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# 1 INTRODUCTION

1 The MADES initiative specifies a standard for a communication platform which every  
2 Transmission System Operator (TSO) in Europe may use to reliably and securely exchange  
3 documents. Consequently a European market participant (trader, distribution utilities, etc.)  
4 could benefit from a single, common, harmonized and secure platform for message  
5 exchange with the different TSOs; thus reducing the cost of building different IT platforms to  
6 interface with all the parties involved. This also represents an important step in facilitating  
7 parties entering into markets other than their national ones.

8 The “MADES” acronym is short for: **MArket Data Exchange Standard**.

9 The MADES initiative has been adopted by the ENTSO-E Electronic Data Interchange (EDI)  
10 Working Group (WG) to facilitate communication between TSOs and European electricity  
11 market participants.

12 The document is published on the ENTSO-E website (<https://www.entsoe.eu>).

## 1.1 WHAT IS MADES ABOUT?

13 MADES is a specification for a decentralized common communication platform based on  
14 international IT protocol standards:

- 15 • From a Business Application (BA) perspective, MADES specifies software interfaces to  
16 exchange electronic documents with other BAs. Such interfaces mainly provide means  
17 to send and receive documents using a so-called “MADES network”. Every step of the  
18 delivery process is acknowledged, and the sender can request about the delivery  
19 status of a document. This is done through acknowledgement, which are messages  
20 returned back to the sender. This makes MADES network usable for exchanging  
21 documents in business processes requiring reliable delivery.
- 22 • MADES also specifies all services for the Business Application (BA); the complexities  
23 of recipient localisation, recipient connection status, message routing and security are  
24 hidden from the connecting BA. MADES services include directory, authentication,  
25 encryption, signing, message tracking, message logging and temporary message  
26 storage.

27 A MADES network acts as a post-office organization. The transported object is a “message”  
28 in which the sender document is securely repackaged in an envelope (i.e. a header)  
29 containing all the necessary information for tracking, transportation and delivery.

## 1.2 MADES GOVERNANCE

30 ENTSO-E shall continue to maintain the MADES. The aim of the governance is to provide  
31 stability in the standard. There will be at most one version released per year, to reduce the  
32 burden of change on the user community.

33 MADES version numbering is in full integers. Revisions may only apply to the specification  
34 document which could be reissued to fix reported errors or ambiguities. The last issued  
35 revision is the only one applicable for a version.

36 MADES specifies rules to allow a smooth rollout process when upgrading the implemented  
37 version of an existing operational network — see § 4.

## 1.3 WHAT IS MADES INTENDED FOR?

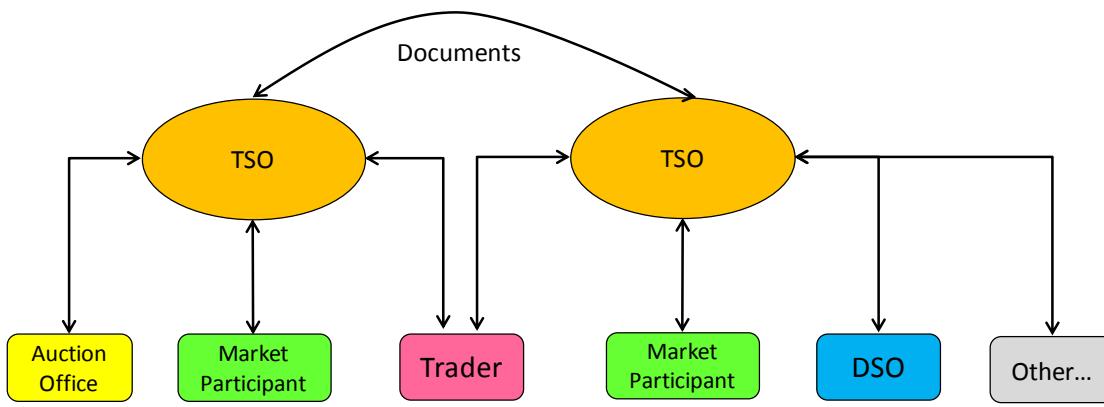


Figure 1: MADES overall view

38 MADES first intention is to provide TSOs with a standardized communication access point to  
39 securely exchange documents with others parties involved in the European electricity  
40 market. Such parties include TSOs, Distribution System Operators (DSO), Balance  
41 Responsible Parties (BRP), Capacity Traders (CT), Market Operators (MO), Producers,  
42 Transmission Capacity Allocators (TCA), etc., namely any party playing a role defined in  
43 "*The Harmonised Electricity Market Role Model*"<sup>1</sup>.

44 Please be aware that MADES is a general communication standard. It is not limited in usage  
45 to market data or the electricity industry and can be used more widely for any non-real time  
46 data exchange application.

47 The MADES vision is that each party implements MADES access points (referred as  
48 Endpoints) connected to his Information System (IS), where he may securely send and  
49 receive documents to and from other parties.

50 MADES is not concerned with specific business functionality, nor creating a new IT standard,  
51 nor building communication infrastructure. For the market to operate correctly, parties must  
52 exchange electronic documents conforming to predefined business logic and in a cost  
53 effective way, namely by using existing IT standards and protocols over existing  
54 communication infrastructures.

<sup>1</sup> The Role Model document is available at [ENTSO-E EDI Library](#).

55      **The purpose of MADES is to create a data exchange standard comprised of standard**  
 56      **protocols and utilizing IT best practices to create a mechanism for exchanging data**  
 57      **over any TCP/IP communication network, in order to facilitate business to business**  
 58      **information exchanges.**

59      New market rules induce new business processes and activities, and generally require new  
 60      information exchanges between parties. Experience shows that, for the exchanges to  
 61      operate according to the business goals, the chosen technical solution results from an  
 62      agreement of involved parties gathering various constraints, including implementation time  
 63      scale, vendors' offer, already existing communication links, integration capabilities of existing  
 64      Information Systems, confidentiality of exchanged information, legal risks, etc.

65      Where business processes require information to be exchanged between multiple systems or  
 66      multiple parties, solutions developed bi-laterally may become extremely complex, with each  
 67      interface taking time, money and resources to be developed and be maintained. It is also a  
 68      noticeable consequence that some parties acting in several countries, such as traders, may  
 69      have to install different communication tools in order to interface with different trading  
 70      solutions. The future vision is a single interface between all parties in all areas of the  
 71      electricity market of Europe.

72      MADES is a step forward to a standardized communication solution, especially in the  
 73      following areas:

- 74      • Future ENTSO-E European projects or TSO domain projects should reduce required  
 75      resources and time to operate the new market rules (less design, less tests).
- 76      • A MADES access point may be implemented using any software compliant with this  
 77      publicly accessible specification. Vendors are encouraged to either interface or  
 78      integrate a MADES compliant client in their Business Applications.
- 79      • European market should be facilitated as multi-countries actors should have a single  
 80      access to market, or can deploy a unique solution in different sites.

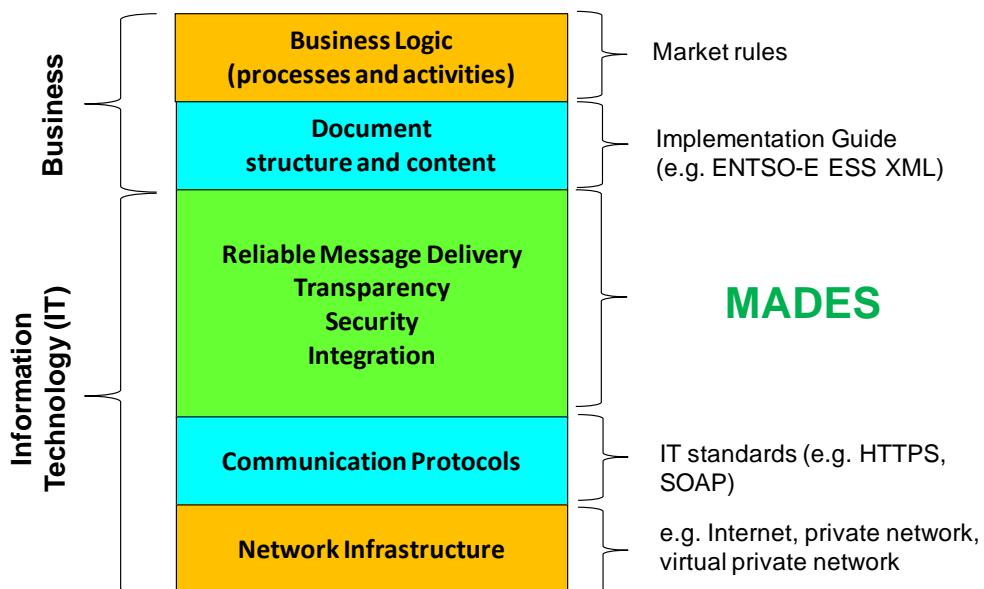


Figure 2: MADES scope

- 81 MADES is agnostic to the business logic using it, which means it can support any business  
82 process whatever the document types being transmitted might be (e.g. XML, binary) and  
83 whatever the sequence for the exchanges.
- 84 MADES is independent of the physical underlying communication Infrastructure, which can  
85 be any IP (Internet Protocol) network, such as Internet, a physical private infrastructure, or a  
86 multi access-point virtual private network (VPN).
- 87 MADES relies on and only on non-proprietary IT standards for communication protocols,  
88 data integrity, signing and confidentiality (encryption), peer access point authentication, peer  
89 party authentication, parties' directory (e.g. HTTPS, SOAP, X.509).

## 1.4 WHAT MADES IS NOT?

- 90 MADES is not a synchronous messaging system:
- 91 MADES specifies a framework for asynchronous communication; therefore the architecture  
92 contains hubs (namely Nodes) that offer a service to temporary store messages.
- 93 A synchronous messaging system would require that the sender access point establishes a  
94 direct IP connection to the recipient access point for exchanging messages, thus meaning  
95 that both have to be online at the same moment.
- 96 The way MADES achieves a transfer is to send each message to a message queue at the  
97 Node where the recipient then retrieves it. As an asynchronous process, there is no direct  
98 connection between sender and recipient, i.e. no handshake exists between peer access  
99 points.

100 This design has two main benefits:

- 101 • The recipient may be offline for a given duration<sup>2</sup> without losing any information. So,  
102 parties not involved in frequent or business critical processes can turn off their access  
103 points — actually have it installed on a non-permanently network connected  
104 computer.
- 105 • The security level for the architecture is higher than other methods since access  
106 points are not required to accept incoming connections, i.e. all connections are  
107 initiated by the client and so no exception to firewall rules is required.

108 MADES is not intended for real time messaging:

- 109 The magnitude for the end-to-end duration of message transportation is not defined and may  
110 significantly vary depending on the implementation and the underlying infrastructure due to  
111 the following considerations:
- 112 • The transfer process is asynchronous and not event-driven.
  - 113 • The exchanged documents can range in size from kilobytes to several megabytes<sup>3</sup>.

<sup>2</sup> The period for which messages will be retained may be configured – see § 3.9.

<sup>3</sup> The specific limits to maximum message size which be transferred will depend on the architecture and the configuration of each network.

- 114     • The security management requires processing resource for signing, verifying  
115       signature, encryption, decryption.

116     As a consequence, MADES is not intended and should not be recommended nor considered  
117       for processes or projects dealing with real time messaging<sup>4</sup>.

118     MADES is not about designing or delivering software:

119     MADES is concerned with the design of interfaces of access points and hubs (Nodes);  
120       however the internal design of those components is of out of scope. Internal design  
121       considerations could include:

- 122       • Functional architecture for message management, storage and archiving, security  
123           management, directory management.
- 124       • Logical and technical architecture for performance.
- 125       • Redundancy for high availability solution.
- 126       • Software packaging and installation process.
- 127       • Administration tools design and security (e.g. Graphical User Interface).
- 128       • Component supervision agent.
- 129       • Statistics and Key Performance Indicators (KPI) collection.

130     MADES is not about setting up a network:

131     MADES is a specification. A MADES network is a group of parties, each operating  
132       communication components (Endpoints, Nodes) which comply with the specification. Setting  
133       up a MADES network requires more than software, and a governance team must:

- 134       • choose the underlying network infrastructure,
- 135       • define the network access rules,
- 136       • define the access points identification scheme,
- 137       • define the network joining process (e.g. using a test network first),
- 138       • define which parties can or must host the Nodes,
- 139       • define the network supervision organisation,
- 140       • formalize the Node administrator role and tasks,
- 141       • define and supervise the planning in case of a version upgrade,
- 142       • specify the archiving/logging duration requirements,
- 143       • define the certificate policy which states the roles and duties of the different actors of  
144           the public key infrastructure, the certificate validity duration, the trusted certificate  
145           authorities (CAs), the process to revoke and renew the certificates,
- 146       • define the backup and archiving strategies,
- 147       • etc.

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<sup>4</sup> Examples of real-time messaging to which this is not suited include signalling, voice or video communications.

148 **MADES is not a complete business solution:**

149 Please refer back to Figure 2 to see what a complete solution would include.

150 Some parties may look for a plug-and-play tool (easy to install, use, administrate, upgrade),  
151 where documents can be sent and received using drag-and-drop by selecting the recipient in  
152 list, where logs and archives can be easily scanned, scrolled and browsed, where errors  
153 send configurable alarms, etc.

154 MADES does not specify any Graphical User Interface; it focuses on interfaces to ensure  
155 that access points interoperate. However MADES in no way impedes the creation of a  
156 human machine interface layer which may use MADES for message transport.

## 1.5 USED ACRONYMS

<b>AES</b>	Advanced Encryption Standard — A symmetric cryptographic algorithm.	<b>PKI</b>	Public Key Infrastructure
<b>BA</b>	Business Application	<b>RFC</b>	Request For Comments
<b>DER</b>	Distinguished Encoding Rules — A format for X.509 digital certificates	<b>RSA</b>	Rivest Shamir Adleman – An asymmetric cryptographic algorithm.
<b>DMZ</b>	DeMilitarized Zone	<b>SHA</b>	Secure Hash Algorithm. <a href="#">SHA-1</a> and <a href="#">SHA-512</a> are cryptographic hash functions designed by the National Security Agency (United States Department of Defence).
<b>EDI</b>	Electronic Data Interchange	<b>SOAP</b>	Simple Object Access Protocol
<b>FSSF</b>	File System Shared Folder	<b>TLS</b>	Transport Layer Security
<b>HTTPS</b>	HTTP (HyperText Transfer Protocol) Secured with the TLS protocol to provide encrypted communication and secure identification of a web server.	<b>TSO</b>	Transmission System Operator
<b>IETF</b>	Internet Engineering Task Force	<b>URL</b>	Uniform Resource Locator
<b>ID</b>	IDentity	<b>UTF-8</b>	UCS (Universal Character Set) Transformation Format — 8-bit.
<b>IP</b>	Internet Protocol	<b>UUID</b>	Universal Unique IDentifier
<b>IS</b>	Information System	<b>W3C</b>	World Wide Web Consortium
<b>IT</b>	Information Technology	<b>WG</b>	Working Group
<b>ITU-T</b>	The standardization sector of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU)	<b>WAN</b>	Wide Area Network
		<b>XML</b>	eXtended Markup Language
		<b>X.509</b>	An ITU-T standard for a Public Key Infrastructure (PKI)

## 2 HIGH LEVEL CONCEPTS

### 2.1 GENERAL OVERVIEW

157 The purpose of the MADES standard is to specify a message delivery platform with following  
158 key features:

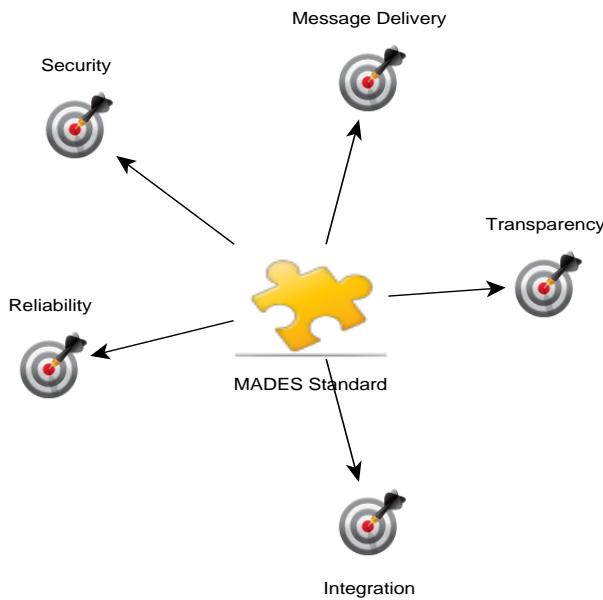


Figure 3: MADES key features

159 **Message delivery** – A party (sender) connected to the communication network can send a  
160 message to another party (recipient), which is connected or can connect to the network.

161 **Transparency** – Any transported message can be tracked down to gather trustworthy  
162 information about the state of delivery and traversal path.

163 **Security** – Only the recipient of the message is capable of reading the message-content.  
164 The sender of any message can be unambiguously verified.

165 **Reliability** – A message cannot get lost.

166 **Integration** – The MADES functions for sending and receiving messages can be integrated  
167 with wide variety of technologies.

168 Note: The first four key features (message delivery, security, transparency and reliability) are  
169 capabilities of the communication system, while the other one (integration) is a design  
170 characteristic of the components of the communication system.

## 2.2 MESSAGE DELIVERY AND TRANSPARENCY

### 171 Message Delivery

172 The main feature of MADES is the message delivery function:



Figure 4: MADES message delivery overview

173 A message is transferred from a sender to a recipient. Both sender and recipient are  
174 Business Applications (BAs). A BA connects to a MADES Endpoint using a programming  
175 interface.

176 The sender and recipient view the MADES system only through the defined interface. The  
177 document transported between sender and recipient can be any text or binary data.  
178 Alongside with the document, a MADES message contains additional information, in a  
179 header (or envelope), including information to securely identify, transport and route the  
180 message such as a unique message ID, the identities of the sender and of the recipient, a  
181 business-type.

### 182 Transparency

183 The message path — from the sender's Endpoint to the recipient's Endpoint — goes through  
184 some components of the MADES network. When a message traverses a component, the  
185 later notifies the event and a new message (referred as an acknowledgement) is sent back to  
186 the sender's Endpoint. All the events notified during the message delivery can be retrieved  
187 by the sender's BA.

## 2.3 SECURITY AND RELIABILITY

188 MADES ensures reliable and secure message transfer and delivery:

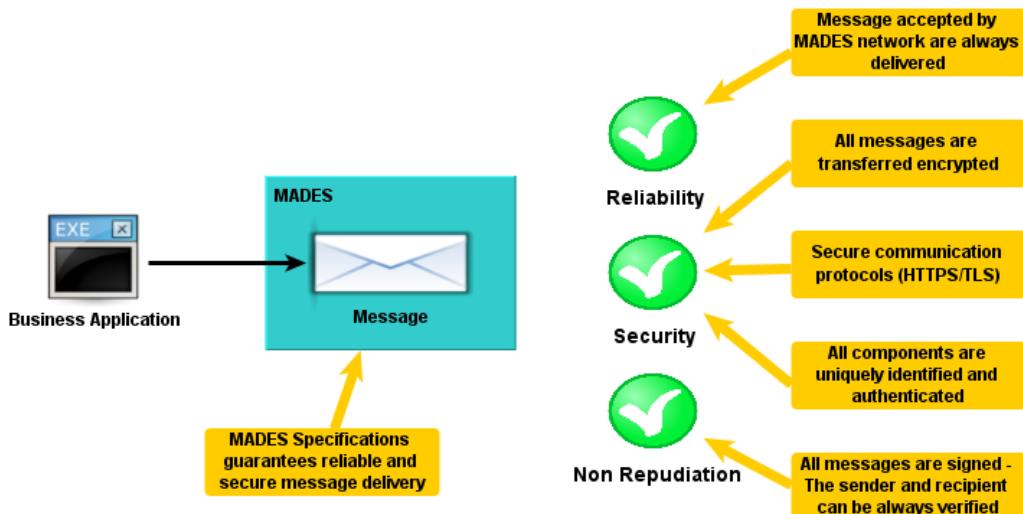


Figure 5: MADES Security and Reliability

189 A MADES communication system guarantees that any message accepted by the system will  
190 not be lost. The sender can at any time check the delivery status of the messages  
191 (delivering, delivered or failed).

192 The standard describes a logging mechanism to be implemented in all message handling  
193 components to provide information about the message transfers; MADES describes non-  
194 repudiation features, allowing the verification of a message and its header which includes the  
195 sender, the recipient, the sending time, the delivery time, etc.

196 MADES defines the way to sign and encrypt the transported messages.

197 For the communication layer, the MADES components use the secure communication  
198 protocols HTTPS. Information is transported encrypted. Moreover, both sides of  
199 communication are authenticated using industry-standard PKI certificates.

200 For more information about the security features, see § 2.7.

## 2.4 MAIN COMPONENTS

201 MADES describes three logical communication components and their interfaces.

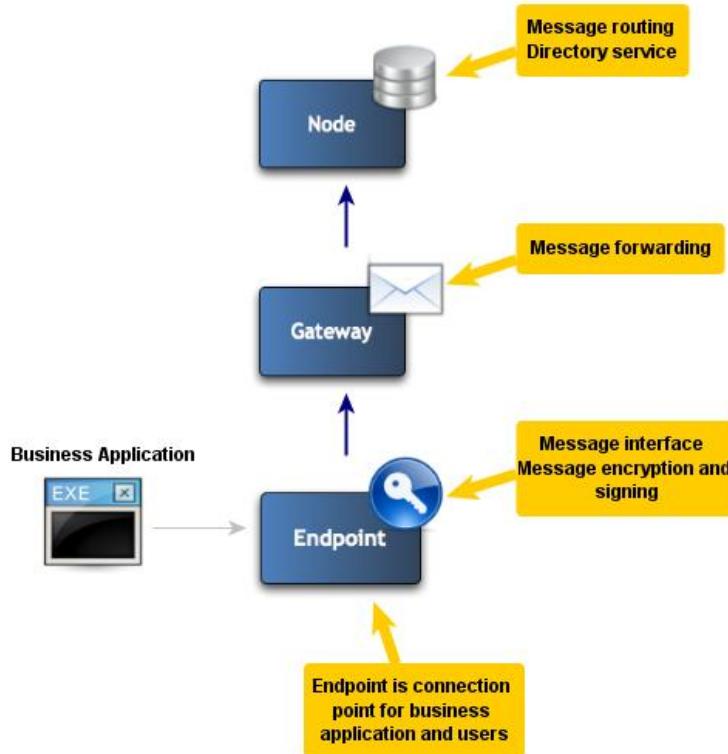


Figure 6: MADES components

202 From the users' or Business Application (BA) point of view, the crucial component is the  
203 **Endpoint**, which provides the interface for the BAs to send and receive the messages.  
204 Actually no graphical user interface is part of MADES; such an interface to provide a manual  
205 way for sending and receiving messages is an application which can be integrated with the  
206 Endpoint.

207 The **Gateway** component, as the name suggests, serves as a gateway for messages – it  
208 either takes the message from an Endpoint and forwards it to a Node, or retrieves the  
209 message from a Node and makes it available to an Endpoint. When deployed separately  
210 from an Endpoint, a Gateway can be used to decouple and secure enterprise networks from  
211 public networks (e.g. Internet).

212 The **Node** component serves as a central part of a MADES network. Each Node contains a  
213 directory with information on all the registered network components, whether Endpoints,  
214 Gateways or Nodes.

## 2.5 DISTRIBUTED ARCHITECTURE

215 A MADES network may consist of multiple interconnected Nodes, each taking care of a part  
216 of the network:

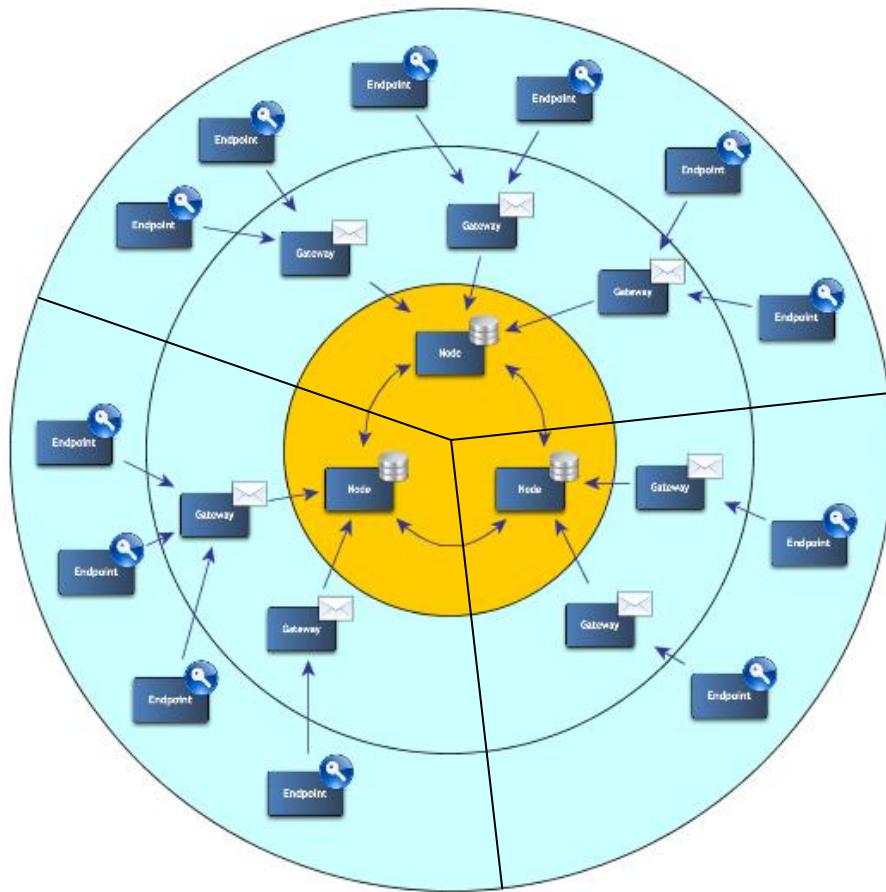


Figure 7: MADES network distributed architecture

217 A MADES network may contain a large number of collaborating components with the Nodes  
218 in the centre. A MADES network has a distributed architecture; it does not have any single  
219 central component. All Nodes have equal responsibilities; each manages a part of the  
220 network.

221 Each Endpoint or Gateway must register with a home Node. The components registered with  
222 a Node are referred as the registered components. Several Endpoints registered with the  
223 same home Node can share a Gateway also registered with the same home Node.  
224 Endpoints currently connected to a Gateway are the connected Endpoints.

225 Directory information about all registered Endpoints is regularly shared between the Nodes,  
226 using the Node synchronization interface; so that Endpoints registered with different home  
227 Nodes can exchange messages.

228 A Gateway can connect to any Node to send messages, but it can only receive messages  
229 from the home Node.

## 2.6 COMPONENTS' EXPOSED INTERFACES

230 MADES standard specifies the interfaces between the components. All interfaces and  
231 services are presented in the following figure:

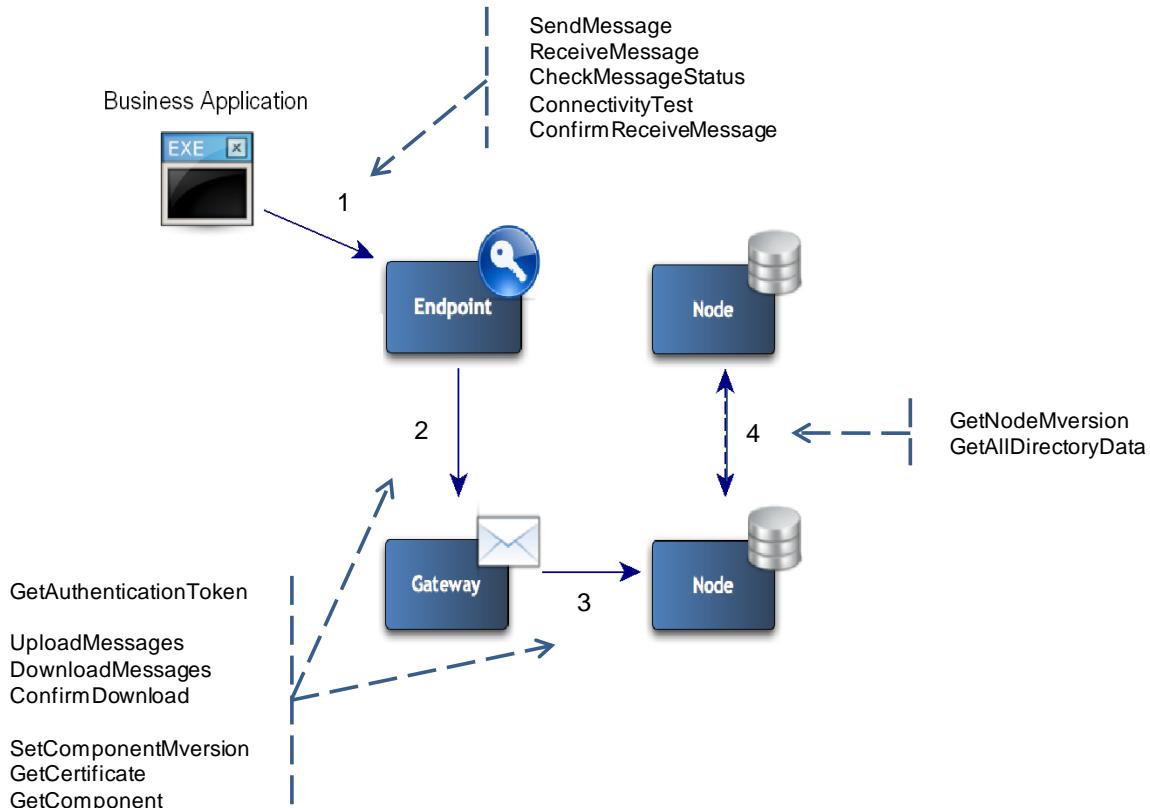


Figure 8: MADES Interfaces and Services

232 Each arrow on the figure show a component (at the tail of the arrow) using the interface  
233 exposed by the component at the tip of the arrow.

- 234 1. Endpoint Interface → used by a Business Application (BA) – see § 5.2.  
235 An Endpoint shall implement this interface for a BA to connect to a MADES network.
- 236 2. Gateway Interface → used by the Endpoints – see § 5.3.  
237 A Gateway shall implement this interface for an Endpoint to connect to a MADES  
238 network.
- 239 3. Node Interface → used by the Gateways – see § 5.3.  
240 A Node shall implement this interface to allow a Gateway to transfer the messages  
241 and to query the Node directory.
- 242 4. Node Synchronization Interface → used by the Nodes – see § 5.3.5.  
243 A Node shall implement this interface to synchronize directory data with the other  
244 Nodes of the MADES network.

## 2.7 SECURITY FEATURES

### 2.7.1 OVERVIEW

245 Main goals of the MADES security definition are summarized by the following points:

- 246 • The security solution is transparent to the Business Applications (BAs) – no specific implementation shall be required in the application to communicate securely.
- 247 • Any message shall be readable only by the recipient.
- 248 • The sender of any message shall be unambiguously identified.
- 249 • Non-repudiation of the messages – it shall be possible to unambiguously prove that the sender sent the message and that the recipient received it.
- 250 • All communication routes shall be encrypted. The security solution complies with the X.509 public key infrastructure.

254 The security issues are covered on two levels: transport-layer security and message-level security.

256 On the **transport-layer**, MADES requires the communication between two components to always be encrypted. Two components that exchange information must first unambiguously identify each other.

259 On the **message-level**, MADES requires that all messages shall be signed and encrypted, so the sender of the message can be unambiguously identified and the message is only readable by the intended recipient.

