overridden by specifying a network type. When a Network Type is specified within <DefaultOutput>, the specified Network Type is always considered. In such a scenario, AT command implementation of the GetNetworkType functionality is simply ignored.

Valid network types that can be specified in the <DefaultOutput> for GSM/GPRS devices are: GPRS, EDGE, UMTS, HSDPA, HSDPA, or HSPA.

Example1

In Example 1, UMTS is returned and displayed in Open Mobile as the current network type.

GetNetworkType functionality applicable for the selected device family is listed below.

Novatel Family of Devices

This XML block for devices belonging to Novatel family only.



The above mentioned AT command is issued to the device and the response that is obtained is clipped of its header string if any. The second item from the left (items are separated by 'comma') in the output response string is extracted as configured in <Parse1>. This extracted item is a string that corresponds to the current network type and is translated to an equivalent value that is understood by the Mobile Broadband module.

Option Family of Devices

This XML block is for devices belonging to Option family only.

```
<GetNetworkType Family="Option">
      <Command1>
            <ATCommand>AT+COPS?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1>+COPS:</Header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <Parsel Type="int" Location="3"/>
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command1>
      <Command2>
            <ATCommand>AT OCTI?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1> OCTI:</Header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <!-- Response is zero-based indexed-->
                  <Parse1 Type="int" Location="0"/>
                  <Parse2 Type="int" Location="1"/>
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command2>
      <Command3>
            <ATCommand>AT+CGATT?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1>+CGATT</Header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <Parse1 Type="int" Location="0" ExpectedResponse="0"/>
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command3>
      <Command4>
            <ATCommand>AT OWCTI?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1> OWCTI:</Header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
```



When the AT command in <Command1> is issued, the fourth item in the output response string corresponds to the current technology type (integer type) and is extracted through the <Parse1> configuration within <Command1>.

If the extracted item (as illustrated above) contains a value of '0' or '1', then it signifies that the current network is a 2G network, and the AT command specified within <Command2> is executed to determine the 2G network type. The 2nd item in the output response string corresponds to the 2G Network Type and the <Parse2> node is configured to extract it. If a valid 2G network type is still not determined from <Command2>, a check is made to confirm that the device is registered to a network, and if so, GPRS is returned as the current network type. The AT command information for the same is specified within <Command3>.

However, if the value of the extracted item in <Command1> is '2', then it indicates that the current network is a 3G network. <Command4> is issued to determine the 3G Network Type. Here the 1st item in the output response string corresponds to the 3G Network Type and the <Parse1> node is configured to extract the same.

Huawei Family of Devices

This XML block is for Huawei family only.

Example

Description

The above mentioned AT command is issued to the device and the response that is obtained is removed of its header string if any. The seventh item from the left (items are separated by 'comma') in the output response string is extracted as configured in the Parse1> node above. This extracted item is an integer corresponding to the current network type, and it is translated to an equivalent value that is understood by the Mobile Broadband module.

Ericsson Family Of Devices

This XML block is to for Ericsson family only.

Example

<GetNetworkType Family="Ericsson">



The AT command is issued to the device, and the response is clipped of its header string, if any. The second and the third item from the left (items are separated by a 'comma') in the output response string are extracted as configured in <Parse1> and <Parse2> nodes respectively. These extracted items are integer types. If second item contain a non-zero value, the current network supports 2G network and this item contains the 2G network type. If the third item contains a non-zero value, the current network supports 3G network and this item contains the 3G network type. Only when the value of the third extracted item is 0 is the second item considered.

CDMA

The AT commands for a few of the functionalities are the same for both CDMA and GPRS devices, and they are listed and explained below.

Hardware Serial Number

This functionality queries the hardware serial number.

Example

Command Issued

AT+GSN

Response Received

+GSN: F559151A



The header string is removed. The <Parse1> node is configured to extract the 0th item (items are separated by comma) in the output response string. The extracted item is the string corresponding to the device Hardware serial number.

Network Name

This functionality queries the current network name.

Example 1

Description

Since there is no AT command to query for the network name on CDMA devices, a white space is returned by default. However, the user may specify any string within the <DefaultOutput> node for this functionality, and the specified string will be considered as the network name.

Example 2

Response Received

'iPass' will appear as the network name in the Open Mobile user interface.

Network Type

This functionality queries the current network type.

Example

Description

Since there is no AT command to query for the network type on CDMA devices, 1XRTT is returned as the default network type. However, the user may specify a valid CDMA network type within the CDEFaultOutput node for, and the specified values will be considered as the current network type.

Valid network type that can be specified within <DefaultOutput> node for CDMA devices are 1XRTT or EVDO.

