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2 Introduction

See section 3.3 for a high-level overview of the TOE characteristics and its security services.

2.1 Purpose of this Document

This document is the Security Target for the *PikeOS Separation Kernel v5.1.3 for the NXP LS1023A/LS1043A Processor*.

2.2 Document References

2.2.1 Applicable Documents

Ref.	Document ID - Document Title	Version
[Com17]	Common Criteria Sponsoring Organizations, Common Criteria	v3.1r5
	for Information Technology Security Evaluation. Version 3.1,	
	revision 5 (final), April 2017.	
	https://www.commoncriteriaportal.org/ccra/index.cfm	

Table 1: Applicable Documents

2.2.2 Referenced Documents



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[ANSSI17]	Agence nationale de la sécurité des systèmes d'information (ANSSI),			
	Processus de qualification d'un produit, n°274/ANSSI/SDE, réf.			
	QUAL-PROD-PROCESS/1.0, 12 jan. 2017,			
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	qualification-d-un-produit.pdf			
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	technologies, Protection Profile for High-Assurance Security Kernel: Version 1.14, June 2008.			
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 Table 2: Referenced Documents

2.3 Abbreviations and Acronyms

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Abbreviation /	Description
Acronym	
APEX	Application Executive
API	Application Programming Interface
ARINC	Aeronautical Radio, Inc.
ASP	Architecture Support Package
BSP	Board Support Package
СС	Common Criteria for Information Technology Security Evaluation
CLKMGR	Clock Manager
CPU	Central Processing Unit
DMA	Direct Memory Access
EAL	Evaluation Assurance Level
ELF	Executable and Linkable Format
HASK	High-Assurance Security Kernel
HWVIRT	Hardware Virtualization
I/O MMU	Input / Output Memory Management Unit
1/0	Input / Output
IPC	Interprocess Communication
IT	Information Technology
MILS	Multiple Independent Levels of Security
MMU	Memory Management Unit
OSEK	Offene Systeme und deren Schnittstellen für die Elektronik in
	Kraftfahrzeugen
OSP	Organizational Security Policy
OSPP	Operating Systems Protection Profile
POSIX	Portable Operating System Interface
PSP	Platform Support Package
RAM	Random Access Memory
RTEMS	Real-Time Executive for Multiprocessor Systems
SAR	Security Assurance Requirement
SFP	Security Function Policy
SFR	Security Functional Requirement
SKPP	Separation Kernel Protection Profile
SSP	System Security Policy
ST	Security Target
TOE	Target of Evaluation
TSF	Target of Evaluation Security Functionality
TSS_XXX	TOE Security Service XXX
USB	Universal Serial Bus
VMIT	Virtual Machine Initialization Table
XML	Extensible Markup Language

Table 3: Abbreviations and Acronyms

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2.4 Terms and Definitions

Access Flag: An access flag is a bit specifying whether a certain access operation is allowed.

Access Mode: An access mode is a set of access flags.

Application: An application is executable data. An application is a special case of "Executable".

Architecture Support Package: An architecture support package (ASP) is part of the TOE. The ASP provides specific low-level functionality for each supported CPU architecture. Since the CPU instruction set is also CPU dependent, the generic components are CPU specific at the object code level.

The main responsibilities of an ASP are: (1) abstraction of data type representation, (2) processor exception handling, and (3) low level address space and memory management.

In operational use, the TSF always contains only one ASP.

Board Support Package: A board support package (BSP) is a set of software components composed of PikeOS (kernel and PSSW), the ASP, the PSP, and kernel-level and user-level device drivers, that provides an abstraction layer for a specific board to be further used by the Integrator to produce the Product Based on PikeOS.

Bootloader: See "Firmware".

Builtin File Provider: A builtin file provider is an executable provided by the TOE that implements file services.

Communication Object: Partitions can communicate with each other under the supervision of the TOE. A communication object is an object exposed to one or multiple partitions with access rights as defined in the configuration data.

Configuration Data: The configuration data defines a set of rules on how the TOE behaves. The configuration data comprises a top-level configuration XML document called VMIT (Virtual Machine Initialization Table) and the property file system. Access to each property file system node is controlled by the file access control defined in the VMIT. The configuration data is defined during Step 3 of the system integration phase and used by the TOE to enforce the System Security Policy (SSP, Section 3.4.4.2). The default configuration is that there is no communication between any partitions. Any communication between partitions has to be explicitly allowed by the *integrator* in the configuration data.

CPU Architecture: The CPU architecture is the implementation of a CPU instruction set. CPU architectures are for instance x86, Arm, or PowerPC.

Cyclic Periodicity: Cyclic periodicity is the repetition of a scheduling scheme: when the last time window of the scheduling scheme has finished, the scheduling scheme begins again with its first time window.

ELF File: An *ELF file* is a file in ELF format, used to load applications.

e1000 driver: An e1000 driver is a driver for Gigabit Ethernet controllers.

Executable: "Executable" is the term for an application within a partition or other executable code linked to the TOE. More details about executables are given in section 3.4.3.1.3.

External File Provider: An external file provider is an executable provided by third-party developers that implements file services and is confined by the VMIT.

File Descriptor: A *file descriptor* is an identifier for a file.

Firmware: *Firmware* is hardware-specific software which comprises the following:

 Software and data stored in non-volatile memory of the hardware that initializes the hardware after the power on.

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• Software that (fully or partially) loads the TOE into RAM memory and hands over the full control to the TOE. In particular, a TOE-external check of the TOE may be implemented in the bootloader (e.g. for "secure boot").

Fusion Tool Chain: The PikeOS fusion tool chain project is a linker that links one or several executables and the TOE. The tool-chain provides linker for all required CPU architectures. The tool chain can be used on a development machine with Linux or Windows.

Hardware: Hardware is the physical part of the TOE operational environment on which the TOE is executed. Usually, hardware is a board with several components such as CPUs and I/O devices (e.g. serial interfaces, network adapters) etc. This ST considers firmware as part of the hardware.

Integration Tool Chain: The PikeOS integration tool chain project takes as input one or more applications, the VMIT, the property file system, and the results of the fusion tool chain and produces the product based on PikeOS, in the form of a ROM image. The tool-chain supports the required CPU architectures and can be used on a development machine with Linux or Windows.

Integrator: The integrator executes the system integration phase, which results in a product based on the TOE.

Interprocess Communication: IPC is a communication protocol supported by the TOE to exchange messages within a partition or between partitions synchronously. The communication objects are IPC messages.

Isolation: Isolation of a partition is the absence of communication with other partitions, except partitions hosting the components implementing the system API, when no communication channels or shared resources between the partition and other partitions are configured. Isolation is a special case of separation.

Kernel Info Page: The kernel info page is a memory page that is mapped in read-only access mode to all partitions.

Kernel Device Driver: A kernel device driver (KDEV) is a software component linked with the kernel via the KDEV API. A KDEV can provide specific functionality to applications within partitions and is protected from non-privileged executables by access control and resource management enforced by the TOE.

Life Cycle: The life cycle phases for this TOE are development (source code development), manufacturing (compilation to binary) and delivery to the integrator. The integrator executes the system integration phase, which results in a product based on the TOE.

Memory Page: A memory page is an aligned and contiguous area of memory of a CPU architecture dependent size (e.g. 4096 bytes).

Normal Partition: A normal partition can use the API provided by the TOE to partitions that only consists of nonprivileged calls ("normal partition API").

Non-Privileged Executable: See "Executable".

Own (for a Task or a Thread): A partition owns a task if the task is assigned to it by the integrator in the VMIT. A partition owns a thread if the thread is created by one of its applications.

Partition: A *partition* is a logical unit maintained by the TOE and configured by the SSP. A *partition* contains user data. For each partition, the TOE provides resources. Resources of a partition comprise physical memory and allocated CPU time for each CPU.

Partition Switch: Partition switches are defined by the SSP as part of the scheduling scheme and transfer code execution on CPU(s) from one partition to another.

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PikeOS: The term *PikeOS* is usually used in the documentation when the described system includes at least the TOE.

PikeOS Kernel: The PikeOS Kernel is one of the two constituting subsystems of the PikeOS Separation Kernel and implements a portion of the TSF.

PikeOS Operating System: The *PikeOS Operating System* consists of the TOE and additional system components such as the PSP, (kernel) device drivers, and system extensions. Such additional components are usually used for making the TOE fully compatible with its use-case and the selected hardware.

PikeOS Separation Kernel: The PikeOS Separation Kernel (the TOE) provides the TSF and operates the product based on PikeOS. The TSF implements mechanisms to assign resources to partitions, providing the execution environments for applications, and implementing communication between partitions as defined by the configuration data. The PikeOS Separation Kernel is provided as binary for each supported CPU architecture. The functionality of the PikeOS Separation Kernel is CPU architecture-independent thanks to the usage of the ASP that abstracts the underlying CPU architecture.

PikeOS System Software: The PikeOS System Software (PSSW), also called System Software, is one of the two constituting subsystems of the PikeOS Separation Kernel and implements a portion of the TSF.

Platform Support Package: A platform support package (PSP) contains a set of drivers for a specific hardware platform. A PSP uses the TSF's PSP API. In operational use, the product based on PikeOS always contains exactly one PSP. A PSP is protected from non-privileged executables by access control and resource management enforced by the TOE. The main tasks of a PSP are (1) platform initialization, (2) interrupt management, (3) hardware timer management.

Port: A port is a communication endpoint for message based communication. A port is either configured as source port or destination port. A sender writes a message to a source port and a receiver reads the message from the connected destination port. The TOE supports two kinds of message transfer modes - queuing mode and sampling mode. The mode is defined by the port type. Only ports of the same type can be connected. Messages sent to a source queuing port are buffered in a queue until they are read from the connected destination port. The number of messages that can be buffered is a configurable property of a queuing port. A message sent to a source sampling port is only buffered until the next message is sent, the new message will replace the old one.

Privileged Executable: See "Executable".

Product Based on PikeOS: The product based on PikeOS is the output of the system integration phase (Section 3.4.4.2). The product based on PikeOS contains the configuration data in a representation readable by the TOE, the PSP, system extensions, kernel device drivers, and partitions. The PSP reads and set up the configuration, and confines non-privileged executables within their partitions according the SSP.

Property Node: A property node is a file in the property file system. The *integrator* can use the property file system to describe properties of hardware in the operational environment.

Resource: In this ST we consider resources of partitions and TSF data. The resources of a partition comprise physical memory and allocated CPU time for each CPU.

Separation: The TOE separates partitions by managing their accesses to and usage of resources, such as memory, devices, processors, and communication channels, as defined by the configuration.

Separation Kernel: A Separation Kernel as defined by [Rus81] is the logical concept of a software that is capable of providing multiple execution environments on a single system that are separated from each other with the same degree of rigor as if the environments were executed on physically separate systems. A Separation Kernel can be implemented in a number of different ways, for example as (part of) an Operating System Kernel.

Subject: In this ST, the term subject is used for a thread in a partition, for an application, or for a partition as a whole depending on the context. In the running TOE, the entity executing application code is a TOE thread. In a partition

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there can be multiple threads and each thread is uniquely assigned to its partition. Since this ST works on security policies at partition level, we abstract all threads in one partition to the partition subject.