### 2.7.2 TRANSPORT-LAYER SECURITY

262 The transport-layer security of the communication between components relies on the transport protocol layer. When communicating, components shall use a secure protocol HTTPS providing the encryption of the communication route. Mutual authentication of communicating components shall be handled using X.509 certificates; both the client and the server shall authenticate themselves by their respective authentication X.509 certificates.

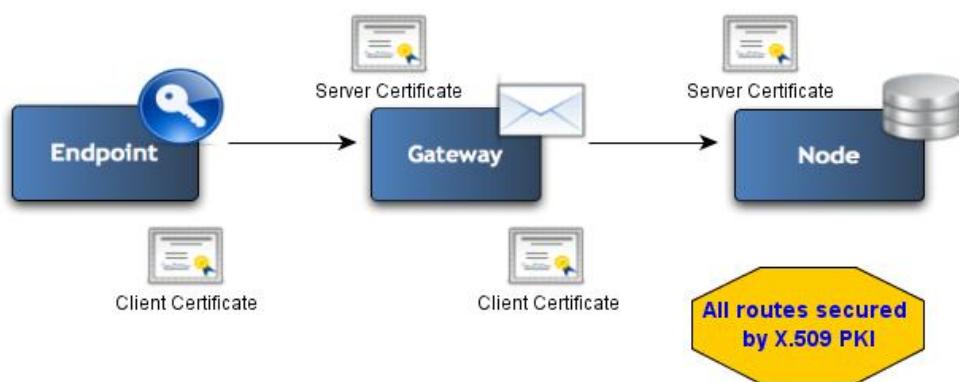


Figure 9: MADES security overview

267 The communication (i.e. the IP connection) between components shall always be initiated by  
268 the client. This provides higher security on client-side by not having to allow incoming  
269 connections through firewalls.

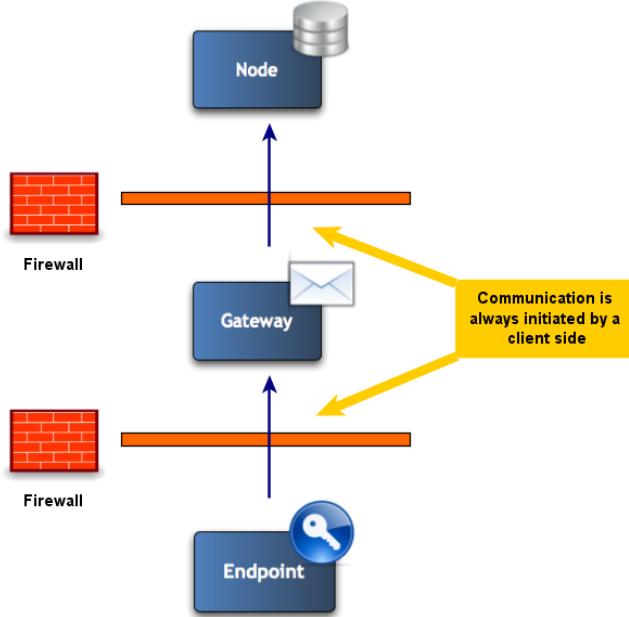


Figure 10: MADES secure communication initiation

### 2.7.3 MESSAGE-LEVEL SECURITY

270 The unambiguous identification of the sender of any message sent via the MADES network  
271 is enabled by usage of [digital signatures](#):

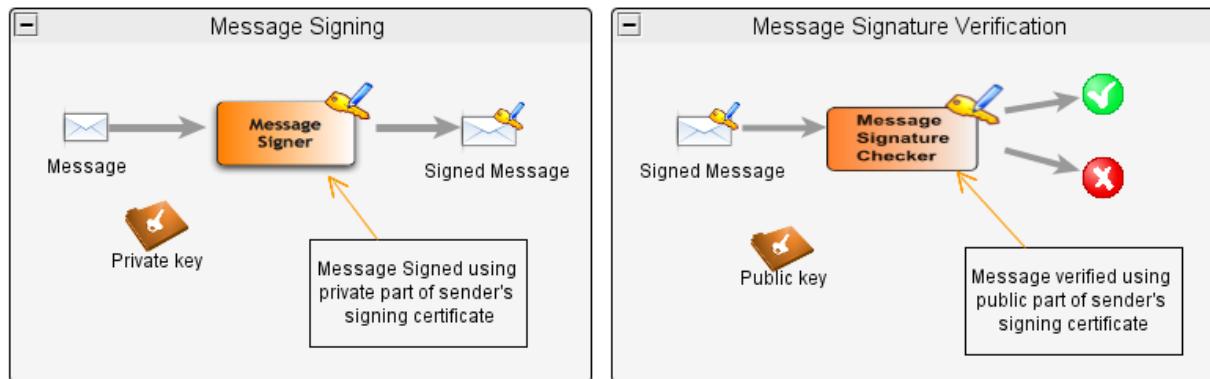


Figure 11: Message signature

272 On the sender's Endpoint, the message is signed using the sender's private key of a signing  
273 certificate. On the recipient's Endpoint, the message signature is verified using the sender's  
274 public key of the certificate.

275 Any message sent via the MADES shall be encrypted, so that only the intended recipient  
276 can read the message-content:

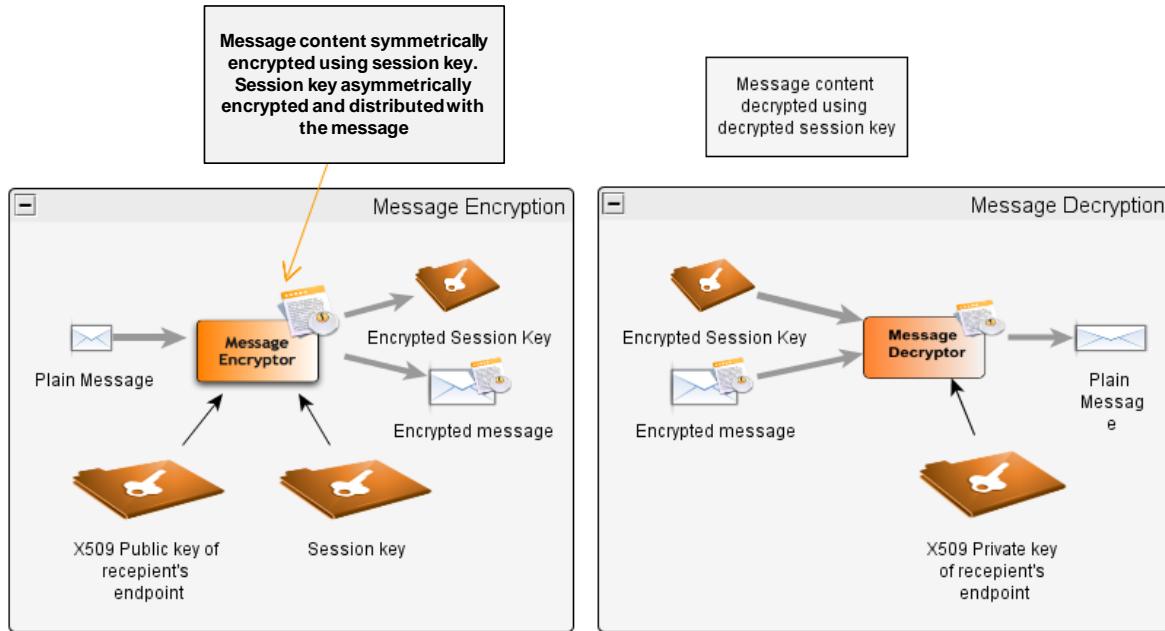


Figure 12: Message encryption and decryption

277 The content of the message (i.e. the document) is encoded with a randomly generated  
278 session key, which is then itself encoded with the public key of the encryption certificate of  
279 the recipient. The encoded key is transported together with the message.

280 The receiver decodes the key with the private key of his encryption certificate, and then uses  
281 the key to decode the document.

## 2.7.4 NON REPUDIATION

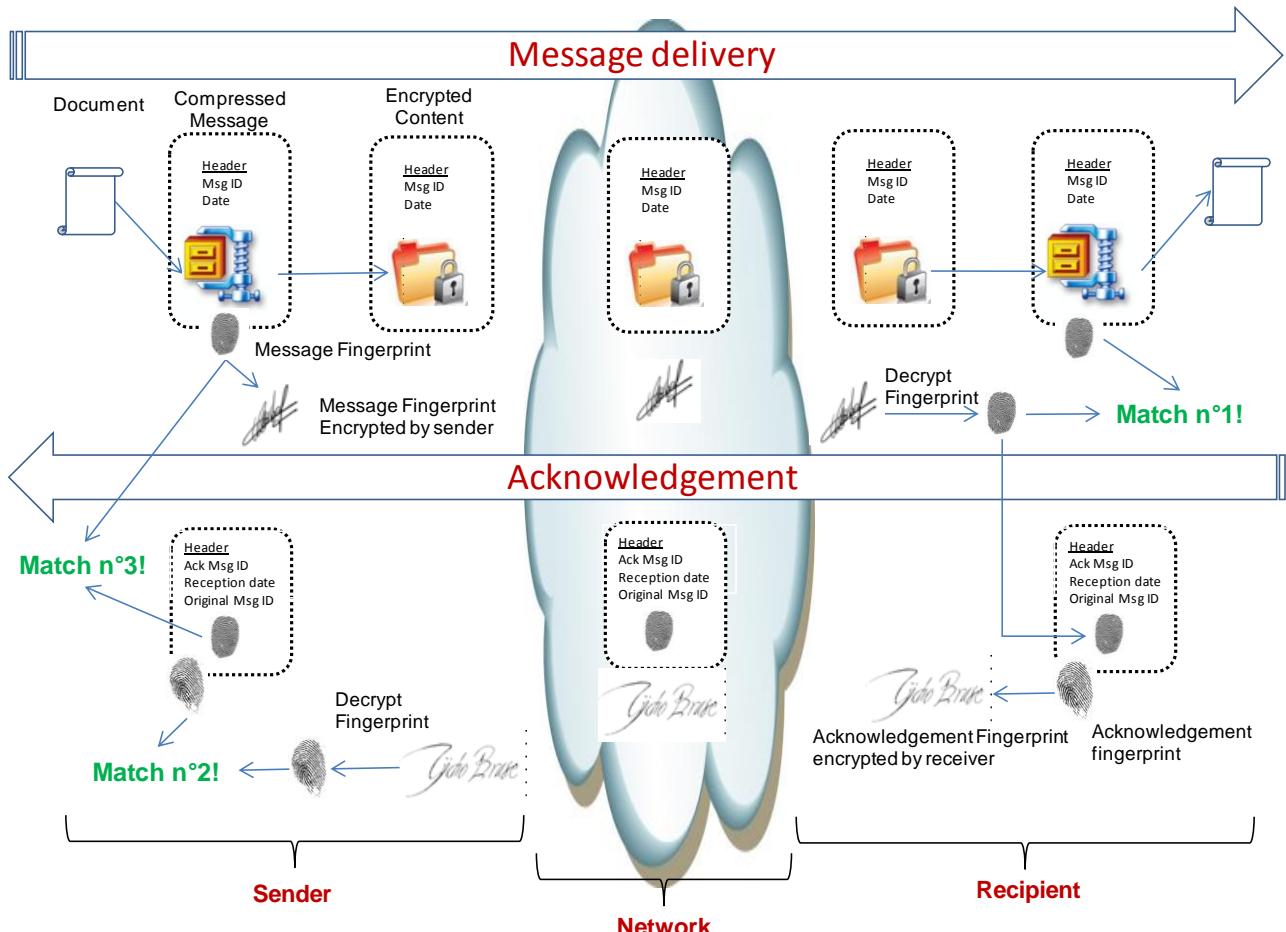


Figure 13: Non repudiation

### 282 Message delivery

283 The message fingerprint identifies uniquely the document together with some header  
284 information, such as the message unique ID (*MsgID*) and the sending date and time. The  
285 document may have been previously compressed.

286 Both the fingerprint and the document are encoded and transported to the recipient. The  
287 fingerprint is encoded in a way that uniquely identifies the sender (signature), and the  
288 document in a way that only the recipient can read it (encryption).

289 The recipient decodes both the fingerprint and the document. He verifies (match n°1) that the  
290 fingerprint, which he can regenerate from the message, matches the transported signed  
291 fingerprint (signature verification). Then he stores the decoded message and the encoded  
292 fingerprint. Both elements together with the signing certificate prove that the message was  
293 sent by the sender.

294 Acknowledgement

295 The recipient sends back a new message, the acknowledgement, using a similar process.  
296 The new message contains the unique ID of the original message (*Original Msg ID*) and the  
297 attached document is the fingerprint of the original message<sup>5</sup>.

298 The acknowledgement is signed but not encrypted and transported to the sender of the  
299 original document.

300 When he receives the acknowledgement, the sender verifies (match n°2) that the  
301 acknowledgement was sent by the recipient (signature verification). He also verifies that the  
302 acknowledgement document is the original message fingerprint (match n°3).

303 The set, composed of the original message, the signed acknowledgement and the signing  
304 certificate, proves that the recipient received the original message.

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<sup>5</sup> There are several acknowledgements during the message delivery; the one referred here is sent by the Endpoint of the recipient party after it correctly receives the message (n°6 in Figure 19).

## 3 COMPONENTS' FUNCTIONS

### 3.1 ROUTING MESSAGES

305 A message shall be transported from the sender's BA (Business Application) to the  
306 recipient's BA using the following route.

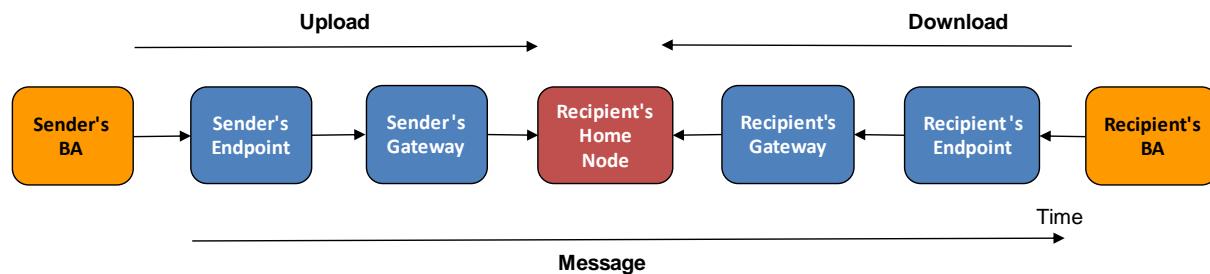


Figure 14: Delivery route of a business-message

307 The message is composed by the sender's Endpoint with information and document  
308 provided by the sender's BA. Then the message is transferred from component to  
309 component (from left to right in the figure) until the recipient's BA.

310 The message-content (also referred as the message-payload) is the document provided by  
311 the sender's BA. The composed message contains additional information (i.e. a header)  
312 used for security, routing and delivery tracking.

313 The arrows in "Figure 14" represent the IP connections between the components and each  
314 arrow goes from a client to a server. Thus, a message is uploaded (*or sent, or going out*) on  
315 the way from sender's BA to the recipient's Node. It is downloaded (*or received, or coming  
in*) on the way from the Node to the recipient's BA. "Transfer" is the generic word used to  
317 mean either upload or download.

318 The Node, which the message goes through, shall be the home Node of the recipient's  
319 Endpoint. Note that a reverse going message between the two BAs will not use the reverse  
320 route if sender and recipient have different home Nodes.

321 There are two types of messages:

- 322 • Business-message – is a message composed by the sender's Endpoint from a send  
323 request initiated by a sender's BA. The goal of MADES is to transport such business-  
324 messages to the requested recipient's Endpoint.
- 325 • Acknowledgement – is an ancillary message used for tracking the end-to-end delivery  
326 process of a business-message. The BAs do not know about those internal  
327 acknowledgements, but a BA can request the Endpoint about the delivery status of a  
328 previously sent business-message.

## 3.2 COMPONENT AND MESSAGE UNIQUE IDENTIFICATION (ID)

329 Each component shall have a unique ID in a MADES network. The identification scheme is a  
330 network governance issue.

- 331 • The “component ID” (also referred as “component code”) is used to identify the  
332 component when exchanging with other components.
- 333 • A BA shall use an Endpoint ID to identify the recipient when sending a document.  
334 Conversely the sender Endpoint ID is provided to BA together with a received  
335 document.
- 336 • The IDs of the sender and the recipient are included in the header of each message.

337 When a component composes a message, it shall identify it with a UUID (Universal Unique  
338 Identifier) — as defined in IETF RFC 4122 (<http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc4122.txt>).

339 Note: When delivering a document, a recipient’s Endpoint supplies the BA with a guaranteed  
340 (i.e. authenticated) sender’s identity: the component ID of the sender’s Endpoint. However  
341 the sender’s identity is also often included within the document itself, and it is up to the BA  
342 that analyses the document to check that both identities match.

## 3.3 BUSINESS-TYPE OF A BUSINESS-MESSAGE

343 A MADES network may support multiple and concurrent business processes.

344 A party “P” having an Endpoint connected to the network can operate several BAs,  
345 implementing functions to support internal activities and exchanges with others parties in  
346 accordance to the roles he plays in the business processes.

347 The BAs request the Endpoint to send documents to other parties. The Endpoint supports  
348 concurrent requests from the BAs.

349 Other parties, while fulfilling their own roles in these business processes, may also send  
350 some documents to party “P”. For dispatching correctly the received documents between  
351 BAs, each BA may indicate a business-type when requesting for downloading a possibly  
352 newly received document.

353 So the business-type is mandatory text information provided by a sender’s BA, included in  
354 the header of the business-message, transported with the message to the recipient’s  
355 Endpoint, and used by a recipient’s BA to retrieve the only documents it shall process.

356 Each party is free to organise how he architectures activities, functions and BAs in his own  
357 Information System, in a way transparent to the other parties. However the business-types  
358 must be agreed between all parties as part of the overall information exchange design<sup>6</sup>.

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<sup>6</sup> • Business-types can be compared to port numbers. Competing applications in a machine use different port numbers so that received information can be correctly routed. Used port numbers have to be agreed between parties (e.g. 21:FTP, 22:SSH, 25:SMTP) but they are not part of IP protocol which accepts any number.

### 3.4 DELIVERY-STATUS OF A BUSINESS-MESSAGE

359 The delivery process of each business-message is fully tracked. Tracking means that the  
 360 components taking part in the routing process notifies the sender's Endpoint with events  
 361 about the message. The reported events are:

- 362 • Delivery event — notifies that the business-message has been either:
  - 363 ✓ transferred to a component; i.e. the component confirms it received the business-  
 364 message (“Transfer confirmation” is defined in § 3.8).
  - 365 ✓ accepted by a component; the component confirms that it received the business-  
 366 message and that the message successfully passed validation. It also means that  
 367 the message is ready to be transferred to the next component on the route to the  
 368 recipient's Endpoint (“Acceptance” is defined in § 3.9)
- 369 • Failure event: — notifies that a business-message cannot be delivered because:
  - 370 ✓ the message was rejected, for it fails the validation;
  - 371 ✓ or an unrecoverable error occurred when processing the message.

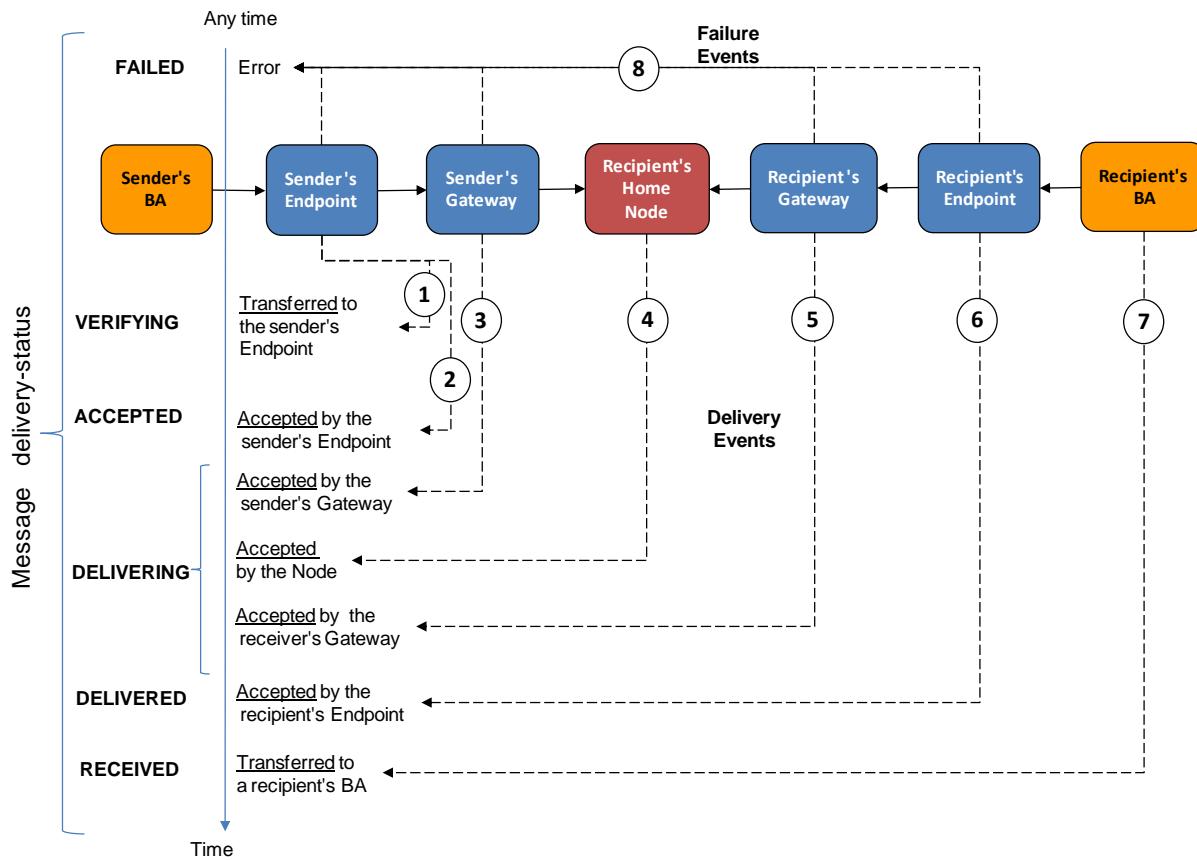


Figure 15: Reported events during the delivery of a business-message

372 The figure shows the possible events and the components that issue them.

373 The delivery-status of a business-message expresses the knowledge of the sender's  
 374 Endpoint about the message delivery. The status can be requested at any moment by a  
 375 sender's BA providing the message ID returned by the sender's Endpoint when the message  
 376 was sent. The possible values are:

Message Delivery-status	Notified event
VERIFYING	The business-message has been <u>transferred</u> to the sender's Endpoint. Some additional checks are in progress before the Endpoint may accept it. E.g.: the Endpoint is waiting for signature by an external signing device (see § 3.17.3), or is waiting for the encryption certificate requested to the Node directory.
ACCEPTED	The business-message has been <u>accepted</u> by the sender's Endpoint. Conditions are met to transport the message in the network.
DELIVERING	The business-message has been <u>accepted</u> by an intermediate component (Gateways, Node) between the sender's Endpoint and the recipient's Endpoint. The list of components where the message has already been transported is available — see § 5.2.2.3, output attribute: " <i>Message trace path</i> ".
DELIVERED	The business-message has been <u>accepted</u> by the recipient's Endpoint.
RECEIVED	The business-message has been <u>transferred</u> to a recipient's BA.
FAILED	The message delivery has <u>failed</u> . So, the business-message will not be transported any further.

377 Note: the acknowledgement, which notifies that a message has been accepted by the  
 378 recipient's Endpoint or transferred to a recipient's BA, does not and shall not mean more than  
 379 the document (i.e. the content of the message) has been technically and securely delivered  
 380 to the Endpoint of the Information System (IS) of the recipient party. So far, the content of the  
 381 document has not been analyzed. The probable and further analysis may result in a  
 382 "functional acknowledgement", the document being then accepted or rejected according to the  
 383 business rules. Such a functional acknowledgement can even be a new document that the  
 384 MADES network will be entrusted to deliver as a new business-message to the sender of the  
 385 original document.

## 3.5 COMMUNICATION BETWEEN COMPONENTS

- 386 To communicate, a client component establishes a secured communication channel with a  
387 server component, and then issues requests through the channel.
- 388 The server component validates the request and replies. The client component receives back  
389 a request status and validates the reply.

### 3.5.1 ESTABLISHING A SECURED COMMUNICATION CHANNEL BETWEEN TWO COMPONENTS

- 390 A request from a client component to a server component shall only be processed after the  
391 client has established a secured (i.e. encrypted) communication channel with the server;
- 392 The communication channel shall be secured using the HTTPS (HTTP over TLS) protocol.  
393 So each peer, either client or server, verifies that the other is a valid and trusted network  
394 component — see § 3.17.7.
- 395 A client component shall be able to connect to a server component through a network proxy.
- 396 An Endpoint administrator shall be able to configure a primary and a secondary URL to  
397 connect to a Gateway.
- 398 A Gateway administrator shall be able to configure a primary and a secondary URL to  
399 connect to the home Node.
- 400 A Gateway may connect to any Node for uploading business-messages and  
401 acknowledgements addressed to a recipient's Endpoint registered with the connected Node.  
402 The Gateway shall request the “routing information” by its home Node directory — see  
403 § 5.3.4.3.
- 404 The Node URLs in directory should rather contain FQDNs (Fully Qualified Domain Names)  
405 than IP addresses to ease integration with the network architecture constraints of the parties.
- 406 About primary and secondary URLs: the Nodes are key components and thus require high  
407 availability. Availability techniques may vary, and redundancy or switch-over mechanism may  
408 not be seamless to other components. So a Node administrator may provide two URLs to  
409 access his Node. Consequently, the components that connect to a Node shall implement a  
410 mechanism to dynamically select the one URL which gains effective access.

### 3.5.2 TOKEN AUTHENTICATION OF THE CLIENT COMPONENT

411 Apart for the Node-Node synchronization, the server shall always first identify the client, i.e.  
412 know its component ID to authorise the requests.

413 To do so, the client shall request the server for an authentication-token providing its own  
414 component ID — see § 5.3.2.

415 The server provides back a token which:

- 416 • is a randomly generated string (e.g. a UUID).
- 417 • has a limited validity returned to the client. The later has to request for a new token  
418 when expired or before the expiration time.

419 For every subsequent request (e.g. message transfer, directory query), the client shall  
420 always provide the server:

- 421 • the authentication-token;
- 422 • the signed authentication-token — “signed” means that the hash of the token is  
423 encoded using the RSA algorithm — see § 3.17.1 ;
- 424 • the ID of the authentication certificate used for signing the authentication-token.

425 For every received request, the server shall process the following checks:

- 426 • the authentication-token is a known and not expired token;
- 427 • the certificate used to sign is a valid and non-revoked certificate owned by the client  
— see § 3.17.9;
- 429 • the signature of the authentication-token is correct.

430 Note: Such a token based client authentication is neither part of nor linked to the TLS  
431 authentication, and thus not constrained by specifics of software products used for the  
432 implementation of the component (e.g. web servers, applications servers).

### 3.5.3 REQUESTS' AUTHORIZATION

433 A server Node shall reject a request for downloading messages or a request on directory if  
434 the client component is not one of its registered components.

435 A server Gateway or a server Node shall reject a transfer request (download or upload) when  
436 it is already and concurrently processing the same request for the same client — see § 3.8.

437 To correctly process some requests issued by Endpoints and relayed by Gateways, a Node  
438 needs to identify the first (i.e. to know the IDs), because a wrong ID could disrupt the delivery  
439 behaviour<sup>7</sup>. For such requests<sup>8</sup>, the Endpoint shall provide its own component ID signed with  
440 the authentication certificate. This is very similar to a password authentication of the  
441 Endpoint by the Node over strongly secured channels (SSL + Token). In case the  
442 authentication fails, the Node shall reject the Endpoint request.

<sup>7</sup> E.g. Downloading messages (see § 5.3.3.3) using an incorrect ID may result in hijacking messages.

<sup>8</sup> Concerned services are: *DownloadMessages*, *SetComponentMversion*.

### 3.5.4 REQUEST/REPLY VALIDATION

443 The server shall validate data of any request and the client shall check the status and  
444 validate data of any reply.

445 Validation prevents for foreseeable errors to occur and shall include:

- 446 1. Check that all mandatory request/reply elements are set.
- 447 2. Checks that all set elements do not contain any illegal characters, have the expected  
448 format and size, and have values in expected list or range.
- 449 3. Check that the combination values of elements forms a valid set.

450 In case the request (or the reply) is a message transfer, the validation by the target  
451 component shall include any additional check to ensure that the transferred messages can  
452 be durably stored — see § 3.6 (e.g. the size of the message-content does not exceed the  
453 maximal allowed size).

## 3.6 STORING MESSAGES IN COMPONENTS

454 A component shall contain an internal message-box where it durably stores messages.  
455 Durable (or persistent) means that the message shall be recovered after a software crash or  
456 a hardware failure, when the component restarts (reboot or switch to a backup component in  
457 a redundant architecture).

458 The stored information about a message (either business-message or acknowledgement)  
459 shall be: the content, the header.

460 The Endpoints shall store the compressed (if requested – see § 3.14.1) but non-encrypted  
461 content of the message. The stored header shall include the message signature.

462 Within the message-box, a message shall be associated with additional information only  
463 used locally by the component:

- 464 • Transfer timestamp — set by the component when the message is created/stored in  
465 the message box, and used for priority management — see § 3.13.
- 466 • State — see § 3.7 for possible values and lifecycle.
- 467 • Priority — see § 3.13.
- 468 • Receive timestamp (only used for a business-message), the time when the message  
469 was accepted by the recipient's Endpoint — set when processing the  
470 acknowledgements of the message — see § 3.10.4

471 A component administrator shall be able to configure a purge strategy for each business-  
472 type. A purge strategy indicates how the component manages a business-message that has  
473 reached the final state (see § 3.7). Possible strategies should include:

- 474 • Delete only the message-content (document).
- 475 • Delete the whole message and acknowledgements.
- 476 • Never delete the message.

477 A component administrator shall be able to (long term) archive messages and then delete  
478 the correctly archived messages from the message-box.

### 3.7 LIFECYCLE OF A MESSAGE STATE WITHIN A COMPONENT

479 A business-message has a local state in every component that processes it, and all these  
 480 states do not have the same values at the same time. The state is not transported data; it is  
 481 not part of the message header. The lifecycle of the state of a business-message within a  
 482 component is shown in the figure:

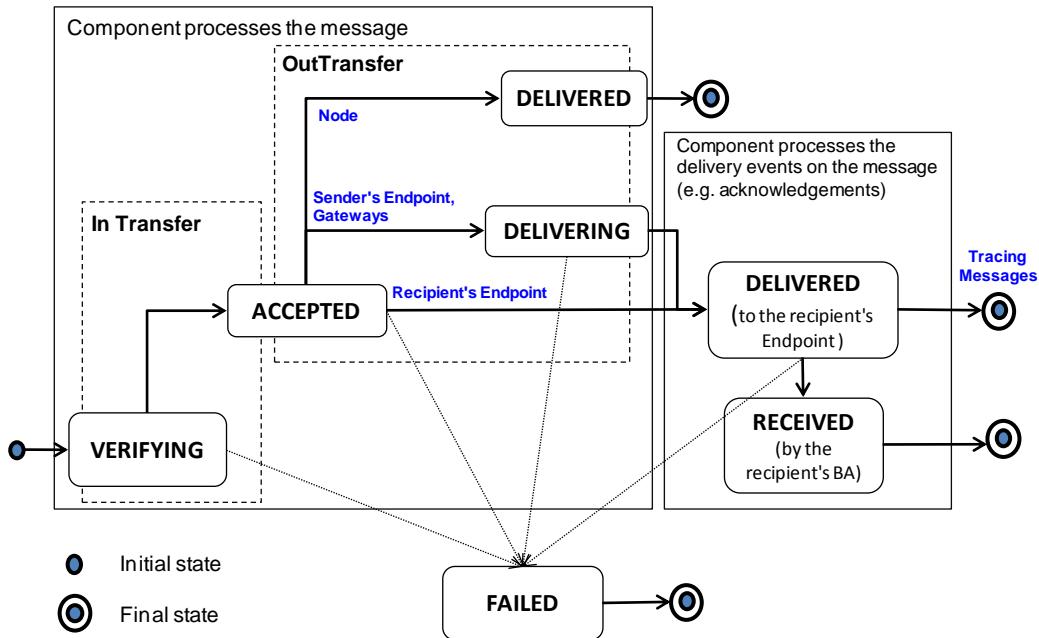


Figure 16: Lifecycle of the local state of a business-message within a component

483 Possible states of a business-message are the followings:

Business-message State	Description
VERIFYING	<p>The successful transfer of the business-message in the component has been confirmed to the component which sent it and, before it may accept it, the message is currently passing some validation checks or pending (e.g. waiting for an external certificate to perform security operations such as signature/encryption).</p> <p><u>Note:</u> a business-message may never be in this state if there is no validation by the component or if this validation is processed before the transfer confirmation (e.g. Node).</p>
ACCEPTED	The business-message has been <u>accepted</u> by the component, and is pending for transfer to the next component on the message route.
DELIVERING	The business-message has been successfully <u>transferred</u> to the next component.