Network Number

This functionality queries the currently registered network number.



```
</ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <!-- Response is zero-based indexed-->
                  <Parsel Type="string" Location="1"/>
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command1>
      <Command2>
            <ATCommand>AT+CSS?</ATCommand>
            <ResponseHeader>
                  <Header1>+CSS</Header1>
            </ResponseHeader>
            <ResponseParser>
                  <!-- Response is zero-based indexed-->
                  <Parsel Type="string" Location="2"/>
            </ResponseParser>
      </Command2>
</NetworkNumber>
```

Command Issued

AT+CAD?

Response Received

+CAD: $1 \text{ (Response does not contain } 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ item hence issue } 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ AT command)}$ OK

Command Issued

AT+CSS?

Response Received

+CSS: ?, 14655

Description

The AT command specified in <Command1> is issued first. If the output response string contains the string specified in <Header1>, the same is removed. If the output response contains two items (items separated by comma), then the second item in the output response is extracted and returned as current network number. Otherwise the AT command in the <Command2> is issued to the device. The last item in the output response string is extracted and returned as current network number.

For specific devices where device flag '28' is included, the third item in the output response string is extracted and returned as network number. <Parse1> within <Command2> is configured for this extraction.

Signal Level

This functionality queries the signal strength of the network to which the device is currently registered.



Command Issued

AT+CSQ?

Response Received

+CSQ: 30, 99

Description

The AT command returns the received signal strength indication (RSSI) and channel bit error rate from the Mobile Broadband device. The first item corresponds to the RSSI, which is the network signal level and is on a scale of 31.

The scaling factor value is assigned to 'ExpectedResponse' in the <Parse1> node.

Signal level is calculated on a scale of 100 by taking into consideration the actual signal level received by the AT command and the signal level scaling factor.

If a device fails to respond to the signal strength querying AT command, and no alternate AT command is available, then a default signal strength value may be specified within cpefaultOutput> node.

Network Attached

This functionality determines whether or not the device is attached to a valid CDMA Network.

Example

Command Issued

AT+CAD?

Response Received

+CAD: 1



<Command1> is issued to determine whether or not the CDMA digital service is available. After clipping the response header, the 0th item (the only item) contains the required information. If the extracted item contains a value of '1', it indicates that CDMA Digital service is available for the current network. When the extracted item's value matches the value specified for 'ExpectedResponse' attribute in <Parse1> (meaning that CDMA Digital service is available), it implies that the device is attached to the network.

Device Manufacturer

This functionality queries the device manufacturer information, similarly to the <Manufacturer> functionality specified for GPRS devices.

Example

<Command1> queries for the device manufacturer information.

Device Model

This functionality queries the device model, similarly to the <Model> functionality specified for GPRS devices.

Example

<Command1> queries for the device model information.

Software Version

This functionality queries the device's software revision information, similarly to the <SwVersion> functionality specified for GPRS devices.



</SwVersion>

<Command1> is queries for the software revision information.



Appendix E: SMS Configuration

In Open Mobile 2.2 and later clients, SMS (Simple Messaging Service) functionality is supported in ODF for GPRS devices.

By default, Open Mobile already includes the standard AT commands to send, receive, and delete SMS messages for a wide variety of SMS-capable devices. As a result, for SMS-enabled devices that respond to standard AT commands, no additional configuration is required to configure SMS in ODF integration.

However, for devices that require device-specific AT commands, the configuration procedure described here will be necessary to enable SMS functionality.

Before Configuring SMS

- Before configuring SMS for a device, take a moment to determine that the target device in fact supports SMS. Use the AT command AT+CSMS. If the response received is TRUE, then SMS is configurable for the device.
- For enabling the SMS feature in ODF integration, you must configure one additional port besides the modem port, and set that additional port as the primary port.

SMS will not be supported for ODF integrated devices if there are no additional ports (other than the modem port) which respond to AT commands. In such cases, <SMSSend> and <SMSReceive> should be set to false.

Configuration Procedure

In order to enable SMS functionality in devices that require device-specific AT commands, you will need to configure MBliteGprs.xml. You will add an XML block to this file that corresponds to each of the device's AT commands. In addition, there are three SMS operations to configure for each AT command: SMS send, SMS receive, and SMS delete.

The configuration procedure is as follows:

- 1. Consult the device's AT command documentation, and determine and note the specific commands required for the device.
- 2. Launch your XML editor, and open MBLiteGprs.xml. In the <DeviceFunctionality> XML, create an XML block for the Send SMS operation using the <SendSms> tag.
- 3. In the new <SendSms> block, create a new XML block for each separate AT command, using the tag <CommandN>, where N is a sequential number beginning with 1 (that is, <Command1>, <Command2>, and so on). The proper XML tags for each AT command are shown on page 76.
 - 3. Repeat Steps 2 and 3 for the <ReadSms> and <DeleteSms> blocks.