System Extension: A *system extension* is a software component supplied and approved by the *integrator* and linked with the TOE via the system extension API. A system extension can provide specific functionality to applications within partitions and is protected from non-privileged executables by access control and resource management enforced by the TOE.

System Partition: A *system partition* can use the whole API provided by the TOE to partitions ("system partition API"), i.e. use both non-privileged (normal partition API) and additional privileged calls. The *integrator* can define a partition as a system partition in the SSP.

System Security Policy (SSP): The configuration data uniquely defines the *System Security Policy* (SSP) consisting of configuration choices made by an *integrator*. The SSP defines partitions, setting their resources, defining communication objects, defining access to and parameters for PSP, system extensions, and kernel device drivers, setting their content and resources, setting TOE attributes, comprising scheduling scheme, policy for memory cache handling on a partition switch to the extent supported by the operational environment's hardware, scheme for automatic handling of error conditions. The SSP is a subset of the VMIT.

Time Window: A *time window* is the basic scheduling entity of CPU time assigned to a partition that is specified by the offset from the start of a cyclical time period and the window duration.

TOE Security Service: A *TOE Security Service* is a logical part of the TOE that has to be relied upon for enforcing a related subset of the rules regulating how the SSP is maintained by the TOE.

TOE User Manuals: The *TOE User Manuals* are documentation provided with the TOE on how to use the TOE in general environments and in safety and security critical environments.

User: A "user" of the TOE is a partition.

Virtual Machine Initialization Table (VMIT): The *configuration data* defines a set of rules on how the TOE behaves. The configuration data comprises a top-level configuration XML document called VMIT (Virtual Machine Initialization Table) and the property file system. Access to each property file system node is controlled by the file access control defined in the VMIT. The SSP is a subset of the VMIT.



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3.1 ST Reference

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- Date: 27th July, 2023
- TOE Version: 3.1.0

This security target complies with the Common Criteria for Information Technology Security Evaluation Version 3.1 Revision 5 [Com17] (CC).

3.2 TOE Reference

The TOE is referenced as the PikeOS Separation Kernel v5.1.3 for the NXP LS1023A/LS1043A Processor v3.1.0.

3.3 TOE Overview

The TOE allows to effectively separate multiple applications from each other while running on the same platform. Such applications can range from small bare-metal programs up to entire Operating Systems. Non-privileged applications may be malicious, and even in that case, the TOE ensures that malicious applications are neither capable of harming other applications nor the TOE itself.

Separation kernels aim to establish a degree of isolation between the applications on a single system (e.g., a hardware platform) which, in terms of security, is comparable to running the application executables on physically separate platforms [Rus81]. However, separation kernels also provide communication facilities that allow the applications to interact with each other, if configured by the integrator.

The TOE includes a wide range of additional features and functionalities such as direct memory access, process control, memory management, different communication services and more. Together with the real-time capability of the TOE, this allows to build and operate embedded systems in areas with a high demand towards security and safety such as automotive, avionics, medical devices, industrial and railway applications.

The TOE also includes specific BSP components for the NXP LS1023A/LS1043 Processor.

3.3.1 Base Functionality

The interference-free coexistence of applications is guaranteed by separating these applications into so-called partitions. These partitions are a key component of the functionality of the TOE. They ensure that even malicious applications are isolated in a way that the TOE itself and other applications in other partitions remain in a secure state.

SYSGO defines separation as follows: The TOE separates partitions by managing their accesses to and usage of resources, such as memory, devices, processors, and communication channels, as defined by the configuration. Isolation of a partition is the absence of communication with other partitions, except partitions hosting the components implementing the system API, when no communication channels or shared resources between the partition and other partitions are configured. Isolation is a special case of separation.

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Additionally, the TOE has the characteristics of an embedded real time operating system. Thus, the partitioning is configured statically and the TOE does not include typical desktop operating system services (e.g. user login, printer drivers). The TOE will typically be installed and operated on a hardware platform suitable for embedded systems.

The major security services provided by the TOE are:

- Separation in space of applications hosted in different partitions from each other and from the *PikeOS Operating System* according to the configuration data,
- Separation in time of applications hosted in different partitions from each other and from the *PikeOS Operating System* according to the configuration data,
- Control of information flows between applications hosted in different partitions via assigning to the partitions communication objects and access rights to those,
- Management of the TOE (e.g. system partition API) and the TOE data (e.g. threads, tasks).

3.3.2 TOE Type

The TOE is a separation kernel with real-time support with BSP components for the NXP LS1023A/1043A processor.

The typical *life cycle* phases for this TOE type are development (source code development), manufacturing (compilation to binary) and delivery to the *integrator*. The *integrator* executes the system integration phase, which results in a product based on the TOE.

The TOE is intended to be run on an *NXP LS1023A/LS1043A Processor* hardware platform. The hardware platform is not part of the TOE.

3.4 TOE Description

3.4.1 TOE Architecture

The TOE, including its architecture, and the TOE operational environment is depicted in Figure 1.





Figure 1: TOE and TOE Operational Environment during Operational Use

Figure 1 will be explained in detail in the next sections (Section 3.4.2 and 3.4.3).

3.4.2 TOE

The TOE is the *PikeOS Separation Kernel v5.1.3 for the NXP LS1023A/LS1043A Processor*, depicted in Figure 1. It consists of the PikeOS Kernel and System Software instantiated with an Armv8 ASP and extended with BSP components for the NXP LS1023A/LS1043A Processor hardware platform (featuring an Arm Cortex-A53 core processor with 4 cores for LS1043A, 2 cores for LS1023A): PSP, HWVIRT Hypervisor driver (as kernel device driver), CLKMGR driver (as kernel device driver), and e1000 driver (as external file provider in a normal partition).

Note:

- The hardware platform itself is not part of the TOE.
- The HWVIRT Hypervisor kernel device driver differs from a typical kernel device driver as its implementation is not limited to the PSP level but also leverages specific CPU interfaces related to hardware virtualization at the ASP level. A HWVIRT Manager runs in partitions using HWVIRT to communicate with the HWVIRT Hypervisor kernel device driver. Applications in these partitions then handle CPU exceptions as configured through HWVIRT directly without passing through the PikeOS kernel.

The TOE contains all the security functions (TSF) claimed in this ST, and the TSF data (e.g. configuration data and run-time data such as security attributes) necessary to configure and control them. The subdivision of the TOE into the two subsystems (Kernel and System Software) is a design choice with no negative impact on the provided security services.

The TOE provides the TSF and operates the final product based on the TOE. The TSF implements mechanisms to assign resources to partitions, providing the execution environments for applications, and implementing communication between partitions as defined by the configuration data. The TSF provides APIs to normal partitions and system partitions as well as APIs to kernel device drivers and the platform support package (PSP).

TSF data consists of:

- Configuration data: data used by the TOE to enforce the System Security Policy (SSP, Section 3.4.4.2).
- Run-time data such as security attributes.

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3.4.2.1 PikeOS Operating System

The *PikeOS Operating System* consists of the TOE and, depending on the configuration used, of additional software components as mentioned in Section 3.4.3.

3.4.3 TOE Operational Environment

In a final product, e.g., an embedded system product based on the TOE, the TOE will use additional hardware and software components. These additional components that are provided by the *integrator* are not covered by this evaluation and belong therefore to the TOE's operational environment. They interact with the TOE through the TOE's well-defined interfaces and do not change the TOE binary. Some of the components may execute privileged CPU instructions or use privileged TOE services and could therefore interfere with security policies enforced by the TSF at runtime. Those components are collectively referred to as *privileged executables* (see Section 3.4.3.1.3). It is outside the scope of this evaluation how the trust for the privileged executables will be established. The *integrator* of a *product based on PikeOS* must establish trust for these privileged executables, e.g. may use a national scheme's accreditation for components and/or the product based on the TOE, a Common Criteria evaluation of the product based on the TOE, or provide some other arguments to the user of the product based on the TOE.

The TOE's operational environment consists of any component not within the blue boxes in Figure 1. The various privileged components (boxes in gray) or non-privileged components (boxes in orange) that may be added by the *integrator* are the following.

3.4.3.1 Partition

A *partition* is a logical unit maintained by the TOE and configured by the configuration data. A partition contains user data. For each partition, the TOE provides resources. *Resources* of a partition comprise physical memory and allocated CPU time for each CPU.

The TOE supports two different kinds of partitions: normal and system partitions. Normal partitions as depicted in Figure 1 are defined in Section 3.4.3.1.1. System partitions as depicted in Figure 1 are defined in Section 3.4.3.1.2.

Partitions can communicate with each other under the supervision of the TOE. This communication occurs via *communication objects*. A *communication object* is an object exposed to one or multiple partitions with access rights as defined in the configuration data.

3.4.3.1.1 Normal Partition A *normal partition* can use the API provided by the TOE to partitions that only consists of non-privileged calls ("normal partition API"). The *integrator* can define a partition as a normal partition in the SSP.

3.4.3.1.2 System Partition A *system partition* can use the whole API provided by the TOE to partitions ("system partition API"), i.e. use both non-privileged (normal partition API) and additional privileged calls. The *integrator* can define a partition as a system partition in the SSP.

3.4.3.1.3 Executable, Non-privileged Executable, Privileged Executable "Executable" is the term for an application within a partition or other executable code linked to the *PikeOS Operating System*.

• An executable is *critical* if it can have access to critical hardware. Critical hardware can bypass TOE partitioning.

Examples where a normal partition hosts a critical executable are:



- An executable in a normal partition is critical if the integrator in the configuration assigns to it access to control a critical hardware which can do DMA, there is no I/O MMU in place, and the hardware can write to arbitrary system memory, thus tampering with the TOE. Another example is an executable that has sufficient control over a hardware device allowing the executable to tamper with the device's BIOS or non-volatile memory. We refer the reader to the TOE User Manuals for more details.
- A non-privileged executable is an application in a normal partition that is not critical. Thus, a non-privileged executable can be an arbitrary executable, which can contain unintentional errors or be even malicious.
- A privileged executable is either: A critical application in a normal partition, or any application in a system partition, or the PSP, or a kernel device driver, or a system extension. That is, a privileged executable has access to a TOE API or to critical hardware that can bypass TOE partitioning. Therefore, a privileged executable must be non-evil, and the integrator must verify that it complies with the system design as well as that it will not interfere with the TOE and the SSP.

3.4.3.2 Communication Object

A communication object is a file, shared memory, a port, an IPC message, or an event.

3.4.3.3 Hardware

Hardware is the physical part of the TOE operational environment on which the TOE is executed. Usually, hardware is a board with several components such as CPUs and I/O devices (e.g. serial interfaces, network adapters) etc. Hardware may also comprise firmware. Firmware is hardware-specific software which comprises the following:

- Software and data stored in non-volatile memory of the hardware that initializes the hardware after the power on.
- Software that (fully or partially) loads the TOE into RAM memory and hands over the full control to the TOE. In particular, a TOE-external check of the TOE may be implemented in the bootloader (e.g. for "secure boot").

The TOE is designed to run specifically on the NXP LS1023A/LS1043A Processor hardware platform.

3.4.4 TOE Life Cycle

3.4.4.1 TOE Development, TOE Manufacturing

At the TOE manufacturer's site (SYSGO), the TSF is developed (source code development), and manufactured (compiled to binary). The TOE manufacturer also produces the TOE User Manuals.