Business-message State	Description
DELIVERED RECEIVED FAILED	<p>After the business-message has been transferred to the next component, the message state is set to the status of the acknowledgements coming back and which inform about the message delivery (see § 3.10).</p> <p>A business-message in the FAILED state is not delivered. A component shall set the business-message state to FAILED when it sends a failure-acknowledgement for the message.</p>

484 Notes:

- 485 • After a message has been successfully transferred (downloaded) from a Node, the state within the Node shall move to DELIVERED which is the final state (and not to DELIVERING). The reason is the following: If a Node is not the home Node of the sender's Endpoint of a business-message, no acknowledgement will ever inform about the rest of the message delivery.
- 490 • When a message is accepted by the recipient's Endpoint, the state within the Endpoint shall be directly set to DELIVERED, because the message has reached the destination Endpoint and does not have a next component.
- 493 • The delivery-status of a business-message, as defined in § 3.4, is the local state of the message in the sender's Endpoint.

## 3.8 TRANSFERRING A MESSAGE BETWEEN TWO COMPONENTS (HANDSHAKE)

495 The transfer handshake is the mechanism which ensures that no message can be lost while  
496 passing from a component to another. A component (referred as “target component”) that  
497 receives a message shall confirm to the sender component (referred as “source component”)  
498 that the message has been transferred.

499 A component is responsible for the message delivery from the moment it sends the transfer  
500 confirmation to the previous component until the moment it receives the transfer confirmation  
501 from the next component.

502 The target component confirms a message transfer to tell the source component that it took  
503 responsibility for the message, and that it should not transfer it again. It means that either:

- 504 • the message has been stored in a durable way,
- 505 • the processing of the message has generated an error that has been logged (e.g.  
506 message inconsistency).

507 The handshake mechanism differs whether the transfer is an upload or a download, as  
508 shown in the following figures. When downloading, the target component initiates the request  
509 and an additional request is used to confirm the transfer to the source component.

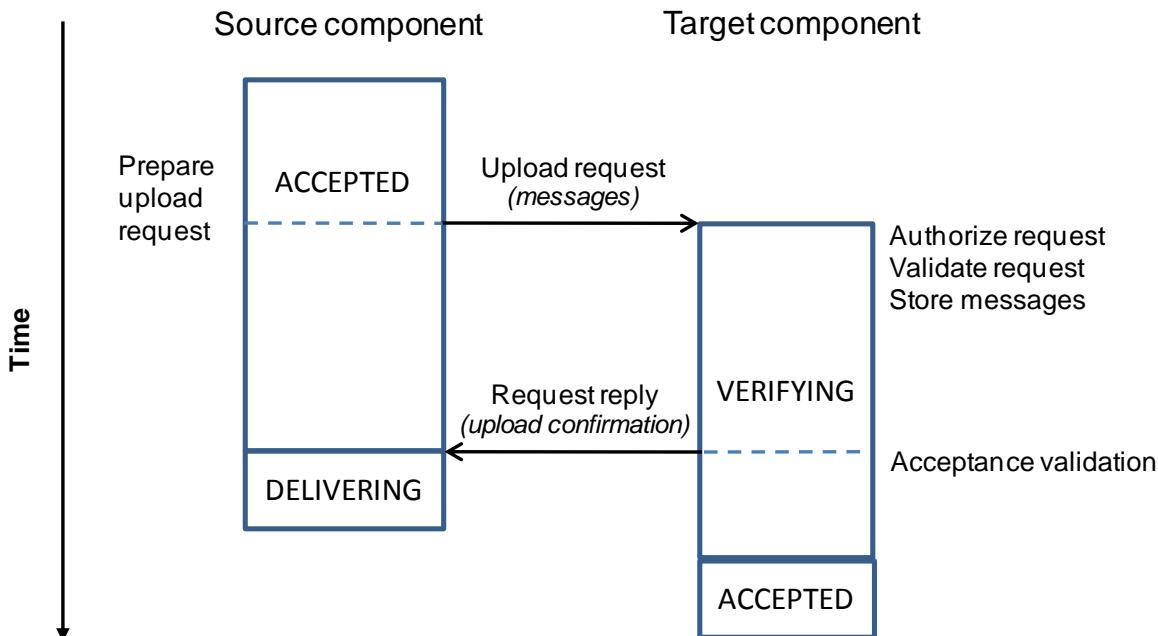


Figure 17: Transfer handshake when uploading of a message

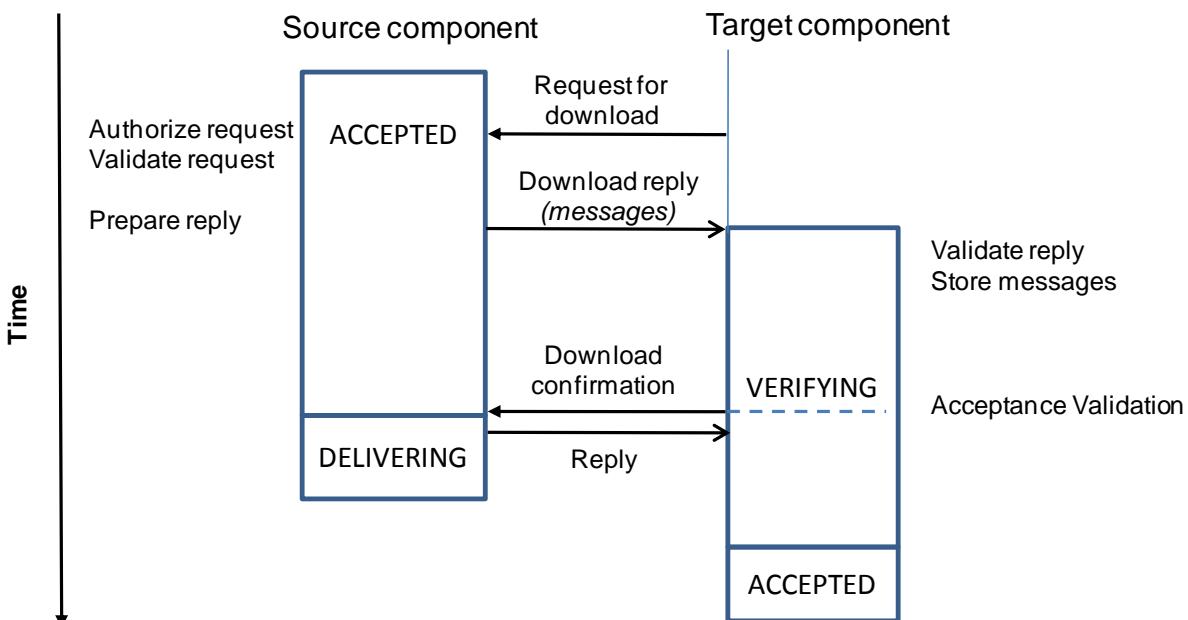


Figure 18: Transfer handshake when downloading of a message

510 Note: the use of the VERIFYING state is a component internal design issue. A target  
511 component can confirm the transfer and set the message in the VERIFYING state before  
512 asynchronously processing the acceptance checks. A target component can confirm the  
513 transfer after it processes synchronously the acceptance checks, so the message state is  
514 directly set to ACCEPTED (or FAILED) — see § 3.9.

- 515 The handshake mechanism applies whether a transfer request contains one or several  
516 messages. Actually, the MADES interfaces for uploads and downloads can transfer bulk  
517 messages, mixing business-messages and acknowledgements — see § 5.3.3. When  
518 multiple messages are transferred simultaneously, the confirmation shall apply to all the  
519 transferred messages. Note that the BAs can only transfer (send or receive) business-  
520 messages one by one with their Endpoint.
- 521 A server component shall not authorize a transfer request from a client component while the  
522 same request from the same client is currently being processed. This is necessary to fulfil the  
523 correct delivery sequence of two messages with the same business-type — see § 3.13. The  
524 bulk transfer is intended to gain performance without the use of concurrent requests.
- 525 The source component shall change the message state to the next state (generally  
526 DELIVERING) after it receives the transfer confirmation.
- 527 When the connection between the components is established or recovered after a failure, the  
528 source component shall transfer all pending messages in the ACCEPTED state. Note that it  
529 may happen that some of those messages have already been transferred, that the target  
530 component already sent the confirmation, but that the source component did not receive it or  
531 failed while processing it. So the target component may receive an already existing message  
532 (recognized with the message ID). In this situation, it shall then just confirm the transfer and  
533 log this duplicate transfer event.

### 3.9 ACCEPTING A MESSAGE

- 534 A component shall accept a transferred message after it passed the validation checks  
535 described in the next table.

Component	Validation checks
Sender's Endpoint	The transferred message can only be a business-message: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Existence of the recipient's Endpoint.</li><li>✓ Availability of the encryption certificate of the recipient's Endpoint, i.e. successfully retrieved from directory cache or home Node directory.</li><li>✓ Successful signature of the message.</li><li>✓ Note: the business-message shall be compressed (if requested) while received by the Endpoint, and it shall be encrypted when uploaded to the Gateway.</li></ul>
Sender's Gateway	(no validation check)
Node	The transferred message can be a business-message or an acknowledgement: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ The recipient's Endpoint has registered with the Node.</li><li>✓ The sender's Endpoint exists in the directory and owns the certificate used to sign the message.</li><li>✓ The certificates used for signing and encryption (if encrypted) exists and are not <u>revoked</u> (see § 3.17.9).</li></ul>

Component	Validation checks
Recipient's Gateway	(no validation check)
Recipient's Endpoint	<p>The transferred message can be a business-message or an acknowledgement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Successful decryption of the content, when encrypted.</li> <li>✓ Successful verification of the signature, when signed.</li> <li>✓ When the message is an acknowledgement notifying the event n°6 (see Figure 15), successful match between the acknowledgement content and the original message fingerprint (hash).</li> <li>✓ Note: a compressed business-message shall be uncompressed when transferring to a recipient's BA.</li> </ul>

536 When a business-message is accepted, the following operations shall be processed as a  
 537 transaction<sup>9</sup>:

- 538     • The message is updated (e.g. decrypted content; change of the local state according  
 539       to the lifecycle).
- 540     • The component notifies the related delivery event – see § 3.10.2.

541 When a business-message is rejected, the component shall notify a failure-event and update  
 542 the message as a transaction.

543 When an acknowledgement is rejected, the component shall log the error and set the  
 544 acknowledgement state to FAILED; this stops the delivery.

## 3.10 EVENT MANAGEMENT

### 3.10.1 ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

545 A component can notify an event which occurs when delivering a business-message, by  
 546 sending an acknowledgment to the sender's Endpoint of the message. The business-  
 547 message on which the event occurs is referred as the original message, and its ID shall be  
 548 included in the acknowledgement header.

549 An acknowledgement shall be routed and delivered using the same transfer (upload and  
 550 download) mechanism as the business-messages, without being acknowledged itself.

551 An acknowledgement shall have the same business-type as the original message.

552 The content of an acknowledgement shall never be compressed or encrypted.

<sup>9</sup> In the whole specification a “transaction” means an operation that must succeed or fail as a complete unit and cannot remain in an intermediate state.

### 3.10.2 NOTIFYING EVENTS

- 553 “Notifying an event” on a message means either:
- 554 • Sending an acknowledgement containing event information.
  - 555 • If the event occurs in the sender’s Endpoint, event information is locally stored, so it can be reported to the sender’s BA requesting for the message delivery status.
- 557 The event issuer shall update the message according the event (e.g. the message state).
- 558 Previous operations shall be realized as a transaction, and the issuer shall log the event.

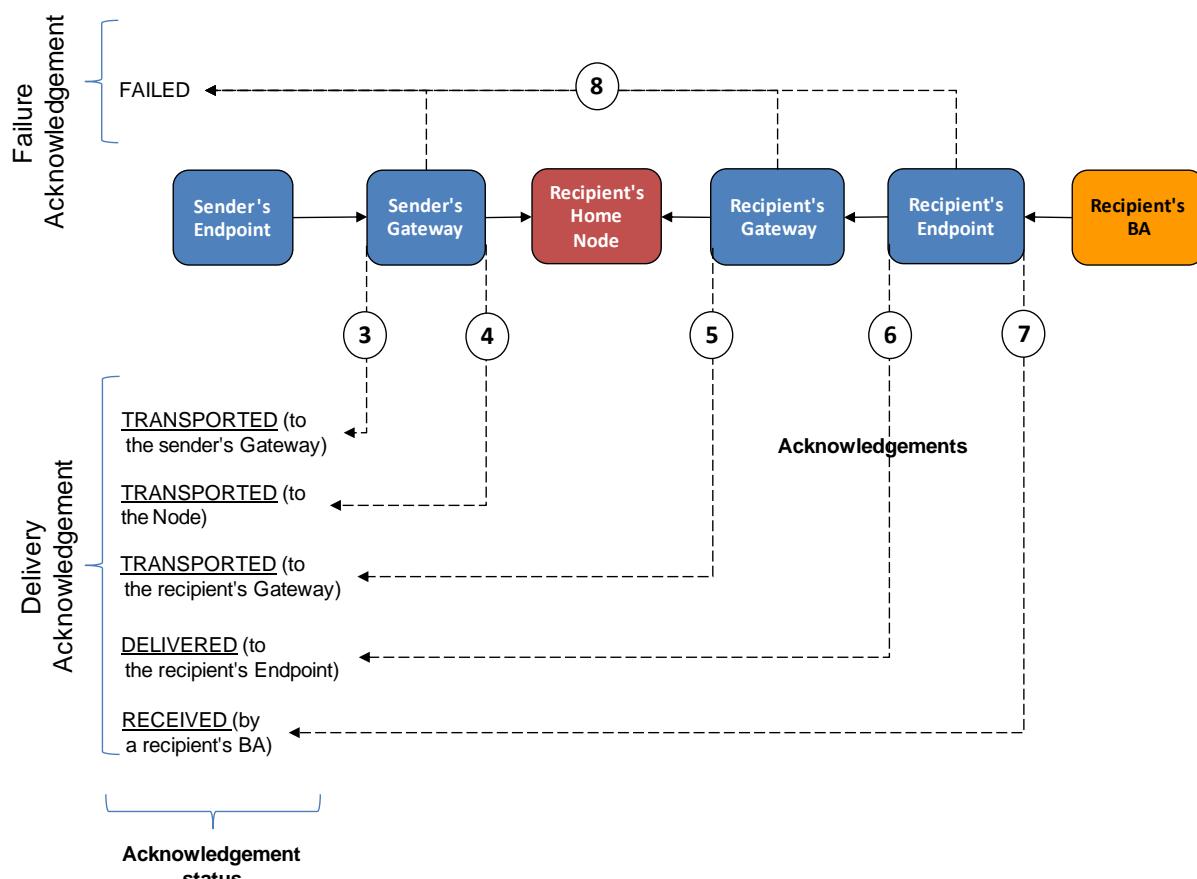


Figure 19: Acknowledgements along the route of the business-message

- 559 The figure shows the issuers and the events notified with acknowledgements. The events are numbered as in Figure 15.
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Event	Event characteristics
1	<u>Status</u> : VERIFYING <u>Issuer</u> : Sender's Endpoint <u>Acknowledger</u> : None (The event is internal to the Sender's Endpoint and does not generate an acknowledgement)

Event	Event characteristics
2	<p><u>Status</u>: ACCEPTED</p> <p><u>Issuer</u>: Sender's Endpoint</p> <p><u>Acknowledger</u>: None (The event is internal to the Sender's Endpoint and does not generate an acknowledgement)</p>
3	<p><u>Status</u>: TRANSPORTED</p> <p><u>Issuer</u>: Sender's Gateway</p> <p><u>Acknowledger</u>: Sender's Gateway</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Content: irrelevant but at least one character.</li> <li>✓ Internal type: DELIVERY_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</li> <li>✓ Signed: No</li> <li>✓ Original message state: ACCEPTED</li> </ul>
4	<p><u>Status</u>: TRANSPORTED</p> <p><u>Issuer</u>: Recipient's Node</p> <p><u>Acknowledger</u>: Sender's Gateway</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Content: it shall contain the "Node component ID" to report to the sender the Node the message was sent to (unless it would not know).</li> <li>✓ Internal type: DELIVERY_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</li> <li>✓ Signed: No</li> <li>✓ Original message state: DELIVERING</li> </ul> <p><u>Comment</u>: A Node never sends an acknowledgement because it could not be delivered if it is not the home Node of the sender's Endpoint of the original message. The reason is that the Gateway of that the sender's Endpoint won't connect to the recipient's Node for downloading messages, including acknowledgements. Thus the Node delegates to the sender's Gateway the issuance of the acknowledgement by notifying in the upload response whether it accepts or rejects the business-message.</p>
5	<p><u>Status</u>: TRANSPORTED</p> <p><u>Issuer</u>: Recipient's Gateway</p> <p><u>Acknowledger</u>: Recipient's Gateway</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Content: irrelevant but at least one character.</li> <li>✓ Internal type: DELIVERY_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</li> <li>✓ Signed: No</li> <li>✓ Original message state: ACCEPTED</li> </ul>
6	<p><u>Status</u>: DELIVERED</p> <p><u>Issuer</u>: Recipient's Endpoint</p> <p><u>Acknowledger</u>: Recipient's Endpoint</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Content: the non-encoded message fingerprint (hash) of the original message — see § 3.14.2.</li> <li>✓ Internal type: DELIVERY_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</li> <li>✓ Signed: Yes</li> <li>✓ Original message state: DELIVERED</li> </ul> <p><u>Comment</u>: State and status are set to DELIVERED because the acknowledger is the recipient's Endpoint of the original message.</p>

Event	Event characteristics
7	<p><u>Status</u>: RECEIVED  <u>Issuer</u>: a recipient's BA  <u>Acknowledger</u>: Recipient's Endpoint</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Content: irrelevant but at least one character.</li> <li>✓ Internal type: RECEIVE_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</li> <li>✓ Signed: Yes</li> <li>✓ Original message state: RECEIVED</li> </ul> <p><u>Comment</u>: A recipient's BA (not a MADES component) delegates to the recipient's Endpoint the issuance of the acknowledgement notifying that the successful transfer of the business-message.</p>
8	<p><u>Status</u>: FAILED  <u>Issuer</u>: any component except the Node.  <u>Acknowledger</u>: any issuer except the sender's Endpoint</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Content: an English readable description of the encountered error or the reason why the message was not accepted.</li> <li>✓ Internal type: FAILURE_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</li> <li>✓ Signed: Only if the issuer is the recipient's Endpoint.</li> <li>✓ Original message state: FAILED</li> </ul> <p><u>Comment</u>: The event is referred as the "failure-event". In case a failure-event occurred in the sender's Endpoint it processes it internally and does not send an acknowledgement.</p>

561 Legend:

Characteristic	Description
Status	The value to set to the "state" element of the "trace" item (see § 5.5.15) reporting the event to the sender's BA through the <i>CheckMessageStatus</i> service - see § 5.2.2.3.
Issuer	The component that notifies (issues) the event.
Acknowledger	The component that sends the acknowledgement, possibly none or possibly different from the issuer.
Content	The content of the acknowledgement message.
Signed	Whether the acknowledgement message is signed or not.
Internal type	The value to assign to the <i>internalType</i> element of the acknowledgement – see § 5.5.10
Original message state	The value to set to the local state of the original message in the issuer component when issuing the event.

### 3.10.3 LIFECYCLE OF AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

- 562 The possible values for the local state of an acknowledgement within a component are a  
 563 subset of the states of a business-message.
- 564 Unless signed using an external device (see § 3.17.3), an acknowledgement is created in the  
 565 ACCEPTED state, otherwise in the VERIFYING state.

Acknowledgement State	Description
VERIFYING	The acknowledgement has been created by the component or successfully transferred to it, and a signature operation is currently processed or pending (e.g. waiting for the external device to be signed, or waiting for the external certificate to verify the signature).
ACCEPTED	The acknowledgement is pending for transfer to the next component towards the destination Endpoint.
DELIVERED	The acknowledgement has been successfully transferred to the next component or has reached the destination, i.e. the sender's Endpoint of the original message.
FAILED	The component encountered an unrecoverable error when processing the acknowledgement. The acknowledgement will never be transferred to another component.

### 3.10.4 PROCESSING A TRANSFERRED ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

- 566 A component shall always accept a transferred acknowledgement.
- 567 When processing a transferred acknowledgement:
- 568 • The component shall log the event notified by the acknowledgement.
  - 569 • In case an unrecoverable or an acceptance error (see § 3.9) occurs, the component  
 570 shall transitionally set the acknowledgement and the original message to the FAILED  
 571 state, and log the error. This stops the acknowledgement delivery.
  - 572 • Otherwise the component shall transitionally:
    - 573 ✓ update the state of the original message according to the event in conformance  
 to Figure 15;
    - 574 ✓ when the event is n°6, set the “receive timestamp” of the original message to the  
 575 time the acknowledgement was created (*generated item – see § 5.5.10*).

577 Notes:

- 578 • The original message may not exist in a Node for it was delivered through another  
 579 Node. The acknowledgement shall then be correctly processed and route.
- 580 • The original message may be in the ACCEPTED state. This may happen when the  
 581 message was transferred and the component did not receive the confirmation. When  
 582 the connection is back, it may receive acknowledgements before the message is  
 583 transferred again.

### 3.11 MESSAGE EXPIRATION

584 The message expiration is a mechanism to notify the sender's BA that a business-message  
585 has not been delivered in the due time to the recipient's Endpoint. When the time limit is  
586 exceeded, the sender's Endpoint changes the state of the message to FAILED.

587 The expiration time of a business-message is the time limit when the sender's Endpoint will  
588 declare that the message delivery has failed, because it has not received the  
589 acknowledgement notifying that the message was accepted by the recipient's Endpoint  
590 (event n°6).

591 Setting the expiration time of a message:

592 An Endpoint administrator shall be able to configure maximum durations for the delivery of  
593 the business-messages as:

- 594 • duration values associated to the business-types;  
595 • a non zero and positive default duration value.

596 The expiration time is part of the header of a message — see § 5.5.10, *expirationTime*. The  
597 time count shall start when the sender's Endpoint confirms the transfer of the business-  
598 message (event n°1). The expiration time shall be set by the sender's Endpoint according to  
599 the business-type of the message. Otherwise the default duration value shall be used.

600 The expiration time of an acknowledgement is the expiration time of the original message.

601 Looking for the expired messages:

602 Each component shall cyclically look for the expired messages either business-messages or  
603 acknowledgements. A message expires when the expiration time is past and the local state  
604 is not amongst DELIVERED, RECEIVED or FAILED.

605 The sender's Endpoint shall notify the expiration of a business-message using an event-  
606 failure. Otherwise the component shall set the local message states to FAILED and log the  
607 expiration (date, message ID, sender, recipient, sending time, expiration time).

608 Note: the default value for maximum delivery duration is a general mechanism to set to  
609 FAILED the state of the messages whose delivery cannot be processed for whatever reason,  
610 ensuring then that they will not be forever delivering (i.e. "zombie" messages').

## 3.12 CHECKING THE CONNECTIVITY BETWEEN TWO ENDPOINTS (TRACING-MESSAGES)

- 611 A tracing-message is a business-message used to check end-to-end connectivity between  
612 two Endpoints using the message tracking process. The message header contains a special  
613 type for a tracing-message (TRACING\_MESSAGE — see § 5.5.11).
- 614 A BA can request to process a connectivity test with any Endpoint. The sender's Endpoint  
615 shall then compose and send a tracing-message to deliver to the required destination  
616 Endpoint.
- 617 To check that the tracing-message reached the recipient's Endpoint, the sender's BA can  
618 check its delivery status, as for any business-message.
- 619 The business-type and the content of a tracing-message are irrelevant but shall have at least  
620 one character. As any business-message, a tracing-message is signed and the content is  
621 encrypted. So the tracing-message delivery success includes the checks of the certificates'  
622 set-up and processing.
- 623 The header of the acknowledgements whose original messages are tracing-messages also  
624 have a special type (TRACING\_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT — see § 5.5.11).
- 625 Because no recipient's BA will ever request for the tracing-message, the final state of a  
626 tracing-message is DELIVERED in all components — see § 3.7.

### 3.13 ORDERING THE MESSAGES (PRIORITY)

627 A component administrator shall be able to configure priority values according to the  
628 business-types, and to configure a default priority value for unknown business-types.

629 A business-message shall have the priority configured for the business-type if defined;  
630 otherwise the default priority.

631 The component shall process pending messages and elaborate the transferred list of  
632 messages using the following order:

- 633 1. A message with higher priority is processed first.
- 634 2. If two messages have the same priority, the one that was first transferred by the  
635 component is processed first — see “Transfer timestamp” in § 3.6.

636 Remarks:

- 637 • The message priority is local to a component. It may differ between components and  
638 is not transported information.
- 639 • Assume that two messages (M1 and M2) of the same business-type are sent in this  
640 order by BA1 to BA2. If BA2 receives both messages, M1 shall be received first.  
641 Whatever priority is configured for the business-type by each component, the delivery  
642 order shall remain unchanged.
- 643 • An acknowledgement has the same priority as the original message, because it has  
644 the same business-type.
- 645 • The priority of the tracing-messages may be configurable; otherwise they have the  
646 default priority.

### 3.14 ENDPOINT FUNCTIONS

An Endpoint provides interfaces for BAs to send and receive messages in a secure way. An Endpoint shall provide the following functions:

- Communication:
  - Connect to a Gateway using HTTPS.
  - Validate the send-requests from the BAs.
  - Validate the receive-requests from the BAs and provide the received documents.
- Pre-processing the to-send business-messages:
  - Compose the business-messages (e.g. create the message ID, set the expiration time, and compress the content).
  - Check the existence of the recipients and get their encryption certificates by the home Node directory.
  - Generate the message signature, and encrypt the message-content.
- Post-processing the received business-messages:
  - Get the signing certificates by the home Node directory.
  - Decrypt the message-content, verify the message signature, and uncompress the message-content.
- Notifying the events on the message delivery:
  - Send and process the acknowledgements.
  - Verify the signature and the content of the acknowledgements.
- Processing the messages:
  - Upload and download the encrypted business-messages to and from a Gateway.
  - Store the messages in the local message-box.
  - Process the validation checks.
  - Look cyclically for the expired messages.
  - Update the messages' states according to delivery progress.
  - Manage the queues with messages pending for uploading or downloading.
  - Process the messages according to local priority rules.
- Processing the tracing-messages:
  - Validate the connectivity test requested by the BAs.
  - Compose the message.
  - Process the tracing-messages downloaded from the Gateway.
- Requesting the Gateway for directory information:
  - Retrieve other Endpoints signing and encryption certificates.
  - Durably store the used signing certificates of the other Endpoints.
- Replying to the messages status requests from BAs.
- Administration:
  - Synchronize the Endpoint time with a reliable source (recommendation is to use a standard OS mechanism such as NTP, the Network Time Protocol).
  - Install Endpoint and CAs certificates (initial and renewed).
  - Archive and purge the logs.
  - Archive and purge the messages.

### 3.14.1 COMPRESSION

688 The sender's Endpoint shall compress the content of each business-message whose  
689 business-type is configured to do so.

690 The Endpoint administrator shall be able to configure the business-types of the business-  
691 messages that shall be compressed.

692 The tracing-messages and the acknowledgements shall not be compressed.

693 Compression shall be done using the ZIP algorithm.

694 Compression means that the message-content is encoded and that following metadata<sup>10</sup>  
695 shall be added to the message header — see § 5.5.10:

Metadata Attribute Name	Metadata Type	Description
Compression	BOOLEAN	Value := true (i.e. the message was compressed)

696 The header of a non-compressed message may also contain the metadata with the attribute  
697 value set to "false".

### 3.14.2 SIGNING

698 The signing principles are presented in § 3.17.1.

699 Only the Endpoints sign the messages. A sender's Endpoint shall sign every business-  
700 message. The recipient's Endpoint shall sign the acknowledgement notifying event n°6.

701 An Endpoint shall verify the signature of every signed message that it receives. A message is  
702 signed if it contains the signature metadata (see further).

703 Signature algorithm shall be RSA-SHA (IETF RFC 3110 - <http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc3110.txt>).  
704 The signature format shall comply with the "XML Signature Syntax and Processing standard"  
705 (<http://www.w3.org/TR/2002/REC-xmldsig-core-20020212/>).

706 An Endpoint shall encode the message hash using the private key of the signing certificate.

707 The manifest used to generate the message hash is:

708     *Compress (content) + baMessageID + extension + generated + internalType*  
709     *+ messageID + relatedMessageID + receiverCode + senderCode +*  
710     *senderDescription + SenderApplication + businessType.*

711 Where:

- the italic names refer to the attribute of the internal message structure as described in § 5.5.10;
- "+" is the binary concatenation of message attributes in UTF-8 encoding;
- Note that the content of the message may be compressed or not, according to § 3.14.1, but not encrypted.

<sup>10</sup> « Metadata » refers to the part of the message header named "metadata" — see § 5.5.10.

717 Signing means that following metadata is added to the message header — see § 5.5.10:

Metadata Attribute Name	Metadata type	value
Algorithm	STRING	Value := SHA-512 <i>(The algorithm used to generate the message hash).</i>
Certificate ID	STRING	The ID of the certificate whose private key was used to generate the signature, i.e. to encode the message hash — see § 3.17.2.
Signature	STRING	The message signature compliant with the “XML Signature Syntax and Processing standard”. The XML signature document is embedded here as a string. <i>(An example of an XML signature document is provided in § 5.6.3).</i>

718 When receiving a message an Endpoint shall check the message was signed, i.e. if the header contains signature metadata, and then:

- 720 1. Recover the signing certificate from the cache or from the home Node.
- 721 2. Verify that the certificate was valid when the message was generated (Certificate expiration date-time is a certificate attribute. The generated date-time of a message is part of the message header);
- 722 3. Verify the XML signature (i.e. the “signature” attribute of the metadata) using the public key of the signing certificate.
- 723 4. Regenerate the message hash of the received message using the “Algorithm”.
- 724 5. Verify that the hash provided by operations 3 and 4 are equal.

### 3.14.3 ENCRYPTION

728 The encryption principles are presented in § 3.17.1.

729 The sender’s Endpoint shall encrypt a business-message before it is uploaded. The recipient’s Endpoint shall decrypt a business-message after it is downloaded.

