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1 Scope

The present document specifies the VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services framework, along with its PaaS Services management functions.

Regarding the VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services, the present document specifies the functional requirements and the interface requirements for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services defined by the present document. Specification of the interfaces exposed by the VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services, and the relevant information models are also provided, like also a description of requirements and modelling of descriptors of PaaS Services, with specific additional requirements for VNF generic OAM functions.

Regarding the PaaS Service management, the present document specifies interface requirements of interfaces produced by the PSM and PSR (as functionally specified in ETSI GS NFV-IFA 010 [i.9]), and their interface operations and associated information modelling.

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- [1] <u>ETSI GS NFV-IFA 011</u>: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Management and Orchestration; VNF Descriptor and Packaging Specification".
- [2] <u>ETSI GS NFV-IFA 036</u>: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Management and Orchestration; Requirements for service interfaces and object model for container cluster management and orchestration specification".
- [3] <u>ETSI GS NFV-IFA 048</u>: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 4; Management and Orchestration; Policy Information Model Specification".
- [4] <u>ETSI GS NFV-IFA 013</u>: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Management and Orchestration; Os-Ma-nfvo reference point Interface and Information Model Specification".
- [5] <u>ETSI GS NFV-TST 013 (V1.1.1)</u>: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV); Testing; Test Case Description Template Specification".

2.2 Informative references

References are either specific (identified by date of publication and/or edition number or version number) or non-specific. For specific references, only the cited version applies. For non-specific references, the latest version of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

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The following referenced documents are not necessary for the application of the present document but they assist the user with regard to a particular subject area.

[i.1]	ETSI GR NFV 003: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV); Terminology for Main Concepts in NFV".
[i.2]	ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 (V5.1.1): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Architectural Framework; Report on VNF generic OAM functions".
[i.3]	ETSI GR NFV-IFA 029 (V3.3.1): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 3; Architecture; Report on the Enhancements of the NFV architecture towards "Cloud-native" and "PaaS"".
[i.4]	ETSI GR NFV-EVE 022 (V5.1.1): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Architectural Framework; Report on VNF configuration".
[i.5]	ETSI GS NFV-IFA 008: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Management and Orchestration; Ve-Vnfm reference point - Interface and Information Model Specification".
[i.6]	ETSI GR NFV-IFA 041 (V4.1.1): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 4; Management and Orchestration; Report on enabling autonomous management in NFV-MANO".
[i.7]	ETSI GS NFV-IFA 047: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Management and Orchestration; Management data analytics Service Interface and Information Model".
[i.8]	IEEE 1588 TM -2019: "IEEE Standard for a Precision Clock Synchronization Protocol for Networked Measurement and Control Systems".
[i.9]	ETSI GS NFV-IFA 010: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Management and Orchestration; Functional requirements specification".
[i.10]	ETSI GR NFV-IFA 037 (V4.1.1): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 4; Architectural Framework; Report on further NFV support for 5G".
[i.11]	ETSI GS NFV-IFA 014: "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 5; Management and Orchestration; Network Service Templates Specification".
[i.12]	ETSI GR NFV-TST 012 (V1.1.1): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV); Testing; VIM & NFVI Control and Management Performance Evaluation".
[i.13]	ETSI GS NFV-TST 010 (V4.3.1): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV) Release 4; Testing; API Conformance Testing Specification".
[i.14]	ETSI GR NFV-TST 004 (V1.1.2): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV); Testing; Guidelines for Test Plan on Path Implementation through NFVI".
[i.15]	ETSI GS ZSM 009-1 (V1.1.1): "Zero-touch network and Service Management (ZSM); Closed-Loop Automation; Part 1: Enablers".
[i.16]	ETSI GS ZSM 009-2 (V1.1.1): "Zero-touch network and Service Management (ZSM); Closed-Loop Automation; Part 2: Solutions for automation of E2E service and network management use cases".
[i.17]	ETSI GR ZSM 009-3 (V1.1.1): "Zero-touch network and Service Management (ZSM); Closed-Loop Automation; Part 3: Advanced topics".
[i.18]	ETSI GR NFV-IFA 023 (V3.1.1): "Network Functions Virtualisation (NFV); Management and

Orchestration; Report on Policy Management in MANO; Release 3".

3 Definition of terms, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Terms

For the purposes of the present document, the terms given in ETSI GR NFV 003 [i.1] and the following apply:

VNF generic OAM function: PaaS Service that provides in a generic form, OAM capabilities applicable to any kind of VNF

- NOTE 1: These PaaS Services aim at covering diverse OAM functionality, such as provisioning, connectivity, configuration and monitoring of one or more VNFs.
- NOTE 2: The "any kind of VNF" concerns aspects of supporting diverse VNF implementation approaches and diverse network functionality and services provided by the VNFs.

3.2 Symbols

Void.

3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the abbreviations given in ETSI GR NFV 003 [i.1] and the following apply:

NOTE: An abbreviation defined in the present document takes precedence over the definition of the same abbreviation, if any, in ETSI GR NFV 003 [i.1].

MCCO Managed CIS Cluster Objects
MDAF Management Data Analytics Function
NB-F Northbound-Function
NB-M Northbound-Management
SB-F Southbound-Function
SB-V Southbound-VNF

4 Overview of the VNF generic OAM functions and PaaS Services framework

4.1 Introduction

ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2] describes three solutions regarding the VNF generic OAM functions architectural framework and its interactions with the rest of the entities of the NFV ecosystem (i.e. NFV-MANO, NFVI, OSS/BSS and VNFs):

- In clause 6.3 of ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2] solution A is described, introducing the set of VNF generic OAM functions as a new functional block capable to interact with NFV-MANO, OSS/BSS and the VNF instances.
- In clause 6.4 of ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2] solution B is described (with two variations B1 and B2) considering extending existing functional blocks functionality by considering VNF generic OAM functions. For example, VNF generic OAM functions like the *Upgrade VNF* and *VNF Configuration Manager* are sorted as part of EM, while the functionality of other VNF generic OAM functions like the *log aggregator* and the *log* can interact directly with NFV-MANO.

According to solution C described in clause 6.5 of ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], VNF generic OAM
functions can be realized as VNF Common Services, offering services to multiple consumers. The solution
considers VNF Common Services are PaaS Services consumed by VNFs, as described in clause 7.1.1.2 of
ETSI GR NFV-IFA 029 [i.3].

According to the analysis made in ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2] the final recommendations describe that the overall design of the VNF generic OAM functions framework qualify solution A and solution C for further investigation.

According to ETSI GR NFV-IFA 029 [i.3], PaaS Services can be VNF Common Services, VNF Dedicated Services or other services. General concepts of PaaS Services and use cases are documented in ETSI GR NFV-IFA 029 [i.3]; additional use cases about reusing VNF Common/Dedicated Services for the deployment of VNF and NS in the context of 5G networks are also documented in ETSI GR NFV-IFA 037 [i.10].

As analysed and documented in ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], there is a close mapping between VNF generic OAM functions and VNF Common/Dedicated Services. In the present document, it is specified that a "VNF generic OAM function" is a "PaaS Service" of a specific type, i.e. a PaaS Service that provides and handles generic OAM functionality for VNFs. As a PaaS Service, a VNF generic OAM function can be either a VNF Common Service or a VNF Dedicated Service.

In the present document, a framework of VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services is specified. In the following and remaining of the present document, VNF Common/Dedicated Services are also simply referred as "PaaS Services".

4.2 VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services framework

4.2.1 Framework considerations and general functional requirements for VNF generic OAM functions

4.2.1.1 General functional requirements for VNF generic OAM functions

The present clause specifies general requirements applicable to the VNF generic OAM functions framework and all the different types of VNF generic OAM functions.

The functional requirements defined in table 4.2.1.1-1 and table 4.2.1.1-2 are equally applicable to both VM-based and Container-based environments. Table 4.2.1.1-1 provides functional requirements for the VNF generic OAM framework.

Table 4.2.1.1-1: General functional requirements related to VNF generic OAM functions framework

Identif	fier	Recommendation description
VnfGenOam.Fwk.001		The VNF generic OAM functions framework shall unambiguously define basic types of VNF
		generic OAM functions. See note.
VnfGenOam.Fwk.002		The VNF generic OAM functions framework shall support the capability of VNF generic OAM
		functions to interoperate among themselves. See note.
NOTE: By	OTE: By defining basic types of VNF generic OAM functions and identifying interoperability points,	
	implementations can unambiguously define the functionalities offered by the solutions, even when these c	
	perform an aggregation of the basic types of VNF generic OAM functions. For example, a "VNF metrics	
ma	manager" could bundle the functionalities of the specified "VNF Metrics Aggregator" and "VNF Metrics	
Analyser" functions.		

Table 4.2.1.1-2 provides generic functional requirements for the VNF generic OAM functions.

Table 4.2.1.1-2: General functional requirements related to VNF generic OAM functions

Identifier	Recommendation description
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.001	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability to expose standard interfaces and operations related to the functionality of the VNF generic OAM function.
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.002	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability to be managed by a managing entity. See note 1.
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.003	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability of being consumed by any authorized entity like VNFs, NFV-MANO entities (FBs or functions), OSS/BSS, or other authorized VNF generic OAM function.
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.004	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability of being consumed/shared by one or multiple services/entities at a time (e.g. OSS and NFV-MANO).
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.005	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability to handle multiple entities/instances at a time (e.g. multiple VNFs).
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.006	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability to support requesting specific operations to NFV-MANO, VNF/VNFC instances (including the VNF's application(s)), NFVI/hosts, and other VNF generic OAM functions.
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.007	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability to have a lifecycle independent of any consumer of the VNF generic OAM function.
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.008	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability to be terminated in a graceful manner.
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.009	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability to be scaled. See note 2.
VnfGenOam.GenFunc.010	A VNF generic OAM function shall support the capability to send notifications and alerts to authorized consumers (see note 3).
VNF generic OAM the VNF generic C the subscription to other information r	the "manageability" of the VNF generic OAM function. This requirement implies that the function supports the capability to expose standard interfaces and operations to configure DAM function, to query information and supported functionality and capabilities, to enable protifications provided by the VNF generic OAM function, and to expose metrics, logs and related to the VNF generic OAM function, including its lifecycle.
	alization of the VNF generic OAM function, by being scalable, the VNF generic OAM to the increasing/decreasing demand of services from/to the VNF generic OAM function.
·	be used to support monitoring actions and troubleshooting, results reporting, etc.

4.2.1.2 Relationship between VNF Generic OAM functions and PaaS

A VNF generic OAM function is a PaaS Service whose scope is to provide and handle generic OAM functionality for VNFs. PaaS Services can be deployed as a VNF (see also solution C considered in ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2]). PaaS Services deployed as VNFs are described in clause 7.1.1.2 of ETSI GR NFV-IFA 029 [i.3]. ETSI GR NFV-IFA 029 [i.3] describes two additional models for realizing PaaS Services:

- a) PaaS Services as NFVI resources (either in the form of one or multiple virtualised resources or as one or multiple managed CIS cluster objects (MCCO)); and
- b) PaaS Services as a new object class.

4.2.1.3 Relationship between VNF Generic OAM functions and EMs

VNF generic OAM functions can be used to perform EM related operations like VNF configuration and/or exposure of the *Indicator* and *LCM Coordination* interfaces according to ETSI GS NFV-IFA 008 [i.5] in a generic simplified way.

VNF configuration is regarded to include two parts, as documented by clause 4.2 of ETSI GR NFV-EVE 022 [i.4]: virtualisation-dependent items, and virtualisation-independent items. The latter are also referred to as "VNF's application configuration".

VNF generic OAM functions can interact with any type of VNFs and relax the restriction that the configuration of different VNF types is coupled with dedicated management systems (i.e. EMs).

4.2.1.4 Relationship between VNF Generic OAM functions, other PaaS Services and MDAF

The Management Data Analytics Function (MDAF) enables automation in NFV-MANO. The MDAF was introduced in ETSI GR NFV-IFA 041 [i.6], while the relevant interface specification is in ETSI GS NFV-IFA 047 [i.7].

In the context of the VNF generic OAM functions, data analysis mechanisms have been introduced in the VNF Metrics Analyser and the Logs Analyser functions. The VNF Metrics Analyser function (for metrics) and the Log Analyser function (for logs) expose in the NB-F an interface related to analytics within their scope (see clause 6.3.5 for the interface exposed by the Logs Analyser function and clause 6.3.7 for the interface exposed by the VNF Metrics Analyser). One difference between these two VNF generic OAM functions and MDAF is that the former can interact directly with the VNFs. This is not the case for MDAF which can collect VNF related data through VNFM and the relevant VNF indicators. Second, the VNF generic OAM functions perform analysis in a pre-defined and narrower scope, i.e. either metrics or logs, while the MDAF can perform analytics by collecting and handling data of many other sources and types.

Regarding interactions between MDAF and VNF generic OAM functions like also other PaaS Services as specified by the present document:

- MDAF can be a consumer of the NB-F interface exposed by a VNF generic OAM function or other PaaS Services.
 - For example, the VNF Metrics Analyser function and the Log Analyser function can be used to provide input to MDAF by performing analytics pre-processing.
- A VNF generic OAM function or other PaaS Services can be a consumer of the MDA-1 interface exposed by MDAF.
 - For example, the Policy Agent function can receive an analytics report provided by MDAF to perform closed loop control. See clause 4.2.1.7 of the present document for closed loop control in NFV.

4.2.1.5 Notifications management for VNF Generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services

In an NFV environment notifications management can be a highly complex procedure since many different components can raise alerts and notifications when issues are detected from any layer of the protocol stack. From an OSS/BSS perspective, registration to all these monitoring components and handling independently the notification process can be cumbersome.