3.4.4.2 System Integration

At the integrator's site, the TOE is integrated. Figure 2 presents the system integration phase of the TOE lifecycle. Components used to build the product based on the TOE are provided by different sources: application developers, integrator, and the TOE manufacturer (SYSGO). During system integration, the TOE, applications and other executables only have to be linked, i.e. their implementations do not need to be changed or recompiled.

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Content of User Partitions: This content can be arbitrary (from a security point of view) and also be supplied by any 3rd party

Content of System Components and Configuration Data: These elements, even if supplied by a 3rd party, are under sole responsibility of the integrator and shall be approved by him/her; see A.PRIVILEGED_EXECUTABLES below.

Figure 2: System Integration Phase of the TOE Lifecycle

The system integration phase can be split into the four steps: selection of the TOE operational environment, nonprivileged and privileged executables, and deciding on system partitions and normal partitions (Step 1), fusion (Step 2), configuration of the TOE (Step 3), and integration (Step 4).

Step 1 Selection

The integrator installs the PikeOS BSP product and the PikeOS BSP Certification Kit on the development machine for the Armv8 CPU architecture.

The *integrator* selects the product components: the TOE components (PikeOS kernel and system software, PSP and kernel device drivers), one or more instances of the e1000 driver in normal partition(s), optionally additional normal and system partitions.

The content of any privileged executable shall be developed complying with the obligations given in Section 5.4 and be approved by the *integrator*.

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Step 2 Configuration

The *integrator* configures the product by:

- defining normal and system partitions, setting their content and resources,
- defining communication objects,
- defining access to the PSP and kernel device drivers,
- setting TOE attributes, comprising:
 - scheduling scheme,
 - policy for memory cache handling on a partition switch to the extent supported by the operational environment's hardware,
 - scheme for automatic handling of error conditions, defining the meaning of the safe and secure state.

The result of this activity is the configuration data. The configuration data defines a set of rules on how the TOE behaves. The configuration data comprises a top-level configuration XML document called VMIT (Virtual Machine Initialization Table) and the property file system. Access to each property file system node is controlled by the file access control defined in the VMIT.

The configuration data uniquely defines the System Security Policy (SSP) consisting of configuration choices made by an integrator. The SSP defines partitions, setting their resources, defining communication objects, defining access to and parameters for PSP, system extensions, and kernel device drivers, setting their content and resources, setting TOE attributes, comprising scheduling scheme, policy for memory cache handling on a partition switch to the extent supported by the operational environment's hardware, scheme for automatic handling of error conditions. The SSP is a subset of the VMIT.

The SSP is enforced by the TSF and it cannot be circumvented by non-privileged executables. The default configuration is that there is no communication between any partitions. Any communication between partitions has to be explicitly allowed by the *integrator* in the configuration data.

Step 3 Integration

The integrator uses the integration tool chain to create a product based on PikeOS (in the form of a binary image) from the selected components and the TOE configuration data, creating the product based on PikeOS, including configuration data in a representation readable by the TOE.

3.4.4.3 Operational Use of the Product Based on the TOE

At power on the hardware is initialized and then the product based on PikeOS is loaded. Immediately after the product based on PikeOS has been loaded, the PSP gets executed. The PSP then starts the TOE (TSF), the TOE initializes itself and starts enforcing the SSP, i.e. the TOE reads and set up the configuration, and confines non-privileged executables within their partitions according the SSP.

3.4.5 TOE Physical Boundary

The TOE is the Security Target for the PikeOS Separation Kernel v5.1.3 for the NXP LS1023A/LS1043A Processor. In Figure 1, each component within the blue boxes are part of the TOE; this includes the PikeOS kernel and system software and BSP (PSP, HWVIRT Hypervisor and CLKMGR kernel device drivers, and the e1000 driver in a normal partition). The TOE provides interfaces to normal and system partitions as well as to the BSP.

The TOE physical boundary is composed of the blue boxes. Thus, the TOE does not include any hardware or software except from those cited in the paragraph above.

The TOE also includes the TOE User Manuals, which are used during the system integration phase. TOE physical components (PikeOS kernel and system software, BSP components, and user manuals) are distributed as files on ISO images

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- PikeOS Product ISO medium: PDT_ISO (R5p1_PIKEOS_ARM_V8HF_S*.amd64.iso),
- Generic Certification Kit ISO medium: CKGEN_ISO (R5p1_PIKEOS_ARM_V8HF_CERTKIT_GENERIC_S*.iso),
- 18109 PikeOS BSP ISO medium: BSP_ISO (R5p1 PIKEOS 18109 PIKEOS BSP S*.amd64.iso),
- 18109 PikeOS BSP Generic Certification Kit ISO medium: BSP_CKGEN_ISO (R5p1_PIKEOS_18109_CERTKIT_GENERIC_S*.amd64.iso).
- 18109 PikeOS BSP Common Criteria Certification Kit ISO medium: BSP_CKCC_ISO (R5p1_PIKEOS_18109_CERTKIT_CC_S*.amd64.iso).
- PikeOS ARM HwVirt ISO medium: HWV_ISO (R5p1_PIKEOS_ARM_V8HF_HWVIRT_S*.amd64.iso).
- PikeOS ARM HwVirt ISO Generic Certification Kit medium: HWV_CKGEN_ISO
 (RE51_PIKEOS_ARM_V01/E_CERTIT_LIN(V)/IET_CENTERIO_Start(04/iso)

 $(R5p1_PIKEOS_ARM_V8HF_CERTKIT_HWVIRT_GENERIC_S^{*}.amd64.iso). and listed in Table 4 hereafter.$



Item	Version	Medium
PikeOS Microkernel for Armv8	5.1	PDT_ISO
pikeos-kernel-cert-arm_v8hf-5.1-20592.x86_64.rpm	-20592	—
SHA256: a948e9b8fd09769e483e87d0409a36a275616ca3b8071c5bdaed1e5b47872195		
PikeOS System Software for Armv8	5.1	PDT_ISO
pikeos-ssw-cert-arm_v8hf-5.1-4562.x86_64.rpm	-4562	—
SHA256: 2499e9fd8a57438ee38d4933c89d220a7c4a82252745037806cdfc53603a395b		
PikeOS Hardware Virtualization Hypervisor for Armv8	5.1	HWV_ISO
pikeos-hwvirt-hypervisor-arm_v8hf-5.1-817.x86_64.rpm	-817	
SHA256: fe169e669554c2e4faaaa11d9f4a5ebc5bb50e64b335ca210f447804054e3dcb	_	
	5.1	BSP_ISO
18109 Platform Support Package	-89104	_
pikeos-p18109-psp-18109-arm_v8hf-5.1-89104.x86_64.rpm		
SHA256: f8637fcb917bd0edf3a2ca83c2cdadeb6eecb16f57a2bd360cc61f0a8f2d1dad		
pikeos-p18109-config-psp-18109-arm_v8hf-5.1-89104.x86_64.rpm		
SHA256: 3838281ea93e1d85a074d127be9ee5dfc7e2167f7a1d65705df5443a00ab2ee7		
18109 Clock Manager	5.1	BSP_ISO
pikeos-p18109-hwvirt-eeh-clock-manager-arm_v8hf-5.1-131631.x86_64.rpm	-131631	—
SHA256: 454db2e4909ae88bf6c3769f2804024941faf4da6b7c5c537975fc09e3eeaf81		
18109 PikeOS e1000 driver	5.1	BSP_ISO
pikeos-p18109-e1000_fp-cert-210-arm_v8hf-5.1-36984.x86_64.rpm	-36984	—
SHA256: 4c97a5b03bad29d162b3f6fe2f0ca2db176717349c5e632cd31f4121c18d1db9		
pikeos-p18109-e1000_fp-cert-config-arm_v8hf-5.1-36984.x86_64.rpm		
SHA256: 0b7b86f5ba831b2e58571b2d1c7b5b033c8a624d3efb487a716748a0dd9a948c		
PikeOS User Manual	5.1-1077	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-fundamentals-5.1-1077.noarch.rpm		—
SHA256: c3bdd123fc0e3c6ac612062437f088a04a07a2707e6436c27ef41972f62ef077		
PikeOS Installation Guide	5.1.3	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-installationguide-5.1-112.noarch.rpm		_
SHA256: 13ad083d5ce7c1ab323dabfed8ae229d24313f4385cb26ed2f288aff796245eb		
PikeOS Kernel Reference Manual	5.1-297	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-kernelref-5.1-297.noarch.rpm		—
SHA256: 261f060d456ec8a34d6dfd2de2c062c497b5449b58284ca66c0f0d2b655661dd		
PikeOS System Software Reference Manual	5.1-321	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-psswref-5.1-321.noarch.rpm		—
SHA256: 56ecd5bf36ded1cf53effefbb09b2b98b624dde5ad2ca309ff9cd905478e19bf		
PikeOS Device Driver Programming Reference Manual	5.1-305	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-drvref-5.1-305.noarch.rpm		_
SHA256: bd36e8b97ce4b5e8eb2cb458a8f261c4fde8b7376d050746559fd445e5c0ef20		
PikeOS PSP and KDEV Developer's Guide	5.1-281	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-pspdevguide-5.1-281.noarch.rpm		_
SHA256: beb01adac2c23d44ecb0a9cf45e332514ce93b9fd6dfdcd6390c35a069581897		

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P4EXT PikeOS Native Personality Extensions	5.1-87	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-p4ext-5.1-87.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: a35ac8a76908f4f82bb0df9a443fd3385c916208c40276cf35dc1f9dbd1cc056		
CENV C Language Programming Environment	5.1-41	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-cenv-5.1-41.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: b7cc316394bacb72f912b53872aafee5b6e3c481f370247dbed9fa6c63963158		
PikeOS Platform Manual for ARM v8-A 64-bit Boards	5.1-597	PDT_ISO
pikeos-doc-platarm64-5.1-597.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: c61258d7b610df4f6de655b7931686cd8401aa1968816f5e562c78e6993c8924		
PikeOS Armv8 Generic Certification Kit	S6510	CKGEN_ISO
pikeos-certkit-gen-asp-arm_v8hf-5.1-353.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 754f275945bf46792bc0e38420607661c75375c85305f4d5fc3471f36cc589dc		
pikeos-certkit-gen-conf-arm_v8hf-5.1-353.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 82c7e5b0ce760b908ed5a8f5985fe997738b1098f137441832de0c213a62aa6a		
pikeos-certkit-gen-libs-arm_v8hf-5.1-353.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: d70127908687dbe3b0e82bca01b195e2c18e2c2f10e5f4146986abdcc6da8f74		
pikeos-certkit-gen-kern-arm_v8hf-5.1-353.noarch.rpm		
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pikeos-certkit-gen-pgen-arm_v8hf-5.1-353.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: c76ed7f3555f790c6c82b446d8dd6df405365d7405009b692ae80117acf484d6		
pikeos-certkit-gen-pssw-arm_v8hf-5.1-353.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 8176e79590077c76f2df2eb0dee6a9b11b063264d3a68aabee274c941509fb4d		
pikeos-certkit-gen-sm-arm_v8hf-5.1-353.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 3e11eaf2874a5fed4ffadaf561412dfa249824a340663fa9e9db0570d2edc201		
pikeos-certkit-gen-usermanual-arm_v8hf-5.1-92.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 613f83524ef082a7f2962467dbdbdcdfc43368e0a1b52f9061cceb9de1a526bd		
PikeOS HWVIRT Generic Certification Kit	S7000	HWV_CKGEN_ISO
pikeos-certkit-hwvirt-gen-analysis-arm_v8hf-5.1-36.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 8443b999306fefac8bf04f8ef7d6c1bc1f73944c0d2c86a8c5f60826aa98dc55		
pikeos-certkit-hwvirt-gen-artefacts-arm_v8hf-5.1-123.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 89daf06b0a90765becdb8e9b4590244e43a844fc9e2f8ce0372424907ccde515		
pikeos-certkit-hwvirt-gen-usermanual-arm_v8hf-5.1-41.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 04d52c2a9fe46aac294f669a60edbbb7d07e1f313c278a1ae118c13ee434080f		
18109 PikeOS BSP Genric Certification Kit	279	BSP_CKGEN_ISO
pikeos-certkit-generic-18109-arm_v8hf-5.1-279.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: 5916183aa735c6c20ec04080accc55f8b98cbfa96dbd3d26502ddc5efeb263dc		
Security Bulletin 18109 PikeOS BSP	287	BSP_CKCC_ISO
pikeos-p18109-certkit-cc-secbul-5.1-287.noarch.rpm		
SHA256: fabed1a44677566e69c9a36639f9dc4847917338486ef53cd7d5b0261843b49c		

Table 4: TOE Physical Components

Application Note 1: The documents referred to as "Security Bulletin" in Table 4 list all vulnerabilities found during the Common Criteria evaluation process that shall be addressed by the *integrator*.