731 Only the message-content of the business-message shall be encrypted. The acknowledgments shall never be encrypted.

733 The encryption and decryption processes use a combination of asymmetric and symmetric  
734 cryptography.

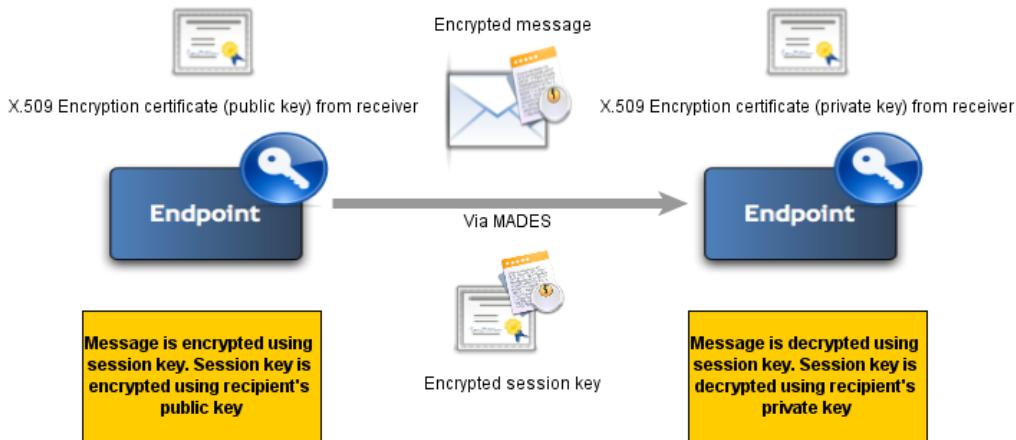


Figure 20: Encryption process

735 The sender's Endpoint shall use the encryption certificate of the recipient's Endpoint. It  
736 retrieves it by the home Node.

737 To encrypt the message-content, the Endpoint shall first generate a random symmetric  
738 encryption key (called the session key), which is used to encode the content of the message.  
739 Then the symmetric key shall be encoded using the public key of the encryption certificate of  
740 the recipient's Endpoint.

741 The symmetric algorithm used to encode the message shall be [AES \(Advanced Encryption](#)  
742 [Standard\)](#) and the key size shall be 256 bits.

743 Encryption means that the message-content is encoded and following metadata shall be  
744 added to the message header — see § 5.5.10):

Metadata Attribute Name	Metadata Type	Description
Cipher	STRING	Value := AES-256 <i>(The algorithm used to encrypt the message-content with the session key).</i>
Certificate ID	STRING	The ID of the certificate whose public key is used to encode the session key — see § 3.17.2.
Session key	BYTE_ARRAY	The value of the session key encoded using RSA algorithm and the public key of the encryption certificate.

- 745 When receiving a message the recipient's Endpoint shall check if the message is encrypted,  
746 i.e. if the header contains encryption metadata, and then:  
747   1. Verify that the certificate ID used to encrypt the message is one of the owned  
748    encryption certificates;  
749   2. Verify that the encryption certificate was valid when the message was generated  
750    (Certificate expiration date-time is a certificate attribute. The generated date-time of a  
751    message is part of the message header);  
752   3. Decode the symmetric session key using the corresponding private key of the  
753    certificate;  
754   4. Decode the message-content using the decoded session key and the algorithm used  
755    for encryption.

### 3.15 GATEWAY FUNCTIONS

- 756 When implemented on a separate machine, a Gateway provides means to:
- 757     • decouple the WAN domain and the party IT internal domain, acting like a proxy that  
758         can be located in a DMZ,
- 759     • Implement a single network connection point for several Endpoints.
- 760 A Gateway shall provide the following functions:
- 761     • Communication:  
762         ◦ Connect to the home Node using HTTPS.  
763         ◦ Authorize the HTTPS connections from the Endpoints.
- 764     • Notifying events on the message delivery:  
765         ◦ Send and process the acknowledgements.
- 766     • Processing messages:  
767         ◦ Upload and download the messages to and from the connected Endpoints and  
768         the home Node.  
769         ◦ Store the messages in the local message-box.  
770         ◦ Look cyclically for the expired messages.  
771         ◦ Update the messages' states according to their delivery progress.  
772         ◦ Manage the queues of messages pending for uploading or downloading.  
773         ◦ Process the messages according to local priority rules.
- 774     • Requesting to the home Node directory:  
775         ◦ Retrieve the URLs of the recipient's Nodes of the messages.  
776         ◦ Retrieve directory information and certificate for its own needs or as requested by  
777         the connected Endpoints.
- 778     • Administration:  
779         ◦ Synchronize the Gateway time with a reliable source (recommendation is to use  
780         a standard OS mechanism such as NTP, the Network Time Protocol).  
781         ◦ Install Gateway and CAs certificates (initial and renewed).  
782         ◦ Archive and purge the logs.  
783         ◦ Archive and purge the messages.

## 3.16 NODE FUNCTIONS

784 A Node shall provide the following functions:

- 785     • Communication:
  - 786         ◦ Authorize the HTTPS connections from the Gateways or the other Nodes.
  - 787         ◦ Connect to the other Nodes using HTTPS.
- 788     • Processing the messages:
  - 789         ◦ Upload and download the messages to and from the Gateways.
  - 790         ◦ Store the messages in the local message-box.
  - 791         ◦ Process the validation checks.
  - 792         ◦ Look cyclically for the expired messages.
  - 793         ◦ Update the messages' states according to the delivery progress.
  - 794         ◦ Manage the queues of messages pending for downloading.
  - 795         ◦ Process the messages according to the local priority rules.
- 796     • Directory services:
  - 797         ◦ Provide the registered Gateways with the Nodes' URLs and the Endpoints' description and certificates.
  - 798         ◦ Request the others Nodes for their reference directory data — see § 3.16.1.
  - 799         ◦ Reply to the others Nodes' synchronization requests — see § 3.16.1.
  - 800         ◦ Manage directory data and the data version (Dversion).
- 802     • Administration:
  - 803         ◦ Register the Gateways and Endpoints.
  - 804         ◦ Generate the certificates for the registered components
  - 805         ◦ Import signing and encryption certificates from externals CAs.
  - 806         ◦ Revoke the Endpoint and Gateway certificates — see § 3.17.9.
  - 807         ◦ Import the synchronization Nodes' List — see § 3.16.2.
  - 808         ◦ Synchronize the Node time with a reliable source (recommendation is to use a standard OS mechanism such as NTP, the Network Time Protocol).
  - 809         ◦ Archive and purge the logs.
  - 810         ◦ Archive and purge the messages.

### 3.16.1 SYNCHRONIZING DIRECTORY WITH OTHER NODES

812 A Node directory is the master reference for all data regarding a sub-network composed of  
813 the Node itself and the registered Gateways and Endpoints.

814 The synchronization between the Nodes is carried out cyclically or on the Node Administrator  
815 demand. Each Node requests the others Nodes for their sub-network data and stores it in its  
816 own directory.

817 The synchronization frequency is defined by the network governance.

818 Example: the following figure shows the Node A that connects to the Node B, and then to the  
819 Node C to obtain their directory data.

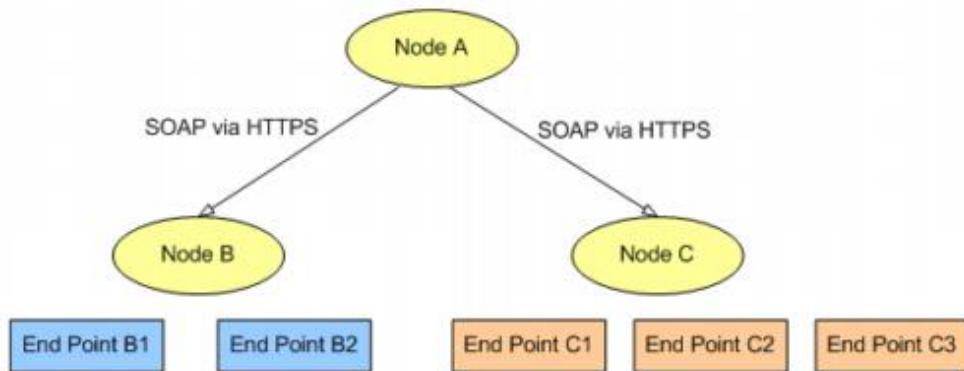


Figure 21: A Node synchronizes with two other Nodes

820 Each Node shall manage a directory version number, referred as the “Dversion” for the  
821 reference data, which increases every time they are updated.

822 Each Node shall store reference data of the other Nodes and the corresponding Dversion.  
823 The Dversion shall always be transferred together with the directory data. When requesting  
824 for data of another Node, the client shall provide the Dversion of the remote data that it  
825 already possesses, so the reply can just inform that data is already up-to-date. Thus the  
826 Nodes may synchronise frequently (e.g. 5 minutes).

827 Synchronized data shall include:

- 828
  - information and certificates of all Endpoints and Gateways registered with the Node,
  - information and certificates of the Node itself.

830 After received data has been validated (e.g. check that none of the received component ID  
831 already exist in another sub-network), the update in directory shall be a transaction.

### 3.16.2 UPDATING THE SYNCHRONIZATION NODES' LIST

832 The network Administrator is responsible to build and send to all the Node Administrators the  
833 list and the access information of all the Nodes of the network, namely for each Node:

- 834 • The Node component ID.
- 835 • The Node access URLs (primary, secondary).

836 The list is a single file, referred as the Node-list file, whose format is described in § 5.4.

837 A Node Administrator shall import the file to update the Nodes to synchronize with.

- 838 • The Node shall process the file as a transaction, i.e. any error (e.g. incorrect format,  
839 non-unique component ID, missing certificate and internal error) shall cause the  
840 rollback of the whole update process, and the directory data shall remain unchanged.
- 841 • The importation process shall ignore information about the current Node which is  
842 included in the list.
- 843 • The synchronization process to update the current Node directory shall be stopped  
844 during the list importation.

845 After importation, the Node Administrator can restart the synchronization to update the  
846 directory with the reference data of the Nodes.

847 A Node shall memorize the last time it successfully retrieved the data of each Node of the  
848 Node-list file. Such information shall be accessible by the Administrator.

849 Note: A message exchanged between two Endpoints having different home Nodes can only  
850 be delivered correctly (including acknowledgements) after the two Nodes have synchronized  
851 with each other at least once.

## 3.17 CERTIFICATES AND DIRECTORY MANAGEMENT

### 3.17.1 DEFINITIONS AND PRINCIPLES

The security of a MADES network is based on a Public Key Infrastructure (PKI). Such infrastructure binds certificates both to the network components and to the parties using the network. Indeed the components cross-check their identities before exchanging information, the sender parties want that the only intended recipients can read the documents, and each party want to authenticate the senders of the documents he received.

Certificates use asymmetric cryptography based on private and public keys. On the contrary of symmetric cryptography, encoding is done using one key and decoding using the other key (which is different, and hence the asymmetry). Where the public key can easily be deduced from the private key, the reverse operation is a very complex mathematical challenge. RSA algorithm is generally used for encoding and decoding.

#### Encryption:

- A document is encrypted<sup>11</sup> when it is encoded with a randomly generated symmetric key. The key is attached to the document in a secret way, being encoded itself with the recipient's public key.
- To decrypt the document, the recipient shall first decode the "encoded symmetric key" using its private key, and then decode the document with the symmetric key.

#### Signing:

- A signature is an encoded fingerprint of a list of resources. The list is referred as the signature manifest. The technical word for the fingerprint is a "hash", which is generated via a strong one-way transformation (e.g. SHA-1, SHA-512). The exact manifest of a MADES message is described in § 3.14.2.
- The algorithm used to generate the hash does not require any key, so anyone having the manifest can generate the hash. Building another meaningful manifest generating the same hash is also a complex mathematical challenge. The signature is the hash encoded with the sender's private key.
- Thus anyone having the manifest, the signature and the sender's public key can verify that the manifest is the one that was manipulated by the sender when he generated the signature. The sender cannot repudiate a manifest he signed.
- Signing refers to the full process, i.e. generating the hash and encoding it.
- Verifying a signature includes: regenerating the hash from the manifest, decoding the signature, and checking that both results are equal.

A Certificate Authority (CA) is an entity that issues certificates.

#### A certificate:

- contains a public key, a name;
- is signed with the private key of the certificate of the issuer CA;

<sup>11</sup> Beware that "Encoding" and "Encryption" are not synonym here. "Encoding" refers to an algorithmic operation, while "Encryption" is the process described here which ensures confidentiality. Both "Encryption" and "Signing" processes use "Encoding" operations.

- 887     • has an expiration date, which is sooner than the expiration date of the certificate of  
888       the issuer CA.

889 When signing a certificate, the issuer CA certifies the ownership of the keys (private and  
890 public) by the party whose name is in the certificate. Other parties can verify the certificate  
891 signature using the certificate of the issuer CA. So, if parties trust a CA, they can then rely  
892 upon the signatures generated using the certificates that the CA has issued.

893 The certificate of a CA may itself have been issued and signed by another CA, the later  
894 delegating to the first the right to issue certificates. The certification chain of a certificate  
895 shows the delegation sequence of CAs: it is the list of the certificates of all CAs' from the  
896 issuer CA until an unsigned or self-signed certificate, referred as the root certificate. The root  
897 certificates of the main public trusting organizations are available and already included in all  
898 popular web browsers.

899 A valid certificate is a non-expired certificate. An expired certificate shall not be used for  
900 authentication, encryption or for signing a document. However, it can still be used to decrypt  
901 old documents or verify their signatures, and thus to prove whatever may be necessary.

### 3.17.2 CERTIFICATES: FORMAT AND UNIQUE ID

902 All components (Endpoints, Gateways, and Nodes) shall use certificates to be authenticated  
903 by their communication peers (transport-layer security), to sign and to encrypt the messages  
904 (message-level security) when necessary.

905 The format of the certificates shall comply with the X.509 ITU-T standard, and the  
906 certificates' keys shall have a length of 2048 bits.

907 The exact concatenation of the standardized attributes "issuer" and "serial number" of a  
908 certificate forms a unique ID, referred as the "certificate ID".

### 3.17.3 USED CERTIFICATES AND ISSUERS (CAs)

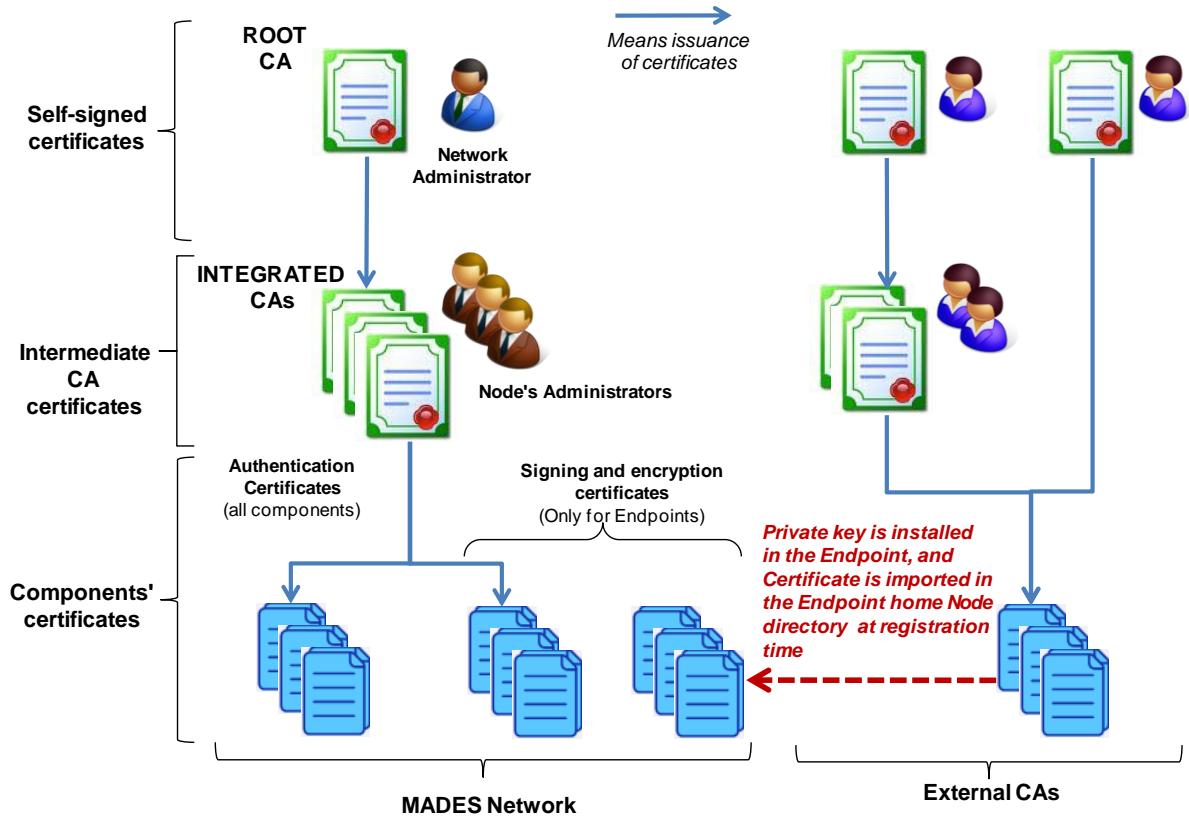


Figure 22: Certificates and Certificate Authorities (CAs) for a MADES network

909 **Transport-layer security** (Authorize data exchanges)

910 Each component (Endpoint, Gateway and Node) shall own an authentication certificate  
911 published in the home Node directory.

912 The authentication certificates are issued by the Network organization as follows:

- 913 • The organization owns a ROOT CA certificate.
- 914 • The organization delegates to each Node Administrator the right to issue the  
915 authentication certificates of the registered Endpoints and Gateways. Each  
916 Administrator owns an INTEGRATED CA certificate issued by the ROOT CA.

917 Each component shall store the authentication certificate and the corresponding private key.  
918 The authentication certificate is used whether the component acts as a client or a server.

919 Whatever the operation using the authentication certificate, it shall fail when the certificate  
920 has expired.

921 **Message-level security** (Protect message confidentiality and authenticate message issuer)

922 Each Endpoint shall own an encryption certificate published in the home Node directory for  
923 the others Endpoints to encrypt the business-messages they sent. The Endpoint uses the  
924 corresponding private key to decrypt the business-messages it receives.

- 925 Each Endpoint shall own a signing certificate published in the home Node directory for the  
926 others Endpoints to verify the signature of the messages they receive. The Endpoint uses the  
927 corresponding private key to sign the messages it sends.
- 928 The signing and encryption certificates can be issued by the home Node Administrator using  
929 the INTEGRATED CA, or by an EXTERNAL CA trusted by the network parties.
- 930 The signing certificate of an Endpoint can either be stored locally or inserted in a  
931 coding/decoding external device (e.g. smart cards).
- 932 The Endpoint shall never encrypt or sign a message using an expired certificate. The  
933 Endpoint shall not decrypt or verify a message signature using a certificate that was expired  
934 at the time the message was created (creation time is included in the message header).
- 935 Every Endpoint shall durably store the signing certificates of the other Endpoints in order to  
936 possess all necessary evidence.

### 3.17.4 DIRECTORY SERVICES

#### Content and updates

938 Each Node shall contain a directory where all the network components are described. Each  
939 entry for a component in the directory shall include:

- 940 • the component ID (non significant);
- 941 • the component display name (human readable);
- 942 • the component type (Endpoint, Gateway, Node);
- 943 • the technical contact information for operation or administration: name of the  
944 responsible person, e-mail and phones; the latter should be non personal (hotline,  
945 operation centre, functional/generic e-mail);
- 946 • the certificates owned by the component (one or several for each purpose including  
947 authentication, signing, and/or encryption – when applicable).

948 The Node administrator shall be able to update the directory entry of any of the registered  
949 components. This includes registering, updating and removing components, importing or  
950 renewing certificates for components. The description of the other Nodes and their registered  
951 components is imported using the Node synchronization — see § 3.16.1 and § 3.16.2.

#### Queries

953 The Gateways and Endpoints shall query their home Node directory to get information on a  
954 component and to retrieve certificates (e.g. to encrypt a message, to verify a message  
955 signature or to authenticate a component that signed a token or a component ID) — see  
956 § 5.3.4.

### 3.17.5 CACHING DIRECTORY DATA

957 To reduce the request flow on the Node directory, the Endpoints and Gateways shall  
958 implement a caching mechanism for directory data.

959 A Node shall implement a TTL (Time-To-Live) mechanism, whose duration is configurable. It  
960 shall provide an expiration time for any dataset returned by a directory request: the time  
961 when the request is processed + the TTL value.

962 An Endpoint or a Gateway shall not use the data in cache when expired, and shall then  
963 request again for the data.

### 3.17.6 ENDPOINT REQUESTING DIRECTORY SERVICES THROUGH A GATEWAY

964 If the required directory data is not found or has expired in the Endpoint cache, the Endpoint  
965 shall request the data from the Gateway.

966 If the required directory data is not found or has expired in the Gateway cache, the Gateway  
967 shall request the data from the home Node directory.

968 This process shall be synchronous, the Endpoint waiting for the Gateway response. In case  
969 there is no connection established with the Node, the Gateway shall return a  
970 NO\_CONNECTION error, so the Endpoint is not blocked, but has to retry later.

### 3.17.7 TRUSTING THE CERTIFICATES OF OTHERS COMPONENTS

#### 971 Authentication

972 A component shall only communicate with a peer component if:

- 973 • the peer component belongs to the ROOT CA certification chain;
- 974 • the authentication certificate of the peer component is successfully verified.

975 During the TLS authentication phase, each peer shall convey to the other the following  
976 ordered certificate chain:

- 977 1. Its own authentication certificate.
- 978 2. The INTEGRATED CA certificate certified by the ROOT CA and which certifies the  
979 authentication certificate.

980 A component shall trust the ROOT CA and any authentication certificate provided by the  
981 home Node (e.g. used for token-authentication).

#### 982 Signing and encryption

983 The Endpoint shall trust the signing and encryption certificates provided by the home Node.

### 3.17.8 RENEWING THE EXPIRED CERTIFICATES

#### 984 Renewing the authentication certificates

985 In case the authentication certificate of a component is renewed, the component will convey  
986 the certificate, possibly certified by a new INTEGRATED CA, to the peer component during  
987 the TLS authentication phase. When the INTEGRATED CA certificate is signed by the  
988 ROOT CA certificate, the communication is possible.

989 Additionally every component shall be configurable to communicate with components whose  
990 certificates may belong to two distinct certificate chains. So when the ROOT CA is renewed,  
991 components can communicate whether their certificate belongs to the old or to the new  
992 certification chain.

#### 993 Renewing process (authentication, signing and encryption):

- 994 • The issuer CA shall renew the certificate enough time before the old one expires so  
995 that their validity periods overlap.
- 996 • The new certificate is published (imported) into the component home Node.
- 997 • The new certificate is then installed into the component (including the private key),  
998 before the old certificate expires.

#### 999 To do so:

- 1000 • A Node directory shall be able to store two certificates of any type for a component.
- 1001 • Until the old encryption certificate expires, a Node shall not provide the new one  
1002 when replying to a directory request, for it may not have been installed into the owner  
1003 component — see rules for the *GetCertificate* service; § 5.3.4.2.
- 1004 • An Endpoint shall be able to contain simultaneously two encryption certificates  
1005 (private key).

1006 Installing a new certificate into a component shall not last more than 5 minutes to ensure  
1007 business continuity.

### 3.17.9 REVOKING A CERTIFICATE

1008 A certificate shall only be revoked for security reasons when there is a reasonable doubt that  
1009 it could be misused.

1010 Revoking a certificate is a request to the certificate issuer. As a result, the issuer usually  
1011 inserts the certificate serial number in a Certificate Revocation List (CRL), which can be  
1012 publicly accessed. MADES does not implement such a CRL mechanism.

1013 Within a MADES network, revoking a certificate is a request to the administrator of the Node  
1014 where the component has registered. The Node administration tool shall provide the ability to  
1015 revoke any certificate of a registered Endpoint or Gateway. The certificate shall then be  
1016 tagged as revoked in the Node directory<sup>12</sup>. This tag is:

- 1017 • propagated to others Nodes by the Node synchronization mechanism ;
- 1018 • used to decide whether a requested certificate is delivered or not — see § 5.3.4.2.

<sup>12</sup> This shall increase the directory Dversion — see § 3.16.1.

1019 The Node administrator shall be able to revoke a certificate either issued by the  
1020 INTEGRATED CA or by an EXTERNAL CA.

1021 Such revocation of a certificate issued by an EXTERNAL CA has no link with the revocation  
1022 process stated by the issuer in his certificate policy. The certificate owner shall also and  
1023 always and independently ask for the certificate revocation by the certificate issuer. No  
1024 MADES components ever access to any CRL of an external issuer.

1025 The consequences of a certificate revocation, resulting from the message delivery  
1026 mechanism described in the previous sections, are summarized in the next table.

Revoked certificate	Consequences
Endpoint Signing certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>From the revocation moment, all business-messages and all signed acknowledgements coming from the Endpoint and uploaded to the home Node will be <u>rejected</u>.</li> <li>The business-messages and the signed acknowledgements coming from the Endpoint and uploaded to another Node will be <u>rejected</u> after the Node has synchronized with the Endpoint home Node.</li> <li>The messages to and from the Endpoint pending in a Node (home or not) before the revocation tag is updated in the Node, will be <u>delivered</u>.</li> </ul>
Endpoint Encryption certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>From the revocation moment, all business-messages for the Endpoint and uploaded to the home Node will be <u>rejected</u>.</li> <li>The business-messages for the Endpoint pending in the home Node before the revocation moment, will be <u>delivered</u> to the Endpoint.</li> </ul>
Endpoint Authentication certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>From the revocation moment, the home Node will <u>reject downloading</u> messages for the Endpoint. Those messages will be delivered (if not expired) after the Endpoint has renewed the certificate.</li> <li>The Endpoint can still exchange with the Gateway until the revoked certificate cached data expires in the Gateway cache.</li> </ul>
Gateway Authentication certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The authentication-token to the home Node cannot be renewed → all requests are rejected by the Node.</li> <li>The authentication-token to the others Nodes cannot be renewed after they synchronize with the Gateway home Node.</li> </ul>

1027 Note: The process to renew a revoked certificate is defined by the network governance.

## 3.18 ABOUT GATEWAYS

### 3.18.1 ENDPOINT CHANGING OF GATEWAY

1028 A Node shall not restrict the Gateways that an Endpoint can use. An Endpoint may change of  
1029 Gateway in case of failure.

### 3.18.2 ENDPOINT WITHOUT A GATEWAY

1030 The MADES specification has been designed so that a single component could merge the  
1031 Endpoint and the Gateway functions and communicate with the BAs and the Nodes.

1032 Such a component complies with the MADES specification and shall be registered as an  
1033 Endpoint.

1034 The component may not notify the events n°3 and n°5 during a business-message delivery  
1035 (acceptance by Gateways — see Figure 15).

1036 Other components shall behave correctly when such a component is included in the network.  
1037 Following are examples of over-specified functions that shall be avoided:

- 1038 • A Node checks that the connecting client is a Gateway.
- 1039 • A component checks that event n°3 or event n°5 is missing during a message  
1040 delivery.

## 4 MANAGING THE VERSION OF THE MADES SPECIFICATION

### 4.1 ISSUES AND PRINCIPLES

1041 When the MADES specification changes from version N-1 to version N, a MADES network  
1042 should then upgrade to the new version.

1043 A “big bang” rollout on all components would be both complex to coordinate and risky  
1044 regarding business continuity, and thus unacceptable.

1045 A smooth rollout means that an upgraded Endpoint can successfully exchange messages  
1046 with a non-upgraded Endpoint (using version N-1), and that two upgraded Endpoints can  
1047 successfully exchange messages using version N.

1048 This section shows how such a rollout shall be done and the constraints that any version of  
1049 the specification should satisfy.

#### 4.1.1 ROLLING OUT A NEW VERSION (MVERSION AND N-COMPLIANCE)

1050 The rollout of a new version shall start with Nodes. A Gateway shall only upgrade after the  
1051 home Node did. An upgraded Endpoint shall only connect to an upgraded Gateway.

1052 A Node upgraded to version N can successfully process the requests from the non upgraded  
1053 Gateways if and only if it still exposes interfaces compliant with version N-1. So, as a general  
1054 rule, a server upgraded to version N shall still expose the N-1 compliant interfaces. Also the  
1055 upgraded Gateways and Nodes shall still request, being clients, the non-upgraded Nodes  
1056 (e.g. for authentication, message transfer and synchronization).

1057 A component is referred as N-compliant when it complies with version N of the MADES  
1058 specification, and when it can successfully transfer messages with components which  
1059 comply with version N-1.

1060 From version 2, every component shall be N-compliant. This means that it complies with a  
1061 version and can exchange using the previous version.

1062 Every component shall access the installed version to which it complies, referred as the  
1063 Mversion (MADES version).

1064 Notations:

- 1065 • A N-service or a N-interface is a service or an interface that complies with the version  
1066 N of the MADES specification.
- 1067 • A N-component is a N-compliant component (e.g. N-Node, N-Endpoint). Note that a  
1068 N-component exposes (as server) or uses (as client) N-services and N-1-services.
- 1069 • A N-message is a message composed according to the version N of the MADES  
1070 specification.

#### 4.1.2 SERVICE COMPATIBILITY

1071 A N-component server exposes both N-interface and N-1-interface. This does not mean that  
1072 the N-interface is completely new (e.g. some services may not change).

1073 It is up to the specification team to decide which and how the functions, the interfaces and  
1074 the services evolve. The possible changes for a service are among the followings:

N°	Service changes
1	The service does not change.
2	The description of the service does not change but the way the elements are used in queries and responses does change. E.g.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Some previously technically optional elements are now functionally required.</li> <li>New values are now possible in the elements (e.g. new encryption algorithm using different metadata).</li> </ul>
3	The description of the service changes in a compatible way. E.g.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A new optional element is created.</li> <li>A mandatory element becomes optional.</li> <li>An unused optional element is removed.</li> </ul>
4	The description of the service changes in a non compatible way → Actually, it's a new service with a new name.

1075 In order to allow the specification team to use all these possibilities, most services include a  
1076 “serviceMversion” element as part of the request. So the service behaviour can change  
1077 without creating a new service, provided the client uses that element to tell the server which  
1078 version of the specification it is working with. The server can then process the request and  
1079 reply as expected.

#### 4.1.3 MESSAGE COMPATIBILITY

1080 The description of a message or the way a message is composed may evolve from version  
1081 N-1 to version N. When this happens, a N-1-component will probably fail to process a N-  
1082 message.

1083 To ensure that a sender's Endpoint composes a message that a recipient's Endpoint can  
1084 understand, the principles are the followings:

- 1085 • The Node directory shall store (dynamically) the installed Mversion of the registered  
1086 Endpoints, which is then transferred to other Nodes through the synchronization  
1087 process.
- 1088 • Each Endpoint shall notify its installed Mversion to the home Node when starting.
- 1089 • The directory services shall provide the installed Mversion of an Endpoint.
- 1090 • The description of a message contains a “messageMversion” element which tells the  
1091 version of the specification to which the message complies.

- 1092 • The transfer (upload and download) N-services shall mix N-messages and N-1-
- 1093 messages, e.g. the collection of messages transferred in the *UploadMessage* request
- 1094 can contain both N-messages and N-1 messages.
- 1095 • A sender's Endpoint shall compose a business-message that the recipient's Endpoint
- 1096 can understand —see detailed rules in § 4.2.4.
- 1097 • A component shall compose an acknowledgment using the same Mversion as the
- 1098 original message.
- 1099 • In case a component receives a message that it cannot process:
  - ✓ It shall reject the message, while confirming the transfer when a Node.
  - ✓ Otherwise it shall log the error and (if possible) it may store the message in the
  - 1101 FAILED state, and shall issue a failure-event.