Irrelevant of the NFVI operational environment (i.e. VM-based, container-based or container on VMs) VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services can send notifications related to events on the associated managed objects.

To simplify however the relevant subscription management and notifications routing from a VNF generic OAM function/PaaS Service consumer perspective, e.g. OSS/BSS, the Notification Manager exposes in the northbound a generic NB-F interface supporting subscription operations and notifications management operations targeting specific or all of the VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services.

EXAMPLE: The VNF Metrics Aggregator function detects an event and sends a notification to the Notification Manager. Then the Notification Manager forwards the notification to the subscriber.

In the PaaS Services management plane, the following operations are supported by PSM and PSR, regarding notifications:

- a) subscription management to notifications; and
- b) support notifying subscribers about events related to PaaS Services.

Notifications sent by these entities to notifications subscribers are not forwarded through the Notification Manager, rather be handled independently by PSM (about PaaS Service LCM events) and PSR (about PSD management events) respectively.

4.2.1.6 Policy management for VNF Generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services

VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services can interact with the Policy Agent for assisting on the execution and decision-making of policies within their respective OAM/service scope. The other VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services can use the interface exposed by the Policy Agent (see clause 4.2.3 and the definition of the SB-F interface). For the case of VNFs/VNFCs being assisted by the Policy Agent, see clause 4.2.3 for the definition of the SB-V interface and clause 8 of the present document for service interaction requirements with VNFs.

The Policy Agent is not responsible for NFV-MANO policies. Each NFV-MANO FB exposes a policy management interface and is responsible to conform to the policies received by performing the relevant PF operations documented in ETSI GR NFV-IFA 023 [i.18].

Regarding policy enforcement, the Policy Agent does not perform the functionality to enforce the policy. Enforcement of the policy is performed by the respective VNF generic OAM function, other PaaS Service, and/or VNF/VNFC (hereafter referred generically as other functions and/or services) that is assisted by the Policy Agent, according to their functional scope and based on the results of the decision making performed by the Policy Agent.

Other functions and/or services being assisted by the Policy Agent can interact with the Policy Agent to get the results of the execution and decision making from the policy and based on the result then perform the enforcement actions.

4.2.1.7 Closed loop control in NFV

ETSI ZSM framework capabilities regarding closed loop control are defined in ETSI GS ZSM 009-1 [i.15], ETSI GS ZSM 009-2 [i.16], and ETSI GR ZS M009-3 [i.17]. For example closed loop LCM is defined in ETSI GS ZSM 009-1 [i.15], while ETSI GR ZSM 009-3 [i.17] analyzes issues like the design of composition and coordination of interdependent closed loops and dynamic composition of closed loops.

Following the principles described in ETSI GS ZSM 009-1 [i.15], clause 8.1.5.2 for interactions based on zero-touch policies, the Policy Agent can interact with other VNF generic OAM functions, NFVI components and CIS clusters, NFV-MANO, etc. to enable closed loop control in the VNF generic OAM function framework. The Policy Agent gathers input data to evaluate a policy and make a decision.

The Policy Agent can interact with:

- OSS/BSS:
 - It can receive policies from OSS/BSS, targeting the any other VNF generic OAM function or a VNF or sets of VNFs.
 - Report to OSS/BSS about policy decisions.
- Other VNF generic OAM functions:
 - Receive inputs from other VNF generic OAM functions for policies to be executed.
 - Provide outputs to other VNF generic OAM functions about policy decisions.
- MDAF:
 - Receive inputs sent by the MDAF regarding analytics reporting and recommended actions set.
- Intent Management function:
 - It can receive polices from the Intent Management function.

4.2.1.8 Testing management for VNFs

In ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 4.3.11, the VNF Testing Manager function has been introduced as a VNF generic OAM function. The VNF Testing Manager is responsible to provide a simple mechanism to orchestrate complex test cases (e.g. VNFC-to-gateway connectivity test) in field deployments, but not only, based on a request from the operator or due to a VNF or NS LCM operation.

NOTE: It is not envisioned that the VNF Testing Manager is a replacement or alternative to tools dedicated to "API conformance testing".

The VNF Testing Manager can be used to support multilayer testing functionalities up to the application layer related to VNF and NFV-MANO operations. Furthermore, VNF testing can be related to intra or inter-NFVI-PoP testing. As a VNF generic OAM function, it can interact with NFV-MANO entities, OSS, NFVI, VNFs and other functions (e.g. MDAF) to support the execution of a test. In a virtualised and cloudified environment testing can consider the underlay network and/or the overlay network, different sending and receiving entities like VNF-to-VNF, VNFC-to-gateway, Node-to-Node etc. and different virtualisation technologies (e.g. VM-based, container-based).

4.2.2 Framework design of VNF Generic OAM functions

A visual representation of the VNF generic OAM functions framework is depicted in figure 4.2.2-1 reassembling properties from both Solution A in clause 6.2 and solution C in clause 6.5 of ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2].

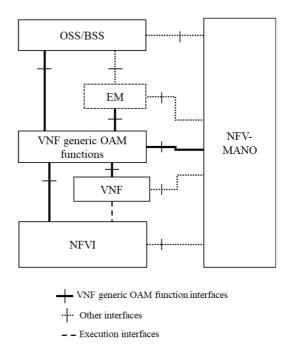


Figure 4.2.2-1: VNF generic OAM functions framework

A logical grouping of a set of different VNF generic OAM functions is considered. The set of VNF generic OAM functions can interact with other functional blocks and functions (like NFV-MANO, NFVI, etc.) over defined interfaces, either produced by the VNF generic OAM functions or produced by other functional blocks and functions. The logical set is not a managed object, rather each VNF generic OAM function can be operated and managed independently from others.

VNF generic OAM functions can also be bundled in a modular way when being realized by respective forms of deployment.

EXAMPLE: A "VNF metrics manager" can bundle modular individual VNF generic OAM functions such as a "VNF Metrics Aggregator function" and a "VNF Metrics Analyser function".

NOTE: Both VM-based and container-based VNF forms of deployment are possible.

VNF generic OAM functions can interact with other entities on two major sets of interfaces categorized as "southbound" and "northbound". Northbound interfaces concern to the interfaces where the VNF generic OAM functions play the role of a "producer". Southbound interfaces comprise those where the VNF generic OAM functions play a role of "consumer" regarding the information and capabilities offered by another entity. More information about the interface and service level interactions is provided in clause 4.2.3.

4.2.2a Framework and interfaces for PaaS Services management

As specified ETSI GS NFV-IFA 010 [i.9], the NFV Architectural Framework supports the management of PaaS Services, and consequently also the use of PaaS Services in the context of NFV deployments.

Regarding PaaS Services, two aspects are considered:

- the PaaS Services themselves, including the context in which PaaS Services are employed and its relationship with the rest of the NFV framework; and
- the management of PaaS Services.

PaaS Services provide capabilities to facilitate the deployment and operation of various NFV components, including VNF, NS and NFVI. They can be used to extend the functionality of baseline NFVI (e.g. adding enhancements to CIS Clusters), provide OAM capabilities to VNF (i.e. as VNF generic OAM function), or also provide additional capabilities at NS level (e.g. adding new functionalities to NS VLs). Clause 4.2.2 specifies the framework of VNF generic OAM functions. The present clause specifies a more generic framework of PaaS Services, and their management.

The general requirements of PaaS Services management are specified in clause 5.8 of ETSI GS NFV-IFA 010 [i.9]. The management framework of PaaS Services adds to NFV-MANO two additional management functions, the PaaS Services Management (PSM) and the PaaS Service Repository (PSR). Functional requirements for PSR function and PSM are specified in clause 17 and 18 of ETSI GS NFV-IFA 010 [i.9], respectively.

Figure 4.2.2a-1 illustrates the PaaS Services framework, and it depicts the relationship with the PaaS Services management functions placed within the NFV-MANO. The framework inherits from the VNF generic OAM functions framework specified in clause 4.2.2, hence shows the full compatibility of both since the VNF generic OAM functions are PaaS Services. Furthermore, the PaaS Services, even if deployed as NFVI resources (see clause 4.2.1.2), are depicted in the framework as an additional layer on top of the NFVI to differentiate the potential other realizations of PaaS Services also as a VNF.

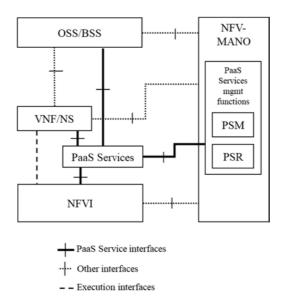
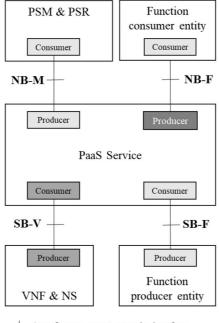


Figure 4.2.2a-1: PaaS Services framework

4.2.3 Interface and service level interactions of PaaS Services

For every PaaS Service (including the specific types of VNF generic OAM functions) the following interfaces and service level interactions are considered, as depicted in figure 4.2.3-1.



(set of) management or service interfaces

Figure 4.2.3-1: Interfaces and service level interactions of PaaS Services

The set of interfaces and service level interactions of a PaaS Service are categorized into two groups:

- Northbound: it comprises the set of interfaces and service level interactions on which the PaaS Service
 primarily plays the role of a "producer" of interface and associated services.
- Southbound: it comprises the set of interfaces and service level interactions on which the PaaS Service primarily plays the role of a "consumer" of interfaces and associated services produced by another entity.

The northbound set of interfaces is further split into:

- Northbound-Function (NB-F): interface(s) exposed by the PaaS Service with specific functionality tailored to that PaaS Service. Considering the case when the PaaS Service is a VNF generic OAM function, the set of interfaces produced by each VNF generic OAM function are specified in clause 6. Interfaces produced by other PaaS Services are also specified in clause 6, where such a PaaS Service is explicitly defined.
- Northbound-Management (NB-M): interface(s) exposed by the PaaS Service towards one or multiple
 corresponding management entity for the purpose of managing the PaaS Service. The consumers of these
 interfaces are the PSM and PSR.

NOTE: For a PaaS Service deployed as a VNF, VNF configuration methods described in ETSI GR NFV-EVE 022 [i.4] are also applicable for configuring the PaaS Service.

The southbound set of interfaces is further split into:

- Southbound-Function (SB-F): to perform the intended functionality, a PaaS Service can interact with different function producer entities (i.e. OSS, NFV-MANO, NFVI or other PaaS Services). In the case of inter-PaaS Service interactions, the consumer PaaS Service consumes the NB-F interface of the producer PaaS Service. In other cases, what interfaces are consumed by the PaaS Service depend on the specific function producer entity, e.g. when interacting with NFV-MANO functional blocks and functions such as VNFM, CISM or VIM, the PaaS Service consumes the authorized standard interfaces produced by the respective entity.
- Southbound-VNF (SB-V): it comprises the interface(s) used to interact with the VNF instances that are being managed with the VNF generic OAM function, and interfaces used to interact with the PaaS Service when such a PaaS Service is associated to other constructs, such as NS instances, but also VNF instances. The relevant service interaction requirements with managed VNF and NS instances are specified in clause 8.

4.2.4 Other PaaS Services

4.2.4.1 Overview

Clause 4.2.4 introduces the PaaS Services, other than VNF generic OAM functions, that are further specified in the present document.

Clause 6.8.2.1 of ETSI GS NFV-IFA 014 [i.11] introduces some examples of PaaS Services and their relationship to other constructs such as VNFs and NSs, including VNF generic OAM functions (specified by the present document) and service mesh capabilities. Other PaaS Services are further specified in subsequent sub-clauses.

4.2.4.2 Configuration Server

A Configuration Server is a PaaS Service that offers a logically centralized repository for configuration management purposes. It is referred to be "logically centralized" because the Configuration Server offers a centralized point for distributing and retrieving configuration data. However, this does limit the implementation of the actual storage resources for configuration, which can be multiple and distributed, yet centrally leveraged via the Configuration Server.

A Configuration Server provides additional functionality beyond storage of configuration data such as data processing, data validation, and data format transformation.

The use cases and concepts related to centralized storage for configuration are described in clauses 5.3.4 and 7.3.3 of ETSI GR NFV-EVE 022 [i.4].

4.2.4.3 Notification Manager

A Notification manager is a PaaS Service that offers the functionality to consumers to centralize the subscription to notifications of events produced by other PaaS Services, and when such events happen, then forward/route (with or without processing) the notifications to the consumers.

The present document does not specify requirements for the interfaces to be considered for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services to send notifications. The Notification manager can communicate over produced interfaces with the VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services to subscribe to notifications or to collect (either on demand or automatically) notifications.

The use cases and concepts related to Notifications manager function are described in ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], wherein it was initially introduced as a VNF generic OAM function.

4.2.4.4 Policy Agent

A Policy agent is a PaaS Service offering the functionality to other PaaS Services and VNF/VNFC instances to execute policies and perform the decision making of policies. The Policy agent can receive policies for any VNF/VNFC instance and any other PaaS Service.

The use cases and concepts related to the Policy agent function are described in ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], wherein it was initially introduced as a VNF generic OAM function.

5 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services

5.1 Introduction

This clause defines functional requirements for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services.

5.2 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function Traffic Enforcer

Table 5.2-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Traffic Enforcer function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.2-1: Functional requirements to the Traffic Enforcer function

Nu	umbering	Requirement
TrafficEnforcer.001		The Traffic Enforcer function shall support the capability to perform traffic isolation and
		traffic rerouting of one or more VNFC instances (see note).
NOTE:	Traffic isolation can be partial or full (i.e. lowering the traffic sent to a VNFC instance) or full (i.e. blocking	
	the traffic sent to	a VNFC instance).