3.4.6 TOE Logical Boundary

The TOE provides the following TOE security services, abbreviated as TSS_XXX:

• TSS_SSA: Separation in space of applications hosted in different partitions from each other and from the *PikeOS Operating System* according to the SSP by using the underlying hardware, as shown by the red lines in Figure 1. Applications can be hosted in different partitions. Partitions get assigned resources (i.e. space) according to the SSP, which comprise memory ranges and a set of CPUs. The TSF enforces the corresponding part of the SSP by the enforcement of access control on partition content, per-partition provision of physical memory space and allocated CPU time for each CPU. By confining non-privileged

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executables into partitions, the TSF enforces that these applications can affect neither applications in other partitions nor the *PikeOS Operating System* itself.

- TSS_STA: Separation in time of applications hosted in different partitions from each other and from the *PikeOS Operating System* according to the SSP. Applications can be hosted in different partitions. Partitions get assigned CPU time (i.e. time windows) according to the SSP. The TSF enforces the corresponding part of the SSP by per-partition allocation of a predefined amount of CPU time for each CPU. On a partition switch CPUs will be reused.
- TSS_COM: Provision and management of communication objects. Applications hosted in different partitions can get assigned a set of communication objects. A *communication object* is an object exposed to one or multiple partitions with access rights as defined in the configuration data, thus allowing communication between partitions.
- TSS_MAN: Management of the TOE (e.g. system partition API) and the TOE data (e.g. threads, tasks). The TOE restricts a non-privileged application to only manage tasks and threads within its partition. The TOE provides an API to privileged applications to manage the TOE and the TOE data.



4 **Conformance Claims**

4.1 CC Conformance Claim

This Security Target (ST) conforms to the Common Criteria for Information Technology Security Evaluation Version 3.1 Revision 5 [Com17] (CC) as follows:

- Part 2 conformant
- Part 3 conformant

4.2 Protection Profile Claim

This ST does not claim conformance with any Protection Profile.

4.3 Package Claim

This ST claims conformance to the Evaluation Assurance Level 5 (EAL 5), augmented with ALC_FLR.3, ADV_IMP.2, ALC_DVS.2, AVA_VAN.5, and ALC_CMC.5. Thus, this ST is EAL 5 augmented.

4.4 Conformance Rationale

Since this ST does not claim conformance to any protection profile, this section is not applicable.

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Security Problem Definition 5

5.1 Assets

All assets within the same domain as the TSF (see Figure 1, red-line shape with TSF) are treated in this security target together with the asset TSF data (AS.TSF_DATA).

Asset Name	Description	Security Properties to be Preserved
Memory (AS.MEM)	RAM or ROM memory, memory mapped I/O, and port mapped I/O assigned to a partition by the <i>integrator</i> .	confidentiality, integrity, availability
Files (AS.FILE)	Access to files and access modes assigned to a partition by the <i>integrator</i> .	confidentiality, integrity
Ports (AS.PORT)	Each port is either a source port or a destination port. The <i>integrator</i> uses channels to specify from which source ports PikeOS transfers messages to which destination ports.	confidentiality, integrity
Interrupts (AS.INT)	Set of interrupts allocated to each partition, configured by the <i>integrator</i> .	confidentiality, integrity
Access to PSP-specific services (AS.PS)	For each access to PSP-specific services, the right to invoke that driver is configured by the <i>integrator</i> per partition.	confidentiality, integrity
CPU cores (AS.CORE)	Set of CPU cores allocated to each partition, configured by the <i>integrator</i> .	integrity
Memory reserved for exclusive access by the PikeOS hypervisor (AS.KMEM)	Memory reserved for exclusive access by the PikeOS hypervisor used on behalf of the resource partition, configured by the <i>integrator</i> . Application Note 2: This memory is within the same	availability
CPU processing time (AS.TIME)	domain as the TSF. The <i>integrator</i> assigns time windows to partitions. This defines the CPU processing time of each partition.	availability
Tasks (AS.TASK)	An application always has at least one task. Tasks are used to structure the assigned memory into address spaces. This asset consists of this structure. Application Note 3: The content of tasks is already covered by AS.MEM.	API protection

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Asset Name	Description	Security
		Properties to be
		Preserved
Threads (AS.THR)	An application always has at least one thread. The asset	API protection
	consists of all threads that can be created in a partition.	
TSF data (AS.TSF_DATA)	TSF data consists of:	confidentiality,
	Configuration data: Data used by the TSF to enforce the	integrity
	SSP.	
	Run-time data such as partition attributes, task and	
	thread management data.	
System Partition API	The system partition API is an interface to functions of	API protection
(AS.SYS_PART_API)	the TSF available for system partitions.	

Table 5: Assets

5.2 Threats

Assets are defined in Table 5 in Section 5.1. An attacker is a non-privileged executable.

T.DISCLOSURE

An attacker reads an asset of which the property confidentiality shall be maintained according to Table 5 and the SSP.

T.MODIFICATION

An attacker writes an asset of which the property integrity shall be maintained according to Table 5 and the SSP.

T.DEPLETION

By consuming resources of which the property availability shall be maintained according to Table 5 and the SSP, an attacker makes these resources unavailable to the TOE itself and/or to non-privileged executables and/or to privileged executables.

T.EXECUTION

An attacker executes a management function of which the property API protection shall be maintained according to Table 5 and the SSP without being authorized to do so.

5.3 Organizational Security Policies

This Security Target defines no organizational security policies.

5.4 Assumptions

A.PRIVILEGED_EXECUTABLES

All privileged executables are approved by the *integrator*. The *integrator* thereby takes responsibility that the privileged executables have been developed according to the TOE User Manuals and do not violate the SSP. The *integrator* takes responsibility not to put privileged executables and non-privileged executables into the same partition.

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Application Note 4: The TOE User Manuals provide detailed guidance on secure configuration and usage of the TOE.

A.HARDWARE

The underlying hardware, firmware, and bootloader provide the necessary properties, are working correctly and have no undocumented or unintended security critical side effect on the functions of the TOE.

The hardware must fulfill the following requirements, as explained in the TOE User Manuals:

1. Provide CPU(s) with at least two privilege modes ("user" and "supervisor" mode). Only the TOE itself and privileged executables may run in the "supervisor" mode. Non-privileged executables always run in "user mode". In "user mode", only a limited set of instructions is available; in "supervisor mode", all instructions are available.

2. The hardware shall have a MMU, which is capable of restricting accesses (e.g. destinations of load and store CPU instructions) of non-privileged executables to certain memory regions. The MMU shall only be configurable from a privileged CPU mode, thus, it can only be configurable through the TOE to configure the policies specifying these access restrictions. These policies are part of the SSP. During TOE run time, these policies are represented as page tables used by the MMU.

3. The hardware (CPU or CPUs) shall provide instructions to switch between privilege modes and to use the memory management to set up different segments of memory.

4. The hardware (CPU or CPUs) shall allow the TOE to reuse CPU(s) for different non-privileged executables, in a way that there is no residual information flow through CPU registers across a partition boundary.

5. The hardware shall provide default values for security-relevant settings at power-on (e.g. program counter, detailed instructions shall be included in the hardware reference manual). This supports the TOE reaching the initial safe and secure state.

6. If the hardware possesses any other active components beside CPUs or CPUs have operating mode(s) not under control of the *PikeOS Operating System*, then the hardware shall provide support either to turn these components completely off or to control them as described in the TOE User Manuals. For example, if a device accessible by non-privileged executables can execute DMA, then all DMA shall be switched off or, in order to control DMA, the hardware shall provide an I/O MMU, with an I/O MMU driver protected by the *PikeOS Operating System*.

Specific requirements to the Armv8 architecture Cortex-A53 are:

- The processors are operated in 64-bit mode
- Memory Management Unit (MMU) with Virtual Memory System Architecture
- Vector Floating Point (VFP) / Advanced SIMD (Neon) extension

The TOE is assumed to be operated exclusively on the dedicated hardware known as NXP LS1023A/LS1043 ARMbased processor for embedded networking.

A.EXCLUSIVE_RESOURCES

All resources required by the *PikeOS Operating System*, its privileged executables, and its non-privileged executables are exclusively controlled by the TOE.

A.PHYSICAL

It is assumed that the IT environment provides the TOE with appropriate physical security, commensurate with the value of the IT assets protected by the TOE.

A.TRUSTWORTHY_PERSONNEL

The personnel configuring, integrating, and developing the product based on the TOE *(integrator)* are trustworthy, act according to the TOE User Manuals and are sufficiently qualified for this task.

Application Note 5: The system integration phase (Section 3.4.4.2) can be split into the four steps: selection of the TOE operational environment, non-privileged and privileged executables, and deciding on system partitions and normal partitions (Step 1), fusion (Step 2), configuration of the TOE (Step 3), and integration (Step 4). At each step of the system integration phase, the *integrator* shall follow the TOE User Manuals.

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6 Security Objectives

6.1 Security Objectives for the TOE

OT.CONFIDENTIALITY

For each asset, the TOE shall preserve its confidentiality according to Table 5 and the SSP.

OT.INTEGRITY

For each asset, the TOE shall preserve its integrity according to Table 5 and the SSP.

OT.RESOURCE_AVAILABILITY

For resources assigned to partitions and to TSF data, the TOE shall preserve their availability according to Table 5 and the SSP.

Application Note 6: In this ST, availability means that the TOE will provide a specified amount of a resource or ability to use some TOE services. This ST does not consider availability in the sense of physical availability such as tolerance to power failure.

OT.API_PROTECTION

The TSF shall prevent any execution of a management function reserved to privileged executables by non-privileged executables.

6.2 Security Objectives for the Operational Environment

OE.PRIVILEGED_EXECUTABLES

All privileged executables are approved by the *integrator*. The *integrator* thereby takes responsibility that the privileged executables have been developed according to the TOE User Manuals and do not violate the SSP.