#### 4.1.4 INTERFACE WITH BAs

1103 The BAs are not concerned with the MADES specification version; so the used Mversion is  
1104 not an element of the Endpoint interface.

1105 A change in a service of the Endpoint interface should be backward compatible; otherwise  
1106 the new specification should create a new service, and both (old and new) services should  
1107 be described in the new specification. New BAs would then use the new service, and existing  
1108 applications would migrate to the new service. Thus the migration timescale for the BAs can  
1109 be kept independent of the network component upgrade.

1110 An Endpoint Administrator shall be able to configure an association between a business-type  
1111 and a minimum required Mversion. The default value is 1. It can be used when some new  
1112 features available from this version are required for the business process (e.g. new  
1113 encryption algorithm).

## 4.2 USING THE CORRECT VERSION FOR SERVICES AND MESSAGES

### 4.2.1 NODE SYNCHRONIZATION AND AUTHENTICATION

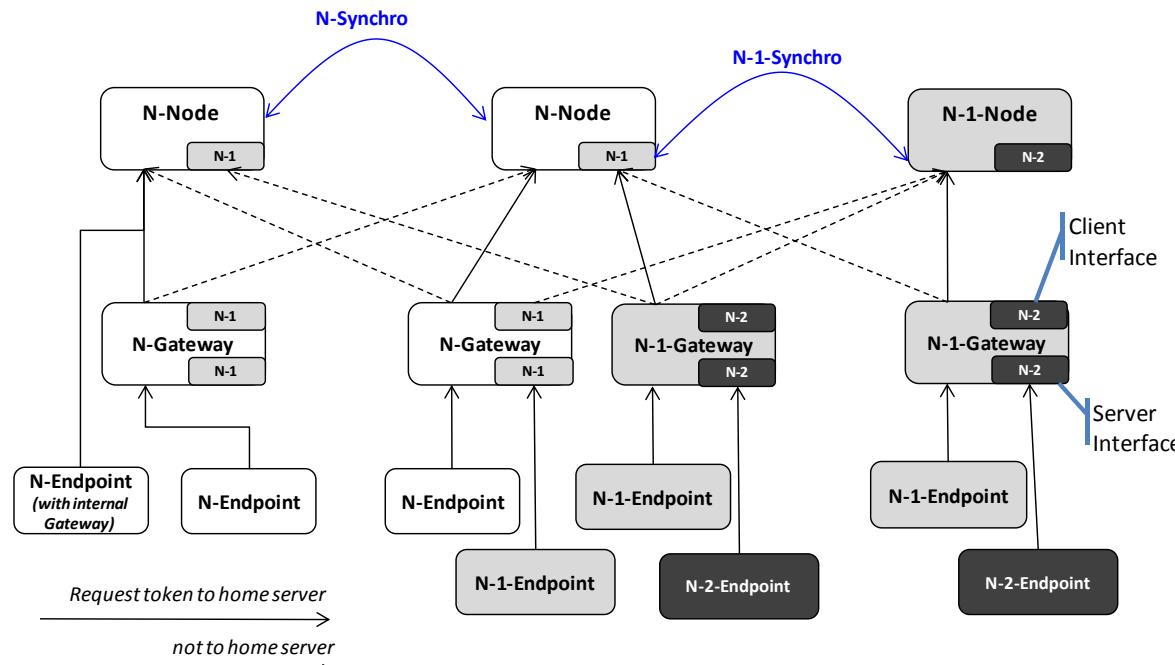


Figure 23: Managing the specification version – Node Synchronization and Authentication

1114 The figure shows which version of the authentication and synchronisation service is used  
 1115 between components. A N-component server also exposes a N-1-interface and, acting as a  
 1116 client can request the N-1-interface of a N-1-component server.

#### Node synchronization:

- A Node shall request and store the Mversion of each Node of the Node-list file.
- The *GetNodeMversion* service (see § 5.3.5.1) shall be used by a Node to get the Mversion of a Node of the Node-list file, each time the Node (re)starts and each time the Node-list file is updated.
- A  $N_A$ -Node shall stop synchronizing with a  $N_B$ -Node when  $|N_A - N_B| > 1$ .
- When requesting for a  $N_B$ -Node data using the *GetAllDirectoryData* service (see § 5.3.5.2), a  $N_A$ -Node shall use the N-service, where  $N = \text{Min}(N_A, N_B)$ .

#### Requesting for an authentication-token:

- A N-Endpoint shall request for a token to a Gateway using the N-service.
- A N-Gateway shall request for a token to the home Node using the N-service.
- A  $N_G$ -Gateway shall request for a token to another  $N_N$ -Node using the N-service where  $N = \text{Min}(N_G, N_N)$ <sup>13</sup>. The Mversion of the Node is available in the home directory with the Node routing information.

<sup>13</sup> In a network where the rollout rule is more binding (*A Gateway shall only upgrade after all Nodes did*), a N-Gateway can always and simply use the N-services with any Node (home or other).

## 4.2.2 DIRECTORY SERVICES AND NETWORK ACCEPTANCE

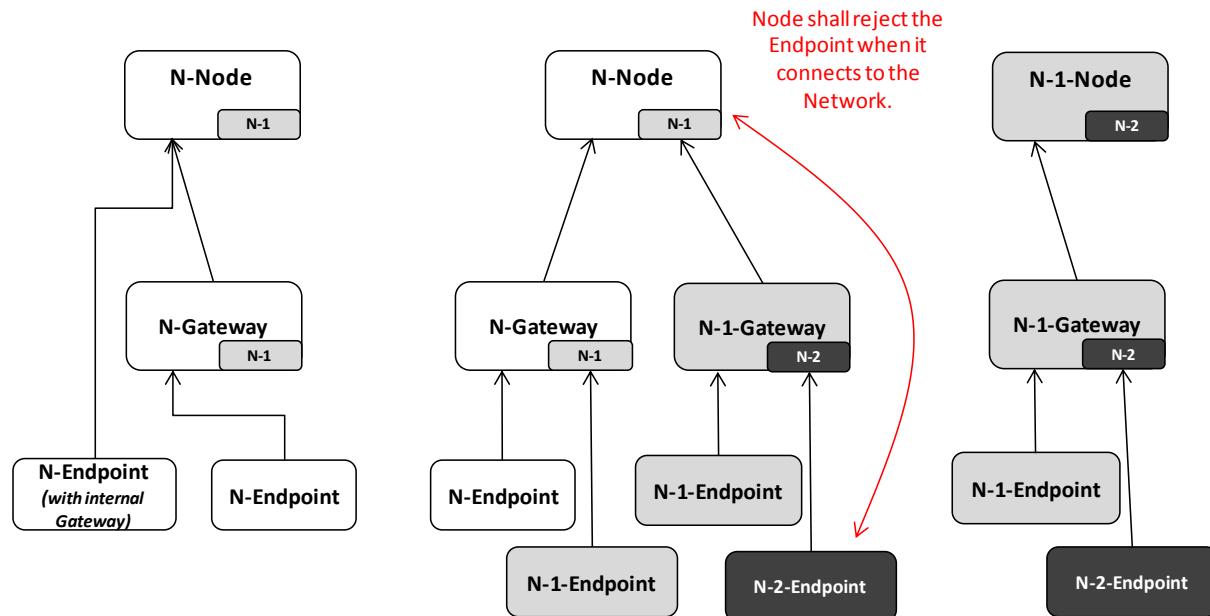


Figure 24: Managing the specification version – Directory services

- 1131 A N-component shall always use the N-interface when requesting a directory service.
- 1132 After a client component has obtained an authentication-token from its home server (Endpoint with Gateway, Gateway with home Node), it shall always request for acceptance in the network.
- 1133 To do so, the component uses the *SetComponentMversion* service (see § 5.3.4.1) to tell the server about its installed Mversion. The reply informs the component whether it is accepted or rejected by the network.
- 1134 A rejected component shall log the error and stop running.
- 1135 Acceptance by the home Node
  - 1136 • A  $N_N$ -Node shall reject a  $N_C$ -component when either:
    - 1137 ✓ the component did not register with the Node;
    - 1138 ✓ the Node cannot authenticate the component (i.e. incorrect signed Endpoint ID);
    - 1139 ✓  $(N_C > N_N)$  or  $(N_C < N_N - 1)$ .
  - 1140 • Otherwise the Node shall accept the component, store the component Mversion in the directory, increase the directory data version (Dversion) if  $N_C$  changes, and reply providing its own Mversion ( $N_N$ ).
  - 1141 • A Node shall log that the Mversion of a component has changed; or that the component has been rejected.
- 1142 Gateway relaying an Endpoint request:
  - 1143 • A Gateway shall durably store the last known Mversion of the home Node :  $N_{LN}$
  - 1144 • A  $N_G$ -Gateway shall reject a  $N_E$ -Endpoint when either:
    - 1145 ✓ The Gateway cannot authenticate the Endpoint (i.e. incorrect signed ID);
    - 1146 ✓  $(N_E > N_G)$  or  $(N_E < N_G - 1)$  ;

- 1154 ✓ The home Node is not accessible and the Gateway did never connect to it (i.e.  
1155 N<sub>LN</sub> is unknown)  
1156 ✓ The home Node is not accessible and ((N<sub>E</sub>>N<sub>LN</sub>) or (N<sub>E</sub><N<sub>LN</sub>-1)).  
1157 • Otherwise the Gateway relays the request to the home Node and returns the Node  
1158 reply to the Endpoint, or accepts the Endpoint providing N<sub>LN</sub> as the Node version.

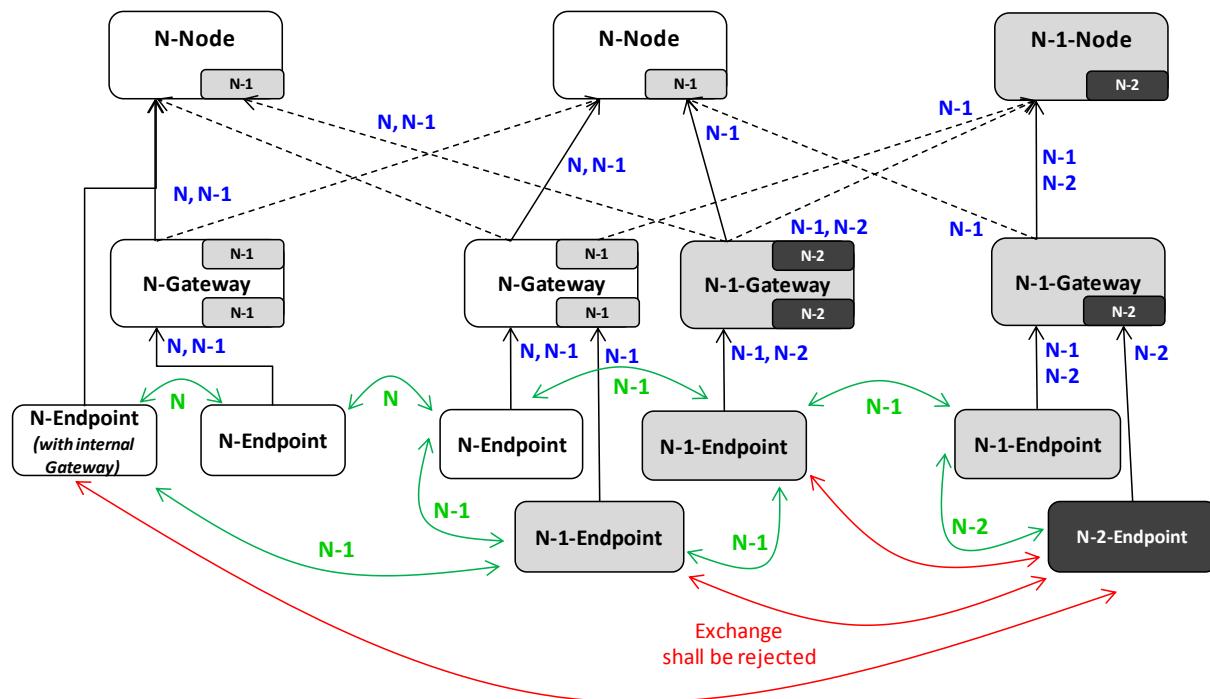
1159 The issue is that the BA, the Endpoint, the Gateway and possibly other Nodes  
1160 communicate during the Node downtime (whatever possible considering the directory  
1161 data in cache).

#### 1162 Upgrading a component

- 1163 When a server component restarts, after the installed version has changed, no  
1164 session information (e.g. token) from the previously connected clients shall remain.  
1165 This ensures that all clients will newly request for network acceptance.
- 1166 In case a running Gateway detects that the home Node Mversion has changed, it  
1167 shall force all currently connected Endpoints to newly request for network acceptance  
1168 (e.g. by expiring the authentication-tokens).

1169 Note: In case an N-1-Endpoint is stopped, other components will continue to send it N-1-  
1170 messages. When it comes back to the network, being upgraded to version N, other  
1171 components will still continue to send it N-1-messages until their directory cache (see  
1172 § 3.17.5) is renewed. But the Endpoint will process correctly those N-1-messages. Only the  
1173 pending N-2-messages will be rejected, but anyway the Endpoint cannot exchange anymore  
1174 with those peers until they upgrade.

### 4.2.3 MESSAGING SERVICES



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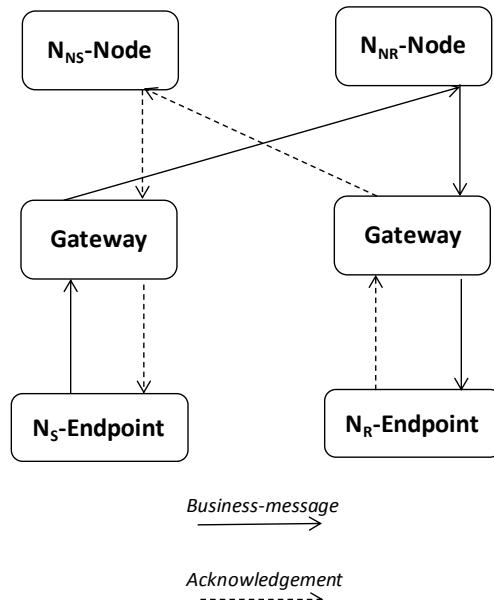
Figure 25: Managing the specification version – Messaging services

1176 The figure shows:

- the messaging services that shall be used between components and the possible Mversion of the transferred messages (in blue);
  - the Endpoints that can exchange messages and the required Mversion for the exchange (in green).

1181 The figure presents a situation where two Endpoints cannot exchange although they only  
1182 have 1 version difference (N-2, N-1). The reason is that the N-1-Endpoint has registered with  
1183 a N-Node. And the N-Node will reject either the business-message or the acknowledgement.

#### 4.2.4 WHICH VERSION TO USE TO SEND A MESSAGE?



*Figure 26: Managing the specification version – Which version to use to send a message?*

Mversion	
$N_S$	The Mversion of the sender's Endpoint.
$N_{NS}$	The Mversion of the home Node of the sender's Endpoint.
$N_R$	The Mversion of the recipient's Endpoint.
$N_{NR}$	The Mversion of the home Node of the recipient's Endpoint.
$N_B$ — see § 4.1.4	The minimum Mversion required for the business-type

1184 The used version should be  $N = \text{Min}(N_S, N_R)$ , however the message shall be rejected if one  
1185 of the following conditions is verified:

Condition	Reason for rejection
$N_R$ unknown	The MADES version of the recipient's Endpoint is unknown.
$ N_R - N_S  > 1$	The sender's Endpoint and the recipient's Endpoint are not MADES compatible.
$ N_{NR} - N_S  > 1$	The sender's Endpoint is not MADES compatible with the recipient's Node
$ N_{NS} - N_R  > 1$	The recipient's Endpoint is not MADES compatible with the sender's Node.
$N_B > N_S$	The sender's Endpoint is not MADES compatible with the minimal version required for the business-type
$N_B > N_R$	The recipient's Endpoint is not MADES compatible with the minimal version required for the business-type.

## 5 INTERFACES AND SERVICES

### 5.1 INTRODUCTION

1186 This chapter all services for components to exchange each other or with the BAs. The  
 1187 description provides all elements in a request and the corresponding reply independently of  
 1188 an implementation language.

#### 5.1.1 ERROR CODES

1189 In case a service encounters an unrecoverable error, it returns information on the error.  
 1190 When not described the set of the returned elements is as follows:

Element name	Description	Element type
errorCode	A code representing the type of error.	string
errorID	Unique identification of the error.	string
errorMessage	An English readable text describing the error.	string
errorDetails	(optional) Additional English readable details about the error context.	string

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String value for errorCode	Description
INVALID_PARAMETERS	The provided parameters (i.e. request elements) are incomplete, are not in the expected format or do not have the expected syntax.
AUTHENTICATION_ERROR	The peer component cannot be authenticated
VALIDATION_ERROR	The message is not valid (content size exceeded, unknown sender/recipient, signature is not valid etc.).
INTERNAL_ERROR	Internal application error. The error was not caused by the content of request but by the application itself ( <i>Null Pointer Exception</i> in code, full database etc.)
NO_CONNECTION	Used in Endpoint to Gateway communication, when there is no connection to the Node.
CONCURRENT_ERROR	The server component is already processing a concurrent request from the same client.

## 5.1.2 TYPES FOR TIME

1192 All date and time shall be expressed in UTC (Coordinated Universal Time). The used time  
1193 types are:

- 1194 • “timestamp” technically means “xsd:long”, and the value is the number of milliseconds  
1195 since ‘midnight 1.1.1970 UTC’.
- 1196 • “dateTime” technically means “xsd:dateTime” and the value is according to the XSD  
1197 specification (<http://www.w3.org/TR/xmlschema-2/#dateTime>).

## 5.2 ENDPOINT INTERFACE

### 5.2.1 OVERVIEW

1198 The Endpoint interface provides the Business Applications (BAs) with the access to the  
1199 MADES communication network.

1200 MADES specifies this interface using Web services – The BA calls the web services exposed  
1201 by the Endpoint.

1202 There are 5 available services:

- 1203 • *SendMessage* — used to upload a message into the Endpoint in order to send it to  
1204 another Endpoint.
- 1205 • *ReceiveMessage* — used to download a message from the Endpoint.
- 1206 • *CheckMessageStatus* — used to check the current delivery status of a message.
- 1207 • *ConnectivityTest* — used to check if another Endpoint can be reached.
- 1208 • *ConfirmReceiveMessage* — used to notify the Endpoint that a received message has  
1209 been technically accepted by a BA.

1210 The BAs can access to the network using files. This interface is called FSSF (File System  
1211 Shared Folders) and is described in § 5.2.3.

## 5.2.2 SERVICES

### 5.2.2.1 SENDMESSAGE SERVICE

1212 The *SendMessage* service is used by a BA to upload a message into the Endpoint in order to  
1213 send it to another Endpoint.

1214 Service request elements

Element name	Description	Element type	Required
message	Sending context, content and requested destination of the message.	SentMessage (see § 5.5.21)	True
conversationID	Unique identifier associated with the request.	string	False

1215 About *conversationID*: There are situations where the sender's BA may not receive back or  
1216 may fail to durably store the returned message ID, for example in case of failure of the  
1217 Endpoint, of the network or of the BA itself. So the BA doesn't know if the message was or  
1218 was not correctly transferred to the sender's Endpoint. There are two subsequent issues:

- If the message was actually correctly transferred and stored in the Endpoint, the BA doesn't know the message ID needed for further processing, such as checking the delivery status of the message.
- Considering that losing a message is a non acceptable risk, the BA will send the message again when the connection with the Endpoint is restored. The drawback is that the same message may then be sent twice with two different IDs.

1225 So, resending the message using the same *conversationID* value solves both issues. Indeed,  
1226 when an Endpoint is requested to send a message with a *conversationID* value that has  
1227 already been used for an existing stored and sent message, it shall not send the message  
1228 again but return the caller BA with the ID of the already existing message. The  
1229 recommendation is that *conversationID* := *senderApplication* + *baMessageID*.

1230 Service response elements

Element name	Description	Element type
messageID	The UUID (Universal Unique ID) of the message composed and stored by the Endpoint — see § 3.2.	string

1231 Additional<sup>14</sup> error elements for the service

Element name	Description	Element type
receiverCode	The component ID of the requested recipient's Endpoint for the message.	string

<sup>14</sup> In addition to the elements described in § 5.1.1.

### 5.2.2.2 RECEIVEMESSAGE SERVICE

1232 The *ReceiveMessage* service is used by a BA to download a message from the Endpoint.

1233 Service request elements

Element name	Description	Element type	Required
businessType	The business-type of the requested message — see § 3.3.  Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9]+ <sup>15</sup>	string	True
downloadMessage	The service returns, if any, the first received and pending message having the requested business-type. “First” means according to the priority defined in § 3.13.  The content (or document) of the message is or is not returned according to the value of the element: true := returned; false := not returned.	boolean	True

1234 Service response elements

Element name	Description	Element type
receivedMessage	Sending context and possibly content of a message.	ReceivedMessage (see § 5.5.19)
remainingMessagesCount	The number of remaining messages received by the Endpoint, matching the requested business-type and waiting for delivery.  In case the service returns the content of a message, the message is not included in the count of the remaining messages.	integer

1235 Additional error elements for the service

Element name	Description	Element type
businessType	The business-type that was requested.	string

1236 Note: until the recipient’s BA confirms to the recipient’s Endpoint that the message is correctly transferred using the *ConfirmReceiveMessage* service, the Endpoint shall consider that the message has not been transferred, but is still pending and shall be transferred again next time a BA requests for the business-type. This ensures that no message may be lost.  
1237 As a consequence the BAs must be aware that, in some failure or recovery situations, they  
1238 may possibly receive an already delivered message (i.e. having a known message ID).  
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<sup>15</sup> Pattern is the « regular expression » that the element value shall match.

### 5.2.2.3 CHECKMESSAGESTATUS SERVICE

1242 The *CheckMessageStatus* service is used to check the current delivery status of a message.

1243 Service request elements

Element name	Description	Element type	Required
messageID	The UUID (Universal Unique ID) of the message whose status is requested — see § 3.2.	string	True

1244 Service response elements

Element name	Description	Element type
messageStatus	All Information about the message delivery.	MessageStatus (see § 5.5.13)

1245 Additional error elements for the service

Element name	Description	Element type
messageID	The requested message ID.	string

### 5.2.2.4 CONNECTIVITYTEST SERVICE

1246 The *ConnectivityTest* service can be used to check if another Endpoint can be reached. The service just sends a tracing message whose delivery-status can further be requested using the *CheckMessageStatus* service. The connectivity is successful, i.e. the tracing-message has reached the recipient's Endpoint, when the status is DELIVERED.

1250 Service request elements

Element name	Description	Element type	Required
receiverCode	The component ID of the recipient's Endpoint whose connectivity is checked. Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-@]+	string	True

1251 Service response elements

Element name	Description	Element type
messageID	The message ID of the tracing-message.	string

1252 Additional error elements for the service

Element name	Description	Element type
receiverCode	The component ID of the recipient's Endpoint whose connectivity check was requested.	string

### 5.2.2.5 CONFIRMRECEIVEMESSAGE SERVICE

1253 The *ConfirmReceiveMessage* service is used by a recipient's BA to confirm the download  
1254 transfer of a message from the recipient's Endpoint.

1255 A BA cannot reject a message; the business functional acceptance (i.e. compliance with  
1256 business rules) is another issue. If a message is not confirmed back, for example in case of  
1257 failure, the Endpoint will provide it again at the next *ReceiveMessage* call.

1258 In case a BA encounters an unrecoverable error when processing a transferred message,  
1259 and when the error comes from the message itself (e.g. inconsistent elements) and not from  
1260 the application (e.g. file system full), the BA should confirm the transfer, log the error and  
1261 possibly alert, otherwise the message will indefinitely be retransferred by the Endpoint until it  
1262 is confirmed.

1263 Service request elements

Element name	Description	Element type	Required
messageID	The UUID (Universal Unique ID) of the message whose transfer to the BA is being confirmed — see § 3.2.	string	True

1264 Service response elements

Element name	Description	Element type
messageID	The UUID (Universal Unique ID) of the message whose transfer has been confirmed.	string

1265 Additional error elements for the service

Element name	Description	Element type
messageID	The requested message ID.	string

## 5.2.3 FILE SYSTEM SHARED FOLDERS (FSSF)

### 5.2.3.1 INTRODUCTION

The FSSF interface is the way for a BA to exchange documents as files with the Endpoint. The file system where the files are written is accessed by the Endpoint as local file system. The principles are the followings:

- All the sender's BAs write in a common and unique OUT-folder the documents that the Endpoint shall send.
- The recipient's BAs read in an IN-folder the documents that the Endpoint has received.
- Additional information that is necessary for the message delivery is included in the filenames. Such information is the request/reply elements of the *SendMessage* and *ReceiveMessage* services.
- The organisation of the directories is local to each Endpoint and is configurable.

When implemented, a file interface with the Endpoint shall comply with the FSSF interface as described in the current section.

Note: There are differences between interfacing the Endpoint using FSSF and using the webservice interface.

- *CheckMessageStatus* and *ConnectivityTest* services are not supported.
- *ConfirmReceiveMessage* is implicit; i.e. a message is moved to the RECEIVED state in the recipient's Endpoint when the content has been successfully written into a file in the IN-folder.
- Actually FSSF, i.e. the processing of sending and receiving documents using files, may be considered —and also probably built— as a Business Application (BA) embedded with the Endpoint.

### 5.2.3.2 USED FILES AND FILE NAMING CONVENTION

There are 4 types of files used by the FSSF interface. Each file type is written into a separate folder.

The filenames are built from several parts joined by underscores ("\_").

- Each part is limited to alphanumeric or hyphen characters. Accented characters, white spaces, and special characters shall not be used.
- Joining underscores must be present even when optional part is missing or empty.

Type	Folder / Writer	Description and Filename format
<b>Files to be sent</b>	OUT / BAs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The folder contains the files written by BAs to be sent by the Endpoint.</li> <li>The sender's Endpoint removes from the folder the files that it has processed correctly (i.e. accepted files are deleted) or not (i.e. rejected files are moved to the OUT_ERROR folder).</li> <li>Filenames: &lt;SenderBA&gt;_&lt;Recipient&gt;_&lt;BusType&gt;_&lt;BAmessagelD&gt;.&lt;Ext&gt;</li> </ul>
<b>Failed files</b>	OUT_ERROR / Sender's Endpoint	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The folder contains the files that the sender's Endpoint did not process correctly. They have been moved from the OUT-folder to the OUT-ERROR-folder without changing their names.</li> <li>It's up to the Endpoint Administrator to analyse and clean up the folder.</li> <li>The filenames can match or not the "files to send" filename format. Note that not matching the filename format is a reason for the file not to be processed correctly.</li> </ul>
<b>Received files</b>	IN / Recipient's Endpoint	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Each file in the folder contains the content of a message that has been received by the recipient's Endpoint. The filename is built from the header information of the received message.</li> <li>The files should be removed from the folder when processed, correctly or not, by the recipient's BAs.</li> <li>Filenames: &lt;SenderBA&gt;_&lt;Sender&gt;_&lt;BusType&gt;_&lt;BAmessagelD&gt;_&lt;MessageID&gt;.&lt;Ext&gt;</li> </ul>
<b>Log files</b>	OUT_LOG / Sender's Endpoint	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The folder contains one log file for each message accepted by the Endpoint.</li> <li>The file contains English readable text. Each line reports an event about the message delivery, and is the concatenation of the <i>MessageTraceItem</i> structure, as provided in the <i>CheckMessageStatus</i> service response.</li> <li>The file is appended with a new line each time a new event for the message is notified to the sender's Endpoint.</li> <li>It's up to the Endpoint Administrator to clean up the OUT_LOG folder.</li> <li>The filename is the exact name of the sent file with an added ".log" extension: &lt;SenderBA&gt;_&lt;Recipient&gt;_&lt;BusType&gt;_&lt;BAmessagelD&gt;.&lt;Ext&gt;.log</li> </ul>

Filename parts	Type	Description
<BAmessagelD>	Optional	An identifier of the document provided by the sender's BA. Information is transported "as is" to the recipient's BA. — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-]*
<BusType>	Mandatory	The business type for the message (see § 3.3). — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-]*
<Ext>	Optional	The file extension — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-]*
<MessageID>	Mandatory	The UUID (Universal Unique ID) of the message composed by the sender's Endpoint (see § 3.2) — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-]+
<Sender>	Mandatory	The component code of the sender's Endpoint. — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-@]+
<SenderBA>	Optional	The identifier of the sender's BA. — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-]*
<Receiver>	Mandatory	The component code of the recipient's Endpoint. — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-@]+

1294 Additional rules:

- 1295 • The to-be-sent filenames without extension shall not end with the dot character (“.”).
- 1296 • The sender’s Endpoint shall ignore files in the OUT-folder with extension “TMP” (or  
“tmp”).
- 1297 • The sender’s Endpoint shall fail to send the files that matches one of the following  
1298 conditions:
  - 1300 1. Filename does not match the “files to-be-sent” Filename format.
  - 1301 2. Filename is longer than 200 characters.
  - 1302 3. File is empty.

### 5.2.3.3 CONCURRENT ACCESS TO FILES

1303 As the BAs and the Endpoint concurrently access to the files, special attention is required to  
1304 avoid access conflicts and data losses.

#### Access conflicts

1305 To avoid access conflicts between the writer and a reader of the file:

- 1307 • The file-reader shall ignore files whose extension is “TMP” (or “tmp”).
- 1308 • The file-writer shall write the data first in a temporary file whose extension is “TMP”  
1309 (or “tmp”), and then rename it changing the extension (note: “rename” is an atomic  
1310 operation on every file system).

#### Data losses

1312 Data may be lost if a file is overridden by another file having the same filename. To avoid  
1313 this, each file should have a unique filename:

- 1314 • OUT – OUT\_ERROR – OUT\_LOG: It is highly recommended that the BAs uses  
1315 <SenderBA> and <BAmessageID> to ensure they cannot use the same filename.
- 1316 • IN: the use of <MessageID> in the filename ensures that the content of two different  
1317 messages will always be written in 2 different files.

### 5.2.3.4 CONFIGURING FSSF

1318 The Administrator shall be able to configure the Endpoint with following information:

- 1319 • OUT folder name;
- 1320 • OUT\_ERROR folder name;
- 1321 • OUT\_LOG folder name;
- 1322 • A list of business-types, and for each one an associated folder name and a default  
1323 extension.

1324 The recipient’s Endpoint shall write in files the content of the business-messages whose  
1325 business-type is in the configured list:

- 1326 • The file shall be written in the IN folder which is associated with the message’s  
1327 business-type.
- 1328 • The file shall have the extension provided in the “extension” attribute of the message  
1329 header — see § 5.5.10. When none, the extension shall be the default extension for  
1330 the message’s business-type.

## 5.3 GATEWAY & NODE INTERFACES

### 5.3.1 OVERVIEW

1331 The Gateway interface provides the Endpoint with the access to the network. MADES  
1332 specifies the interface exposed by the Gateway using Web services — over SOAP/HTTPS  
1333 protocol.

1334 The Node interface provides the Gateway access to the Node. MADES specifies the  
1335 interface exposed by the Node using Web services – over SOAP/HTTPS protocol.

1336 Both Node and Gateway Interfaces expose the same services grouped as follows:

- 1337 • Authentication service — see § 5.3.2.
- 1338 • Messaging services — see § 5.3.3.
- 1339 • Directory services — see § 5.3.4.

1340 The Node synchronization interface is used by the Nodes to synchronize their directory data  
1341 each other. MADES specifies the interface using Web services – over SOAP/HTTPS  
1342 protocol — see § 5.3.5.