5.3 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function Network Configuration Manager

Table 5.3-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Network Configuration Manager function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.3-1: Functional requirements to the Network Configuration Manager function

Numbering	Requirement
NetConfMa.001	The Network Configuration Manager function shall support the capability to set network
	configuration information related to one or more VNF/VNFC instances.
NetConfMa.002	The Network Configuration Manager function shall support the capability to interact with
	a Configuration Server to retrieve configuration data related to its functional scope.

5.4 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function Upgrade VNF

Table 5.4-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Upgrade VNF function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

NOTE: Even though the function is named "Upgrade VNF", the function does not only support the upgrade, but also update procedures of a VNF, and in general on any kind of software modification involved.

Table 5.4-1: Functional requirements to the Upgrade VNF

Nu	mbering	Requirement
UpgradeV	NF.001	The Upgrade VNF function shall support the capability to modify the software of a VNF
		to another version (see note 1).
UpgradeV	NF.002	The Upgrade VNF function shall support the capability to add an additional virtual
		resource to a VNFC instance during the process of VNF upgrading (see note 2).
UpgradeV	NF.003	The Upgrade VNF function shall support the capability to coordinate among VNFs when
		modifying their software to run on another version (see note 3).
UpgradeV	NF.004	The Upgrade VNF function shall support the capability to coordinate with other VNF
		generic OAM functions and/or NFV-MANO during the process of VNF software
		modification to address specific steps in the process (see note 4).
NOTE 1:	Support to updat	te software of VNF/VNFC, import new service name, import new certificate for other VNF
	in load balancer,	setting configuration of CP in load balancer, etc.
		CPU or memory, or adding or extending volume to use by extending the storage size, etc.
NOTE 3:	3: Reference to software images (VM or OS container images), database schema change, application	
	configuration file	s, etc.
NOTE 4:		coordinate with the Network Configuration Manager to add network connectivity to new
	type of VNF insta	ance, to coordinate with the VNF Configuration Manager to configure existing or new
	VNFC instances	

5.5 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function Log Aggregator

Table 5.5-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Log Aggregator function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.5-1: Functional requirements for the Log Aggregator function

Numbering	Requirement	
LogAggregator.001	The Log Aggregator function shall support the capability to collect different types of logs from different entities (e.g. VNF instances, including the VNF's applications, NFV-MANO or NFVI) determined by a filter (see note 1).	
LogAggregator.002	The Log Aggregator function shall support the capability to pre-process the logs (see note 2).	
LogAggregator.003	The Log Aggregator function shall support the capability to aggregate the logs in a configurable manner (see note 3).	
LogAggregator.004	The Log Aggregator function shall support the capability to store historical log records (see note 4).	
LogAggregator.005	The Log Aggregator function shall support the capability to expose (filtered) logs to authorized consumers.	
	The filter shall support filtering of VNF/VNFC instances by type of the VNF/VNFC, vendor, host, zone, VNF instance identifier, etc. Also, it shall be able to filter by log attributes metric/log type, severity level, etc.	
NOTE 2: One form of pre	2: One form of pre-processing is to harmonize the format of the logs.	
NOTE 3: Examples of cor	·	
NOTE 4: A use case to store historical log records is about using such records for further root-cause analysis.		

5.6 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function Log Analyser

Table 5.6-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Log Analyser function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.6-1: Functional requirements for the Log Analyser function

Numbering	Requirement	
LogAnalyser.001	The Log Analyser function shall support to analyse and process different types of logs	
	based on a set of analysis functions (see note 1).	
LogAnalyser.002	The Log Analyser function shall support configuration of the analytics/processing to be	
	applied (see note 2).	
LogAnalyser.003	The Log Analyser function shall support the capability to send notifications based on	
	findings from the analysis of the logs.	
LogAnalyser.004	The Log Analyser function shall support the capability to expose analytics results to	
	authorized consumers.	
NOTE 1: Examples of ana	NOTE 1: Examples of analysis functions are abnormal behaviour detection, threshold cross, statistical processing,	
correlation of logs, etc.		
	figuration forms of the analytics are set threshold, define the composition of the analytic	
function from a set of basic analytic functions, etc.		

5.7 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function VNF Metrics Aggregator

Table 5.7-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the VNF Metrics Aggregator function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.7-1: Functional requirements for the VNF Metrics Aggregator function

VNFMetricAggreg	ator.001	The VNF Metrics Aggregator function shall support the capability to collect different types of
		metrics from a set of VNF instances determined by a filter (see notes 1 and 5).
VNFMetricAggregator.002		The VNF Metrics Aggregator function shall support the capability to pre-process the metrics (see note 2).
VNFMetricAggreg	ator.003	The VNF Metrics Aggregator function shall support the capability to aggregate the metrics in a configurable manner (see note 3).
VNFMetricAggregator.004		The VNF Metrics Aggregator function shall support the capability to store time series metrics for records (see note 4).
VNFMetricAggreg	ator.005	The VNF Metrics Aggregator function shall support the capability to expose (filtered) metrics to authorized consumers.
instance	e identifier	oport filtering of VNF/VNFC instances by type of the VNF/VNFC, vendor, host, zone, VNF, etc. Also it shall be able to filter by metric/log type, severity level, etc.
NOTE 3: Exampl metrics	es of confi	rocessing is to harmonize the format of the metrics. gurable forms of aggregations are to aggregate all metrics related to performance, aggregate rent instances belonging to the same VNF, aggregate metrics of VNF instances managed by etc.
analysis	s, abnorma	ring time series of metrics are for instance using the stored metrics for further root-cause at behaviour detection, etc. de virtualisation-dependent as well as VNF's application metrics.

5.8 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function VNF Metrics Analyser

Table 5.8-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the VNF Metrics Analyser function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.8-1: Functional requirements for the VNF Metrics Analyser function

Numbering	Requirement
VNFMetricAnalyser.001	The VNF Metrics Analyser function shall support the capability to analyse and process
	different types of metrics based on a set of analysis functions (see note 1).
VNFMetricAnalyser.002	The VNF Metrics Analyser function shall support the capability to provide configuration of the analytics/processing of metrics to be applied (see note 2).
VNFMetricAnalyser.003	The VNF Metrics Analyser function shall support the capability to send notifications based on findings from the analysis of the metrics.
VNFMetricAnalyser.004	The VNF Metrics Analyser function shall support the capability to expose the metrics analytics results to authorized consumers.
NOTE 1: Examples of analy etc.	ysis functions are abnormal behaviour detection, threshold crossing, statistical processing,
	guration forms of the analytics are set thresholds, define the composition of the analytic st of basic analytic functions.

5.9 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function Time function

Table 5.9-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Time function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.9-1: Functional requirements for the Time function

Numbering	Requirement	
TimeFunction.001	The Time function shall support the capability to manage the synchronization between the system time of VNFs and their components.	
TimeFunction.002	The Time function shall support the capability to configure the time protocol(s) used in the system (see note 2).	
TimeFunction.003	The Time function shall support the capability to provide notifications and alerts to authorized consumers (see note 3).	
TimeFunction.004	The Time function shall support the capability to record and provide logs to authorized consumers.	
TimeFunction.005	The Time function shall support the capability to interact with a Configuration Server to retrieve configuration data related to its functional scope.	
1	Synchronization between VNFs is about preserving the time skew within a certain boundary, for the VNFs with time synchronization requirements.	
support synchror	OTE 2: The system is comprised by VNFs with time synchronization requirements and by other entities used to support synchronization (e.g. a master clock server). As an example, for the case of Precision Time Protocol (PTP), examples of configurable parameters are "slaveOnly", "priority1", etc.	
OTE 3: Alerts triggered by the Time function can be used to support administrative actions and troubleshooting.		

5.10 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function VNF Configuration Manager function

Table 5.10-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the VNF Configuration Manager function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.10-1: Functional requirements for the VNF Configuration Manager function

Numbering	Requirement
VnfConfigMgmt.001	The VNF Configuration Manager function shall support the capability to convey
	configuration information to one or more VNF/VNFC instances (see notes 1 and 3).
VnfConfigMgmt.002	The VNF Configuration Manager function shall support the capability to query
	configuration information of VNF/VNFC instances (see notes 2 and 3).
VnfConfigMgmt.003	The VNF Configuration Manager function shall support the capability to interact with a
	Configuration Server to retrieve configuration data related to its functional scope.
	formation includes virtualisation-dependent configurations (e.g. IP addresses set through
NFV-MANO med	chanisms) and virtualisation-independent configurations (also referred as VNF's
	guration) (e.g. thresholds related to the application load).
	elated to the fetching of the value of a specific configuration parameter.
	guration management of the whole set of configuration information (as indicated in
note 1), provides	s a consistent way to perform any kind of configuration.

5.11 Functional requirements for PaaS Service Policy Agent

Table 5.11-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Policy Agent function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.11-1: Functional requirements for the Policy Agent function

Numbering	Requirement	
PolicyAgent.001	The Policy Agent function shall support the capability to support automated decision making	
	to ease administration tasks. See note 1.	
PolicyAgent.002	The Policy Agent function shall support the capability to notify the consumers (e.g. OSS/BSS)	
	about events related to policy managements actions. See note 2.	
PolicyAgent.003	The Policy Agent function shall support the capability to parse and execute VNF and VNF	
	generic OAM functions policies. See note 3.	
NOTE 1: The Policy Agen	t function can interact with other VNF generic OAM functions to perform automated decision	
making with or w	ithout interaction with NFV-MANO components. See use case description in clause 4.4.2.6 of	
ETSI GR NFV-E	VE 019 [i.2].	
NOTE 2: Notifications sen	t by the Policy Agent are forwarded to the notifications subscriber (e.g. OSS/BSS) through the	
Notification Mana	ager. See clause 4.2.1.5.	
NOTE 3: Refer to descript	Refer to description in clause 4.2.1.6 regarding the enforcement of policies.	

5.12 Functional requirements for VNF generic OAM function VNF Testing Manager

Table 5.12-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the VNF Testing Manager function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.12-1: Functional requirements for the VNF Testing Manager

Numbering	Requirement	
TestingManager.001	The VNF Testing Manager shall support the capability to set testing plans for VNFs. See	
	notes 1 and 2.	
TestingManager.002	The VNF Testing Manager shall support the capability to control the execution of a test upon	
	request from an authorized consumer. See note 3.	
TestingManager.003	The VNF Testing Manager shall support the capability to collect testing results from different	
	entities related to testing. See note 2.	
TestingManager.004	The VNF Testing Manager shall support the capability to report testing results from different	
	entities related to testing. See note 2.	
TestingManager.005	The VNF Testing Manager shall support the capability to interact with other VNF Testing	
	Managers to perform testing beyond the VNF Testing Manager's domain. See note 4.	
	g plan modelling shall support identifying the targets (which entities are involved in the test), and the	
scope of te	esting (which kind of test and what to test considering multilayer testing). Testing plan also considers	
setting and	d applying configuration related to testing (e.g. VNF-to-VNF connectivity testing).	
NOTE 2: Configurat	ion of the test can be facilitated by the interaction of VNF Testing Manager with other VNF generic	
OAM funct	tions like the Network Configuration Manager for the actual network configuration. Similarly for results	
collection,	VNF Testing Manager can interact with other VNF generic OAM functions like the Log Aggregator,	
etc.		
NOTE 3: Control of	the execution of a test is about starting, stopping the test, checking status of a test, e.g. to check if it	
is complete	ed, running, etc.	
NOTE 4: For instance	ce, a VNF Testing Manager can be applied for testing within a certain domain or administrative	
boundary,	such as an NFVI-PoP, and the testing plan involve other domains. Communication between VNF	
Testing Ma	anagers can be achieved by other means (e.g. through a testing broker service proxy/gateway).	

5.13 Functional requirements for PaaS Service Notification Manager

Table 5.13-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Notification Manager function based on ETSI GR NFV-EVE 019 [i.2], clause 7.2.

Table 5.13-1: Functional requirements to the Notification Manager function

Numbering	Requirement
NotificationManager.001	The Notification Manager shall support the capability to receive notifications sent by other
	VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services.
NotificationManager.002	The Notification Manager shall support capability to process (e.g. group, deduplicate)
	received notifications. See note 1.
NotificationManager.003	The Notification Manager shall support capability to route processed notification to
_	authorized consumers.
NotificationManager.004	The Notifications manager shall support the capability for a consumer to manage
	subscriptions to notifications about events reported by VNF generic OAM functions and other
	PaaS Services. See notes 1 and 2.
NOTE 1: Notifications sent by VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services to the Notification Manager, can	
sent on demand o	r automatically to the Notification Manager.
NOTE 2: Subscription management includes creation and termination of subscriptions to notifications.	

5.14 Functional requirements for PaaS Service: Configuration Server

Table 5.14-1 specifies functional requirements applicable to the Configuration Server.

Table 5.14-1: Functional requirements of Configuration Server

Numbering	Requirement
ConfigServer.001	The Configuration Server shall support the capability of storing configuration data.
ConfigServer.002	The Configuration Server shall support the capability of converting configuration data between different formats.
ConfigServer.003	The Configuration Server should support the capability to validate configuration data based on data schemas. See note 1.
ConfigServer.004 The Configuration Server shall support the capability of version control configuration data.	
ConfigServer.005	The Configuration Server shall support the capability of providing the configuration data to consumers that request to fetch such configuration data.
ConfigServer.006 The Configuration Server shall support the capability keep information about the sto configuration data. See note 2.	
ConfigServer.007 The Configuration Server shall support the capability to notify about events and characteristics configuration data.	
NOTE 1: Data schemas can be onboarded onto the Configuration Server or provided during operations issued by a	
consumer. NOTE 2: Information about the stored configuration data includes, but it is not limited to format of the data, last modification date of the data, version of the stored data.	

6 Interfaces for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services

6.1 Introduction

This clause defines interface requirements for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services.