OE.HARDWARE

The underlying hardware, firmware, and bootloader provide the necessary properties, are working correctly and have no undocumented or unintended security critical side effect on the functions of the TOE.

The hardware must fulfill the following requirements, as explained in the TOE User Manuals:

1. Provide CPU(s) with at least two privilege modes ("user" and "supervisor" mode). Only the TOE itself and privileged executables may run in the "supervisor" mode. Non-privileged executables always run in "user mode". In "user mode", only a limited set of instructions is available; in "supervisor mode", all instructions are available.

2. The hardware shall have a MMU, which is capable of restricting accesses (e.g. destinations of load and store CPU instructions) of non-privileged executables to certain memory regions. The MMU shall only be configurable from a privileged CPU mode, thus, it can only be configurable through the TOE to configure the policies specifying these access restrictions. These policies are part of the SSP. During TOE run time, these policies are represented as page tables used by the MMU.

3. The hardware (CPU or CPUs) shall provide instructions to switch between privilege modes and to use the memory management to set up different segments of memory.

4. The hardware (CPU or CPUs) shall allow the TOE to reuse CPU(s) for different non-privileged executables, in a way that there is no residual information flow through CPU registers across a partition boundary.

5. The hardware shall provide default values for security-relevant settings at power-on (e.g. program counter, detailed instructions shall be included in the hardware reference manual). This supports the TOE reaching the initial safe and secure state.

6. If the hardware possesses any other active components beside CPUs or CPUs have operating mode(s) not under control of the *PikeOS Operating System*, then the hardware shall provide support either to turn these components completely off or to control them as described in the TOE User Manuals. For example, if a device accessible by non-privileged executables can execute DMA, then all DMA shall be switched off or,

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in order to control DMA, the hardware shall provide an I/O MMU, with an I/O MMU driver protected by the *PikeOS Operating System*.

Specific requirements to the Armv8 architecture Cortex-A53 are:

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Application Note 7: Due to imperfections of the underlying hardware platform, the TOE cannot guarantee complete absence of side/covert channels. It is the responsibility of the *integrator* to use all security features of the TOE to their full effect and to assess whether the residual risk due to platform vulnerabilities that cannot be mitigated by the TOE is acceptable.

OE.EXCLUSIVE_RESOURCES

All resources required by the *PikeOS Operating System*, its privileged executables, and its non-privileged executables are exclusively controlled by the TOE.

OE.PHYSICAL

The IT environment provides the TOE with appropriate physical security, commensurate with the value of the IT assets protected by the TOE.

OE.TRUSTWORTHY_PERSONNEL

The personnel configuring and integrating the TOE *(integrator)* and those installing and operating the TOE (system operator) are trustworthy, act according to the TOE User Manuals, and are sufficiently qualified for this task.

6.3 Security Objectives Rationale

The following table provides an overview for security objectives coverage (TOE and its environment) and also gives an evidence for *sufficiency* and *necessity* of the defined objectives. It shows that all threats and OSPs are addressed by the security objectives and it also shows that all assumptions are addressed by the security objectives for the TOE operational environment.



	OT.CONFIDENTIALITY	OT.INTEGRITY	OT.RESOURCE_AVAILABILITY	OT.API_PROTECTION	OE.PRIVILEGED_EXECUTABLES	OE.HARDWARE	OE.EXCLUSIVE_RESOURCES	OE. PHYSICAL	OE.TRUSTWORTHY_PERSONNEL
T.DISCLOSURE	Х								
T.MODIFICATION		Х							
T.DEPLETION			Х						
T.EXECUTION				Х					
A.PRIVILEGED_EXECUTABLES					Х				
A.HARDWARE						Х			
A.EXCLUSIVE_RESOURCES							Х		
A.PHYSICAL								Х	
A.TRUSTWORTHY_PERSONNEL									Х

Table 6: Security Objectives Rationale

A justification required for *suitability* of the security objectives to cope with the security problem definition is given below:

6.3.1 Security Objectives Rationale: Threats

6.3.1.1 Threat: T.DISCLOSURE

If the security objective OT.CONFIDENTIALITY has been reached, the threat T.DISCLOSURE is completely eliminated.

6.3.1.2 Threat: T.MODIFICATION

If the security objective OT.INTEGRITY has been reached, the threat T.MODIFICATION is completely eliminated.

6.3.1.3 Threat: T.DEPLETION

If the security objective OT.RESOURCE_AVAILABILITY has been reached, the threat T.DEPLETION is completely eliminated.

6.3.1.4 Threat: T.EXECUTION

If the security objective OT.API_PROTECTION has been reached, the threat T.EXECUTION is completely eliminated.

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6.3.2 Security Objective Rationale: Assumptions

Each security assumption in this Security Target is addressed by at least one security objective for the operational environment. This section maps assumptions to environmental security objectives and provides a rationale how the assumption is fulfilled.

6.3.2.1 Assumption: A.PRIVILEGED_EXECUTABLES

OE.PRIVILEGED_EXECUTABLES directly upholds A.PRIVILEGED_EXECUTABLES.

6.3.2.2 Assumption: A.HARDWARE

OE.HARDWARE directly upholds A.HARDWARE.

6.3.2.3 Assumption: A.EXCLUSIVE_RESOURCES

OE.EXCLUSIVE_RESOURCES directly upholds A.EXCLUSIVE_RESOURCES.

6.3.2.4 Assumption: A.PHYSICAL

OE.PHYSICAL directly upholds A.PHYSICAL.

6.3.2.5 Assumption: A.TRUSTWORTHY_PERSONNEL

OE.TRUSTWORTHY_PERSONNEL directly upholds A.TRUSTWORTHY_PERSONNEL.

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7 Extended Components Definition

This Security Target does not include any extended components.

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Security Requirements 8

This section defines security functional requirements (SFRs) and security assurance requirements (SARs), which apply to the TOE.

8.1 Security Functional Requirements

We perform assignment, selection, and refinement of the SFRs provided by the CC. The assignment operation is marked by square brackets "[]". The selection operation is marked in *italics*. In a refinement operation, added text is underlined and removed text is crossed out.

The iteration operation is used when a component is repeated on varying assets. Iteration is denoted by showing a slash ("/") and the iteration indicator after the component identifier. For example, FDP ACF.1/CPA indicates an iteration of FDP_ACF.1 on 'communication port access'. Iterations applied to assets follow the order of Table 5 in Section 5.1 (Assets). Where sentences are grouped by having the same indentation level, the terms "OR" and "AND" in uppercase are used to indicate their logical relation.

Configuration XML elements, attributes, and values are denoted in <angle brackets>. These configuration elements, attributes, and values have speaking names, and when the configuration maintains a list of <Foo> elements, then this list is referred to in the configuration as <FooTable>. For a detailed explanation on how to use the configuration to configure the TOE see the TOE User Manuals. All symbols beginning with "p4_" or "vm_" are API symbols that the TOE provides to applications. In this ST, we list only those symbols that trigger a system call and are not convenience user space wrappers for other calls. See the TOE User Manuals for details.

Application Note 8: The SSP is a subset of the VMIT configured by the *integrator*.

The SFP is a set of rules that are parameterized by the SSP. These rules are fix-coded in the implementation of the TSF. Thus, the behavior of a product based on PikeOS depends on the SFP and SSP.

In the following the SFP is split up into sub-SFPs as follows:

- memory access control policy (MA)
- file access control policy (FA)
- communication port access control policy (CPA)
- interrupt access control policy (IA)
- PSP-specific services access control policy (PSA)
- CPU core access policy (CCA)
- IPC and event communication policy (IEC)

Application Note 9: In this ST, the term *subject* is used for a thread in a partition, for an application, or for a partition as a whole depending on the context. In the running TOE, the entity executing application code is a TOE thread. In a partition there can be multiple threads and each thread is uniquely assigned to its partition. Since this ST works on security policies at partition level, we abstract all threads in one partition to the partition subject.

8.1.1 User Data Protection (FDP)

8.1.1.1 FDP ACC.2/MA Complete Access Control - Memory Access

FDP ACC.2.1/MA: The TSF shall enforce the [memory access control policy] on [subjects: partitions, objects: memory] and all operations among subjects and objects covered by the SFP.

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FDP_ACC.2.2/MA: The TSF shall ensure that all operations between any subject controlled by the TSF and any object controlled by the TSF are covered by an access control SFP.

Application Note 10: The TSF initializes the MMU of the CPU and sets up page tables in the memory allocated to the TSF to enforce this policy.

8.1.1.2 FDP_ACF.1/MA Security Attribute Based Access Control - Memory Access

FDP_ACF.1.1/MA: The TSF shall enforce the [memory access control policy] to objects based on the following [subjects: partitions, objects: memory areas, security attributes: partition ID, attributes defined for the memory area].

FDP ACF.1.2/MA: The TSF shall enforce the following rules to determine if an operation among controlled subjects and controlled objects is allowed:

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Access to physical memory Μ of type <VM_MEM_TYPE_ROM>, <VM MEM TYPE RAM>, <VM_MEM_TYPE_IO_MEM>, or <VM_MEM_TYPE_IO_PORT> is allowed to a subject in <Partition> PA if:

M is specified in a <MemoryRequirement> MR in the <MemoryRequirementTable> contained within PA

AND

there is a <Map> MA in the <MapTable> contained within the subject's <Process> which refers to MR

AND

the access operation is read or write or execute and the access mode <AccessMode> of both MR and MA matches <VM MEM ACCESS RD> for read, <VM MEM ACCESS WR> for write, and <VM MEM ACCESS EXEC> for execute correspondingly

OR

M is specified in a <MemoryRequirement> MR in the <MemoryRequirementTable> contained within PA and the attribute <IsPool> of M is set to <true>

AND

a subject in PA has obtained a memory descriptor MD (vm mem lookup) and has successfully performed a memory mapping (vm_mem_pool_alloc) operation with MD AND

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the access operation is read or write or execute and the access mode <AccessMode> of MR matches <VM_MEM_ACCESS_RD> for read, <VM_MEM_ACCESS_WR> for write, and <VM MEM ACCESS EXEC> for execute correspondingly

OR

M is in the text segment of an ELF file referenced in a <File> element in the <FileTable> contained in a <Process> of the <ProcessTable> of PA and the attribute <ExecInPlace> is set to <true>

AND

the access operation is read or execute

OR

M is specified in a property file system <prop_memmap> node PN where the <perm> attribute specifies access mode AM $\,$

AND

the <FileAccessTable> element of PA has an element of type <FileAccess> where the <AccessMode> attribute includes <VM_O_MAP> and the attribute <FileName> matches the PN

AND

a subject in PA has successfully performed an open operation (vm_open) on the property node name PN with access flags including <VM_O_MAP>, resulting in a file descriptor FD

AND

a subject in PA has successfully performed a property memory mapping (vm_prop_mem_map) operation with the file descriptor FD

AND

the access operation is read or write or execute and compatible with AM

OR

M is specified in a property file system <prop_portmap> node PN

AND

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the <FileAccessTable> element of PA has an element of type <FileAccess> where the <AccessMode> attribute is AM and the attribute <FileName> matches the PN

AND

a subject in PA has successfully performed open operation (vm open) on the property node name PN with access flags including <VM_O_MAP> and access flags being subset of AM, resulting in a file descriptor FD

AND

a subject in PA has successfully performed a property I/O port mapping (vm_prop_ioport_map) operation with the file descriptor FD

AND

the access operation is read or write

OR

M has been received via mapping IPC (p4 ipc) with the requested access mode allowing to read or write M

AND

the access operation is read or write respectively

OR

M is the storage location of a file F that has been memory-mapped via vm_map with access mode MAM

AND

There is a <FileAccess> entry with a <FileName> referring to F in the <FileAccessTable> list contained within PA

AND

F is successfully opened (vm_open) according to FDP_ACF.1.2/FA with an access mode AM including <VM_O_MAP> and being a superset of MAM

AND

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the access operation is read or write or execute and MAM matches <VM MEM ACCESS RD> for read, <VM MEM ACCESS WR> for write, and <VM MEM ACCESS EXEC> for execute correspondingly

OR

M is part of a memory page that the TSF has mapped in read-only access mode to all partitions ("kernel info page")

AND

the access operation is read

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FDP_ACF.1.3/MA: The TSF shall explicitly authorize access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

FDP ACF.1.4/MA: The TSF shall explicitly deny access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

Application Note 11: The memory pool can be used by a partition in three ways: (1) an application in a partition uses memory allocation service calls (e.g. vm mem pool alloc) to get memory from the pool; (2) the application ELF file is mapped to the memory allocated from the pool during partition initialization, if it is specified in the VMIT; (3) memory is mapped from the pool to partition during partition initialization, if it is specified in the VMIT.