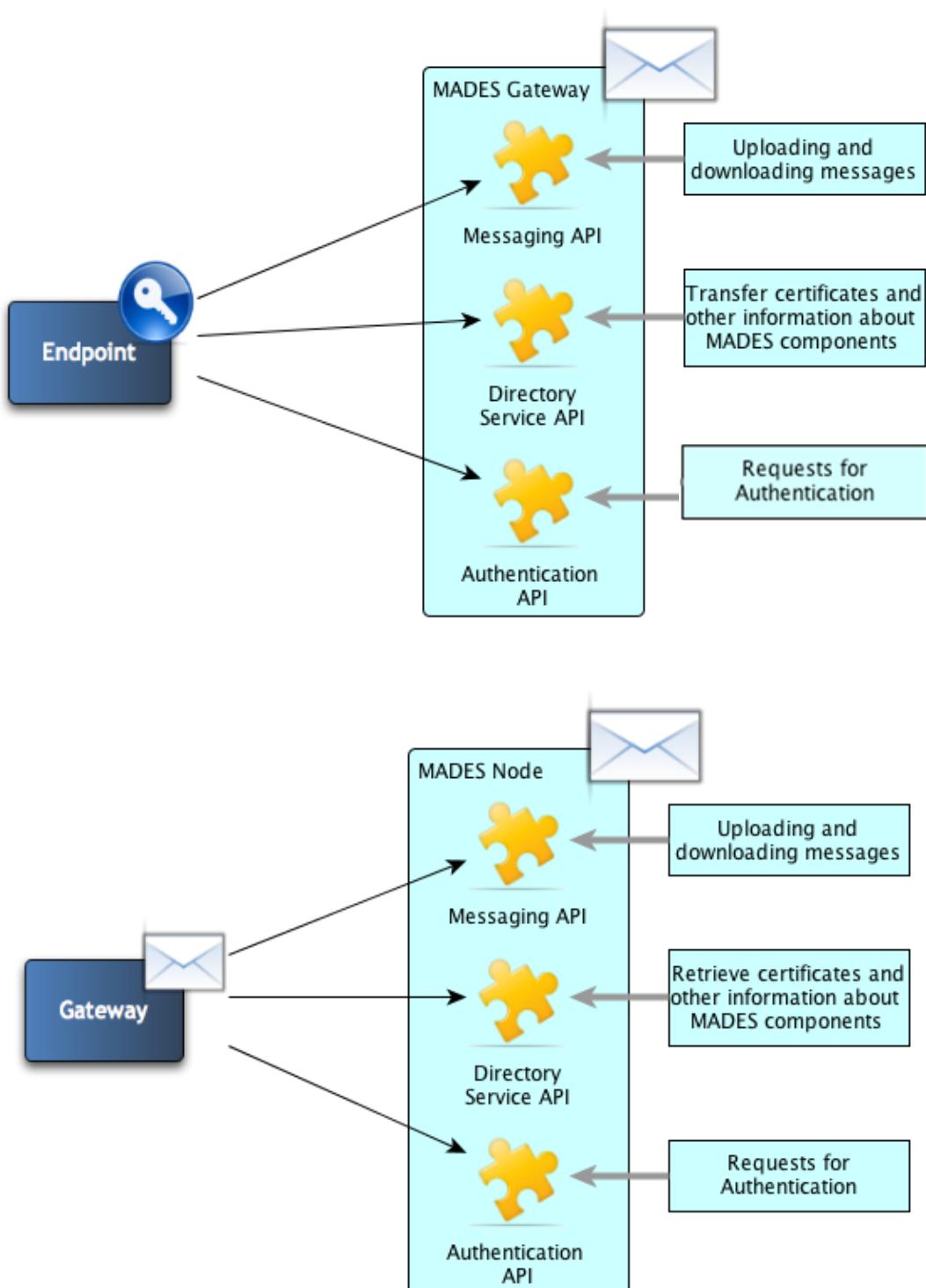


Figure 27: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Overview

### 5.3.2 AUTHENTICATION SERVICE

1343 There is one authentication service, named *GetAuthenticationToken*, used by a client  
 1344 component to retrieve a token supplied by a server component, which is referred as the  
 1345 “authentication-token”. The token has an expiration time (i.e. date and time). Such a token  
 1346 can be generated as a UUID.

1347 The client shall then return the authentication-token signed with the authentication certificate  
 1348 for every following request — see § 3.5.2. The client has to renew the authentication-token  
 1349 using the same service when expired.

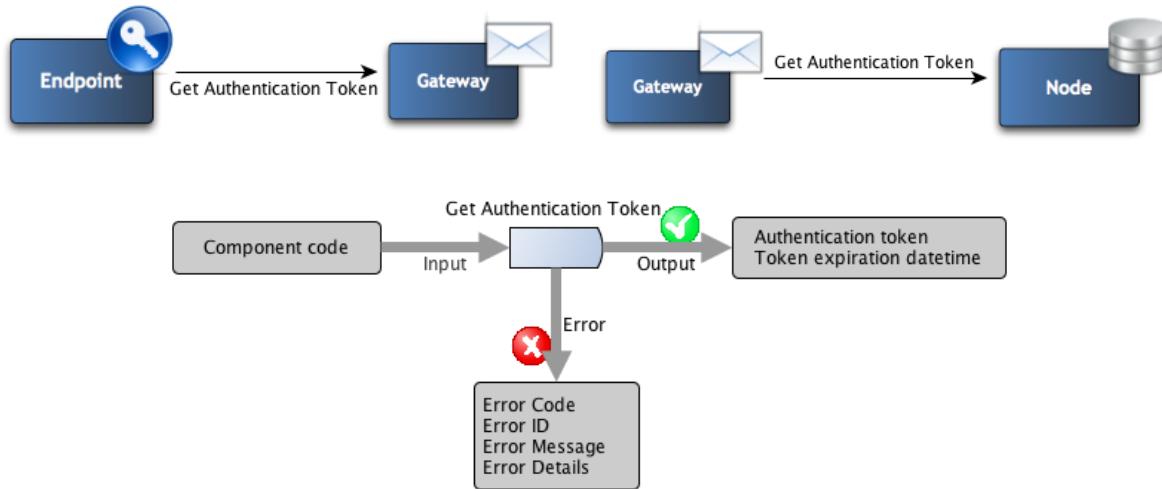


Figure 28: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Authentication Service

1350 Service request elements

Element name	Type	Description	Required
componentCode	string	The component ID of the connecting client requesting for an authentication-token.	True
serviceMversion	integer	The MADES version of the current service that is requested by the client – see § 4.1.2.	True

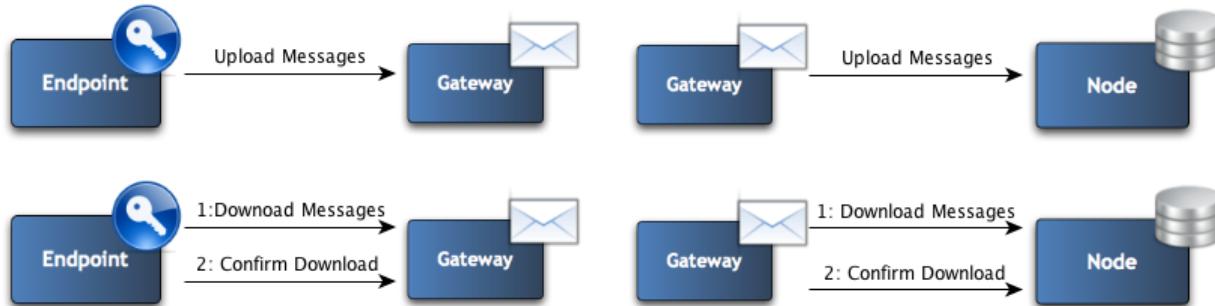
1351 Service response elements

Element name	Type	Description	Required
authToken	string	The requested authentication token.	True
expiration	timestamp	The expiration date and time of the provided authentication-token.	True

### 5.3.3 MESSAGING SERVICES

1352 Messaging services are operations for bulk upload and download of messages.

1353 The download process is a two-phase operation: first the client downloads messages from  
1354 server; then it confirms that the download was successful — see § 3.8.



*Figure 29: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Messaging Services*

1355 Two limits shall be configurable within each source component regarding the bulk transfer  
1356 mechanism (defined by the network governance):

- 1357 • the maximum number of messages in one transfer.
- 1358 • the maximum allowed size for the request (upload) or the reply (download), which  
1359 contains the messages.

#### 5.3.3.1 “TRANSFER CONFIRMATION” VERSUS “ACCEPTANCE”

1360 The transfer confirmation is a technical mechanism to notify a source component that the  
1361 target component has taken responsibility for the message. If the source component does  
1362 not receive the confirmation, it remains responsible for the message delivery and shall then  
1363 transfer it again.

1364 The acceptance of a message by a component generally means more, i.e. that the message  
1365 has passed additional validation checks. Moreover, acceptance always leads to an event  
1366 notification (whether delivery or failure).

##### 1367 Upload:

1368 When a Node accepts an uploaded message, it delegates the event notification of the event  
1369 n°4 to the sender's Gateway and uses the upload response to do so. Other components shall  
1370 not use the upload response to reject a business-message. The interpretation of the possible  
1371 responses by the sender's Gateway is:

- 1372 1. No confirmation is received; the message shall be transferred again.
- 1373 2. The message is accepted; a delivery acknowledgement shall be issued if the  
1374 message is a business-message.
- 1375 3. The message is rejected (it shall only on a business-message); a failure  
1376 acknowledgement shall be issued and the message shall not be transferred again.

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### Download:

The target component of a download transfer (recipient's Gateway or recipient' Endpoint) always issues the acknowledgement. So there is no need to accept or reject a message when confirming the transfer (see *ConfirmDownload* § 5.3.3.4).

### 5.3.3.2 UPLOADMESSAGES SERVICE

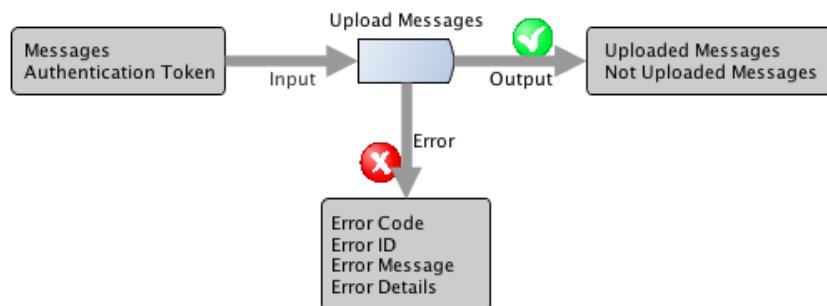


Figure 30: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Messaging Services – UploadMessages Service

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#### Service request elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
messages	InternalMessage[] (see § 5.5.10)	The collection of the messages to be uploaded ordered according to priority rule in the client.	True
authToken	AuthenticationToken (see § 5.5.2)	The authentication token provided by the server which is signed back by the client using the <u>authentication</u> certificate.	True
serviceMversion	integer	The MADES version of the current service that is requested by the client – see § 4.1.2.	True

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#### Service response elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
uploadedMessages	string[]	The collection of the IDs of the messages which are confirmed as transferred, or accepted.	False
notUploadedMessages	notUploadedMessageResponse[] (see § 5.5.17)	The collection of {ID, error details} for each non-accepted (i.e. rejected) message.	False

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Each ID of the uploaded messages provided in the response shall belong to one and only one of these two collections.

### 5.3.3.3 DOWNLOADMESSAGES SERVICE

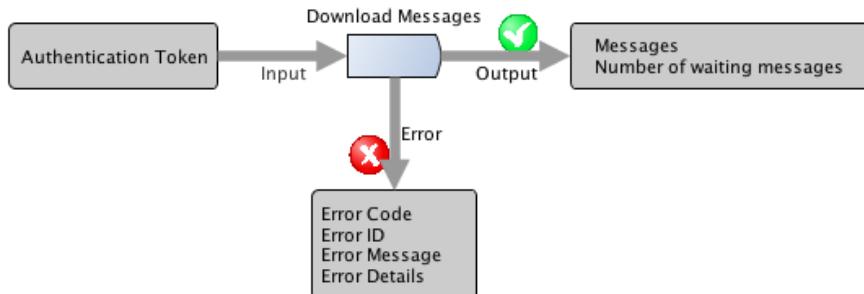


Figure 31: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Messaging Services – DownloadMessages Service

- 1385 A client component shall present the signed component IDs of the Endpoints for which it  
 1386 requests messages. The certificate used for signing an Endpoint ID shall be the  
 1387 authentication certificate of the Endpoint.
- 1388 A Gateway can verify the signed ID from an Endpoint, and shall use it when requesting for  
 1389 downloading messages from the Node.
- 1390 The Gateway should simultaneously download messages all the connected Endpoints,  
 1391 provided it presents the collection of theirs signed IDs. To do so the Gateway has to cache  
 1392 the signed IDs received from the Endpoints. However a Gateway shall only download  
 1393 messages for an Endpoint if the authentication token with the Endpoint is valid (not expired).

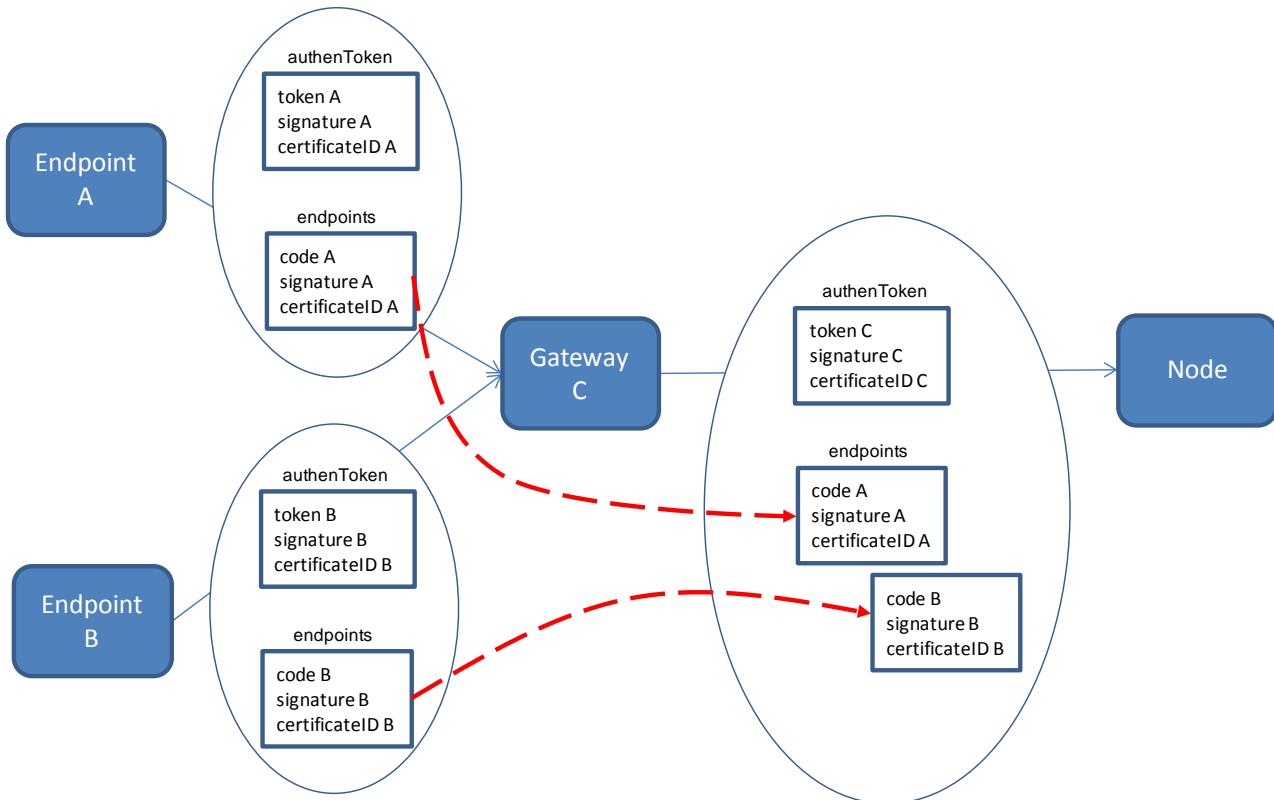


Figure 32: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Messaging Services – Download authorization

1394 The Node shall verify that every Endpoint ID is successfully signed with a non-revoked  
1395 authentication certificate of the Endpoint, and log an error message when the verification  
1396 fails.

1397 The Node shall process the request while omitting the failed IDs, and reject it when none  
1398 succeeded. Thus a failing Endpoint won't block other Endpoints connected to the Gateway.

#### 1399 Service request elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
endpoints	Endpoint[] (see § 5.5.9)	A collection of signed component IDs of some recipient's Endpoints whose messages are requested for download.	True
authToken	AuthenticationToken (see § 5.5.2)	The authentication token provided by the server which is signed back by the client using the <u>authentication</u> certificate.	True
serviceMversion	integer	The MADES version of the current service that is requested by the client – see § 4.1.2.	True

#### 1400 Service response elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
messages	InternalMessage[] (see § 5.5.10)	The collection of the IDs of the messages which are confirmed transferred — see § 3.8	False
waitingMessages	integer	The number of messages, matching the request, not included in the current response and still waiting to be downloaded by the client.	True

### 5.3.3.4 CONFIRMDOWNLOAD SERVICE

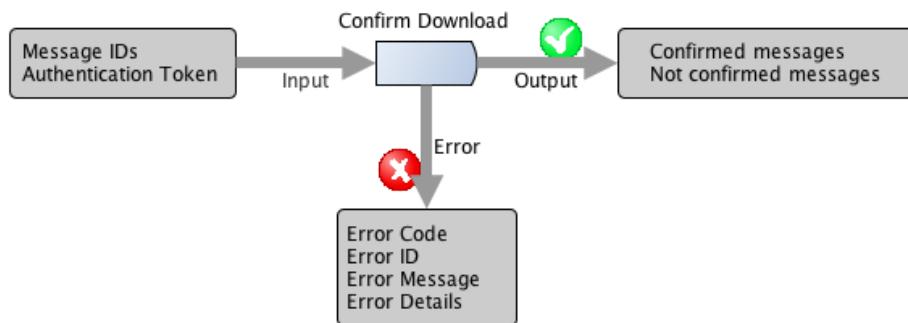


Figure 33: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Messaging Services – ConfirmDownload Service

1401 The client (source) component shall confirm all or none of the messages that were previously  
1402 transferred during the previous download request.

#### 1403 Service request elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
messageIDs	string[]	The collection of the IDs of the messages whose download transfer is confirmed.	False

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
authToken	AuthenticationToken (see § 5.5.2)	The authentication token provided by the server which is signed back by the client using the <u>authentication certificate</u> .	True
serviceMversion	integer	The MADES version of the current service that is requested by the client – see § 4.1.2.	True

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### Service response elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
confirmedMessages	string[]	(Unused)	False
notConfirmedMessages	NotConfirmedMessageResponse [] (see § 5.5.17)	(Unused)	False

## 5.3.4 DIRECTORY SERVICES



Figure 34: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Directory Services

### 5.3.4.1 SETCOMPONENTMVERSION SERVICE

1405 SetComponentMversion is used by a component to be accepted in the network — see  
1406 § 4.2.2.

1407 To prevent that a component sends wrong data which could disrupt the network behaviour,  
1408 the component ID shall be signed.

1409 Service request elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
componentCode	string	The ID of the component requesting for network acceptance.	True
signature	string	The RSA encoding of the SHA-1 hash of the component ID (componentCode) of the component requesting for network acceptance.  The certificate used for encoding shall be the <u>authentication certificate</u> of the component.	True
certificateID	string	The ID of the certificate used to encode “signature”.	True
componentMVersion	integer	The installed MADES version of the component requesting for network acceptance.	True

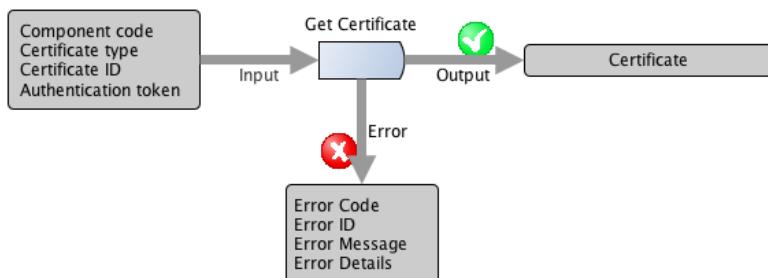
Element name	Element type	Description	Required
authToken	AuthenticationToken (see § 5.5.2)	The authentication token provided by the server which is signed back by the client using the <u>authentication</u> certificate.	True
serviceMversion	integer	The MADES version of the current service that is requested by the client – see § 4.1.2.	True

1410 Service response elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
nodeMversion	integer	The installed MADES version of the home Node.	True
acceptance	boolean	True if the component is accepted in the network.	True

### 5.3.4.2 GETCERTIFICATE SERVICE

1411 GetCertificate is used to retrieve a certificate of a given type (signing, encryption, or  
1412 authentication), owned by the given Endpoint and possibly having the requested ID.



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Figure 35: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Directory Services – GetCertificate Service

1414 Service request elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
componentCode	string	The ID of the component that owns the requested certificate.	True
type	CertificateType (see § 5.5.4)	The type of the requested certificate,	True
certificateID	string	The ID of the requested certificate.	False
authToken	AuthenticationToken (see § 5.5.2)	The authentication token provided by the server which is signed back by the client using the <u>authentication</u> certificate.	True
serviceMversion	integer	The MADES version of the current service that is requested by the client – see § 4.1.2.	True

1415 Service response elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
certificate	Certificate (See § 5.5.3)	The returned certificate shall match the requested "type" and shall be owned by <i>componentCode</i> . If <i>certificateID</i> is also requested, the returned certificate shall also match the ID. Additional conditions about the validity and the revocation of the certificate are provided further. If no certificate matches, the response is empty.	False

1416 Additional conditions:

Certificate type	<i>certificateID</i> is requested	<i>certificateID</i> is not requested
Authentication	The returned certificate shall be valid (not expired) and not revoked.	<u>Request Error</u> : this situation should never occur. A component shall only request for an authentication certificate to check a signed token or a signed component ID, and thus knowing the certificate ID.
Encryption	The returned certificate can be expired or revoked, for it may be requested to decrypt a message that was composed before the expiration time or the revocation time.	The returned certificate shall be valid and not revoked. When several certificates are possible, the service shall return the certificate that expires first.
Signing	The returned certificate can be expired or revoked, for it may be requested to check the signature of a message that was composed before the expiration time or the revocation time.	<u>Request Error</u> : this situation should never occur. A component shall only request for a signing certificate to check a signature and thus knowing the certificate ID.

### 5.3.4.3 GETCOMPONENT SERVICE

1417 *GetComponent* is used for retrieving descriptive and routing information on a component.

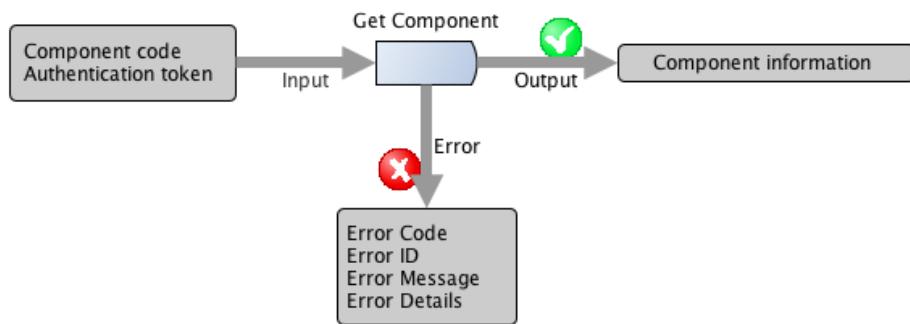


Figure 36: Gateway & Node Interfaces – Directory Services – *GetComponent* Service

1418 Service request elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
componentCode	string	The ID (or code) of the requested component.	True

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
authToken	AuthenticationToken (see § 5.5.2)	The authentication token provided by the server which is signed back by the client using the <u>authentication</u> certificate.	True
serviceMversion	integer	The MADES version of the current service that is requested by the client – see § 4.1.2.	True

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### Service response elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
component	ComponentInformation (see § 5.5.7)	The directory Information about the component. If the requested component does not exist, the response is empty.	False

## 5.3.5 NODE SYNCHRONIZATION INTERFACE

### 5.3.5.1 GETNODEMVERSION SERVICE

1420 The *GetNodeMversion* service is used by a Node to get the Mversion of another Node — see  
1421 § 4.2.1.

1422 Service request elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
mversion	integer	The installed MADES version of the requesting client Node.	True

1423 Service response elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
mversion	integer	The installed MADES version of the replying server Node.	True
nodeCode	string	The component ID of the replying server Node.	True

### 5.3.5.2 GETALLDIRECTORYDATA SERVICE

1424 The *GetAllDirectoryData* service is used by the Nodes to synchronize each other.

1425 Service request elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
dversion	integer	The version of the directory data of the server Node that the client Node already owns. Note: No version shall be provided if the client synchronizes for the first time with the server.	False
serviceMversion	integer	The MADES version of the current service that is requested by the client — see § 4.1.2.	True

1426 Service response elements

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
dversion	integer	The current version of the directory reference data of the replying server Node.	True
nodeCode	string	The component ID of the replying server Node.	True
components	ComponentDescription[] (see § 5.5.6)	The collection of the descriptions of all components registered to the replying server Node, plus the description of the Node itself.  The collection shall only be provided when the current directory version of the server Node is strictly higher than the version already owned by the client Node.	False

## 5.4 FORMAT OF THE NODE-LIST FILE

- 1427 The Node-list file shall be in UTF-8 encoding.
- 1428 The records in the file shall be delimited by the new line character (LF U+000A).
- 1429 Each record provides a list of attributes for one Node. Attributes are delimited by the empty space character (SPACE U+0020) and shall appear in the following order:
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Attribute	Description	Required
Node component ID	The component ID of the Node	True
Primary Node URL	The primary URL to access the Node, formatted according to <a href="#">RFC 1738</a>	True
Secondary Node URL	The secondary URL to access the Node, formatted according to <a href="#">RFC 1738</a>	False

## 5.5 TYPED ELEMENTS USED BY THE INTERFACES

### 5.5.1 USING MTOM

1431 MTOM (*Message Transmission Optimization Mechanism*) is a W3C recommendation for  
 1432 handling binary data in SOAP messages — <http://www.w3.org/TR/soap12-mtom/>

1433 MTOM shall be used to optimise the size of the messages sent. Binary data in the SOAP  
 1434 message have to be encoded as text because SOAP uses XML. The base64 text encoding  
 1435 increases the size of the data by about 33%. MTOM provides a way to send the binary data  
 1436 in the original binary form. MTOM optimizes the element content that is in the canonical  
 1437 lexical representation of the *xsd:base64Binary* type.

### 5.5.2 AUTHENTICATIONTOKEN

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
token	string	The token received by the client (or requesting) component when it authenticated against the server (see the <i>GetAuthenticationToken</i> service).	True
signature	string	The signed token, i.e. the RSA encoding of the SHA-1 hash of the token. The encoding certificate shall be the <u>authentication</u> certificate of the client.	True
certificateID	string	The ID of the certificate used for signing the token.	True

### 5.5.3 CERTIFICATE

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
certificateID	string	The ID of the certificate.	True
certificate	base64Binary	The binary data of the certificate in DER (Distinguished Encoding Rules) format.	True
expiration	timestamp	The expiration date-time of the provided certificate in the caller cache — see § 3.17.5. <i>Do not confuse with the expiration date of the certificate as defined by the certificate issuer and included in the certificate itself.</i> <i>The element is required for directory service, but not for directory synchronization</i>	

## 5.5.4 CERTIFICATE TYPE (STRING ENUMERATION)

String value	Description
AUTHENTICATION	A certificate used for TLS and token authentication
ENCRYPTION	A certificate used for encryption
SIGNING	A certificate used for signing

## 5.5.5 COMPONENT CERTIFICATE

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
type	CertificateType (see § 5.5.4)	The type of the certificate (e.g. encryption, signing, authentication),	True
revoked	boolean	'true' if the certificate has been revoked.	False
certificate	Certificate (see § 5.5.3)	The certificate.	True

## 5.5.6 COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
information	ComponentInformation (see § 5.5.7)	All about the component: ID, type, contact information, routing information.	True
certificates	ComponentCertificate[] (see § 5.5.5)	The collection of the certificates owned by the component, whatever type (signing, encryption and authentication), and possibly more than one for a type.	True

## 5.5.7 COMPONENT INFORMATION

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
code	string	The component ID to which is associated all information of this current data structure.	True
type	ComponentType (see § 5.5.8)	The type of component.	True
organization	string	The organization responsible for the component.	True
person	string	The technical contact person.	True
email	string	The email of the technical contact person.	True
phone	string	The phone number of the technical contact person.	True
routing	RoutingInformation (see § 5.5.20)	The routing information to access to the component (ex: URLs)	True

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
expiration	timestamp	<p>The expiration date-time of the provided information in the caller cache — see § 3.17.5.</p> <p><i>The element is required for directory service, but not for directory synchronization</i></p>	
codeMversion	integer	<p>The MADES version to which the component complies – see § 4.1.1.</p> <p>Note: Information should be initialized at registration time. Otherwise it remains unknown until the component first connects to the network, and before that time, no message can be sent to the component.</p>	False

## 5.5.8 COMPONENTTYPE (STRING ENUMERATION)

String value	Description
NODE	The component is a Node.
GATEWAY	The component is a Gateway.
ENDPOINT	The component is an Endpoint.

## 5.5.9 ENDPOINT

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
code	string	The component ID of an Endpoint.	True
signature	string	The RSA encoding of the SHA-1 hash of the component ID of the Endpoint. The certificate used for encoding is the <u>authentication</u> certificate of the Endpoint.	True
certificateID	string	The ID of the certificate used to encode the signature.	True

## 5.5.10 INTERNALMESSAGE

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
<u>messageID</u>	string	The ID of the message.	True
<u>receiverCode</u>	string	<i>Business-message, Tracing-message</i> → The component ID of the recipient's Endpoint. <i>Acknowledgement</i> → The <i>senderCode</i> of the original message.	True
<u>businessType</u>	string	<i>Business-message</i> → The business-type as provided by the sender's BA. <i>Tracing-message</i> → Irrelevant, but at least one character needed. <i>Acknowledgement</i> → The business-type of the original message.	True

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
<u>content</u>	base64Binary	<i>Business-message</i> → The content of the message which is possibly compressed and then encrypted. <i>Tracing-message</i> → A non empty (at least one character) irrelevant and not compressed but encrypted content. <i>Acknowledgement</i> → see § 3.10.4.	True
<u>extension</u>	string	<i>Business-message</i> → The file extension for the document — only used if the content was transferred to the sender's Endpoint through a file and by the FSSF interface (see § 5.2.3). <i>Acknowledgement, Tracing-message</i> → Not used.	False
<u>generated</u>	dateTime	<i>Business-message, Tracing-message</i> → The date and time when the message was <u>created</u> by the sender's Endpoint. <i>Acknowledgement</i> → The date and time of the notified event, i.e. when the acknowledgement was <u>created</u> in the sending component.	True
expirationTime	timestamp	<i>Business-message, Tracing-message</i> → The expiration date and time of the message — set by the sender's Endpoint when the message was accepted (see § 3.9). <i>Acknowledgement</i> → The <i>expirationTime</i> of the original message.	True
<u>senderCode</u>	string	<i>Business-message, Tracing-message</i> → The component ID of the sender's Endpoint. <i>Acknowledgement</i> → The ID of the component sending the acknowledgement.	True
<u>senderDescription</u>	string	The display name of the <i>senderCode</i> component.	True
<u>internalType</u>	InternalMessageGetType (see § 5.5.11)	The technical type of the message.	True
<u>relatedMessageID</u>	string	<i>Business-message, Tracing-message</i> → Not used. <i>Acknowledgement</i> → The message ID of the original message..	False
<u>SenderApplication</u>	string	<i>Business-message, Tracing-message</i> → The identifier of the sender's BA as provided when sending the document. <i>Acknowledgement</i> → Not used.	False
<u>baMessageID</u>	string	<i>Business-message, Tracing-message</i> → An identifier of the document as provided by the sender's BA. <i>Acknowledgement</i> → Not used.	False
metadata	MessageMetadata (see § 5.5.12)	The metadata added to the message by compression, signature or encryption – see § 3.14.	False
messageMversion	integer	The MADES version to which the message complies – see § 4.1.3	True

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- Note:
- The underlined attributes are those included in the manifest used to generate the message signature – see § 3.14.2.
  - The “message header” refers to the set of all elements except “content”.