6.2 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services

6.2.1 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function Traffic Enforcer

Table 6.2.1-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Traffic Enforcer function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.1-1: Requirements of the Traffic Enforcer function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
TrafficEnforcerInf.001	The Traffic Enforcer function shall support producing the traffic management Interface.

Table 6.2.1-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *traffic management Interface* supported by the Traffic Enforcer generic OAM function.

Table 6.2.1-2: Interface requirements of the Traffic Management Interface

Numbering	Requirement
TrafficEnf.Trafm.001	The Traffic Management Interface shall support the blocking and rerouting of traffic
	indicating selected VNFC Instances.

6.2.2 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function Network Configuration Manager

Table 6.2.2-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Network Configuration Manager function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.2-1: Requirements of the Network Configuration Manager function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
NetConfMaInf.001	The Network Configuration Manager function shall support producing the network
	configuration management Interface.

Table 6.2.2-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *Network configuration management Interface* supported by the Network Configuration Manager generic OAM function.

Table 6.2.2-2: Interface requirements of the Network configuration management interface

Numbering	Requirement
NetConfMa.NetConfm.001	The Network configuration management interface shall support configuring the network
	connectivity for the VNF/VNFC instances.

6.2.3 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function Upgrade VNF

Table 6.2.3-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Upgrade VNF function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.3-1: Requirements of the Upgrade VNF function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
UpgVNFInf.001	The Upgrade VNF function shall support producing the Upgrade VNF Management
	Interface.

Table 6.2.3-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *Upgrade VNF Management Interface* supported by the Upgrade VNF generic OAM function.

Table 6.2.3-2: Interface requirements of the Upgrade VNF Management Interface

Numbering	Requirement
UpgVNF.VNFUpgMa.001	The Upgrade VNF Management Interface shall support coordinating VNFs
	when modifying their software or configuration (see note 1).
UpgVNF.VNFUpgMa.002	The Upgrade VNF Management Interface shall support onboarding, deleting,
	and querying of Upgrade VNF files (see note 2).
NOTE 1: The coordination might in	nclude installing new file(s) to the VNFC instances and/or configuration of
	VNF. Coordination actions are also about adding network connectivity to the new
	support to update software of VNF/VNFC, import new service name, import new
	n load balancer, setting configuration of CP in load balancer, or trigger the
addition of an additional virtual resource to a VNFC instance during the process of VNF upgrading, etc.	
	night include configuration files, and modification process and coordination
actions related files (e.g.	new database schema, additional executables for the VNF).

6.2.4 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function Log Aggregator

Table 6.2.4-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Log Aggregator VNF generic OAM function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.4-1: Requirements for the Log Aggregator function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
VNFLogAggregator.001	The VNF Log Aggregator function shall support producing the Log Exposure Interface
	(see note).
NOTE: Refer to the support	ort of capabilities of log collection by the log aggregator function specified in clause 8.2.

Table 6.2.4-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *Log Exposure Interface* supported by the Log Aggregator generic OAM function.

Table 6.2.4-2: Interface requirements for the Log Exposure Interface

Numbering	Requirement
LogAggr.Expose.001	The Log Exposure Interface shall support exposing the logs to authorized consumers.
LogAggr.Expose.002	The Log Exposure Interface shall support the capability to support filtering of the logs.

6.2.5 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function Log Analyser

Table 6.2.5-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Log Analyser VNF generic OAM function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.5-1: Requirements for the Log Analyser function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
VNFLogAnalyser.001	The Log Analyser function shall support producing the Log Analysis Exposure Interface.

Table 6.2.5-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *Log Analysis Exposure Interface* supported by the Log Analyser generic OAM function.

Table 6.2.5-2: Interface requirements for the Log Analysis Exposure Interface

Numbering	Requirement
LogAnalyser.Expose.001	The Log Analysis Exposure Interface shall support exposing the logs analysis results to authorized consumers.
LogAnalyser.Expose.002	The Log Analysis Exposure Interface shall support configuring the processing of logs to be analysed.

6.2.6 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function VNF Metrics Aggregator

Table 6.2.6-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Metrics aggregator VNF generic OAM function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.6-1: Requirements for the Metrics Aggregator function by means of exposed interfaces

N	lumbering	Requirement
VNFMetri		The VNF Metrics Aggregator function shall support producing the Metrics Exposure
		Interface (see note).
NOTE:	Refer to the support of capabilities of metrics collection by the metrics aggregator function specified in clause 8.2.	

Table 6.2.6-2 specifies requirements applicable to the Metrics Exposure Interface supported by the Metrics aggregator generic OAM function.

Table 6.2.6-2: Interface requirements for the Metrics Exposure Interface

Numbering	Requirement
MetricAggr.Expose.001	The Metrics Exposure Interface shall support exposing the metrics to authorized consumers.
MetricAggr.Expose.002	The Metrics Exposure Interface shall support the capability to support filtering of the metrics.

6.2.7 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function VNF Metrics Analyser

Table 6.2.7-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Metrics analyser VNF generic OAM function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.7-1: Requirements for the Metrics Analyser function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
VNFMetricAnalyser.001	The VNF Metrics Analyser function shall support producing the Metrics Analysis Exposure
	Interface.

Table 6.2.7-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *Metrics Analysis Exposure Interface* supported by the Metrics analyser VNF generic OAM function.

Table 6.2.7-2: Interface requirements for the Metrics Analysis Exposure Interface

Numbering	Requirement
MetricAnalyser.Expose.001	The Metrics Analysis Exposure Interface shall support exposing the metrics analysis
	results to authorized consumers.
MetricAnalyser.Expose.002	The Metrics Analysis Exposure Interface shall support configuring the processing of
	metrics to be analysed.

6.2.8 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function Time function

Table 6.2.8-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Time function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.8-1: Requirements for the Time function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
TimeFuncInf.001	The Time function shall support producing the Time management interface.

Table 6.2.8-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *Time management interface* supported by the Time function.

Table 6.2.8-2: Interface requirements for the Time management interface

Numbering	Requirement	
TimeFunc.Mgmt.001	The Time management interface shall support configuring the protocols used for time synchronization for VNF/VNFC instances with time synchronization requirements.	
TimeFunc.Mgmt.002	The Time management interface shall support setting the time for VNF/VNFC instances with time synchronization requirements (see note 1).	
TimeFunc.Mgmt.003	The Time management interface shall support exposing logs related to time protocol operations on VNF/VNFC instances (see note 2).	
NOTE 1: Setting the time can involve different actions such as: providing specific time values to be set or forcing to synchronize the time to a source.		
NOTE 2: Time function ca operations.	 Time function can interact with the Log Aggregator function for logs collection related to time protocols operations. 	

6.2.9 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function VNF Configuration Manager

Table 6.2.9-1 specifies requirements applicable to the VNF Configuration Manager function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.9-1: Requirements for the VNF Configuration Manager function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
0 0	The VNF Configuration Manager function shall support producing the VNF configuration management Interface.
	management Interface.

Table 6.2.9-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *VNF configuration management Interface* supported by the VNF generic OAM function VNF Configuration Manager.

Table 6.2.9-2: Interface requirements for the VNF configuration management interface

Numbering	Requirement
VnfConfigMgmt.Conf.001	The VNF configuration management interface shall support configuring VNF/VNFC
	instances.
VnfConfigMgmt.Conf.002	The VNF configuration management interface shall support querying configuration
	information of VNF/VNFC instances.

6.2.10 Interface requirements for VNF generic OAM function VNF Testing Manager

Methods and metrics for the evaluation of VIM and NFVI control and management performance are described in ETSI GR NFV-TST 012 [i.12]. API conformance regarding functionality test in an automated way for ETSI NFV APIs is specified in ETSI GS NFV-TST 010 [i.13]. Guidelines for test planning of path implementation through NFVI is in ETSI GR NFV-TST 004 [i.14].

The VNF Testing Manager can be used to provide a mechanism for the test configuration, execution and results collection. The planning phase of a test can consider the guidelines proposed by the referenced deliverables.

Table 6.2.10-1 specifies requirements applicable to the VNF Testing Manager function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.10-1: Requirements of the VNF Testing Manager function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
TestManagerInf.001	The VNF Testing Manager shall support producing the VNF Testing Management Interface.

Table 6.2.10-2 specifies requirements applicable to the VNF Testing Management Interface supported by the VNF Testing Manager VNF generic OAM function.

Table 6.2.10-2: Interface requirements for the VNF Testing Management Interface

Numbering	Requirement
VnfTest.VnfTestMa.001	The VNF Testing Management Interface shall support setting testing plans. See notes 1 and 2.
VnfTest.VnfTestMa.002	The VNF Testing Management Interface shall support requesting to control the execution of a test from authorized consumers. See notes 3 and 4.
VnfTest.VnfTestMa.003	The VNF Testing Management Interface shall support querying the status of a test.
VnfTest.VnfTestMa.004	The VNF Testing Management Interface shall support reporting testing results to authorized consumers. See note 5.
the scope of te considers settil NOTE 2: Entities involve CIS cluster cor NOTE 3: Example of an test due to a V modelling need	In modelling shall support identifying the targets (which entities are involved in the test), and sting (which kind of test and what to test considering multilayer testing). Testing plan also and applying configuration related to testing (e.g. VNF-to-VNF connectivity testing). In a VNF test can be VNFs, NFV-MANO entities, NFVI entities (e.g. switches, routers), and ponents, VNF generic OAM functions, etc. The authorized consumer is OSS/BSS. The testing manager can also trigger the execution of a NF or NS LCM operation, for example to conform to a policy. The relevant information is to support the mechanism to setup criteria of when to activate a test. The authorized is about starting, stopping the test, checking status of a test, e.g. to check if
it is completed NOTE 5: Testing results used to suppor	collection depends on the libraries, tools and the relevant APIs exposed by the entities

6.2.11 Interface requirements for PaaS Service Notification Manager

Table 6.2.11-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Notification Manager function by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.11-1: Requirements of the Notification Manager function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
NotificationManagerInf.001	The Notification Manager function shall support producing the Notifications Management Interface.

Table 6.2.11-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *Notifications Management Interface* supported by the Notification Manager.

Table 6.2.11-2: Interface requirements for the Notifications Management Interface

Numbering	Requirement
Notif.Manager Notif.Mgmt.001	The Notifications Management Interface shall support management of
	subscriptions to notifications.
Notif.Manager Notif.Mgmt.002	The Notifications Management Interface shall support sending processed
-	notifications to authorized consumers.

6.2.12 Interface requirements for PaaS Service Policy Agent

Table 6.2.12-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Policy Agent function by means of exposed interfaces.

NOTE: The present document version does not specify interface requirements and interface operations regarding the execution of the policies.

Table 6.2.12-1: Requirements of the Policy Agent function by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
VnfPolicyAgentInf.001	The Policy Agent function shall support producing the policy management Interface.

Table 6.2.12-2 specifies requirements applicable to the *Policy Management Interface* supported by the Policy Agent.

Table 6.2.12-2: Interface requirements for the Policy Management Interface

Numbering	Requirement			
PolicyAgent.PolicyMgmt.001	The Policy Management Interface shall support to manage VNFs, VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Service policies through the Policy Agent.			
	See note.			
NOTE: Management of policies includes creation, deletion and query information of created policies.				

6.2.13 Interface requirements for PaaS Service Configuration Server

Table 6.2.13-1 specifies requirements applicable to the Configuration Server by means of exposed interfaces.

Table 6.2.13-1: Requirements of the Configuration Server by means of exposed interfaces

Numbering	Requirement
ConfigServerInf.001	The Configuration Server shall produce the Configuration Data Management interface.

Table 6.2.13-2 specifies requirements applicable to the Configuration Data Management interface produced by the Configuration Server.

Table 6.2.13-2: Interface requirements of the Configuration Data Management interface

Numbering	Requirement				
ConfigServer.Cdm.001	The Configuration Data Management interface shall support transferring to the				
	Configuration Server configuration data to be stored.				
ConfigServer.Cdm.002	The Configuration Data Management interface shall support updating stored configuration data.				
ConfigServer.Cdm.003	The Configuration Data Management interface shall support deleting stored configuration data.				
ConfigServer.Cmd.004	The Configuration Data Management interface shall support fetching stored configuration data.				
ConfigServer.Cmd.005	The Configuration Data Management interface shall support querying information about the stored configuration data.				
ConfigServer.Cmd.006	The Configuration Data Management interface shall support requesting to convert stored configuration data to a different format.				
ConfigServer.Cmd.007	The Configuration Data Management interface should support requesting to validate the configuration data based on referenced data schemas.				
ConfigServer.Cmd.008	The Configuration Data Management interface shall support subscribing to notifications about configuration data management events and changes of configuration data.				
ConfigServer.Cmd.009	The Configuration Data Management interface shall support notifying subscribers about events related to configuration data management events and changes of configuration data.				

6.3 Interface operations

6.3.1 Traffic Management Interface

6.3.1.1 Description

This interface enables a consumer to manage traffic of one or more VNFC instances.

6.3.1.2 Traffic Management

6.3.1.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request to isolate from and reconnect traffic towards selected VNFC instances.

Table 6.3.1.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF Generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the Traffic Enforcer.

Table 6.3.1.2.1-1: Traffic Management operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
TrafMaRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Traffic Enforcer
TrafMaResponse	Mandatory	Traffic Enforcer → Consumer

6.3.1.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.1.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.1.2.2-1: Traffic management operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
vnfclnstanceld	М	1N	Identifier	Identifier of the VNFC instance(s) requiring traffic management.
targetAction	М	1	Enum	Specifies the traffic control action. VALUES: • FULL ISOLATE: Isolate specified VNFC instances from full incoming traffic • PARTIAL ISOLATE: Isolate specified VNFC instances from partial incoming traffic (see note) • RECONNECT: Reconnect specified VNFC instances for incoming traffic
NOTE: Traffic isolation can be partial (i.e. blocking traffic destined to specific ports) or full (i.e. blocking the traffic sent to a VNFC instance).				