Application Note 12: Shared memory in the TOE is implemented as files provided by the internal file provider shm. Shared memories are specified in the <SharedMemoryTable> and are processed in the same way as the disjunction for the case vm map.

8.1.1.3 FDP ACC.2/FA Complete Access Control - File Access

FDP_ACC.2.1/FA: The TSF shall enforce the [file access control policy] on [subjects: partitions, objects: files] and all operations among subjects and objects covered by the SFP.

FDP ACC.2.2/FA: The TSF shall ensure that all operations between any subject controlled by the TSF and any object controlled by the TSF are covered by an access control SFP.

8.1.1.4 FDP_ACF.1/FA Security Attribute Based Access Control - File Access

FDP_ACF.1.1/FA: The TSF shall enforce the [file access control policy] to objects based on the following: [subjects: partitions, objects: files, security attributes: partition ID, attributes defined for the files in the <FileAccess> configuration element of the partition in the VMIT].

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FDP_ACF.1.2/FA: The TSF shall enforce the following rules to determine if an operation among controlled subjects and controlled objects is allowed:

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• an open operation (vm_open) on any file F provided by a builtin file provider, external file provider, system extension or kernel device driver to <Partition> PA is allowed if:

The <FileAccessTable> element of PA has an element of type <FileAccess> where attribute <FileName> matches F

AND

the access flags provided as an argument to the vm_open operation are subset of <AccessMode> element for file F

• a mount operation (vm_mount) on any volume V to PA is allowed if:

The <FileAccessTable> element of PA has an element of type <FileAccess> where attribute <FileName> matches V and <AccessMode> contains <VM_O_MOUNT> flag

AND

- the access flags provided as an argument to the vm_mount operation are subset of <AccessMode> element for the volume V $\$
- a status request operation (vm_stat) on any file F by a builtin file provider, external file provider, system extension or kernel device driver to <Partition> PA is allowed if:

The <FileAccessTable> element of PA has an element of type <FileAccess> where attribute <FileName> matches F

• an access operation (vm_close, vm_fstat, vm_fsync, vm_ioctl, vm_lseek, vm_map, vm_prop_read, vm_prop_write, vm_read, vm_read_at, vm_discard_at, vm_test, vm_write, vm_write_at) on file F provided by a builtin file provider, system extension or kernel device driver to <Partition> PA is allowed if:

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the file has been successfully opened before with the access flags including <VM_O_RD> and the access operation is vm_read, vm_read_at, or vm_prop_read

OR



the file has been successfully opened before with the access flags including <VM_O_WR> and the access operation is vm_write, vm_write_at, or vm_prop_write

OR

the file has been successfully opened before with the access flags including <VM_O_MAP> and the access operation is vm_map

OR

the file has been successfully opened before with the access flags including $<VM_O_RD>$ or $<VM_O_WR>$ and the access operation is vm_lseek

OR

the file has been successfully opened before and the operation is vm_close, vm_fstat, vm_fsync, vm_ioctl, vm_test, vm_discard_at

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Application Note 13: Files can be provided by builtin file providers, system extensions, kernel device drivers, external file providers, or volume providers. An access operation itself on a file provided by a builtin file provider is implemented by the TSF. An access operation on a file provided by a system extension or kernel device driver is directly forwarded by the TSF, after validating the file descriptor, to the corresponding function of the system extension or kernel device driver after the check described FDP_ACF.1.2/FA. An access operation on a file provided by an external file provider is implemented as a direct IPC to the file provider. See FDP_IFC.2 and FDP_IFF.1. An open, status request or access operation on a file provided by a volume file provider is implemented as a direct IPC to the file provider is implemented as a direct IPC. The file provider is implemented as a direct IPC to the file provider. See FDP_IFC.2 and FDP_IFF.1. An open, status request or access operation on a file provided by a volume file provider is implemented as a direct IPC.

FDP_ACF.1.3/FA: The TSF shall explicitly authorize access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

FDP_ACF.1.4/FA: The TSF shall explicitly deny access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

8.1.1.5 FDP_ACC.2/CPA Complete Access Control - Communication Port Access

FDP_ACC.2.1/CPA: The TSF shall enforce the [communication port access control policy] on [subjects: partitions, objects: communication ports] and all operations among subjects and objects covered by the SFP.

FDP_ACC.2.2/CPA: The TSF shall ensure that all operations between any subject controlled by the TSF and any object controlled by the TSF are covered by an access control SFP.

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8.1.1.6 FDP_ACF.1/CPA Security Attribute Based Access Control - Communication Port Access

FDP_ACF.1.1/CPA: The TSF shall enforce the [communication port access control policy] to objects based on the following: [subjects: partitions, objects: communication ports, security attributes: partition ID, port attribute <Direction> in the VMIT, <Channel> configuration elements in the VMIT].

FDP_ACF.1.2/CPA: The TSF shall enforce the following rules to determine if an operation among controlled subjects and controlled objects is allowed:

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• an open operation (vm_qport_open, vm_sport_open) on port PO is allowed to <Partition> PA if:

the <QueuingPortTable> element of PA has an element of type <QueuingPort> where attribute <Name> equals PO or the <SamplingPortTable> of PA has an element of type <SamplingPort> where attribute <Name> equals PO

AND

- the argument direction to the open (vm_qport_open, vm_sport_open) operation is equal to the attribute <Direction> of the PO
- a status request operation (vm_qport_iterate, vm_qport_stat, vm_sport_iterate, vm_sport_stat) on port PO is allowed to <Partition> PA if:

the <QueuingPortTable> element of PA has an element of type <QueuingPort> where attribute <Name> equals PO or the <SamplingPortTable> of PA has an element of type <SamplingPort> where attribute <Name> equals PO

• an access operation on port PO successfully opened by PA is allowed if:

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the operation is read (vm_qport_read, vm_qport_read_routed, vm_sport_read, vm_sport_read_at), and the port PO was successfully opened with destination direction <VM_PORT_DESTINATION>

OR

the operation is write (vm_qport_write, vm_qport_write_routed, vm_sport_write) and the port was successfully opened with destination direction <VM_PORT_SOURCE>

OR

all other access operations (vm_qport_clear, vm_qport_close, vm_qport_control, vm_qport_pstat, vm_qport_pstat_routed, vm_qport_psync, vm_qport_test, vm_sport_clear, vm_sport_close, vm_sport_control, vm_sport_pstat, vm_sport_psync, vm_sport_test) on ports are allowed

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FDP ACF.1.3/CPA: The TSF shall explicitly authorize access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

FDP ACF.1.4/CPA: The TSF shall explicitly deny access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

8.1.1.7 FDP ACC.2/IA Complete Access Control - Interrupt Access

FDP ACC.2.1/IA: The TSF shall enforce the [interrupt access control policy] on [subjects: partitions, objects: interrupts] and all operations among subjects and objects covered by the SFP.

FDP_ACC.2.2/IA: The TSF shall ensure that all operations between any subject controlled by the TSF and any object controlled by the TSF are covered by an access control SFP.

8.1.1.8 FDP ACF.1/IA Security Attribute Based Access Control - Interrupt Access

FDP_ACF.1.1/IA: The TSF shall enforce the [interrupt access control policy] to objects based on the following: [subjects: partitions, objects: interrupts, security attributes: partition ID, attributes defined for files in the <FileAccess> configuration element of the partition in the VMIT].

FDP ACF.1.2/IA: The TSF shall enforce the following rules to determine if an operation among controlled subjects and controlled objects is allowed:

[

The operation p4_int_attach_syscall of attaching to interrupt IN (i.e., to have an interrupt handler invoked when interrupt IN is triggered) is allowed to a subject in <Partition> PA if:

IN is specified in a property file system <prop_interrupt> node PN

AND

the <FileAccessTable> element of PA has an element of type <FileAccess> where the attribute <FileName> matches PN and <AccessMode> attribute AM

AND

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a subject in PA has successfully performed an open operation (vm_open) on the property node PN with access flags including <VM_O_MAP> and being subset of AM, resulting in file descriptor FD

AND

A subject in PA has performed successfully vm prop int grant with the file descriptor FD, giving a valid interrupt number IN

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FDP_ACF.1.3/IA: The TSF shall explicitly authorize access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

FDP ACF.1.4/IA: The TSF shall explicitly deny access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

8.1.1.9 FDP ACC.2/PSA Complete Access Control - PSP-Specific Services Access

FDP ACC.2.1/PSA: The TSF shall enforce the [PSP-specific services access control policy] on [subjects: partitions, objects: PSP-specific services] and all operations among subjects and objects covered by the SFP.

FDP ACC.2.2/PSA: The TSF shall ensure that all operations between any subject controlled by the TSF and any object controlled by the TSF are covered by an access control SFP.

8.1.1.10 FDP ACF.1/PSA Security Attribute Based Access Control - PSP-Specific Services Access

FDP ACF.1.1/PSA: The TSF shall enforce the [PSP-specific services access control policy] to objects based on the following: [subjects: partitions, objects: interrupts, security attributes: partition ID, attributes defined for files in the <FileAccess> configuration element of the partition in the VMIT].

FDP ACF.1.2/PSA: The TSF shall enforce the following rules to determine if an operation among controlled subjects and controlled objects is allowed:

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The operation of invoking a PSP-specific service PS (p4 dev call) is allowed to a subject in <Partition> PA if:

PS is specified in a property file system <prop_device> node PN

AND

the <FileAccessTable> element of PA has an element of type <FileAccess> where the attribute <FileName> matches to the PN and <AccessMode> attribute AM

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AND

a subject in PA has successfully performed an open operation (vm open) on the property node PN with access flags including <VM O MAP> and being subset of AM, resulting in file descriptor FD

AND

a subject in partition PA has successfully performed vm_prop_dev_grant with the file descriptor FD, giving access to the PSP-specific service PS

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FDP ACF.1.3/PSA: The TSF shall explicitly authorize access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

FDP ACF.1.4/PSA: The TSF shall explicitly deny access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

8.1.1.11 FDP ACC.2/CCA Complete Access Control - CPU Core Access

FDP ACC.2.1/CCA: The TSF shall enforce the [CPU core access control policy] on [subjects: partitions, objects: CPU cores] and all operations among subjects and objects covered by the SFP.