Sample SendSms XML

A complete block of XML for <SendSms>, describing three different AT commands, is shown here.



```
<DeviceFunctionality>
           <SendSms>
            <Command1>
                       <ATCommand Parameter="No" CheckForCancelDeviceQuery="No" >AT+CMGF=?</ATCommand>
                       <DelayTime>100</DelayTime>
                      <ResponseHeader>
                                   <Header1>+CMGF</Header1>
                       </ResponseHeader>
                       <ResponseParser>
                                   <Parse1 Type="int" Location="0" ExpectedResponse="0" VarName="0%SendSMS"/>
            </Command1>
            <Command2>
                       < ATCommand \ Parameter = "Yes" \ CheckForCancelDeviceQuery = "No" \ > AT+CMGF = @ SendSMS < /ATCommand > AT+CMGF = O SendSMS < AT+
                       <DelayTime>100</DelayTime>
            </Command2>
                       <ATCommand Parameter="Yes" CheckForCancelDeviceQuery="Yes">AT+CMGS=@$PduLen</ATCommand>
                       <DelayTime>15</DelayTime>
                      <ResponseHeader>
                              <Header1>+CGSN</Header1>
                       </ResponseHeader>
                       <ResponseParser>
                                   <Parsel Type="string" Location="0" ExpectedResponse="0K" VarName=""/>
                         </ResponseParser>
            </Command3>
            </SendSms>
           <!-- Similar configuration for "deleteSMS" and "ReadSMS"-->
           <DeleteSms>
                    - 1
            </DeleteSms>
            <ReadSms>
                  - 1
            </ReadSms>
</DeviceFunctionality>
```

The XML elements of each <CommandN> block are described in this table:

Element	Required?	Description
<atcommand></atcommand>	Yes	Specifies the command (such as AT+CMGF). Contains the attributes Parameter and CheckForCancelDeviceQuery. • Parameter is a mandatory attribute. If the AT command requires a variable name as a parameter, then the value of Parameter should be Yes. Otherwise, its value should No. For example:
		AT+CMGF=@%PduMode. Here @%PduMode is a variable name and its value will be 0 or 1. • CheckForCancelDeviceQuery is an optional attribute meant for checking if the SMS-enabled device is present, before executing any AT command. Its value can be Yes or No. • If Yes, then Open Mobile will check for the device's presence. If the device is not present, then the AT command execution will be



		ali anta d	
		aborted.	
		o If No, then Open Mobile will not check for the device.	
		CheckForCancelDeviceQuery can be set to Yes when the AT command may take some time to execute. Otherwise, it is best to set its value to	
		No, or omit it entirely.	
<delaytime></delaytime>	No	Time, in milliseconds, to wait after executing the AT command.	
<responseheader></responseheader>	No	Contains the correct AT command header output. Normally has a value of +CMGF.	
<timeout></timeout>	No	Maximum time, in milliseconds, allowed to finish the execution of the AT command.	
<responseparser></responseparser>	Yes	Contains the <parse1> element, which has four attributes: Type, Location, ExpectedResponse, and VarName.</parse1>	
		■ Type: indicates the data type for AT command output. Allowed	
		values are Int (integer) and String.	
		Location: lists the location of output data, which is store as a	
		string. Its value will be start from 0th index as first location.	
		ExpectedResponse: Specifies the actual data expected from the	
		AT command output.	
		VarName: Specifies a variable name that will be used to store the AT	
		command's expected output. Use variable name is to store one AT	
		command's output data, which can be input in another AT command .	
		Variable Naming Convention: There are two types of	
		variables: user variables and system variables.	
		A user variable stores the output of an AT	
		commands which is needed in a later stage of	
		operation. User variable names start with the prefix	
		"@%" but may otherwise be composed of any	
		alphanumeric characters. For example,	
		@%PduMode.	
		A system variable stores data processed in the	
		system. The names of system variables will be	
		published as keywords in the device's	
		documentation. System variables start with the	
		prefix @\$ but may otherwise be composed of any	
		alphanumeric characters.	

Sample <CommandN> XML Configuration

This example shows a sample XML block for the ${\tt AT+CMGF}$ command.

```
<Command1>
<ATCommand Parameter="No" CheckForCancelDeviceQuery="No" >AT+CMGF=?
</ATCommand>
<DelayTime>100</DelayTime>
<ResponseHeader>
```



Appendix E: SMS Configuration



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