### 5.5.11 INTERNALMESSAGE TYPE (STRING ENUMERATION)

String Value	Description
STANDARD_MESSAGE	A business-message but not a tracing-message.
DELIVERY_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	An acknowledgement notifying that the original STANDARD_MESSAGE has been accepted by a component (Gateway, Node, or Endpoint).
RECEIVE_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	An acknowledgement notifying that the original STANDARD_MESSAGE has been transferred to a recipient's BA.
FAILURE_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	A failure-acknowledgement.
TRACING_MESSAGE	A tracing-message – see § 3.12.
TRACING_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	An acknowledgement notifying that the original TRACING_MESSAGE has been accepted by a component (Gateway, Node, or Endpoint)..

### 5.5.12 MESSAGEMETADATA

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
messageProcessors	MessageProcessor[]	A collection of metadata, each from a used message processor (collection count may range from 1 to 3).	False

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#### MessageProcessor

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
processorID	string	The unique ID of the message processor. There are 3 processors whose IDs are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“signature”</li> <li>“encryption”</li> <li>“compressor”</li> </ul>	True
processorData	Map	A collection of named values.	True

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#### Map

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
entries	MapEntry[]	A collection of data, each provided with a name and a value, i.e. a set composed of a key (name), a type (format) and a value (according to the type).	False

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### MapEntry

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
key	string	The name of the metadata	True
type	ValueType	The type/format of the metadata.	True
value	string	The value of the metadata.	True

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### ValueType (enumeration)

String Value	Description
STRING	String
LONG	A 64bit number expressed as string. Example number 42 is represented as string "42" (without quotes)
BYTE_ARRAY	↔ base64Binary type
BOOLEAN	A string equal to "true" or "false".

## 5.5.13 MESSAGESTATE (STRING ENUMERATION)

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The possible values of the string are the ones of *MessageTraceState* — see § 5.5.16.

## 5.5.14 MESSAGESTATUS

Element name	Element type	Description
messageID	string	The UUID (Universal Unique ID) of the message whose status is reported in this data structure — see § 3.2.
state	MessageState (see § 5.5.13)	The delivery-status of the requested message. (see values in § 3.4 - uppercase)
receiverCode	string	The component ID of the recipient's Endpoint of the message.
senderCode	string	The component ID of the sender's Endpoint of the message.
businessType	string	The business-type of the message.
senderApplication	string	The identifier of sender's BA, if any and as provided by the sender's BA in the <i>SendMessage</i> service.
baMessageID	string	The identifier of the message assigned by the sending BA, if any and as provided by the sender's BA in the <i>SendMessage</i> service.
sendTimestamp	dateTime	The time when the message was created by the sender's Endpoint (The <i>generated</i> element of the <i>InternalMessage</i> type – see § 5.5.10).

Element name	Element type	Description
receiveTimestamp	dateTime	The “reception time” of the message in the sender’s Endpoint. It is the time when the message state was set to DELIVERED in the sender’s Endpoint, which is also the time when the acknowledgement with the DELIVERED status (event n°6) was sent.
trace	MessageTraceItem [] (see § 5.5.15)	The collection of the traces reporting the events about the message delivery.

## 5.5.15 MESSAGETRACEITEM

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
timestamp	dateTime	The date and time of the reported event.	True
state	MessageTraceState (see § 5.5.16)	The reported event	True
component	string	The ID of the component (see § 3.2) where the event happened.	True
Component description	string	The display name of the component where the event happened.	True
Details	string	The English readable details about the event.	False

## 5.5.16 MESSAGETRACESTATE (STRING ENUMERATION)

String value	Description
VERIFYING	The acceptance of the message by the sender’s Endpoint is pending due to connectivity problem between the sender’s Endpoint and the directory services. <i>(internal event reported by the sender’s Endpoint).</i>
ACCEPTED	The message has been accepted by the sender’s Endpoint. <i>(internal event reported by the sender’s Endpoint).</i>
TRANSPORTED	The message has been accepted by an intermediate component (except the recipient’s Endpoint or a recipient’s BA). <i>(event reported using a DELIVERY_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT or a TRACING_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT – see § 5.5.11)</i>
DELIVERED	The message has been accepted by the recipient’s Endpoint. <i>(event reported using a DELIVERY_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT or a TRACING_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT – see § 5.5.11)</i>
RECEIVED	The message has been accepted by a recipient’s BA. <i>(event reported using an RECEIVE_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT – see § 5.5.11)</i>
FAILED	The processing of the message has failed and the delivery is stopped. <i>(internal event reported by the sender’s Endpoint or event reported using a FAILURE_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT – see § 5.5.11)</i>

### 5.5.17 NOTCONFIRMEDMESSAGERESPONSE

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
messageID	string	The ID of the message whose upload failed.	True
errorCode	string	A code representing the type of the error (e.g. validation error, unexpected error)	True
errorID	string	Unique identification of the error and for the component implementation. The error ID shall be always written in the logs.	True
errorMessage	string	An English readable text describing the error.	True
errorDetails	string	(optional) Additional English readable details about the error context.	False

### 5.5.18 NOTUPLOADEDMESSAGERESPONSE

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
messageID	string	The ID of the message whose upload failed.	True
fatal	boolean	Set to true if the error is not recoverable. The message shall then be set in the failed state by the client source component, which shall never try to upload it again.	True
businessErrorMessage	string	An English readable description of the error.	False
errorCode	string	A code representing the type of the error (e.g. validation error, unexpected error)	True
errorID	string	Unique identification of the error and for the component implementation. The error ID shall be always written in the logs.	True
errorMessage	string	An English readable text describing the error.	True
errorDetails	string	(optional) Additional English readable details about the error context.	False

### 5.5.19 RECEIVEDMESSAGE

Element name	Element type	Description
messageID	string	The UUID (Universal Unique ID) of the message — see § 3.2.
receiverCode	string	The component ID of the recipient's Endpoint of the message — see § 3.2.
senderCode	string	The component ID of the sender's Endpoint of the message — see § 3.2.

Element name	Element type	Description
businessType	string	The business-type of the message currently transferred to the BA.
content	base64Binary	The content of the message as provided by the sender's BA in the <i>SendMessage</i> service.
senderApplication	string	The identifier of sender's BA, if any and as provided by the sender's BA in the <i>SendMessage</i> service.
baMessageID	string	The identifier of the message assigned by the sending BA, if any and as provided by the sender's BA in the <i>SendMessage</i> service.

## 5.5.20 ROUTING INFORMATION

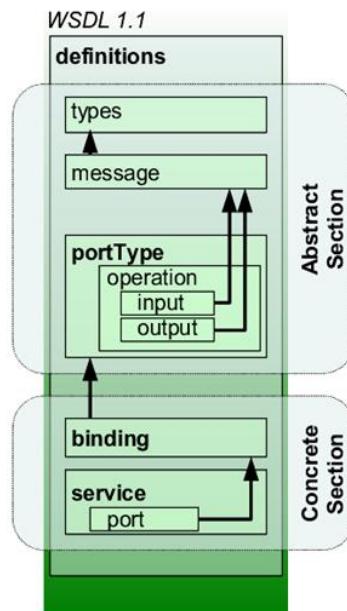
Element name	Element type	Description	Required
node	string	The component ID of the component's home Node.	True
primaryURL	string	The primary URL of the Node according to <a href="#">RFC 1738</a>	True
secondaryURL	string	The secondary URL of the Node according to <a href="#">RFC 1738</a>	False
nodeMversion	integer	The installed MADES version of the component's home Node – see § 4.1.1	True

## 5.5.21 SENTMESSAGE

Element name	Element type	Description	Required
receiverCode	string	The component ID of the recipient's Endpoint (see § 3.2) — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9-@]+	True
businessType	string	The business-type of the message (see § 3.3) — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9]+	True
baMessageID	string	An identifier of the document provided by the sender's BA. Information is transported “as is” to the recipient's BA — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9]*	False
senderApplication	string	The identifier of the sender's BA. Information is transported “as is” to the recipient's BA — Pattern: [A-Za-z0-9]*	False
content	base64Binary	<p>The content of the message, i.e. the business document.</p> <p>Note: There is no constraint about the structure of the document which is processed as a stream of bytes. E.g. it can be a human-readable XML document, multiples files compressed in ZIP format.</p>	True

## 5.6 DESCRIPTION OF THE SERVICES USING WSDL

- 1447 The services are described using the Web Services Description Language (WSDL) 1.1<sup>16</sup>
- 1448 See <http://www.w3.org/TR/wsdl>
- 1449 The SOAP 1.1 and SOAP 1.2 bindings allow using the interfaces via SOAP 1.1 and
- 1450 SOAP 1.2 protocols.



<sup>16</sup> Figure from [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Web\\_Services\\_Description\\_Language](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Web_Services_Description_Language)

## 5.6.1 ENDPOINT INTERFACE

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1451 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
1452 <wsdl:definitions name="ECPEndpoint" targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
1453 xmlns:wsdl="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/" xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
1454 xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap/" xmlns:ecp="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
1455 xmlns:soap12="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap12/">
1456
1457 <wsdl:types>
1458   <xsd:schema targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/">
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1460     <xsd:element name="SendMessageRequest">
1461       <xsd:complexType>
1462         <xsd:sequence>
1463           <xsd:element name="message" type="ecp:SentMessage"/>
1464           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="conversationID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1465         </xsd:sequence>
1466       </xsd:complexType>
1467     </xsd:element>
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1469     <xsd:element name="SendMessageResponse">
1470       <xsd:complexType>
1471         <xsd:sequence>
1472           <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
1473         </xsd:sequence>
1474       </xsd:complexType>
1475     </xsd:element>
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1477     <xsd:element name="SendMessageError">
1478       <xsd:complexType>
1479         <xsd:sequence>
1480           <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1481           <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
1482           <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
1483           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="receiverCode" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1484           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
1485         </xsd:sequence>
1486       </xsd:complexType>
1487     </xsd:element>
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1489     <xsd:element name="ReceiveMessageRequest">
1490       <xsd:complexType>
1491         <xsd:sequence>
1492           <xsd:element name="businessType" type="xsd:string"/>
1493           <xsd:element name="downloadMessage" type="xsd:boolean"/>
1494         </xsd:sequence>
1495       </xsd:complexType>
1496     </xsd:element>
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1498     <xsd:element name="ReceiveMessageResponse">
1499       <xsd:complexType>
1500         <xsd:sequence>
1501           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="receivedMessage" nillable="true" type="ecp:ReceivedMessage"/>
1502           <xsd:element name="remainingMessagesCount" type="xsd:long"/>
1503         </xsd:sequence>
1504       </xsd:complexType>
1505     </xsd:element>
1506
1507     <xsd:element name="ReceiveMessageError">
1508       <xsd:complexType>
1509         <xsd:sequence>
1510           <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1511           <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
1512           <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
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1513     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="businessType" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1514     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
1515   </xsd:sequence>
1516 </xsd:complexType>
1517 </xsd:element>
1518
1519 <xsd:element name="ConfirmReceiveMessageRequest">
1520   <xsd:complexType>
1521     <xsd:sequence>
1522       <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
1523     </xsd:sequence>
1524   </xsd:complexType>
1525 </xsd:element>
1526
1527 <xsd:element name="ConfirmReceiveMessageResponse">
1528   <xsd:complexType>
1529     <xsd:sequence>
1530       <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
1531     </xsd:sequence>
1532   </xsd:complexType>
1533 </xsd:element>
1534
1535 <xsd:element name="ConfirmReceiveMessageError">
1536   <xsd:complexType>
1537     <xsd:sequence>
1538       <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1539       <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
1540       <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
1541       <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="messageID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1542       <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
1543     </xsd:sequence>
1544   </xsd:complexType>
1545 </xsd:element>
1546
1547 <xsd:complexType name="SentMessage">
1548   <xsd:sequence>
1549     <xsd:element name="receiverCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1550     <xsd:element name="businessType" type="xsd:string"/>
1551     <xsd:element name="content" type="xsd:base64Binary"/>
1552     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="senderApplication" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1553     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="baMessageID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1554   </xsd:sequence>
1555 </xsd:complexType>
1556
1557 <xsd:complexType name="ReceivedMessage">
1558   <xsd:sequence>
1559     <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
1560     <xsd:element name="receiverCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1561     <xsd:element name="senderCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1562     <xsd:element name="businessType" type="xsd:string"/>
1563     <xsd:element name="content" type="xsd:base64Binary"/>
1564     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="senderApplication" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1565     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="baMessageID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1566   </xsd:sequence>
1567 </xsd:complexType>
1568
1569 <xsd:complexType name="MessageStatus">
1570   <xsd:sequence>
1571     <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
1572     <xsd:element name="state" type="ecp:MessageState"/>
1573     <xsd:element name="receiverCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1574     <xsd:element name="senderCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1575     <xsd:element name="businessType" type="xsd:string"/>
1576     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="senderApplication" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1577     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="baMessageID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1578     <xsd:element name="sendTimestamp" type="xsd:dateTime"/>

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1579     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="receiveTimestamp" nillable="true" type="xsd:dateTime"/>
1580     <xsd:element name="trace" nillable="true" type="ecp:MessageTrace"/>
1581   </xsd:sequence>
1582 </xsd:complexType>
1583
1584 <xsd:complexType name="MessageTrace">
1585   <xsd:sequence>
1586     <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" name="trace" type="ecp:MessageTracelItem"/>
1587   </xsd:sequence>
1588 </xsd:complexType>
1589
1590 <xsd:complexType name="MessageTracelItem">
1591   <xsd:sequence>
1592     <xsd:element name="timestamp" type="xsd:dateTime"/>
1593     <xsd:element name="state" type="ecp:MessageTraceState"/>
1594     <xsd:element name="component" type="xsd:string"/>
1595     <xsd:element name="componentDescription" type="xsd:string"/>
1596     <xsd:element name="details" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1597   </xsd:sequence>
1598 </xsd:complexType>
1599
1600 <xsd:element name="ConnectivityTestRequest">
1601   <xsd:complexType>
1602     <xsd:sequence>
1603       <xsd:element name="receiverCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1604     </xsd:sequence>
1605   </xsd:complexType>
1606 </xsd:element>
1607
1608 <xsd:element name="ConnectivityTestResponse">
1609   <xsd:complexType>
1610     <xsd:sequence>
1611       <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
1612     </xsd:sequence>
1613   </xsd:complexType>
1614 </xsd:element>
1615
1616 <xsd:element name="ConnectivityTestError">
1617   <xsd:complexType>
1618     <xsd:sequence>
1619       <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1620       <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
1621       <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
1622       <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="receiverCode" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1623       <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
1624     </xsd:sequence>
1625   </xsd:complexType>
1626 </xsd:element>
1627
1628 <xsd:element name="CheckMessageStatusRequest">
1629   <xsd:complexType>
1630     <xsd:sequence>
1631       <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
1632     </xsd:sequence>
1633   </xsd:complexType>
1634 </xsd:element>
1635
1636 <xsd:element name="CheckMessageStatusResponse">
1637   <xsd:complexType>
1638     <xsd:sequence>
1639       <xsd:element name="messageStatus" type="ecp:MessageStatus"/>
1640     </xsd:sequence>
1641   </xsd:complexType>
1642 </xsd:element>
1643
1644 <xsd:element name="CheckMessageStatusError">
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1645    <xsd:complexType>
1646        <xsd:sequence>
1647            <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1648            <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
1649            <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
1650            <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="messageID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
1651            <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
1652        </xsd:sequence>
1653    </xsd:complexType>
1654 </xsd:element>
1655
1656    <xsd:simpleType name="MessageState">
1657        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
1658            <xsd:enumeration value="VERIFYING"/>
1659            <xsd:enumeration value="ACCEPTED"/>
1660            <xsd:enumeration value="DELIVERING"/>
1661            <xsd:enumeration value="DELIVERED"/>
1662            <xsd:enumeration value="RECEIVED"/>
1663            <xsd:enumeration value="FAILED"/>
1664        </xsd:restriction>
1665    </xsd:simpleType>
1666
1667    <xsd:simpleType name="MessageTraceState">
1668        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
1669            <xsd:enumeration value="VERIFYING"/>
1670            <xsd:enumeration value="ACCEPTED"/>
1671            <xsd:enumeration value="TRANSPORTED"/>
1672            <xsd:enumeration value="DELIVERED"/>
1673            <xsd:enumeration value="RECEIVED"/>
1674            <xsd:enumeration value="FAILED"/>
1675        </xsd:restriction>
1676    </xsd:simpleType>
1677 </xsd:schema>
1678 </wsdl:types>
1679
1680 <wsdl:message name="SendMessageRequest">
1681     <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:SendMessageRequest"/>
1682 </wsdl:message>
1683
1684 <wsdl:message name="SendMessageResponse">
1685     <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:SendMessageResponse"/>
1686 </wsdl:message>
1687
1688 <wsdl:message name="ConnectivityTestFault">
1689     <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:ConnectivityTestError"/>
1690 </wsdl:message>
1691
1692 <wsdl:message name="ReceiveMessageRequest">
1693     <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:ReceiveMessageRequest"/>
1694 </wsdl:message>
1695
1696 <wsdl:message name="ConfirmReceiveMessageRequest">
1697     <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:ConfirmReceiveMessageRequest"/>
1698 </wsdl:message>
1699
1700 <wsdl:message name="ConnectivityTestRequest">
1701     <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:ConnectivityTestRequest"/>
1702 </wsdl:message>
1703
1704 <wsdl:message name="CheckMessageStatusResponse">
1705     <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:CheckMessageStatusResponse"/>
1706 </wsdl:message>
1707
1708 <wsdl:message name="ConfirmReceiveMessageResponse">
1709     <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:ConfirmReceiveMessageResponse"/>
1710 </wsdl:message>

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1711
1712 <wsdl:message name="ReceiveMessageFault">
1713   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:ReceiveMessageError"/>
1714 </wsdl:message>
1715
1716 <wsdl:message name="CheckMessageStatusFault">
1717   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:CheckMessageStatusError"/>
1718 </wsdl:message>
1719
1720 <wsdl:message name="CheckMessageStatusRequest">
1721   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:CheckMessageStatusRequest"/>
1722 </wsdl:message>
1723
1724 <wsdl:message name="ConfirmReceiveMessageFault">
1725   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:ConfirmReceiveMessageError"/>
1726 </wsdl:message>
1727
1728 <wsdl:message name="SendMessageFault">
1729   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:SendMessageError"/>
1730 </wsdl:message>
1731
1732 <wsdl:message name="ReceiveMessageResponse">
1733   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:ReceiveMessageResponse"/>
1734 </wsdl:message>
1735
1736 <wsdl:message name="ConnectivityTestResponse">
1737   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:ConnectivityTestResponse"/>
1738 </wsdl:message>
1739
1740 <wsdl:portType name="ECPEndpoint">
1741   <wsdl:operation name="SendMessage">
1742     <wsdl:input message="ecp:SendMessageRequest"/>
1743     <wsdl:output message="ecp:SendMessageResponse"/>
1744     <wsdl:fault name="SendMessageError" message="ecp:SendMessageFault"/>
1745   </wsdl:operation>
1746   <wsdl:operation name="ReceiveMessage">
1747     <wsdl:input message="ecp:ReceiveMessageRequest"/>
1748     <wsdl:output message="ecp:ReceiveMessageResponse"/>
1749     <wsdl:fault name="ReceiveMessageError" message="ecp:ReceiveMessageFault"/>
1750   </wsdl:operation>
1751   <wsdl:operation name="ConfirmReceiveMessage">
1752     <wsdl:input message="ecp:ConfirmReceiveMessageRequest"/>
1753     <wsdl:output message="ecp:ConfirmReceiveMessageResponse"/>
1754     <wsdl:fault name="ConfirmReceiveMessageError" message="ecp:ConfirmReceiveMessageFault"/>
1755   </wsdl:operation>
1756   <wsdl:operation name="ConnectivityTest">
1757     <wsdl:input message="ecp:ConnectivityTestRequest"/>
1758     <wsdl:output message="ecp:ConnectivityTestResponse"/>
1759     <wsdl:fault name="ConnectivityTestError" message="ecp:ConnectivityTestFault"/>
1760   </wsdl:operation>
1761   <wsdl:operation name="CheckMessageStatus">
1762     <wsdl:input message="ecp:CheckMessageStatusRequest"/>
1763     <wsdl:output message="ecp:CheckMessageStatusResponse"/>
1764     <wsdl:fault name="CheckMessageStatusError" message="ecp:CheckMessageStatusFault"/>
1765   </wsdl:operation>
1766 </wsdl:portType>
1767
1768 <wsdl:binding name="ECPEndpointSOAP12" type="ecp:ECPEndpoint">
1769   <soap12:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
1770   <wsdl:operation name="SendMessage">
1771     <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/SendMessage"/>
1772     <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1773     <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1774     <wsdl:fault name="SendMessageError"> <soap12:fault name="SendMessageError" use="literal"/>
1775   </wsdl:fault>
1776   </wsdl:operation>

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1777 <wsdl:operation name="ReceiveMessage">
1778   <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/ReceiveMessage"/>
1779   <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1780   <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1781   <wsdl:fault name="ReceiveMessageError"> <soap12:fault name="ReceiveMessageError" use="literal"/>
1782 </wsdl:fault>
1783 </wsdl:operation>
1784 <wsdl:operation name="ConfirmReceiveMessage">
1785   <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/ConfirmReceiveMessage"/>
1786   <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1787   <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1788   <wsdl:fault name="ConfirmReceiveMessageError"> <soap12:fault name="ConfirmReceiveMessageError" use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
1789 </wsdl:operation>
1790 <wsdl:operation name="ConnectivityTest">
1791   <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/ConnectivityTest"/>
1792   <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1793   <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1794   <wsdl:fault name="ConnectivityTestError"> <soap12:fault name="ConnectivityTestError" use="literal"/>
1795 </wsdl:fault>
1796 </wsdl:operation>
1797 <wsdl:operation name="CheckMessageStatus">
1798   <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/CheckMessageStatus"/>
1799   <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1800   <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1801   <wsdl:fault name="CheckMessageStatusError"> <soap12:fault name="CheckMessageStatusError" use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
1802 </wsdl:operation>
1803 </wsdl:binding>
1804 </wsdl:operation>
1805 </wsdl:binding>
1806 </wsdl:operation>
1807 <wsdl:binding name="ECPEndpointSOAP11" type="ecp:ECPEndpoint">
1808   <soap:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
1809   <wsdl:operation name="SendMessage">
1810     <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/SendMessage"/>
1811     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1812     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1813     <wsdl:fault name="SendMessageError"> <soap:fault name="SendMessageError" use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
1814 </wsdl:operation>
1815 <wsdl:operation name="ReceiveMessage">
1816   <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/ReceiveMessage"/>
1817   <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1818   <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1819   <wsdl:fault name="ReceiveMessageError"> <soap:fault name="ReceiveMessageError" use="literal"/>
1820 </wsdl:fault>
1821 </wsdl:operation>
1822 <wsdl:operation name="ConfirmReceiveMessage">
1823   <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/ConfirmReceiveMessage"/>
1824   <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1825   <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1826   <wsdl:fault name="ConfirmReceiveMessageError"> <soap:fault name="ConfirmReceiveMessageError" use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
1827 </wsdl:operation>
1828 </wsdl:operation>
1829 <wsdl:operation name="ConnectivityTest">
1830   <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/ConnectivityTest"/>
1831   <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1832   <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1833   <wsdl:fault name="ConnectivityTestError"> <soap:fault name="ConnectivityTestError" use="literal"/>
1834 </wsdl:fault>
1835 </wsdl:operation>
1836 <wsdl:operation name="CheckMessageStatus">
1837   <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/CheckMessageStatus"/>
1838   <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1839   <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1840   <wsdl:fault name="CheckMessageStatusError"> <soap:fault name="CheckMessageStatusError" use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
1841 </wsdl:operation>
1842 </wsdl:operation>

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1843 </wsdl:binding>
1844
1845 <wsdl:service name="ECPEndpointService">
1846   <wsdl:port name="ECPEndpointSOAP12" binding="ecp:ECPEndpointSOAP12">
1847     <soap12:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
1848   </wsdl:port>
1849   <wsdl:port name="ECPEndpointSOAP11" binding="ecp:ECPEndpointSOAP11">
1850     <soap:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
1851   </wsdl:port>
1852 </wsdl:service>
1853 </wsdl:definitions>
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## 5.6.2 GATEWAY & NODE INTERFACE

### 5.6.2.1 AUTHENTICATION SERVICE

```
1854  <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
1855  <wsdl:definitions name="ECPAuthenticationService" targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/" 
1856  xmlns:wsdl="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/" xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
1857  xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap/" xmlns:ecp="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
1858  xmlns:soap12="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap12/">
1859
1860  <wsdl:types>
1861      <xsd:schema targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/">
1862
1863      <xsd:element name="GetAuthenticationTokenRequest">
1864          <xsd:complexType>
1865              <xsd:sequence>
1866                  <xsd:element name="componentCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1867              </xsd:sequence>
1868          </xsd:complexType>
1869      </xsd:element>
1870
1871      <xsd:element name="GetAuthenticationTokenResponse">
1872          <xsd:complexType>
1873              <xsd:sequence>
1874                  <xsd:element name="authToken" type="xsd:string"/>
1875                  <xsd:element name="expiration" type="xsd:long"/>
1876                  <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="serviceMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
1877              </xsd:sequence>
1878          </xsd:complexType>
1879      </xsd:element>
1880
1881      <xsd:element name="GetAuthenticationTokenError">
1882          <xsd:complexType>
1883              <xsd:sequence>
1884                  <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1885                  <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
1886                  <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
1887                  <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
1888              </xsd:sequence>
1889          </xsd:complexType>
1890      </xsd:element>
1891  </xsd:schema>
1892</wsdl:types>
1893
1894  <wsdl:message name="GetAuthenticationTokenResponse">
1895      <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetAuthenticationTokenResponse"/>
1896  </wsdl:message>
1897
1898  <wsdl:message name="GetAuthenticationTokenFault">
1899      <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:GetAuthenticationTokenError"/>
1900  </wsdl:message>
1901
1902  <wsdl:message name="GetAuthenticationTokenRequest">
1903      <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetAuthenticationTokenRequest"/>
1904  </wsdl:message>
1905
1906  <wsdl:portType name="ECPAuthenticationService">
1907      <wsdl:operation name="GetAuthenticationToken">
1908          <wsdl:input message="ecp:GetAuthenticationTokenRequest"/>
1909          <wsdl:output message="ecp:GetAuthenticationTokenResponse"/>
1910          <wsdl:fault name="GetAuthenticationTokenError" message="ecp:GetAuthenticationTokenFault"/>
1911      </wsdl:operation>
1912  </wsdl:portType>
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1913
1914 <wsdl:binding name="ECPAuthenticationServiceSOAP12" type="ecp:ECPAuthenticationService">
1915   <soap12:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
1916   <wsdl:operation name="GetAuthenticationToken">
1917     <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetAuthenticationToken"/>
1918     <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1919     <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1920     <wsdl:fault name="GetAuthenticationTokenError"> <soap12:fault name="GetAuthenticationTokenError"
1921       use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
1922   </wsdl:operation>
1923 </wsdl:binding>
1924
1925 <wsdl:binding name="ECPAuthenticationServiceSOAP11" type="ecp:ECPAuthenticationService">
1926   <soap:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
1927   <wsdl:operation name="GetAuthenticationToken">
1928     <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetAuthenticationToken"/>
1929     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
1930     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
1931     <wsdl:fault name="GetAuthenticationTokenError"> <soap:fault name="GetAuthenticationTokenError"
1932       use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
1933   </wsdl:operation>
1934 </wsdl:binding>
1935
1936 <wsdl:service name="ECPAuthenticationService">
1937   <wsdl:port name="ECPAuthenticationServiceSOAP12" binding="ecp:ECPAuthenticationServiceSOAP12">
1938     <soap12:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
1939   </wsdl:port>
1940   <wsdl:port name="ECPAuthenticationServiceSOAP11" binding="ecp:ECPAuthenticationServiceSOAP11">
1941     <soap:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
1942   </wsdl:port>
1943 </wsdl:service>
1944 </wsdl:definitions>
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### 5.6.2.2 MESSAGING SERVICES

```
1945 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
1946 <wsdl:definitions name="ECPIInternalMessaging" targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
1947 xmlns:wsdl="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/" xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
1948 xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap/" xmlns:ecp="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
1949 xmlns:soap12="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap12/">
1950
1951 <wsdl:types>
1952   <xsd:schema targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/">
1953
1954     <xsd:element name="UploadMessagesRequest">
1955       <xsd:complexType>
1956         <xsd:sequence>
1957           <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" name="messages" type="ecp:InternalMessage"/>
1958           <xsd:element name="authToken" type="ecp:AuthenticationToken"/>
1959           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="serviceMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
1960         </xsd:sequence>
1961       </xsd:complexType>
1962     </xsd:element>
1963
1964     <xsd:element name="UploadMessagesResponse">
1965       <xsd:complexType>
1966         <xsd:sequence>
1967           <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="uploadedMessages" type="xsd:string"/>
1968           <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="notUploadedMessages"
1969 type="ecp:NotUploadedMessageResponse"/>
1970         </xsd:sequence>
1971       </xsd:complexType>
1972     </xsd:element>
1973
1974     <xsd:element name="UploadMessagesError">
1975       <xsd:complexType>
1976         <xsd:sequence>
1977           <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
1978           <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
1979           <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
1980           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
1981         </xsd:sequence>
1982       </xsd:complexType>
1983     </xsd:element>
1984
1985     <xsd:element name="DownloadMessagesRequest">
1986       <xsd:complexType>
1987         <xsd:sequence>
1988           <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" name="endpoints" type="ecp:Endpoint">
1989             <xsd:element name="authToken" type="ecp:AuthenticationToken"/>
1990             <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="serviceMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
1991           </xsd:sequence>
1992         </xsd:complexType>
1993     </xsd:element>
1994
1995     <xsd:element name="DownloadMessagesResponse">
1996       <xsd:complexType>
1997         <xsd:sequence>
1998           <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="messages" type="ecp:InternalMessage"/>
1999           <xsd:element name="waitingMessages" type="xsd:int"/>
2000         </xsd:sequence>
2001       </xsd:complexType>
2002     </xsd:element>
2003
2004     <xsd:element name="DownloadMessagesError">
2005       <xsd:complexType>
2006         <xsd:sequence>
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2007    <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2008    <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2009    <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2010    <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2011    </xsd:sequence>
2012    </xsd:complexType>
2013  </xsd:element>
2014
2015  <xsd:element name="ConfirmDownloadRequest">
2016    <xsd:complexType>
2017      <xsd:sequence>
2018        <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="messageIDs" type="xsd:string"/>
2019        <xsd:element name="authToken" type="ecp:AuthenticationToken"/>
2020        <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="serviceMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2021      </xsd:sequence>
2022    </xsd:complexType>
2023  </xsd:element>
2024
2025  <xsd:element name="ConfirmDownloadResponse">
2026    <xsd:complexType>
2027      <xsd:sequence>
2028        <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="confirmedMessages" type="xsd:string"/>
2029        <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="notConfirmedMessages"
2030          type="ecp:NotConfirmedMessageResponse"/>
2031      </xsd:sequence>
2032    </xsd:complexType>
2033  </xsd:element>
2034
2035  <xsd:element name="ConfirmDownloadError">
2036    <xsd:complexType>
2037      <xsd:sequence>
2038        <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2039        <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2040        <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2041        <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2042      </xsd:sequence>
2043    </xsd:complexType>
2044  </xsd:element>
2045
2046  <xsd:complexType name="InternalMessage">
2047    <xsd:sequence>
2048      <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
2049      <xsd:element name="receiverCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2050      <xsd:element name="businessType" type="xsd:string"/>
2051      <xsd:element name="content" type="xsd:base64Binary"/>
2052      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="extension" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
2053      <xsd:element name="generated" type="xsd:dateTime"/>
2054      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="expirationTime" nillable="true" type="xsd:long"/>
2055      <xsd:element name="senderCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2056      <xsd:element name="senderDescription" type="xsd:string"/>
2057      <xsd:element name="internalType" type="ecp:InternalMessageType"/>
2058      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="relatedMessageID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
2059      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="senderApplication" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
2060      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="baMessageID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
2061      <xsd:element name="metadata" type="ecp:MessageMetadata"/>
2062      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="messageMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2063    </xsd:sequence>
2064  </xsd:complexType>
2065
2066  <xsd:simpleType name="InternalMessageType">
2067    <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
2068      <xsd:enumeration value="STANDARD_MESSAGE"/>
2069      <xsd:enumeration value="DELIVERY_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT"/>
2070      <xsd:enumeration value="RECEIVE_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT"/>
2071      <xsd:enumeration value="FAILURE_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT"/>
2072      <xsd:enumeration value="TRACING_MESSAGE"/>