FDP ACC.2.2/CCA: The TSF shall ensure that all operations between any subject controlled by the TSF and any object controlled by the TSF are covered by an access control SFP.

8.1.1.12 FDP ACF.1/CCA Security Attribute Based Access Control - CPU Core Access

FDP_ACF.1.1/CCA: The TSF shall enforce the [CPU core access control policy] to objects based on the following: [subjects: partitions, objects: CPU cores, security attributes: partition ID, CPU cores in the <CpuMask> configuration element of the partition in the VMIT].

FDP ACF.1.2/CCA: The TSF shall enforce the following rules to determine if an operation among controlled subjects and controlled objects is allowed:

The <Partition> PA can run a thread on CPU core C if the <CpuMask> element of PA has set the Cth bit in the <CpuMask>.

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FDP_ACF.1.3/CCA: The TSF shall explicitly authorize access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

FDP ACF.1.4/CCA: The TSF shall explicitly deny access of subjects to objects based on the following additional rules: [none].

8.1.1.13 FDP IFC.2 Complete Information Flow Control

FDP_IFC.2.1: The TSF shall enforce the [IPC and event communication policy] on [all subjects: partitions] and all operations that cause that information to flow to and from subjects covered by the SFP.

FDP_IFC.2.2: The TSF shall ensure that all operations that cause any information in the TOE to flow to and from any subject in the TOE are covered by an information flow control SFP.

8.1.1.14 FDP IFF.1 Simple Security Attributes

FDP_IFF.1.1: The TSF shall enforce the [IPC and event communication policy] based on the following types of subject and information security attributes:

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- subject identity: thread ID
- information security attributes: file access permissions to a file marked with <FileAccess> attribute <VM O FSPROV> or <VM O VOLPROV>

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FDP IFF.1.2: The TSF shall permit an information flow between a controlled subject and controlled information via a controlled operation if the following rules hold:

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The operation signal event (p4_ev_signal) or send IPC (p4_ipc), from a thread in <Partition> PA1 to a subject in <Partition> PA2 or vice versa is allowed if:

the VMIT specifies that PA1 provides a file F with <AccessMode> attribute <VM O FSPROV>

AND

the <FileAccessTable> of PA2 has an element of type <FileAccess> where attribute <AccessMode> is AM and attribute <FileName> matches F

AND

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PA1 has successfully registered the file provider (vm fp register) with the TOE

AND

a subject in PA2 has successfully performed an open operation (vm open) on file F with access flags being subset of AM

OR

the VMIT specifies that PA1 provides a volume V with <AccessMode> attribute <VM O VOLPROV>

AND

the <FileAccessTable> of PA2 has an element of type <FileAccess> where <AccessMode> is AM and contains <VM O MOUNT> and attribute <FileName> matches V

AND

PA1 has successfully registered the volume provider (vm vp register) with the TOE

AND

a subject in PA2 has successfully performed a mount operation (vm_mount) on V with access flags being subset of AM

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FDP_IFF.1.3: The TSF shall enforce the [additional information flow rules: none].

FDP_IFF.1.4: The TSF shall explicitly authorize an information flow based on the following rules: [none].

FDP IFF.1.5: The TSF shall explicitly deny an information flow based on the following rules: [none].

8.1.2 Identification and Authentication (FIA)

8.1.2.1 FIA_UID.2 User Identification

FIA UID.2.1: The TSF shall require each user partition to be successfully identified before allowing any other TSFmediated actions on behalf of that user partition.

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Application Note 14: A "user" of the TOE is a partition.

8.1.3 Security Management (FMT)

8.1.3.1 FMT_MSA.1 Management of Security Attributes

FMT_MSA.1.1: The TSF shall enforce the [IPC and event communication policy, memory access control policy, file access control policy, communication port access control policy, PSP-specific services access control policy, interrupt access control policy, CPU core access control policy] to restrict the ability to [*write*] the security attributes [specified in the VMIT and property file system] to [system partitions].

8.1.3.2 FMT_MSA.3 Static Policy Attribute Initialization

FMT_MSA.3.1: The TSF shall enforce the [IPC and event communication policy, memory access control policy, file access control policy, communication port access control policy, PSP-specific services access control policy, interrupt access control policy, CPU core access control policy] to provide [*restrictive or integrator-defined*] default values for security attributes that are used to enforce the SFP.

Application Note 15: The *integrator* defines the VMIT. The VMIT is used by the TSF as the source of initial SSP values. If an attribute is not defined by the *integrator* in the VMIT for a subject, then the default is to deny any operations involving this attribute, i.e. a white list security policy is implemented. This behavior is specified in FMT_MSA.3.1 as "restrictive default values". Attributes with *integrator-defined* values in the VMIT are also initial values for the TSF. This behavior is specified in FMT_MSA.3.1 as "*integrator-defined* default values".

FMT_MSA.3.2: The TSF shall allow [no one] to specify alternative initial values to override the default values when an object or information is created.

Application Note 16: The TSF does not have any functionality for specifying alternative initial values to override the default values.

8.1.3.3 FMT_MTD.1/SYS Management of TSF Data - System Partition API

FMT_MTD.1.1/SYS: The TSF shall restrict the ability to [invoke] the [System Partition API] to [system partitions].

Application Note 17: The complete definition of the System Partition API is given in the TOE User Manuals.

8.1.3.4 FMT_MTD.1/TASK Management of TSF Data - Tasks

FMT_MTD.1.1/TASK: The TSF shall restrict the ability to

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- activate (p4_task_activate)
- terminate (p4_task_terminate)
- modify (p4_comm_grant, p4_comm_link, p4_dev_grant, p4_dev_link, p4_int_grant, p4_int_link, p4_task_start, p4_task_donate, p4_task_hm_register, p4_task_hm_wait, p4_task_hm_wake)
- read (p4_task_get_attr)

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the [tasks] to [the owning partition or system partitions].

Application Note 18: Tasks are also TSF data. A partition owns a task if the task is assigned to it by the integrator in the VMIT.

8.1.3.5 FMT MTD.1/THR Management of TSF Data - Threads

FMT MTD.1.1/THR: The TSF shall restrict the ability to

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- create (p4_thread_create_syscall)
- delete (p4_thread_delete)
- modify (p4 fast set prio syscall, p4 thread alarm syscall, p4 thread ex affinity, p4 thread ex exh, p4_thread_preempt, p4 thread ex sched syscall, p4 thread ex regs, p4 thread except, p4_thread_resume, p4_thread_set_regs, p4_thread_stop_syscall, p4_sysemu_enter, p4_thread_yield)
- read (p4_fast_get_prio_syscall, p4_my_cpuid_syscall, p4_my_timepart_syscall, p4_my_uid_syscall, p4_thread_get_attr, p4_thread_get_regs)

]

the [threads] to [the owning partition or system partitions].

Application Note 19: Threads are also TSF data. A partition owns a thread if the thread is created by one of its applications.

8.1.3.6 FMT SMF.1 Specification of Management Functions

FMT_SMF.1.1: The TSF shall be capable of performing the following management functions:

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[

- thread management
- task management
- TOE management (System Partition API)

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8.1.3.7 FMT_SMR.1 Security Roles

FMT_SMR.1.1: The TSF shall maintain the roles:

[

- "system partition" and
- "normal partition"

].

FMT_SMR.1.2: The TSF shall be able to associate users partitions with roles.

Application Note 20: The TSF supports roles on partition granularity.

8.1.4 Resource Utilization (FRU)

8.1.4.1 FRU_RSA.2/MEM Minimum and Maximum Quotas - Memory

FRU_RSA.2.1/MEM: The TSF shall enforce maximum quotas of the following resources:

[

System memory: the maximum amount of system memory is the sum of the sizes <MemoryRequirement> elements of type <VM_MEM_TYPE_RAM> with attribute <IsPool> set to <true> or of type <VM_MEM_TYPE_KMEM> assigned to that partition in the VMIT

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that *subjects*, which are the non-privileged executables in a normal partition can use *simultaneously*.

FRU_RSA.2.2/MEM: The TSF shall ensure the provision of minimum quantity of each:

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System memory: the minimum amount of system memory is the sum of the sizes of all <MemoryRequirements elements of type <VM MEM TYPE RAMs with attribute <IsPools set to <trues or of type <VM MEM TYPE KMEM> assigned to that partition in the VMIT

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that is available for subjects, which are the non-privileged executables in a normal partition to use simultaneously.

Application Note 21: In contrast to FDP_ACF.1/MA, FRU_RSA.2.1/MEM only considers memory that is dynamically allocated to the subjects based on a SSP-defined guota and the enforcement of that guota by the TSF.

8.1.4.2 FRU RSA.2/TIME Minimum and Maximum Quotas - Processing Time

FRU_RSA.2.1/TIME: The TSF shall enforce maximum quotas of the following resources:

[

Processing time: the maximum amount of CPU processing time is the sum of the <Duration> attributes of assigned <Window> elements of its <ScheduleScheme> in the VMIT

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that subjects, which are the non-privileged executables in a normal partition can use over a specified period of time.

FRU RSA.2.2/TIME: The TSF shall ensure the provision of minimum quantity of each:

[

Processing time: if time windows are assigned to a partition exclusively, the minimum amount of CPU processing time is the sum of the <Duration> attributes of assigned <Window> elements of its <ScheduleScheme> in the VMIT

]

that is available for subjects, which are the non-privileged executables in a normal partition to use over a specified period of time.

Application Note 22: The "specified period of time" is the sum of the <Duration> attributes of all <Window> elements the <ScheduleScheme>. The schedule scheme is repeated with cyclic periodicity.

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Application Note 23: If a window is assigned to more than one partition, i.e. the window is not assigned exclusively, the *integrator* can use the <MaxPrio> attributes for partitions sharing the window to set up a sharing scheme for the CPU processing time within that window.

8.2 Security Assurance Requirements

This ST claims conformance to the assurance level EAL 5 augmented with ALC_FLR.3, ADV_IMP.2, ALC_DVS.2, AVA_VAN.5 and ALC_CMC.5.

8.3 Security Requirements Rationale

The following table provides an overview for security functional requirements coverage also giving an evidence for sufficiency and necessity of the SFRs chosen.



	OT.CONFIDENTIALITY	OT.INTEGRITY	OT.RESOURCE_AVAILABILITY	OT.API_PROTECTION
FDP_ACC.2/MA	X X	Х		X X
FDP_ACF.1/MA	Х	X		Х
FDP_ACC.2/FA	Х	Х		
FDP_ACF.1/FA	x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x	Х		
FDP_ACC.2/CPA	Х	Х		
FDP_ACF.1/CPA	Х	Х		
FDP_ACC.2/IA	Х	X X X		
FDP_ACF.1/IA	Х	Х		
FDP_ACC.2/PSA	Х	Х		
FDP_ACF.1/PSA	Х	Х		
FDP_ACC.2/CCA	Х	Х		
FDP_ACF.1/CCA	Х	Х		
FDP_IFC.2	Х			
FDP_IFF.1	Х			
FIA_UID.2 FMT_MSA.1	Х	Х		
	Х	Х		
FMT_MSA.3	Х	Х		
FMT_MTD.1/SYS				Х
FMT_MTD.1/TASK				Х
FMT_MTD.1/THR				Х
FMT_SMF.1				Х
FMT_SMR.1	Х	Х		
FRU_RSA.2/MEM	X X X		X X	
FRU_RSA.2/TIME	Х		Х	

Table 7: Coverage of Security Objectives for the TOE by SFR. "X" is for where a dependency to an objective exists.