6.3.1.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.1.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.1.2.3-1: Traffic management operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
operationalResult	M	1	Not specified	Information about the traffic isolation and
				reconnection.

6.3.1.2.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the traffic of affected VNFC instances has been successfully controlled, e.g. the indicated VNFC instances have been traffic isolated or reconnected, dependent on the requested target action. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.2 Network Configuration Management Interface

6.3.2.1 Description

This interface enables a consumer to set network configuration information to one or more VNF/VNFC instances.

6.3.2.2 Network configuration management

6.3.2.2.1 Description

This operation enables the generic OAM function to configure the network connectivity for the VNF/VNFC instances.

Table 6.3.2.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF Generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the Network Configuration Manager.

Table 6.3.2.2.1-1: Network configuration management operation

Message Requirement		Direction	
NetConfMa Request	Mandatory	Consumer → Network Configuration Manager	
NetConfMa Response	Mandatory	Network Configuration Manager → Consumer	

6.3.2.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.2.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.2.2.2-1: Network configuration management input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
vnflnstanceld	M	01	Identifier	Identifier of the VNF instance for which
				the network connectivity is to be
				configured (see notes 1 and 2).
vnfcInstanceId	M	01	Identifier	Identifier of the VNFC instance for which
				the network connectivity is to be
				configured (see notes 1 and 2).
cpConfig	M	1N	CpConfigInfo	The external CP instance(s) of the
				VNF/VNFC instance and the configuration
				information to be applied.
meshConfig	M	01	Not specified	This attribute contains parameters
				necessary for configuring the behaviour
				and features for a VNF/VNFC within a
				service mesh network environment.
NOTE 1: Only one of vnfInstanceId and vnfcInstanceId shall be present.				

NOTE 2: Whether the Identifier specifies a set of VNFs/VNFCs will be investigated as part of stage 3 activities

6.3.2.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.2.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.2.2.3-1: Network configuration management output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
operationalResult	M	1	Not specified	Information about the network configuring.

6.3.2.2.4 Operation results

After successful operation, Network Configuration Manager notifies to consumer about completion of network configuration. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

Upgrade VNF Management Interface 6.3.3

6.3.3.1 Description

This interface shall allow the consumer to request Upgrade VNF operations to be performed by the Upgrade VNF function.

The Upgrade VNF management interface shall support the following operations:

- Upgrade VNF management operation
- Onboarding Upgrade VNF files
- Deleting Upgrade VNF files
- Querying Upgrade VNF files

6.3.3.2 Upgrade VNF management operation

6.3.3.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request to upgrade VNF/VNFC instances with new software version, virtualised resources, configurations, etc.

Table 6.3.3.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF Generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the Upgrade VNF function.

Table 6.3.3.2.1-1: Upgrade VNF management operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
upgradeVNFRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Upgrade VNF function
upgradeVNFResponse	Mandatory	Upgrade VNF function → Consumer

6.3.3.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.3.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.3.2.2-1: Upgrade VNF management input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
vnflnstanceld	М	01	Identifier	Identifier of the VNF instance to be upgraded (see note 1).
vnfcInstanceId	M	01	Identifier	Identifier of the VNFC instance to be upgraded (see note 1).
configurableProperties	М	0N	KeyValuePair	Updated values for configurable properties (see note 2).
fileInfold	M	1N	Identifier	Identifier of the Upgrade VNF file define by the file provider.

NOTE 1: Only one of vnfInstanceId and vnfcInstanceId shall be present.

NOTE 2: During the upgrade process changes of connectivity can be expected and the appropriate input parameters can be considered.

6.3.3.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.3.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.3.2.3-1: Upgrade VNF management output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
UpgradeResult	M	1	Not specified	Information about the upgrade result.

6.3.3.2.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the Upgrade VNF function notifies to consumer about completion of the upgrade. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.3.3 Onboarding Upgrade VNF files

6.3.3.3.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request to onboard Upgrade VNF files for the VNF/VNFC instances.

Table 6.3.3.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another Generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the Upgrade VNF function.

Table 6.3.3.3.1-1: Onboarding Upgrade VNF files operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
OnboardVNFUpgFileRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Upgrade VNF function
OnboardVNFUpgFileResponse	Mandatory	Upgrade VNF function → Consumer

6.3.3.3.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.3.3.2-1.

Table 6.3.3.3.2-1: Onboarding Upgrade VNF files input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
upgradeFileInfo	M	1N	UpgFileData	Information about Upgrade VNF file(s).

6.3.3.3.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.3.3.3-1.

Table 6.3.3.3.1: Onboarding Upgrade VNF files output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
fileInfold	M	0N	Identifier	Identifier(s) of the on-boarded Upgrade
				VNF file(s)

6.3.3.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the Upgrade VNF function notifies to consumer about completion of onboarding Upgrade VNF files. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.3.4 Deleting Upgrade VNF files

6.3.3.4.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to delete Upgrade VNF files for the VNF/VNFC instances.

Table 6.3.3.4.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another Generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the Upgrade VNF function.

Table 6.3.3.4.1-1: Deleting Upgrade VNF files operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
DeleteVNFUpgFileRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Upgrade VNF function
DeleteVNFUpgFileResponse	Mandatory	Upgrade VNF function → Consumer

6.3.3.4.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.3.4.2-1.

Table 6.3.3.4.2-1: Deleting Upgrade VNF files input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
fileInfold	М	1N	Identifier	Identifier(s) for the Upgrade VNF file(s).

6.3.3.4.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.3.4.3-1.

Table 6.3.3.4.3-1: Deleting Upgrade VNF files output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
deletedFileInfold	M	0N	Identifier	Identifier(s) of the deleted Upgrade VNF file.

6.3.3.4.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the Upgrade VNF function notifies to consumer about completion of deleting Upgrade VNF files. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.3.5 Querying Upgrade VNF files

6.3.3.5.1 Description

This operation enables consumer to query the Upgrade VNF function about Upgrade VNF files for the VNF/VNFC instances.

Table 6.3.3.5.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another Generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the Upgrade VNF function.

Table 6.3.3.5.1-1: Querying Upgrade VNF files operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
QueryVNFUpgFIleRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Upgrade VNF function
QueryVNFUpgFIleResponse	Mandatory	Upgrade VNF function → Consumer

6.3.3.5.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.3.5.2-1.

Table 6.3.3.5.2-1: Querying Upgrade VNF files input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description		
filter	M	1	Not specified	Filtering criteria to select one or more		
				Upgrade VNF file(s) information (see note).		
NOTE: Specification of filtering mechanism is part of the protocol design.						

6.3.3.5.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.3.5.3-1.

Table 6.3.3.5.3-1: Querying Upgrade VNF files output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description	
queryFileInfoResult	M	0N	FileInfo	Information about the Upgrade VNF file(s)	
				matching the query.	
NOTE: The lower cardinality is 0 since there may be no matches to the provided filter.					

6.3.3.5.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the consumer has queried the Upgrade VNF file querying results. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result. For a particular query, information about the Upgrade VNF file querying result that are matching with the filter shall be returned.

6.3.4 Log Aggregator Exposure Interface

6.3.4.1 Description

This interface enables a consumer to access log aggregator results.

6.3.4.2 Exposing Log Aggregator results

6.3.4.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request the Log Aggregator to expose the aggregated log results.

Table 6.3.4.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF log aggregator.

Table 6.3.4.2.1-1: Exposing Log Aggregator result operation

Message Requirement		Direction	
LogRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Log Aggregator	
LogResponse	Mandatory	Log Aggregator → Consumer	

6.3.4.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.4.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.4.2.2-1: Exposing Log Aggregator result operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description	
Filter	М	1		Filtering criteria to select one or a set of logs (see note)	
NOTE: Specification of filtering mechanism is part of the protocol design.					

6.3.4.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.4.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.4.2.3-1: Exposing Log Aggregator result operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
queryResult	M	0N	LogAggregateOutput	Information about the log(s) matching the guery.

6.3.4.2.4 Output parameters

After successful operation, the consumer has queried the log aggregator results. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result. For a particular query, information about the log aggregator result that are matching the filter shall be returned.

6.3.5 Log Analysis Exposure Interface

6.3.5.1 Description

This interface enables a consumer to access log analysis results.

6.3.5.2 Exposing Log Analysis results

6.3.5.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request the log analysis results from the Log Analyser.

Table 6.3.5.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the Log Analyser.

Table 6.3.5.2.1-1: Exposing Log analysis result operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
LogInfoRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Log Analyser
LogInfoResponse	Mandatory	Log Analyser → Consumer

6.3.5.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.5.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.5.2.2-1: Exposing Log analysis result operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description	
Filter	M	1	Not specified	Filtering criteria to select one or a set of log	
				analysis result (see note).	
NOTE: Specification of filtering mechanism is part of the protocol design.					

6.3.5.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.5.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.5.2.3-1: Exposing Log analysis result operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
queryResult	M	0N	LogAnalysisOutput	Information about the logs
				matching the guery.

6.3.5.2.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the consumer has queried the log analyser results. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result. For a particular query, information about the log analysis result that are matching with the filter shall be returned.

6.3.6 Metrics Exposure Interface

6.3.6.1 Description

This interface enables a consumer to access metrics aggregator results.

6.3.6.2 Exposing Metrics aggregator results

6.3.6.2.1 Description

This operation enables VNF Metrics Aggregator to expose the metrics aggregator results to an authorized consumer.

Table 6.3.6.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF Metrics Aggregator.

Table 6.3.6.2.1-1: Exposing Metrics aggregator result operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
MetricRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → VNF Metrics Aggregator
MetricResponse	Mandatory	VNF Metrics Aggregator → Consumer

6.3.6.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.6.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.6.2.2-1: Exposing Metrics aggregator result operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description		
Filter	M	1	Not specified	Filtering criteria to select one or a set of metrics. The filter shall support to specify which vnf instances the metrics information is requested		
				to be collected, and to be capable to aggregate all metrics related to performance, aggregate metrics from different instances belonging to the same VNF, aggregate metrics of VNF instances managed by the same VNFM, etc. (see note).		
NOTE: Specifi						

6.3.6.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.6.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.6.2.3-1: Exposing Metrics aggregator result operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
queryResult	M	0N	Not specified	Information about the metrics matching
				the query.

6.3.6.2.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the consumer has queried the metrics aggregator result. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result. For a particular query, information about the metrics aggregator result that are matching the filter shall be returned.

6.3.7 Metrics Analysis Exposure Interface

6.3.7.1 Description

This interface enables a consumer to access metrics analysis results.

6.3.7.2 Exposing Metrics Analysis results

6.3.7.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request the VNF Metrics Analyser function to expose the metrics analysis results to an authorized consumer.

Table 6.3.7.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF Metrics Analyser.

Table 6.3.7.2.1-1: Exposing Metrics analysis result operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
MetricInfoRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → VNF Metrics Analyser
MetricInfoResponse	Mandatory	VNF Metrics Analyser → Consumer

6.3.7.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.7.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.7.2.2-1: Exposing Metrics analysis result operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
Filter	М	1	Not specified	Filtering criteria to select one or a set of metrics analysis result. The filter to specify on which vnf instances the metrics information is requested to be collected (see note).
MetricsAnalysisConfig M 1 Not specified The configuration for the met analysis. The configuration she support specifying the metrics analysed, the analysis function metrics thresholds.				
NOTE: Specification of	filtering mecha	nism is part of the	e protocol design.	

6.3.7.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.7.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.7.2.3-1: Exposing Metrics analysis result operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
queryResult	М	0N	MetricsAnalysisOutput	Information about the metrics
				matching the query.

6.3.7.2.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the consumer has queried the metric analyser results. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result. For a particular query, information about the metrics analysis result that are matching with the filter shall be returned.

6.3.8 Time Management Interface

6.3.8.1 Description

The Time management interface enables the consumer to request the Time function to configure parameters relate to time synchronization to the VNF/VNFC instances.

6.3.8.2 Time function configuration

6.3.8.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request to configure time protocols and/or setting the time function for VNF/VNFC instances with time synchronization requirements.

Table 6.3.8.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Time function and a consumer of the interface, e.g. OSS/BSS, another Generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities.

Table 6.3.8.2.1-1: Time function configuration operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
TimeConfigRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Time function
TimeConfigResponse	Mandatory	Time function → Consumer

6.3.8.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.8.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.8.2.2-1: Time function configuration operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
vnflnstanceld	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the VNF instance to be configured.
vnfclnstanceld	M	01	Identifier	Identifier of the VNFC instance to be configured, in case the configuration concerns to a specific VNFC.
timeConfig	М	01	Not specified	The timeConfig provides values for the time protocol configuration e.g. specifies clock mode, clock priority, etc. Examples of time protocols are IEEE 1588-2019 [i.8], etc.

6.3.8.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.8.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.8.2.3-1: Time function configuration operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
operationalResult	M	1	Not specified	Information about the Time function
				configuring.

6.3.8.2.4 Output results

After successful operation, time function configuration notifies to consumer about completion of time function configuration. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.9 VNF Configuration Management Interface

6.3.9.1 Description

The VNF configuration management interface shall support the following operations:

- Set VNF configuration
- Query VNF configuration information

6.3.9.2 Set VNF configuration operation

6.3.9.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request to configure VNF/VNFC instances. The VNF configuration operation can configure both the virtualisation-dependent items of VNF/VNFC instances, as managed by NFV-MANO, as well as the virtualisation-independent items (also referred as VNF's application configuration) of the VNF/VNFC instances.

Table 6.3.9.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF Configuration Manager.