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2073     <xsd:enumeration value="TRACING_ACKNOWLEDGEMENT"/>
2074   </xsd:restriction>
2075 </xsd:simpleType>
2076
2077 <xsd:complexType name="MessageMetadata">
2078   <xsd:sequence>
2079     <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="messageProcessors"
2080 type="ecp:MessageProcessor"/>
2081   </xsd:sequence>
2082 </xsd:complexType>
2083
2084 <xsd:complexType name="MessageProcessor">
2085   <xsd:sequence>
2086     <xsd:element name="processorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2087     <xsd:element name="processorData" type="ecp:Map"/>
2088   </xsd:sequence>
2089 </xsd:complexType>
2090
2091 <xsd:complexType name="NotUploadedMessageResponse">
2092   <xsd:sequence>
2093     <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
2094     <xsd:element name="fatal" type="xsd:boolean"/>
2095     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="businessErrorMessage" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
2096     <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2097     <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2098     <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2099     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2100   </xsd:sequence>
2101 </xsd:complexType>
2102
2103 <xsd:complexType name="NotConfirmedMessageResponse">
2104   <xsd:sequence>
2105     <xsd:element name="messageID" type="xsd:string"/>
2106     <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2107     <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2108     <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2109     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2110   </xsd:sequence>
2111 </xsd:complexType>
2112
2113 <xsd:complexType name="Endpoint">
2114   <xsd:sequence>
2115     <xsd:element name="code" type="xsd:string"/>
2116     <xsd:element name="signature" type="xsd:string"/>
2117     <xsd:element name="certificateID" type="xsd:string"/>
2118   </xsd:sequence>
2119 </xsd:complexType>
2120
2121 <xsd:complexType name="AuthenticationToken">
2122   <xsd:sequence>
2123     <xsd:element name="token" type="xsd:string"/>
2124     <xsd:element name="signature" type="xsd:string"/>
2125     <xsd:element name="certificateID" type="xsd:string"/>
2126   </xsd:sequence>
2127 </xsd:complexType>
2128
2129 <xsd:complexType name="Map">
2130   <xsd:sequence>
2131     <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="entries" type="ecp:MapEntry"/>
2132   </xsd:sequence>
2133 </xsd:complexType>
2134
2135 <xsd:complexType name="MapEntry">
2136   <xsd:sequence>
2137     <xsd:element name="key" type="xsd:string"/>
2138     <xsd:element name="type" type="ecp:ValueType"/>

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2139      <xsd:element name="value" type="xsd:string"/>
2140    </xsd:sequence>
2141  </xsd:complexType>
2142
2143  <xsd:simpleType name="ValueType">
2144    <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
2145      <xsd:enumeration value="STRING"/>
2146      <xsd:enumeration value="LONG"/>
2147      <xsd:enumeration value="BYTE_ARRAY"/>
2148      <xsd:enumeration value="BOOLEAN"/>
2149    </xsd:restriction>
2150  </xsd:simpleType>
2151 </xsd:schema>
2152 </wsdl:types>
2153
2154 <wsdl:message name="ConfirmDownloadResponse">
2155   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:ConfirmDownloadResponse"/>
2156 </wsdl:message>
2157
2158 <wsdl:message name="UploadMessagesFault">
2159   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:UploadMessagesError"/>
2160 </wsdl:message>
2161
2162 <wsdl:message name="UploadMessagesRequest">
2163   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:UploadMessagesRequest"/>
2164 </wsdl:message>
2165
2166 <wsdl:message name="DownloadMessagesFault">
2167   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:DownloadMessagesError"/>
2168 </wsdl:message>
2169
2170 <wsdl:message name="UploadMessagesResponse">
2171   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:UploadMessagesResponse"/>
2172 </wsdl:message>
2173
2174 <wsdl:message name="DownloadMessagesRequest">
2175   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:DownloadMessagesRequest"/>
2176 </wsdl:message>
2177
2178 <wsdl:message name="ConfirmDownloadFault">
2179   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:ConfirmDownloadError"/>
2180 </wsdl:message>
2181
2182 <wsdl:message name="DownloadMessagesResponse">
2183   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:DownloadMessagesResponse"/>
2184 </wsdl:message>
2185
2186 <wsdl:message name="ConfirmDownloadRequest">
2187   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:ConfirmDownloadRequest"/>
2188 </wsdl:message>
2189
2190 <wsdl:portType name="ECPIInternalMessaging">
2191   <wsdl:operation name="UploadMessages">
2192     <wsdl:input message="ecp:UploadMessagesRequest"/>
2193     <wsdl:output message="ecp:UploadMessagesResponse"/>
2194     <wsdl:fault name="UploadMessagesError" message="ecp:UploadMessagesFault"/>
2195   </wsdl:operation>
2196   <wsdl:operation name="DownloadMessages">
2197     <wsdl:input message="ecp:DownloadMessagesRequest"/>
2198     <wsdl:output message="ecp:DownloadMessagesResponse"/>
2199     <wsdl:fault name="DownloadMessagesError" message="ecp:DownloadMessagesFault"/>
2200   </wsdl:operation>
2201   <wsdl:operation name="ConfirmDownload">
2202     <wsdl:input message="ecp:ConfirmDownloadRequest"/>
2203     <wsdl:output message="ecp:ConfirmDownloadResponse"/>
2204     <wsdl:fault name="ConfirmDownloadError" message="ecp:ConfirmDownloadFault"/>

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2205   </wsdl:operation>
2206   </wsdl:portType>
2207
2208   <wsdl:binding name="ECPIInternalMessagingSOAP11" type="ecp:ECPIInternalMessaging">
2209     <soap:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
2210     <wsdl:operation name="UploadMessages">
2211       <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/UploadMessages"/>
2212       <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2213       <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2214       <wsdl:fault name="UploadMessagesError"> <soap:fault name="UploadMessagesError" use="literal"/>
2215     </wsdl:fault>
2216   </wsdl:operation>
2217   <wsdl:operation name="DownloadMessages">
2218     <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/DownloadMessages"/>
2219     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2220     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2221     <wsdl:fault name="DownloadMessagesError"> <soap:fault name="DownloadMessagesError" use="literal"/>
2222   </wsdl:fault>
2223   </wsdl:operation>
2224   <wsdl:operation name="ConfirmDownload">
2225     <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/ConfirmDownload"/>
2226     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2227     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2228     <wsdl:fault name="ConfirmDownloadError"> <soap:fault name="ConfirmDownloadError" use="literal"/>
2229   </wsdl:fault>
2230   </wsdl:operation>
2231 </wsdl:binding>
2232
2233   <wsdl:binding name="ECPIInternalMessagingSOAP12" type="ecp:ECPIInternalMessaging">
2234     <soap12:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
2235     <wsdl:operation name="UploadMessages">
2236       <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/UploadMessages"/>
2237       <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2238       <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2239       <wsdl:fault name="UploadMessagesError"> <soap12:fault name="UploadMessagesError" use="literal"/>
2240   </wsdl:fault>
2241   </wsdl:operation>
2242   <wsdl:operation name="DownloadMessages">
2243     <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/DownloadMessages"/>
2244     <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2245     <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2246     <wsdl:fault name="DownloadMessagesError"> <soap12:fault name="DownloadMessagesError" use="literal"/>
2247   </wsdl:fault>
2248   </wsdl:operation>
2249   <wsdl:operation name="ConfirmDownload">
2250     <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/ConfirmDownload"/>
2251     <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2252     <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2253     <wsdl:fault name="ConfirmDownloadError"> <soap12:fault name="ConfirmDownloadError" use="literal"/>
2254   </wsdl:fault>
2255   </wsdl:operation>
2256 </wsdl:binding>
2257
2258   <wsdl:service name="ECPIInternalMessagingService">
2259     <wsdl:port name="ECPIInternalMessagingSOAP11" binding="ecp:ECPIInternalMessagingSOAP11">
2260       <soap:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
2261     </wsdl:port>
2262     <wsdl:port name="ECPIInternalMessagingSOAP12" binding="ecp:ECPIInternalMessagingSOAP12">
2263       <soap12:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
2264     </wsdl:port>
2265   </wsdl:service>
2266 </wsdl:definitions>

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### 5.6.2.3 DIRECTORY SERVICES

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2267 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
2268 <wsdl:definitions name="ECPDirectoryService" targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
2269 xmlns:wsdl="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/" xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
2270 xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap/" xmlns:ecp="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
2271 xmlns:soap12="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap12/">
2272
2273 <wsdl:types>
2274   <xsd:schema targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/">
2275
2276     <xsd:element name="GetCertificateRequest">
2277       <xsd:complexType>
2278         <xsd:sequence>
2279           <xsd:element name="componentCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2280           <xsd:element name="type" type="ecp:CertificateType"/>
2281           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="certificateID" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
2282           <xsd:element name="authToken" type="ecp:AuthenticationToken"/>
2283           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="serviceMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2284         </xsd:sequence>
2285       </xsd:complexType>
2286     </xsd:element>
2287
2288     <xsd:element name="GetCertificateResponse">
2289       <xsd:complexType>
2290         <xsd:sequence>
2291           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="certificate" nillable="true" type="ecp:Certificate"/>
2292         </xsd:sequence>
2293       </xsd:complexType>
2294     </xsd:element>
2295
2296     <xsd:element name="GetCertificateError">
2297       <xsd:complexType>
2298         <xsd:sequence>
2299           <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2300           <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2301           <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2302           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2303         </xsd:sequence>
2304       </xsd:complexType>
2305     </xsd:element>
2306
2307     <xsd:element name="GetComponentRequest">
2308       <xsd:complexType>
2309         <xsd:sequence>
2310           <xsd:element name="componentCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2311           <xsd:element name="authToken" type="ecp:AuthenticationToken"/>
2312           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="serviceMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2313         </xsd:sequence>
2314       </xsd:complexType>
2315     </xsd:element>
2316
2317     <xsd:element name="GetComponentResponse">
2318       <xsd:complexType>
2319         <xsd:sequence>
2320           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="component" nillable="true" type="ecp:ComponentInformation"/>
2321         </xsd:sequence>
2322       </xsd:complexType>
2323     </xsd:element>
2324
2325     <xsd:element name="GetComponentError">
2326       <xsd:complexType>
2327         <xsd:sequence>
2328           <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
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2329     <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2330     <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2331     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2332   </xsd:sequence>
2333 </xsd:complexType>
2334 </xsd:element>
2335
2336 <xsd:element name="SetComponentMversionRequest">
2337   <xsd:complexType>
2338     <xsd:sequence>
2339       <xsd:element name="componentCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2340       <xsd:element name="signature" type="xsd:string"/>
2341       <xsd:element name="certificateID" type="xsd:string"/>
2342       <xsd:element name="componentMVersion" type="xsd:int"/>
2343       <xsd:element name="authToken" type="ecp:AuthenticationToken"/>
2344       <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="serviceMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2345     </xsd:sequence>
2346   </xsd:complexType>
2347 </xsd:element>
2348
2349 <xsd:element name="SetComponentMversionResponse">
2350   <xsd:complexType>
2351     <xsd:sequence>
2352       <xsd:element name="nodeMversion" type="xsd:int"/>
2353       <xsd:element name="acceptance" type="xsd:boolean"/>
2354     </xsd:sequence>
2355   </xsd:complexType>
2356 </xsd:element>
2357
2358 <xsd:element name="SetComponentMversionError">
2359   <xsd:complexType>
2360     <xsd:sequence>
2361       <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2362       <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2363       <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2364       <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2365     </xsd:sequence>
2366   </xsd:complexType>
2367 </xsd:element>
2368
2369 <xsd:complexType name="Certificate">
2370   <xsd:sequence>
2371     <xsd:element name="certificateID" type="xsd:string"/>
2372     <xsd:element name="certificate" type="xsd:base64Binary"/>
2373     <xsd:element name="expiration" type="xsd:long"/>
2374   </xsd:sequence>
2375 </xsd:complexType>
2376
2377 <xsd:simpleType name="CertificateType">
2378   <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
2379     <xsd:enumeration value="AUTHENTICATION"/>
2380     <xsd:enumeration value="ENCRYPTION"/>
2381     <xsd:enumeration value="SIGNING"/>
2382   </xsd:restriction>
2383 </xsd:simpleType>
2384
2385 <xsd:complexType name="ComponentInformation">
2386   <xsd:sequence>
2387     <xsd:element name="code" type="xsd:string"/>
2388     <xsd:element name="type" type="ecp:ComponentType"/>
2389     <xsd:element name="organization" type="xsd:string"/>
2390     <xsd:element name="person" type="xsd:string"/>
2391     <xsd:element name="email" type="xsd:string"/>
2392     <xsd:element name="phone" type="xsd:string"/>
2393     <xsd:element name="routing" type="ecp:RoutingInformation"/>
2394     <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="expiration" nillable="true" type="xsd:long"/>

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2395      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="codeMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2396    </xsd:sequence>
2397  </xsd:complexType>
2398
2399  <xsd:complexType name="RoutingInformation">
2400    <xsd:sequence>
2401      <xsd:element name="node" type="xsd:string"/>
2402      <xsd:element name="primaryURL" type="xsd:string"/>
2403      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="secondaryURL" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
2404      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="nodeMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2405    </xsd:sequence>
2406  </xsd:complexType>
2407
2408  <xsd:simpleType name="ComponentType">
2409    <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
2410      <xsd:enumeration value="NODE"/>
2411      <xsd:enumeration value="GATEWAY"/>
2412      <xsd:enumeration value="ENDPOINT"/>
2413    </xsd:restriction>
2414  </xsd:simpleType>
2415
2416  <xsd:complexType name="AuthenticationToken">
2417    <xsd:sequence>
2418      <xsd:element name="token" type="xsd:string"/>
2419      <xsd:element name="signature" type="xsd:string"/>
2420      <xsd:element name="certificateID" type="xsd:string"/>
2421    </xsd:sequence>
2422  </xsd:complexType>
2423 </xsd:schema>
2424 </wsdl:types>
2425
2426 <wsdl:message name="GetComponentRequest">
2427   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetComponentRequest"/>
2428 </wsdl:message>
2429
2430 <wsdl:message name="GetCertificateResponse">
2431   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetCertificateResponse"/>
2432 </wsdl:message>
2433
2434 <wsdl:message name="GetComponentResponse">
2435   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetComponentResponse"/>
2436 </wsdl:message>
2437
2438 <wsdl:message name="GetCertificateRequest">
2439   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetCertificateRequest"/>
2440 </wsdl:message>
2441
2442 <wsdl:message name="GetCertificateFault">
2443   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:GetCertificateError"/>
2444 </wsdl:message>
2445
2446 <wsdl:message name="GetComponentFault">
2447   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:GetComponentError"/>
2448 </wsdl:message>
2449
2450 <wsdl:message name="SetComponentMversionRequest">
2451   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:SetComponentMversionRequest"/>
2452 </wsdl:message>
2453
2454 <wsdl:message name="SetComponentMversionResponse">
2455   <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:SetComponentMversionResponse"/>
2456 </wsdl:message>
2457
2458 <wsdl:message name="SetComponentMversionFault">
2459   <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:SetComponentMversionError"/>
2460 </wsdl:message>

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2461
2462 <wsdl:portType name="ECPDirectoryService">
2463   <wsdl:operation name="GetCertificate">
2464     <wsdl:input message="ecp:GetCertificateRequest"/>
2465     <wsdl:output message="ecp:GetCertificateResponse"/>
2466     <wsdl:fault name="GetCertificateError" message="ecp:GetCertificateFault"/>
2467   </wsdl:operation>
2468   <wsdl:operation name="GetComponent">
2469     <wsdl:input message="ecp:GetComponentRequest"/>
2470     <wsdl:output message="ecp:GetComponentResponse"/>
2471     <wsdl:fault name="GetComponentError" message="ecp:GetComponentFault"/>
2472   </wsdl:operation>
2473   <wsdl:operation name="SetComponentMversion">
2474     <wsdl:input message="ecp:SetComponentMversionRequest"/>
2475     <wsdl:output message="ecp:SetComponentMversionResponse"/>
2476     <wsdl:fault name="SetComponentMversionError" message="ecp:SetComponentMversionFault"/>
2477   </wsdl:operation>
2478 </wsdl:portType>
2479
2480 <wsdl:binding name="ECPDirectoryServiceSOAP11" type="ecp:ECPDirectoryService">
2481   <soap:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
2482   <wsdl:operation name="GetCertificate">
2483     <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetCertificate"/>
2484     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2485     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2486     <wsdl:fault name="GetCertificateError"> <soap:fault name="GetCertificateError" use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
2487   </wsdl:operation>
2488   <wsdl:operation name="GetComponent">
2489     <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetComponent"/>
2490     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2491     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2492     <wsdl:fault name="GetComponentError"> <soap:fault name="GetComponentError" use="literal"/>
2493   </wsdl:fault>
2494   </wsdl:operation>
2495   <wsdl:operation name="SetComponentMversion">
2496     <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/SetComponentMversion"/>
2497     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2498     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2499     <wsdl:fault name="SetComponentMversionError"> <soap:fault name="SetComponentMversionError" use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
2500   </wsdl:operation>
2501 </wsdl:binding>
2503
2504 <wsdl:binding name="ECPDirectoryServiceSOAP12" type="ecp:ECPDirectoryService">
2505   <soap12:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
2506   <wsdl:operation name="GetCertificate">
2507     <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetCertificate"/>
2508     <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2509     <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2510     <wsdl:fault name="GetCertificateError"> <soap12:fault name="GetCertificateError" use="literal"/>
2511   </wsdl:fault>
2512   </wsdl:operation>
2513   <wsdl:operation name="GetComponent">
2514     <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetComponent"/>
2515     <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2516     <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2517     <wsdl:fault name="GetComponentError"> <soap12:fault name="GetComponentError" use="literal"/>
2518   </wsdl:fault>
2519   </wsdl:operation>
2520   <wsdl:operation name="SetComponentMversion">
2521     <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/SetComponentMversion"/>
2522     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2523     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2524     <wsdl:fault name="SetComponentMversionError"> <soap12:fault name="SetComponentMversionError" use="literal"/> </wsdl:fault>
2525   </wsdl:operation>
2526 
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2527 </wsdl:binding>
2528
2529 <wsdl:service name="ECPDirectoryService">
2530   <wsdl:port name="ECPDirectoryServiceSOAP11" binding="ecp:ECPDirectoryServiceSOAP11">
2531     <soap:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
2532   </wsdl:port>
2533   <wsdl:port name="ECPDirectoryServiceSOAP12" binding="ecp:ECPDirectoryServiceSOAP12">
2534     <soap12:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
2535   </wsdl:port>
2536 </wsdl:service>
2537 </wsdl:definitions>
```

### 5.6.2.4 NODE SYNCHRONIZATION INTERFACE

```
2538 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
2539 <wsdl:definitions name="ECPNodeSynchronizationService" targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
2540 xmlns:wsdl="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/" xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
2541 xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap/" xmlns:ecp="http://mades.entsoe.eu/"
2542 xmlns:soap12="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap12/">
2543
2544 <wsdl:types>
2545   <xsd:schema targetNamespace="http://mades.entsoe.eu/">
2546
2547     <xsd:element name="GetAllDirectoryDataRequest">
2548       <xsd:complexType>
2549         <xsd:sequence>
2550           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="dversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2551           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="serviceMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2552         </xsd:sequence>
2553       </xsd:complexType>
2554     </xsd:element>
2555
2556     <xsd:element name="GetAllDirectoryDataResponse">
2557       <xsd:complexType>
2558         <xsd:sequence>
2559           <xsd:element name="dversion" type="xsd:int"/>
2560           <xsd:element name="nodeCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2561           <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="components" nillable="true"
2562 type="ecp:ComponentDescription"/>
2563           </xsd:sequence>
2564         </xsd:complexType>
2565     </xsd:element>
2566
2567     <xsd:element name="GetAllDirectoryDataError">
2568       <xsd:complexType>
2569         <xsd:sequence>
2570           <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2571           <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
2572           <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2573           <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2574         </xsd:sequence>
2575       </xsd:complexType>
2576     </xsd:element>
2577
2578     <xsd:element name="GetNodeMversionRequest">
2579       <xsd:complexType>
2580         <xsd:sequence>
2581           <xsd:element name="mversion" type="xsd:int"/>
2582         </xsd:sequence>
2583       </xsd:complexType>
2584     </xsd:element>
2585
2586     <xsd:element name="GetNodeMversionResponse">
2587       <xsd:complexType>
2588         <xsd:sequence>
2589           <xsd:element name="mversion" type="xsd:int"/>
2590           <xsd:element name="nodeCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2591         </xsd:sequence>
2592       </xsd:complexType>
2593     </xsd:element>
2594
2595     <xsd:element name="GetNodeMversionError">
2596       <xsd:complexType>
2597         <xsd:sequence>
2598           <xsd:element name="errorCode" type="xsd:string"/>
2599           <xsd:element name="errorID" type="xsd:string"/>
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2600    <xsd:element name="errorMessage" type="xsd:string"/>
2601    <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="errorDetails" type="xsd:string"/>
2602    </xsd:sequence>
2603  </xsd:complexType>
2604 </xsd:element>
2605
2606  <xsd:complexType name="ComponentDescription">
2607    <xsd:sequence>
2608      <xsd:element name="information" type="ecp:ComponentInformation"/>
2609      <xsd:element maxOccurs="unbounded" minOccurs="0" name="certificates"
2610      type="ecp:ComponentCertificate"/>
2611    </xsd:sequence>
2612  </xsd:complexType>
2613
2614  <xsd:complexType name="ComponentCertificate">
2615    <xsd:sequence>
2616      <xsd:element name="certificate" type="ecp:Certificate"/>
2617      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="revoked" nillable="true" type="xsd:boolean"/>
2618      <xsd:element name="type" type="ecp:CertificateType"/>
2619    </xsd:sequence>
2620  </xsd:complexType>
2621
2622  <xsd:complexType name="Certificate">
2623    <xsd:sequence>
2624      <xsd:element name="certificateID" type="xsd:string"/>
2625      <xsd:element name="certificate" type="xsd:base64Binary"/>
2626    </xsd:sequence>
2627  </xsd:complexType>
2628
2629  <xsd:simpleType name="CertificateType">
2630    <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
2631      <xsd:enumeration value="AUTHENTICATION"/>
2632      <xsd:enumeration value="ENCRYPTION"/>
2633      <xsd:enumeration value="SIGNING"/>
2634    </xsd:restriction>
2635  </xsd:simpleType>
2636
2637  <xsd:complexType name="ComponentInformation">
2638    <xsd:sequence>
2639      <xsd:element name="code" type="xsd:string"/>
2640      <xsd:element name="type" type="ecp:ComponentType"/>
2641      <xsd:element name="organization" type="xsd:string"/>
2642      <xsd:element name="person" type="xsd:string"/>
2643      <xsd:element name="email" type="xsd:string"/>
2644      <xsd:element name="phone" type="xsd:string"/>
2645      <xsd:element name="routing" type="ecp:RoutingInformation"/>
2646      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="expiration" nillable="true" type="xsd:long"/>
2647      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="codeMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2648    </xsd:sequence>
2649  </xsd:complexType>
2650
2651  <xsd:complexType name="RoutingInformation">
2652    <xsd:sequence>
2653      <xsd:element name="node" type="xsd:string"/>
2654      <xsd:element name="primaryURL" type="xsd:string"/>
2655      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="secondaryURL" nillable="true" type="xsd:string"/>
2656      <xsd:element minOccurs="0" name="nodeMversion" nillable="true" type="xsd:int"/>
2657    </xsd:sequence>
2658  </xsd:complexType>
2659
2660  <xsd:simpleType name="ComponentType">
2661    <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
2662      <xsd:enumeration value="NODE"/>
2663      <xsd:enumeration value="GATEWAY"/>
2664      <xsd:enumeration value="ENDPOINT"/>
2665    </xsd:restriction>

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2666      </xsd:simpleType>
2667
2668      </xsd:schema>
2669  </wsdl:types>
2670
2671  <wsdl:message name="GetAllDirectoryDataResponse">
2672    <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetAllDirectoryDataResponse"/>
2673  </wsdl:message>
2674
2675  <wsdl:message name="GetAllDirectoryDataFault">
2676    <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:GetAllDirectoryDataError"/>
2677  </wsdl:message>
2678
2679  <wsdl:message name="GetAllDirectoryDataRequest">
2680    <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetAllDirectoryDataRequest"/>
2681  </wsdl:message>
2682
2683  <wsdl:message name="GetNodeMversionResponse">
2684    <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetNodeMversionResponse"/>
2685  </wsdl:message>
2686
2687  <wsdl:message name="GetNodeMversionFault">
2688    <wsdl:part name="fault" element="ecp:GetNodeMversionError"/>
2689  </wsdl:message>
2690
2691  <wsdl:message name="GetNodeMversionRequest">
2692    <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="ecp:GetNodeMversionRequest"/>
2693  </wsdl:message>
2694
2695  <wsdl:portType name="ECPNodeSynchronizationService">
2696    <wsdl:operation name="GetAllDirectoryData">
2697      <wsdl:input message="ecp:GetAllDirectoryDataRequest"/>
2698      <wsdl:output message="ecp:GetAllDirectoryDataResponse"/>
2699      <wsdl:fault name="GetAllDirectoryDataError" message="ecp:GetAllDirectoryDataFault"/>
2700    </wsdl:operation>
2701    <wsdl:operation name="GetNodeMversion">
2702      <wsdl:input message="ecp:GetNodeMversionRequest"/>
2703      <wsdl:output message="ecp:GetNodeMversionResponse"/>
2704      <wsdl:fault name="GetNodeMversionError" message="ecp:GetNodeMversionFault"/>
2705    </wsdl:operation>
2706  </wsdl:portType>
2707
2708  <wsdl:binding name="ECPNodeSynchronizationServiceSOAP12" type="ecp:ECPNodeSynchronizationService">
2709    <soap12:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
2710    <wsdl:operation name="GetAllDirectoryData">
2711      <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetAllDirectoryData"/>
2712      <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2713      <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2714      <wsdl:fault name="GetAllDirectoryDataError"> <soap12:fault name="GetAllDirectoryDataError" use="literal"/>
2715    </wsdl:fault>
2716    </wsdl:operation>
2717    <wsdl:operation name="GetNodeMversion">
2718      <soap12:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetNodeMversion"/>
2719      <wsdl:input> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2720      <wsdl:output> <soap12:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2721      <wsdl:fault name="GetNodeMversionError"> <soap12:fault name="GetNodeMversionError" use="literal"/>
2722    </wsdl:fault>
2723    </wsdl:operation>
2724  </wsdl:binding>
2725
2726  <wsdl:binding name="ECPNodeSynchronizationServiceSOAP11" type="ecp:ECPNodeSynchronizationService">
2727    <soap:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
2728    <wsdl:operation name="GetAllDirectoryData">
2729      <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetAllDirectoryData"/>
2730      <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2731      <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>

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2732     <wsdl:fault name="GetAllDirectoryDataError"> <soap:fault name="GetAllDirectoryDataError" use="literal"/>
2733   </wsdl:fault>
2734   </wsdl:operation>
2735   <wsdl:operation name="GetNodeMversion">
2736     <soap:operation soapAction="http://mades.entsoe.eu/GetNodeMversion"/>
2737     <wsdl:input> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:input>
2738     <wsdl:output> <soap:body use="literal"/> </wsdl:output>
2739     <wsdl:fault name="GetNodeMversionError"> <soap:fault name="GetNodeMversionError" use="literal"/>
2740   </wsdl:fault>
2741   </wsdl:operation>
2742 </wsdl:binding>
2743
2744 <wsdl:service name="ECPNodeSynchronizationService">
2745   <wsdl:port name="ECPNodeSynchronizationServiceSOAP12"
2746 binding="ecp:ECPNodeSynchronizationServiceSOAP12">
2747   <soap12:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
2748 </wsdl:port>
2749   <wsdl:port name="ECPNodeSynchronizationServiceSOAP11"
2750 binding="ecp:ECPNodeSynchronizationServiceSOAP11">
2751   <soap:address location="http://mades.entsoe.eu"/>
2752 </wsdl:port>
2753 </wsdl:service>
2754 </wsdl:definitions>
```



### 5.6.3 XML SIGNATURE EXAMPLE

```
2755 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="no"?>
2756 <Signature xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#">
2757   <SignedInfo>
2758     <CanonicalizationMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/TR/2001/REC-xml-c14n-20010315"/>
2759     <SignatureMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#rsa-sha512"/>
2760     <Reference URI="">
2761       <DigestMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#sha512"/>
2762       <DigestValue>eVplnNsCIWzEjdrxxvongO2rnQ4=</DigestValue>
2763     </Reference>
2764   </SignedInfo>
2765   <SignatureValue>aD9HNiTmVxW+HnDOpSjzwDB+MypGTC7yb3/HUpAZKmEhRwQC0eBwYcZSRTqF8VdzmneH6abq2P+m
2766 vHNXPc53i3mF58XDR5JFHHWLhg8B9HZm6/IYxNy2cGW9yAvYQKe3uJXeV/95u9qMEwJhbOjvPlx
2767 ZdbXqcCSorWqih7hdB86NvS1BfXMyWdlinwZU/44RUptNxQpP/Pw91Dd8YnMTNvwm2ax5oL1W
2768 akiGKToS/yId/Cgyb1xhGdxFeP30bqLusaLMYkbctpZ2WDn2w5l4mmOO78jndPUnaMT5gyFaonz
2769 +K84xD+1/iZbTQ0adc9LE7XgAkpiiNjf2LW9tw==</SignatureValue>
2770   <KeyInfo>
2771     <KeyName>yyyyyyyyyyyyyy</KeyName>
2772   </KeyInfo>
2773 </Signature>
```

2774 Where:

- DigestValue is the non encoded hash of the message.
  - SignatureValue is the encoded hash of the message.
  - KeyName is the ID of the signer component.

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