8.3.1 Security Objective: OT.CONFIDENTIALITY

For all assets, the operations of non-privileged executables are controlled by the TSF:

- For the asset AS.MEM the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/MA and FDP_ACF.1/MA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access memory (AS.MEM) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.FILE the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/FA and FDP_ACF.1/FA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access files (AS.FILE) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.PORT the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/CPA and FDP_ACF.1/CPA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access communication ports (AS.PORT) according to the SSP.

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- For the asset AS.INT the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/IA and FDP_ACF.1/IA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access interrupts (AS.INT) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.PS the SFRs FDP ACC.2/PSA and FDP ACF.1/PSA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access PSP-specific services (AS.PSA) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.CORE the SFRs FDP ACC.2/CCA and FDP ACF.1/CCA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access CPU cores (AS.CORE) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.TSF DATA, the TSF configures the MMU to disallow non-privileged executables to access the memory of any of these other assets (i.e., the memory used for AS.TASK, AS.TSF DATA and AS.THR). The TSF data also includes all security attributes that TSF uses to manage any asset (e.g. security attributes for file access rights or the schedule schemes used for assignment of CPU processing time).

FIA_UID.2 ensures that partitions are identified; FMT_SMR.1 provides security roles to partitions. FMT_MSA.1 restricts the ability to write the security attributes specified in the VMIT and the property file system to system partitions. FMT MSA.3 provides restrictive or *integrator-defined* default values for security attributes.

FDP_IFF.1, FDP_IFC.2 ensure that IPC and event communication information flows originating from non-privileged executables are restricted to information flows allowed according to the SSP. FRU_RSA.2/MEM ensures that no information flow against the SSP can be initiated by memory depletion. FRU RSA.2/TIME ensures that no information flow against the SSP can be initiated by CPU processing time depletion.

8.3.2 Security Objective: OT.INTEGRITY

For all assets, the operations of non-privileged executables are controlled by the TSF:

- For the asset AS.MEM the SFRs FDP ACC.2/MA and FDP ACF.1/MA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access memory (AS.MEM) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.FILE the SFRs FDP ACC.2/FA and FDP ACF.1/FA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access files (AS.FILE) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.PORT the SFRs FDP ACC.2/CPA and FDP ACF.1/CPA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access communication ports (AS.PORT) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.INT the SFRs FDP ACC.2/IA and FDP ACF.1/IA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access interrupts (AS.INT) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.PS the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/PSA and FDP_ACF.1/PSA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access PSP-specific services (AS.PSA) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.CORE the SFRs FDP ACC.2/CCA and FDP ACF.1/CCA ensure that non-privileged executables can only access CPU cores (AS.CORE) according to the SSP.
- For the asset AS.TSF_DATA, the TSF configures the MMU to disallow non-privileged executables to access the memory of any of these other assets (i.e., the memory used for AS.TASK, AS.TSF DATA and AS.THR). The TSF data also includes all security attributes that TSF uses to manage any asset (e.g. security attributes for file access rights or the schedule schemes used for assignment of CPU processing time).

FIA_UID.2 ensures that partitions are identified; FMT_SMR.1 provides security roles to partitions. FMT_MSA.1 restricts the ability to write the security attributes specified in the VMIT and the property file system to system partitions. FMT MSA.3 provides restrictive or integrator-defined default values for security attributes.

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8.3.3 Security Objective: OT.RESOURCE_AVAILABILITY

- For the assets AS.MEM and AS.KMEM, FRU_RSA.2/MEM ensures that limits are enforced according to the SSP on the minimum and maximum amount of memory (AS.MEM) and exclusive hypervisor memory (AS.KMEM) available to non-privileged applications in normal partitions.
- For the asset processing time (AS.TIME), FRU_RSA.2/TIME ensures that limits are enforced according to the SSP on the minimum and maximum processing time (AS.TIME) available to non-privileged applications in normal partitions.

These limits also ensure that resources used for AS.TASK, AS.TSF_DATA and AS.THR are not depleted through operations of non-privileged executables.

8.3.4 Security Objective: OT.API_PROTECTION

FMT_SMF.1 specifies that the management API can be used for management of threads, tasks and the TOE.

FMT_MTD.1/SYS ensures that the TOE prevents access from normal partitions to the system application API. FMT_MTD.1/TASK restricts the access that a normal partition has via the normal partition API to tasks that the normal partition owns. FMT_MTD.1/THR restricts the access that a normal partition has via the normal partition API to threads that the normal partition owns. All other APIs reserved for privileged executables (PSP, system extensions and kernel device drivers) only can be reached from executables linked to the TOE.

FDP_ACC.2/MA and FDP_ACF.1/MA ensure that the TOE prevents any execution of the APIs by non-privileged applications.

8.3.5 Security Assurance Requirements Rationale

EAL 5+ has been considered appropriate to ensure the robust and reliable separation of partitions.

ALC_FLR.3 has been included to ensure that *integrators* understand how to submit security flaw reports to SYSGO and how to register themselves with SYSGO so that they may receive these corrective fixes.

ADV_IMP.2, ALC_DVS.2, and AVA_VAN.5 and related dependencies have been added to be compliant to qualification renforcée [ANSSI17].

8.3.6 Security Assurance Requirements Dependency Analysis

In this section, we provide a dependency analysis for the security assurance requirements as defined by the CC. There are no unfulfilled dependencies.

This ST claims conformance to the standard EAL 5 package. For the EAL 5 standard package, all dependencies in CC v3.1 part 3 provided packages are fulfilled.

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Family:	Depends on:	Covered by:
ALC_FLR.3	No dependencies	-
ADV_IMP.2	ADV_TDS.3, ALC_TAT.1, ALC_CMC.5	Either covered by this augmentation or EAL5
ALC_DVS.2	No dependencies	-
AVA_VAN.5	ADV_ARC.1, ADV_FSP.4, ADV_TDS.3,	Covered by EAL5
	ADV_IMP.1, AGD_OPE.1, AGD_PRE.1,	
	ATE_DPT.1	
ALC_CMC.5	ALC_CMS.1, ALC_DVS.2, ALC_LCD.1	Either covered by this augmentation or EAL5

Table 8: SAR Dependency Analysis

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TOE Summary Specification 9

This section describes how each TOE Security Service defined in Section 3.4.6 is implemented and covers its SFRs.

TSS_SSA: Separation in space of applications hosted in different partitions from each other and from the PikeOS Operating System according to the SSP:

Applications can be hosted in different partitions. Partitions get assigned resources (i.e. space) according to the SSP, which comprise memory ranges and a set of CPUs. The TSF enforces the corresponding part of the SSP by the enforcement of access control on partition content, per-partition provision of physical memory space and allocated CPU time for each CPU.

By confining non-privileged executables into partitions, the TSF enforces that these applications can affect neither applications in other partitions nor the PikeOS Operating System itself.

The TSF defines separated security domains via page tables. For memory (AS.MEM) the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/MA and FDP_ACF.1/MA are implemented because the TSF configures the MMU to use these page tables to confine single load/store operations within a predefined physical memory.

For interrupts (AS.INT) the SFRs FDP ACC.2/IA and FDP ACF.1/IA are implemented and ensure that non-privileged executables can only access interrupts according to the SSP.

For PSP-specific services (AS.PS) the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/PSA and FDP_ACF.1/PSA are implemented and ensure that non-privileged executables can only access PSP-specific services according to the SSP.

For CPU cores (AS.CORE) the SFRs FDP ACC.2/CCA and FDP ACF.1/CCA are implemented and ensure that non-privileged executables can only access CPU cores according to the SSP.

FRU_RSA.2/MEM (AS.MEM and AS.KMEM) is implemented because limits on the minimum and maximum amount of memory available to non-privileged executables in normal partitions are enforced according to the SSP.

Separation in space includes access control to devices via device drivers, e.g. Ethernet or USB drivers. The drivers can be configured by the SSP to be contained in a partition.

Separation in space also includes execution of industrial APIs/libraries. These APIs/libraries can be run as nonprivileged executables, for example POSIX, ARINC 653 (APEX), Linux, RTEMS, OSEK, and thus cannot bypass the SSP.

TSS_STA: Separation in time of applications hosted in different partitions from each other and from the PikeOS Operating System according to the SSP:

Applications can be hosted in different partitions. Partitions get assigned CPU time (i.e. time windows) according to the SSP. The TSF enforces the corresponding part of the SSP by per-partition allocation of a predefined amount of CPU time for each CPU. On a partition switch CPUs will be reused.

FRU RSA.2/TIME is implemented because limits on the minimum and maximum amount of processing time available to non-privileged executables in normal partitions are enforced according to the SSP.

TSS COM: Provision and management of communication objects:

Applications hosted in different partitions can get assigned a set of communication objects. A communication object is an object exposed to one or multiple partitions with access rights as defined in the configuration data, thus allowing communication between partitions.

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For communication ports (AS.PORT) the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/CPA and FDP_ACF.1/CPA are implemented and ensure that non-privileged executables can only access communication ports according to the SSP.

For files (AS.FILE) the SFRs FDP_ACC.2/FA and FDP_ACF.1/FA are implemented and ensure that non-privileged executables can only access files according to the SSP.

For memory that is used as shared memory (AS.MEM) FDP_ACC.2/MA and FDP_ACF.1/MA are implemented because the TSF configures the MMU to use these page tables to confine single load/store operations within a predefined physical memory.

For IPC and event communication, FDP_IFC.2 and FDP_IFF.1 are implemented by providing communication objects and because information flows originating from non-privileged executables are restricted to information flows allowed by the SSP.

TSS_MAN: Management of the TOE (e.g. system partition API) and the TOE data (e.g. threads, tasks):

The TSF protects the confidentiality and integrity of TSF data and the availability of resources.

FIA_UID.2 is implemented by requiring each partition to be successfully identified before allowing any other TSFmediated actions on behalf of that application.

FMT_MSA.1 is implemented because the TSF restricts the ability to write the security attributes specified in the VMIT and the property file system to system partitions.

FMT_MSA.3 is implemented because the TSF provides restrictive or *integrator-defined* default values for security attributes that are used to enforce the SFP.

FMT_SMF.1 is implemented because the TSF provides functions for thread management, task management and TOE management (System Partition API).

FMT_MTD.1/SYS is implemented because the TOE prevents any access of a non-privileged executable to the system partition API.

FMT_MTD.1/TASK is implemented because the TOE restricts the access to tasks that a non-privileged executable has to tasks that its normal partition owns.

FMT_MTD.1/THR is implemented because the TOE restricts any access of a non-privileged executable the access to threads that its partition to threads that its partition owns.

FMT_SMR.1 is implemented by assigning the roles "system partition" and "normal partition" and associating each partition with a role.



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