Table 6.3.9.2.1-1: VNF Configuration operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
SetConfigRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → VNF Configuration Manager
SetConfigResponse	Mandatory	VNF Configuration Manager → Consumer

6.3.9.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.9.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.9.2.2-1: VNF Configuration operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
vnflnstanceld	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the VNF instance to be
				configured.
vnfclnstanceld	M	01	Identifier	Identifier of the VNFC instance to be
				configured, in case the configuration
				concerns to a specific VNFC.
Configuration	M	1	Not specified	Information about the configuration that
				needs to be applied in the VNF/VNFC
				instances.

6.3.9.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.9.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.9.2.3-1: VNF Configuration operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
operationalResult	M	1	Not specified	Information about the success and
				failure of configuration.

6.3.9.2.4 Output results

After successful operation, VNF Configuration Manager function notifies the consumer about completion of the VNF/VNFC configuration. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.9.3 Query VNF configuration information operation

6.3.9.3.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to be able to query VNF configuration of VNF/VNFC instances. See description in clause 6.3.9.2.1 for the appliable items of VNF configuration.

Table 6.3.9.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF Configuration Manager.

Table 6.3.9.3.1-1: Query VNF Configuration operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
QueryConfigRequestI	Mandatory	Consumer → VNF Configuration Manager
QueryConfigResponse	Mandatory	VNF Configuration Manager → Consumer

6.3.9.3.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.9.3.2-1.

Table 6.3.9.3.2-1: Query VNF configuration operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description	
filter	М	1		Filtering criteria to select one or a set of configuration information (see note). The filter to specify on which VNF/VNFC instances the configuration information is requested to be collected (see note).	
NOTE: Specification of filtering mechanism is part of the protocol design.					

6.3.9.3.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.9.3.3-1.

Table 6.3.9.3.3-1: Querying VNF configuration operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
queryResult	M	0N	Not specified	Information about the VNF configuration
				matching the query.

6.3.9.3.4 Output results

After successful operation, the consumer has received from the VNF Configuration Manager querying results. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result. For a particular query, information about the VNF configuration querying result that are matching with the filter shall be returned.

6.3.10 VNF Testing Management Interface

6.3.10.1 Description

This interface enables a consumer to manage a VNF test concerning one or more VNFC instances and applications hosted by the VNF. The VNF test also considers the configuration and involvement of other components in the test, such as NFVI nodes, CIS cluster nodes, CIS cluster storage, NFVI network elements, NFVI resources, NFVI components, etc. residing within the same or different NFVI-PoPs where the VNF instance is placed.

ETSI GS NFV-TST 013 [5] specifies a test case description information model and the relevant data model. The requirements for the test case description and test case inputs as described in ETSI GS NFV-TST 013 [5] are also applicable for the case of the VNF testing management interface.

6.3.10.2 Test configuration operation

6.3.10.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to request to configure a test.

Table 6.3.10.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF Testing Manager.

Table 6.3.10.2.1-1: Test configuration operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
TestConfRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → VNF Testing Manager
TestConfResponse	Mandatory	VNF Testing Manager → Consumer

6.3.10.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.10.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.10.2.2-1: Test configuration operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
testDescriptor	M	1	TestCaseDescriptor	As specified in ETSI GS NFV-TST 013 [5],
				clause 6.2.2.

6.3.10.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.10.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.10.2.3-1: Test configuration operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
testConfigId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the test configuration that has
				been set.

6.3.10.2.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the test configuration has been set and it can be used for subsequent execution. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.10.3 Control test execution operation

6.3.10.3.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to setup the time and/or criteria of when the test is to be executed. Consumer can also indicate the time to stop the test or alternatively depending on the test type, testing can run until completion or it can be stopped by requesting to change the status of the test.

Table 6.3.10.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, OSS/BSS, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF Testing Manager.

Table 6.3.10.3.1-1: Control test execution operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
ControlTestExecutionRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → VNF Testing Manager
ControlTestExecutionResponse	Mandatory	VNF Testing Manager → Consumer

6.3.10.3.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.10.3.2-1.

Table 6.3.10.3.2-1: Control test execution operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description			
testConfigId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the testing configuration to			
				execute.			
startTime	M	01	DateTime	Timestamp of the time to start the test.			
				See note 1.			
endTime	M	01	DateTime	Timestamp the time to finish the test.			
				See note 2.			
executionCriteria	M	01	Not specified	Other criteria to trigger the execution of the			
				testing that is not time-based. The			
				parameter shall support setting up criteria			
				based on events such as VNF LCM.			
				See note 1.			
stopped	M	01	Boolean	Indication to stop the test.			
NOTE 1: If neither "startTime", nor "executionCriteria" is provided, the operation request is to execute the test							
immediately.							
NOTE 2: When er	idTime equals z	ero, there is no sp	pecific period for wl	hich the test needs to run. The test runs until			
completion.							

6.3.10.3.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.10.3.3-1.

Table 6.3.10.3.3-1: Control test execution operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
testld	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the test.

6.3.10.3.4 Operation results

After successful operation, the test has been created and setup for execution, and depending on the input criteria, it has started. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.10.4 Query test report operation

6.3.10.4.1 Description

This operation enables an authorized consumer (e.g. OSS/BSS) to query and fetch existing test reports from the VNF Testing Manager.

Table 6.3.10.4.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, OSS/BSS, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF Testing Manager.

Table 6.3.10.4.1-1: Query test report operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
QueryTestReportRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → VNF Testing Manager
QueryTestReportResponse	Mandatory	VNF Testing Manager → Consumer

6.3.10.4.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.10.4.2-1.

Table 6.3.10.4.2-1: Query test report operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
reportFilter	M	01	Not Specified	Filtering criteria to select one or a set of reports. If
				absent, the information related to all available testing
				reports are returned.

6.3.10.4.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.10.4.3-1.

Table 6.3.10.4.3-1: Query test report operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
queryResult	M	0N	Not Specified	The testing reports matching the guery.

6.3.10.4.4 Operation results

If the operation succeeds, the testing reports that matches the filter (if present) are returned. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.10.5 Query test status operation

6.3.10.5.1 Description

This operation enables an authorized consumer (e.g. OSS/BSS) to query the status of the test from the VNF Testing Manager.

Table 6.3.10.5.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer, e.g. another VNF generic OAM function, OSS/BSS, NFV-MANO, or other management entities and the producer, that is the VNF Testing Manager.

Table 6.3.10.5.1-1: Query test report operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
QueryTestStatus	Mandatory	Consumer → VNF Testing Manager
QueryTestStatus	Mandatory	VNF Testing Manager → Consumer

6.3.10.5.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.10.5.2-1.

Table 6.3.10.5.2-1: Query test status operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
testld	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the test for which the status is requested.

6.3.10.5.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.10.5.3-1.

Table 6.3.10.5.3-1: Query test report operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
status	M	1	Enumeration	The testing status information.

6.3.10.5.4 Operation results

If the operation succeeds, the testing status information is returned. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.11 Configuration Data Management Interface

6.3.11.1 Description

The Configuration Data Management interface enables a consumer to store, update, delete and fetch sets of configuration data from a logically centralized data repository.

6.3.11.2 Transfer Configuration Data

6.3.11.2.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to transfer configuration data to the Configuration Server to be stored. The configuration data is transferred and stored as a "file", hereafter referred as "data configuration set".

Table 6.3.11.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Configuration Server and a consumer of the interface.

Table 6.3.11.2.1-1: Transfer Configuration Data operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
TransferConfigurationDataRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Configuration Server
TransferConfigurationDataResponse	Mandatory	Configuration Server → Consumer

6.3.11.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.11.2.2-1: Transfer Configuration Data operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSet	M	1	·	The set of configuration data to be stored. This can be a text file formatted according to some schema and data format, or a binary file.
configDataSetDescription	M	01	String	A description of the configuration data set.

6.3.11.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.11.2.3-1: Transfer Configuration Data operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSetId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the configuration data set that
				has been stored.

6.3.11.2.4 Output results

After successful operation, the Configuration Server has stored the configuration data set, created an information element associated to the configuration data set with metadata, and identified the configuration data set. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.11.3 Delete Configuration Data

6.3.11.3.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to delete a stored configuration data set.

Table 6.3.11.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Configuration Server and a consumer of the interface.

Table 6.3.11.3.1-1: Delete Configuration Data operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
DeleteConfigurationDataRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Configuration Server
DeleteConfigurationDataResponse	Mandatory	Configuration Server → Consumer

6.3.11.3.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.3.2-1.

Table 6.3.11.3.2-1: Delete Configuration Data operation input parameters

Para	ameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configData	SetId	M	1N	Identifier	The identifier of the configuration data set
					to delete.
NOTE: It is up to the protocol design stage to determine whether this operation will be modelled as a "bulk" operation that supports deleting multiple configuration data sets in one request, or as a series of					
	requests that delete one configuration data set at a time.				

6.3.11.3.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.3.3-1.

Table 6.3.11.3.3-1: Delete Configuration Data operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description			
configDataSetId	М	1N		Identifier of the configuration data set that has been deleted.			
operation that	E: It is up to the protocol design stage to determine whether this operation will be modelled as a "bulk" operation that supports deleting multiple configuration data sets in one request, or as a series of requests that delete one configuration data set at a time.						

6.3.11.3.4 Output results

After successful operation, the Configuration Server has deleted the configuration data set(s) and deleted the associated configuration data set metadata. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.11.4 Update Configuration Data

6.3.11.4.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to update a stored configuration data set.

Table 6.3.11.4.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Configuration Server and a consumer of the interface.

Table 6.3.11.4.1-1: Update Configuration Data operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
UpdateConfigurationDataRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Configuration Server
UpdateConfigurationDataResponse	Mandatory	Configuration Server → Consumer

6.3.11.4.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.4.2-1.

Table 6.3.11.4.2-1: Update Configuration Data operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSetId	М	1	Identifier	The identifier of the configuration data set to be updated.
updatedConfigDataSet	M	1		The set of configuration data with the updated configuration data. This can be a text file formatted according to some schema and data format, or a binary file.

6.3.11.4.3 Output parameters

None.

6.3.11.4.4 Output results

After successful operation, the Configuration Server has updated the identified configuration data set with the updated configuration data values, and updated the metadata associated to the configuration data set. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.11.5 Get Configuration Data

6.3.11.5.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to get (fetch) a stored configuration data set.

Table 6.3.11.5.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Configuration Server and a consumer of the interface.

Table 6.3.11.5.1-1: Get Configuration Data operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
GetConfigurationDataRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Configuration Server
GetConfigurationDataResponse	Mandatory	Configuration Server → Consumer

6.3.11.5.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.5.2-1.

Table 6.3.11.5.2-1: Get Configuration Data operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSetId	M	1	Identifier	The identifier of the configuration data set
				to fetch.

6.3.11.5.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.5.3-1.

Table 6.3.11.5.3-1: Get Configuration Data operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSet	M	1	Not specified	The configuration data set. This can be a
				text file formatted according to some
				schema and data format, or a binary file.

6.3.11.5.4 Output results

After successful operation, the Configuration Server has transferred to the consumer the configuration data set. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.11.6 Query Configuration Data Information

6.3.11.6.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to query information about a stored configuration data set.

Table 6.3.11.6.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Configuration Server and a consumer of the interface.

Table 6.3.11.6.1-1: Query Configuration Data Information operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
QueryConfigurationDataInfoRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Configuration Server
QueryConfigurationDataInfoResponse	Mandatory	Configuration Server → Consumer

6.3.11.6.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.6.2-1.

Table 6.3.11.6.2-1: Query Configuration Data Information operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
Filter	M	1	Filter	Filter defining the configuration data set
				information on which the query applies.
				The filter can be a single identifier,
				multiple identifiers of configuration data
				sets, or a wildcard.

6.3.11.6.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.6.3-1.

Table 6.3.11.6.3-1: Query Configuration Data Information operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSetInfo	M	0N	ConfigDataSetInfo	Information of the configuration data sets
				matching the input filter.

6.3.11.6.4 Output results

After successful operation, the Configuration Server has provided to the consumer information about the configuration data sets according to the input filter. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.11.7 Convert Configuration Data

6.3.11.7.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to request the Configuration Server to convert a configuration data set from into a different data format. The original configuration data set remains as is, and a new configuration data set is created with the data format requested.

Table 6.3.11.7.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Configuration Server and a consumer of the interface.

Table 6.3.11.7.1-1: Convert Configuration Data operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
ConvertConfigurationDataRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Configuration Server
ConvertConfigurationDataResponse	Mandatory	Configuration Server → Consumer

6.3.11.7.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.7.2-1.

Table 6.3.11.7.2-1: Convert Configuration Data operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSetId	M	1	Identifier	The identifier of the configuration data set
				to convert.
dataFormat	M	1	String	The destination data format for the
				conversion.
dataSchema	M	01	Not specified	A data schema to be used during the
				conversion, in case some specific rules
				need to be considered for the conversion.

6.3.11.7.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.7.3-1.

Table 6.3.11.7.3-1: Convert Configuration Data operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
newConfigDataSetId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the configuration data set that
				has been created from the conversion.

6.3.11.7.4 Output results

After successful operation, the Configuration Server has created a new configuration data set by converting the source configuration data set. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.11.8 Validate Configuration Data

6.3.11.8.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to request the Configuration Server to validate a configuration data set according to a reference data schema.

Table 6.3.11.8.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Configuration Server and a consumer of the interface.

Table 6.3.11.8.1-1: Validate Configuration Data operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
ValidateConfigurationDataRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Configuration Server
ValidateConfigurationDataResponse	Mandatory	Configuration Server → Consumer

6.3.11.8.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.8.2-1.

Table 6.3.11.8.2-1: Validate Configuration Data operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSetId	М	1	Identifier	The identifier of the configuration data set to validate.
dataSchema	М	1		A data schema to be used during the validation. The data schema may be passed by reference or value.

6.3.11.8.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.11.8.3-1.

Table 6.3.11.8.3-1: Validate Configuration Data operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
validationResult	M	1		Result of the validation with information of which parts of the configuration data set are not conformant to the reference data schema, if errors are found.

6.3.11.8.4 Output results

After successful operation, the Configuration Server has validated the configuration data set based on the data schema to use for the validation. The result of the operation indicates if it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

6.3.12 Notifications Management Interface

6.3.12.1 Description

The Notifications Management Interface shall support management of subscriptions and a notify operation.

6.3.12.2 Subscribe operation

6.3.12.2.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to subscribe with a filter for the notifications related to events performed by corresponding VNF generic OAM functions.

NOTE: Specification of the filtering mechanism is part of the protocol design.

Table 6.3.12.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the Notification Manager and a consumer of the interface, e.g. OSS/BSS.

Table 6.3.12.2.1-1: Notification Manager subscribe operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
SubscribeRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Notification Manager
SubscribeResponse	Mandatory	Notification Manager → Consumer

6.3.12.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.12.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.12.2.2-1: Subscribe operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
filter	М	1		Input filter for selecting the corresponding VNF generic OAM functions and the related change
				notifications to subscribe. This filter can contain information about specific types of changes to subscribe to, or attributes of the generic OAM functions, etc.

6.3.12.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.12.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.12.2.3-1: Subscribe operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
subscriptionId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the subscription realized.

6.3.12.2.4 Output results

After successful subscription, the consumer is registered to receive notifications about events performed by corresponding VNF generic OAM functions. The result of the operation shall indicate if the subscription has been successful or not with a standard success/error result. For a particular subscription, only notifications matching the filter will be delivered to the consumer.

6.3.12.3 Notify operation

6.3.12.3.1 Description

This operation distributes notifications to subscribers related to events performed by corresponding VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services. It is a one-way operation issued by the Notification Manager that cannot be invoked as an operation by the consumer (e.g. OSS/BSS).

To receive notifications, the consumer shall have a subscription.

Table 6.3.12.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the Notification Manager.

Table 6.3.12.3.1-1: Notify operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
Notify	Mandatory	Notification Manager → consumer

The following notifications can be sent by this operation:

• PaasServiceNotification (see clause 7.10.2).

6.3.13 Policy Management Interface

6.3.13.1 Description

This interface enables a consumer of the Policy Agent (e.g. the OSS/BSS) to invoke management operations of policies about VNF, VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services, hereafter all such kinds of policies referred generically as "PaaS policy". The following policy management operations are defined for this interface:

- Create Policy.
- Delete Policy.

Query Policy.

NOTE: In the context of the PaaS framework in NFV, for the management of subscriptions to notifications sent by the Policy Agent which inform about changes of a policy and about any detected policy conflicts, the NB-F interface exposed by the Notification Manager can be also considered.

6.3.13.2 Create Policy operation

6.3.13.2.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer of the Policy Agent (e.g. the OSS/BSS) to create a PaaS policy through the Policy Agent. Table 6.3.13.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the Policy Agent.

Table 6.3.13.2.1-1: Create Policy operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
CreatePolicyRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Policy Agent
CreatePolicyResponse	Mandatory	Policy Agent → Consumer

6.3.13.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.13.2.2-1.

Table 6.3.13.2.2-1: Create Policy operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
designer	M	1	String	Human readable name of designer of the
				policy.
name	M	1	String	Human readable name of the policy.
version	M	1	Version	Version of the policy. For example, in case the
				policy information model specified in ETSI
				GS NFV-IFA 048 [3] is used, this can refer to
				the "policyVersion" attribute.
enforcementFu	M	01	Not specified	Identifier of the function which enforces the
nctionId				policy. See note 1.
policy	M	1	Not specified	Specifies the policy to be created. See notes 2 and 3. In case the information model specified in ETSI GS NFV-IFA 048 [3] is used the policy can refer to the "Policy" information element specified in clause 5.2 of ETSI GS NFV-IFA 048 [3].

NOTE 1: The Policy Agent uses the enforcementFunctionId attribute to identify the function enforcing the policy.

NOTE 2: An identifier for uniquely identifying the policy is included in the policy.

NOTE 3: The consumer (e.g. OSS/BSS) may use this operation to update an existing policy with a new version. For example, in case the policy information model specified in ETSI GS NFV-IFA 048 [3] is used, different policy versions share the same internal identifier of the policy but having different PolicyInfo instances. The design of different policy versions and their business logic is out of the scope of the present document.

6.3.13.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.13.2.3-1.

Table 6.3.13.2.3-1: Create Policy operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
policyInfold	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the created policy information.

6.3.13.2.4 Operation results

In case of success, the PaaS policy is transferred to the Policy Agent and corresponding policy information is created by the Policy Agent. In case of failure, appropriate error information is returned.

6.3.13.3 Delete Policy operation

6.3.13.3.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer (e.g. OSS/BSS) to delete one or multiple PaaS policy(ies) from the Policy Agent. Table 6.3.13.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the Policy Agent.

Table 6.3.13.3.1-1: Delete Policy operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
DeletePolicyRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Policy Agent
DeletePolicyResponse	Mandatory	Policy Agent → Consumer

6.3.13.3.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.13.3.2-1.

Table 6.3.13.3.2-1: Delete Policy operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description	
policyInfold	M	1N	Identifier (Reference to	Identifier(s) of policy information.	
			PolicyInfo)		
NOTE: It is part of the protocol design whether this operation is modelled as a "bulk" operation that allows to delete					
multip	le policies in	one request, o	r as a series of requests that	t delete one policy at a time.	

6.3.13.3.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.13.3.3-1.

Table 6.3.13.3.3-1: Delete Policy operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
deletedPolicyInfold	M	0N	Identifier (Reference to	Identifier(s) of the deleted policy information.
			PolicyInfo)	

6.3.13.3.4 Operation results

In case of success, the PaaS policy(ies) is (are) deleted from the Policy Agent, and a success indicator is returned to the consumer (e.g. OSS/BSS). In case of failure, appropriate error information is returned.

6.3.13.4 Query Policy operation

6.3.13.4.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer (e.g. OSS/BSS) to query the information from the Policy Agent on one or multiple PaaS policy(ies). Table 6.3.13.4.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the Policy Agent.

Table 6.3.13.4.1-1: Query Policy operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
QueryPolicyRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → Policy Agent
QueryPolicyResponse	Mandatory	Policy Agent → Consumer

6.3.13.4.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.13.4.2-1.

Table 6.3.13.4.2-1: Query Policy operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
filter	M	1	Filter	Filter defining the policy information on which the query applies, based on attributes of policy information. It can also be used to specify one or more policy(ies) information to be queried by providing their identifiers.
attributeSelector	M	0N	String	Provides a list of attribute names of policy information. If present, only these attributes are returned for the policy information matching the filter. If absent, the complete policy information is returned.

6.3.13.4.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 6.3.13.4.3-1.

Table 6.3.13.4.3-1: Query Policy operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description	
queryPolicyInfoResult	M	0N		Policy information matching the input filter. If attributeSelector is present, only the attributes listed in attributeSelector are returned for the selected policy information. See note.	
NOTE: The lower cardinality is 0 since there may be no matches to the provided filter.					

6.3.13.4.4 Operation results

After success operation, the Policy Agent has queried the internal PaaS policy information. The result of the operation indicates whether it has been successful or not with a standard success/error result. For a particular query, policy information that is matching the filter shall be returned.

7 Information elements exchanged

7.1 Introduction

This clause defines, or references, definitions of information elements used in the interfaces defined in the present document.

The specification of the following information elements is part of the protocol design:

- String.
- Integer.
- Identifier.
- Filter.
- DateTime.
- Value.
- Version.
- KeyValuePair.

7.2 Information elements related to Network Configuration Management interface

7.2.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements related to the Network Configuration Management Interface.

7.2.2 CpConfigInfo information element

7.2.2.1 Description

This data type provides the list of attributes for the CpConfigInfo information element.

7.2.2.2 Attributes

The CpConfigInfo information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.2.2.2-1.

Table 7.2.2.2-1: Attributes of the CpConfigInfo information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
cpInstanceId	M	1		Identifier of the external CP instance(s) of the VNF/VNFC
				instance to be configured.
cpConfig	М	1	·	Configuration information of the external CP instance(s) to be configured, including the information of the CP address, and the protocol that use for CP connection.

7.3 Information elements related to Upgrade VNF Management interface

7.3.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements related to the Upgrade VNF Management interface.

7.3.2 UpgFileData information element

7.3.2.1 Description

This data type provides the list of attributes for the UpgFileData information element.

7.3.2.2 Attributes

The UpgFileData information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.3.2.2-1.

Table 7.3.2.2-1: Attributes of the UpgFileData information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
fileInfold	М	1		Identifier of the Upgrade VNF file define by the file provider.
upgFileDescription	М	1	String	Human-readable description of the Upgrade VNF file.
fileAccessLocation	М	1	String	Information about the Upgrade VNF file access address.
installationScriptLocation	М	01	String	Information about the access address of the installation script used for installing the Upgrade VNF file.
version	M	1	Version	Version of the Upgrade VNF file.

7.3.3 FileInfo information element

7.3.3.1 Description

This data type provides the list of attributes for the FileInfo information element.

7.3.3.2 Attributes

The FileInfo information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.3.3.2-1.

Table 7.3.3.2-1: Attributes of the FileInfo information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
fileInfold	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the Upgrade VNF file defined by the file provider.
fileDescription	M	1	String	Human-readable description of the Upgrade VNF file.
fileAccessLocation	M	1	String	Information about the Upgrade VNF file access address.
installationScriptLocation	М	01	String	Information about the access address of the installation script used for installing the Upgrade VNF file.
version	М	1	Version	Version of the Upgrade VNF file.

7.4 Information elements related to the Log Aggregator Exposure interface

7.4.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements related to the Log Aggregator.

7.4.2 LogAggregateOutput information element

7.4.2.1 Description

This data type provides the list of attributes for the LogAggregateOutput information element.

7.4.2.2 Attributes

The LogAggregateOutput information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.4.2.2-1.

Table 7.4.2.2-1: Attributes of the LogAggregateOutput information element

Attribute	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
logAggregateId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the log aggregator output.
aggregateOutputGenera tionTime	М	1		The time when the log aggregator output is generated.
typeSpecificOutput	M	1	Not specified	The output information specific to the type of log aggregate.

7.5 Information elements related to the Log Analysis exposure interface

7.5.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements related to the Metrics Exposure Interface.

7.5.2 LogAnalysisOutput information element

7.5.2.1 Description

This data type provides the list of attributes for the LogAnalysisOutput information element.

7.5.2.2 Attributes

The LogAnalysisOutput information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.5.2.2-1.

Table 7.5.2.2-1: Attributes of the LogAnalysisOutput information element

Attribute	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
logAnalysisType	M	1	Not specified	The type of a log analysis type (e.g. root cause analysis of VNF faults)
logAnalysisId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the Log analysis output.
logAnalysisOutputGeneration Time	M	1	DateTime	The time when the log analysis output is generated.
typeSpecificOutput	M	1	Not specified	The output information specific to the log analysis type.

7.6 Information elements related to the VNF Metrics Analysis Exposure interface

7.6.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements related to the VNF Metrics analysis generic OAM function exposure interface.

7.6.2 MetricsAnalysisOutput information element

7.6.2.1 Description

This data type provides the list of attributes for the MetricsAnalysisOutput information element.

7.6.2.2 Attributes

The MetricsAnalysisOutput information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.6.2.2-1.

Table 7.6.2.2-1: Attributes of the MetricsAnalysisOutput information element

Attribute	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
analyticsType	M	1	String	The type of a metrics analytics process (e.g. "Network service alarm incident analysis", "Network service health analysis", "Network service resource utilization analysis", etc.).
analyticsId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the metrics analytics output.
analyticsOutputGenerati onTime	M	1	DateTime	The time when the metrics analytics output is generated.
typeSpecificOutput	М	1	Not specified	The output information specific to the type of metrics analytics.
recommendedActions	M	01	Not specified	Recommended actions to follow up according to the output of data analytics. In case there are no recommended actions described, then these can be decided by a consumer of the interface.

7.7 Information elements related to PSM produced management interfaces

7.7.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements and notifications related to the management interfaces produced by the PSM.

7.7.2 PaasServiceLifecycleNotification

7.7.2.1 Description

This notification informs the receiver of lifecycle events of a PaaS Service instance.

7.7.2.2 Trigger conditions

This notification is produced when there is a change in the lifecycle of the PaaS Service cause by a PaaS Service lifecycle management operation, including:

- Instantiation of a PaaS Service;
- Termination of a PaaS Service instance;
- Scaling of a PaaS Service instance.

Notifications shall be issued at the start of the lifecycle operation, and when the operation concludes, including the case that it concludes unsuccessfully, i.e. when some error occurs and the operation cannot continue.

7.7.2.3 Attributes

The attributes of the notification shall follow the indications provided in table 7.7.2.3-1.

Table 7.7.2.3-1: Attributes of the PaasServiceLifecycleNotification

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
notificationStatus	М	1	Enum	Indicates whether this notification informs about the start or result of a lifecycle operation. VALUES: START: informs about the start of the lifecycle operation RESULT: informs about the final or intermediate result of the lifecycle operation
paasServiceId	М	1	Identifier	Identifier of the affected PaaS Service instance.
operation	M	1	String	Name of the lifecycle operation.
operationStatus	М	1	Not specified	Indicates the operation status, including any related error information is the lifecycle operation concludes unsuccessfully.
lifecycleOperationOcc urrenceId	М	1	Identifier	Identifier of the lifecycle operation occurrence associated to the notification.
deploymentLifecycleO perationOccurrenceId	М	01	Identifier	Identifier of the lifecycle operation occurrence associated to the deployment resource changes as exposed by the respective management function responsible for the resource fulfilment of the PaaS Service instance. See note.
changedInfo	М	01	Not specified	Additional information of the PaaS Service affected by the lifecycle operation. It can include information related to PaaS Service (see PaasServiceEntry).
		of the PaaS Se eration occurre		I as a VNF instance, this can refer to a VNF

7.8 Information elements related to PSR produced management interfaces

7.8.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements and notifications related to the management interfaces produced by the PSR.

7.8.2 PsdOnboardingNotification

7.8.2.1 Description

This notification informs the receiver of events about onboarding of PSDs. The notification is only issued after all the onboarding steps (i.e. uploading and validation of the PSD) are done.

7.8.2.2 Trigger conditions

This notification is produced when:

New PSD is onboarded.

7.8.2.3 Attributes

The attributes of the notification shall follow the indications provided in table 7.8.2.3-1.

Table 7.8.2.3-1: Attributes of the PsdOnboardingNotification

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdInfoObjectId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD information object.
psdld	М	1		Identifier of the onboarded PSD. This identifies the PSD in a globally unique way. This information is copied from the PSD file(s).
versionTag	M	1	Not specified	Version tag of the PSD.

7.8.3 PsdChangeNotification

7.8.3.1 Description

This notification informs the receiver of events about PSD management and changes of state of an onboarded PSD.

7.8.3.2 Trigger conditions

This notification is produced when:

- An onboarded PSD is deleted.
- The operational state of a specific version of a PSD is changed.

7.8.3.3 Attributes

The attributes of the notification shall follow the indications provided in table 7.8.3.3-1.

Table 7.8.3.3-1: Attributes of the PsdChangeNotification

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdInfoObjectId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD information object.
changeType	M	1	Enum	The type of change on the PSD.
				VALUES:
				 OP_STATE_CHANGE: change
				of operational state of an
				onboarded PSD
				 DELETE: deletion of a PSD
psdld	M	01	Identifier	Identifier of the onboarded PSD.
				Shall be present if
				"changeType = OP_STATE_CHANGE".
operationalState	M	01	Enum	Current operational state of the PSD
				information object and corresponding
				onboarded PSD.
				VALUES:
				ENABLED
				DISABLED
				Shall be present if
				"changeType = OP_STATE_CHANGE".
changedData	M	01	Not specified	Additional information related to the PSD
				change.

7.8.4 PsdInfoObject information element

7.8.4.1 Description

This information element represents a PSD information object.

7.8.4.2 Attributes

The PsdInfoObject information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.8.4.2-1.

Table 7.8.4.2-1: Attributes of the PsdInfoObject information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdInfoObjectId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD information object.
psdInfoObjectVersion	M	1N	Not specified	Versions of the PSD information object keeping track of the modifications performed to the PSD information object, including uploads of PSDs and update of the PSD information object.
psdInfo	M	0N	PsdInfo	PSD versions associated to the PSD information object.

7.8.5 PsdInfo information element

7.8.5.1 Description

This information element represents the information of a specific version of a PSD onboarded.

7.8.5.2 Attributes

The PsdInfo information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.8.5.2-1.

Table 7.8.5.2-1: Attributes of the PsdInfo information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdFiles	M	1	Not specified	Files conforming the PSD.
psdld	М	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD. This identifies the PSD in a globally unique way. This information is copied from the PSD file(s).
versionTag	M	1	Not specified	Version tag of the PSD.
paasServiceVersion	M	01	Version	Version of the PaaS Service. It shall be present if the PaaS Service is versioned.
operationalState	M	1	Enum	Operational state of the PSD. VALUES: • ENABLED • DISABLED
userDefinedData	M	0N	KeyValuePair	User defined data.
checksum	M	1	Not specified	Checksum of the PSD.

7.8.6 PaasServiceEntry information element

7.8.6.1 Description

This information element represents an entry in the registry of registered PaaS Service instance with additional registration information, such as association to PaaS Service Consumers and runtime deployment information.

7.8.6.2 Attributes

The PaasServiceEntry information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.8.6.2-1.

Table 7.8.6.2-1: Attributes of the PaasServiceEntry information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
paasServiceId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the registered PaaS Service instance.
paasServiceInfo	M	1	PaasServiceInfo	Information of the registered PaaS Service instance.
usageFormat	M	1	Enum	The usage format of the PaaS Service instance. VALUES: VNF_COMMON: to use the PaaS Service as VNF Common Service VNF_DEDICATED: to use the PaaS Service as VNF Dedicated Service NS: to use the PaaS Service for any NS constituent other than a VNF UNDEFINED: no specific usage defined
location	M	1	Not specified	Information about the location(s) where the PaaS Service is instantiated. This can be in the form of some identification information of the NFVI-PoP or CIS cluster, or geographical location information.
deploymentHandle	M	1	Not specified	Information about the deployment of the PaaS Service and its form. For instance, if a PaaS Service is deployed as a VNF, a reference to a VNF instance, or if a PaaS Service is deployed as an MCCO, a reference to an MCCO instance.
paasServiceHandle	M	1	Not specified	A handle enabling the access and use of the PaaS Service instance. This can include, for instance, certain interface endpoint URI together with necessary credentials to access it. The type and format of the handle depends on the form that the PaaS Service is formed.
scaleInfo	M	1	Not specified	Information about the scale/capacity of the PaaS Service instance.
consumerId	M	0N	Identifier	Identifiers of PaaS Service consumers associated to, i.e. making use, the PaaS Service instance. This can be identifiers of VNF instances and NS instances.

7.8.7 PaasServiceInfo information element

7.8.7.1 Description

This information element represents design-time information of a registered PaaS Service instance.

7.8.7.2 Attributes

The PaasServiceInfo information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.8.7.2-1.

Table 7.8.7.2-1: Attributes of the PaasServiceInfo information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdld	М	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD from which the PaaS Service instance is based on.
paasServiceType	M	1	String	The type of PaaS Service.
paasServiceVersion	M	01	Version	Version of the PaaS Service. It shall be present if the PaaS Service is versioned.
additionalInfo	M	01	Not specified	Additional information which is specific to the PaaS Service and its type.

7.9 Information elements related to Configuration Data Management interface

7.9.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements related to the Configuration Data Management interface.

7.9.2 ConfigDataSetInfo information element

7.9.2.1 Description

This information element provides information about a data configuration set managed by the PaaS Service Configuration Server.

7.9.2.2 Attributes

The ConfigDataSetInfo information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.9.2.2-1.

Table 7.9.2.2-1: Attributes of the ConfigDataSetInfo information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
configDataSetId	M	1	Identifier	The identifier of the configuration data set.
configDataSet	M	1	Not specified	The stored configuration data set. This can be a text file formatted according to some schema and data format, or a binary file.
configDataSetDescripti on	M	01	String	A description of the configuration data set. The attribute and a value may be absent.
dataFormat	М	1	String	The data format of the data configuration set.
dataSchema	M	01	Not specified	The data schema to which the data configuration set conforms to. This can be an actual schema file, or a reference to a schema.
				The attribute and a value shall be present if the file has been validated against some data schema, or if the configuration data set has been created during a conversion of configuration data and an input data schema was provided.
fileSize	М	1	Integer	Size of the configuration data set file.

7.10 Information elements related to Notifications management interface

7.10.1 Introduction

This clause defines information elements related to the Notification Manager.

7.10.2 PaasServiceNotification

7.10.2.1 Description

This notification informs the receiver of an event produced by a PaaS Service, including specific VNF generic OAM functions.

7.10.2.2 Trigger conditions

This notification is produced when the Notification Manager has processed (e.g. including potential grouping and deduplication) incoming events and notifications produced by another PaaS Service and determines the need to forward the notification to a subscriber.

7.10.2.3 Attributes

The attributes of the notification shall follow the indications provided in table 7.10.2.3-1.

Table 7.10.2.3-1: Attributes of the PaasServiceNotification

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
sourcePaasServiceId	М	1		Identifier of the PaaS Service instance that
				generates the source notification.
sourcePaasServiceTy	M	1	Enum	The type of PaaS Service that originates
ре				the source notification.
				VALUES:
				 LOG-ANALYZER
				 VNF-METRICS-ANALYZER
				TIME-MANAGER
				 POLICY-AGENT
				 CONFIGURATION-SERVER
				See note.
notification	M	1N	NotificationPayload	Forwarded notification(s) raised by the
			-	identified generating PaaS Service.
NOTE: The values capture the list of PaaS Services that provide notifications (as per other specified				
requirements)	according to	the present c	locument version.	·

7.10.3 NotificationPayload information element

7.10.3.1 Description

This information element provides the payload of a notification with additional metadata.

7.10.3.2 Attributes

The NotificationPayload information element shall follow the indications provided in table 7.10.3.2-1.

Table 7.10.3.2-1: Attributes of the NotificationPayload information element

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
receptionTime	M	1		Timestamp of the reception time the source notification was received and/or collected.
payload	М	1		Payload of the notification that is forwarded, as originally received.

8 Service interaction requirements with VNFs

8.1 Introduction

As specified in clause 4.2.3 the Southbound-VNF (SB-V) is comprised of a set of interfaces used to interact with the VNF and NS instances that make use of the VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services. Clause 8.2 specifies service interaction requirements for the interaction between the VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services with the VNFs and NSs, where applicable.

NOTE: The present document version does not specify the modelling regarding SB-V interfaces.

8.2 Service interaction requirements on SB-V for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services

Table 8.2-1 provides service interaction requirements applicable to the SB-V interfaces.

Table 8.2-1: Service interaction requirements on SB-V

Identifier	Service interaction requirement	Additional description and relevant functional requirements
sb-v.001	The SB-V interface shall support the capability to support interactions between VNF generic OAM functions or other PaaS Services and VNFs for management purposes.	This requirement also expresses that VNF supports one or multiple means of management offered by the VNF generic OAM functions or other PaaS Services. How the connectivity is established between VNFs and VNF generic OAM functions or other PaaS Services is out of scope of the present document. Reference requirements:
		 VnfGenOam.GenFunc.003
sb-v.002	For configuration purposes of the VNF, the SB-V shall support the capabilities to convey configuration data via push mechanisms.	See note 1. Push mechanism refers to the methods by which the VNF generic OAM function provides the configuration data into the VNF instance. Reference requirements:
		 TrafficEnforcer.001 NetConfMa.001 UpgradeVNF.001 TimeFunc.Mgmt.001 VnfConfigMgmt.Conf.001

Identifie	Service interaction requirement	Additional description and relevant functional requirements
sb-v.003	For configuration purposes of the VNF, the SB-V shall support the capabilities to convey configuration data via pull mechanisms.	Pull mechanism refers to the methods by the VNF instance can retrieve the configuration data from the VNF generic OAM function or another PaaS Service like the Configuration Server.
		Reference requirements:
sb-v.004	For monitoring purposes of the VNF, the SB-V shall support the capability to transfer PM/FM metrics to a VNF generic OAM function or other PaaS Services via streaming mechanisms. See note 2.	See note 2. Reference requirements: • VNFMetricAggregator.001
sb-v.005	For monitoring purposes of the VNF, the SB-V shall support the capability to transfer PM/FM metrics to a VNF generic OAM function or other PaaS Services via file-based mechanisms. See note 2.	See note 2. Reference requirements: • VNFMetricAggregator.001
sb-v.006	For logging purposes of the VNF, the SB-V shall support the capability to retrieve and pull logging data from a VNF instance. See note 3.	See note 3. Reference requirements: • LogAggregator.001
sb-v.007	For logging purposes of the VNF, the SB-V shall support the capability to transfer and collect events (or messages) with logging data from a VNF instance. See note 3.	See note 3. Reference requirements: • LogAggregator.001
sb-v.008	The SB-V interface shall support the capability to support interactions between PaaS Services and VNFs for configuration data management and control purposes.	See note 4.
sb-v.009	For policy execution purposes, the SB-V shall support the capability of VNF/VNFC instances to interact with the Policy Agent.	See note 5.
NOTE 2: NOTE 3: NOTE 4:	This requirement is applicable to the case of VNF Manager, the Traffic Enforcer, the Time function at This is applicable to the case of the VNF Metrics A This is applicable to the case of the Log Aggregate This is applicable to the case of the Configuration VNF generic OAM functions or other PaaS Service	nd the Upgrade VNF function. aggregator. or. Server.
	corresponding to their scope of management, in w between the VNF/VNFC instances and the Policy	hich case there need not be an explicit interaction

9 Descriptors for VNF generic OAM functions and other PaaS Services

9.1 Introduction

As studied by ETSI GR NFV-IFA 029 [i.3], PaaS Services can be deployed as VNFs or can be realized as NFVI resources or as a new managed object class.

A PaaS Service Descriptor (PSD) is a template that describes a PaaS Service in terms of its characteristics, deployment and operational behaviour. Due to the different means and possibilities of deployment and the specific characteristics of PaaS Services, the files archive for a PaaS Service description is split into two main parts:

- Deployment and lifecycle management of the PaaS Service (see clause 9.2). These are further referred as "deployment and lifecycle descriptors of a PaaS Service".
- Description of the characteristics and capabilities of the PaaS Service (see clause 9.4). Furthermore, in the case
 of a VNF generic OAM function, additional characteristics and capabilities can be described (see clause 9.3).
 These are referred as "descriptor of PaaS Service characteristics" and "descriptor of VNF generic OAM
 function characteristics", respectively. These are commonly collected under the umbrella of the term PSD.

Figure 9.1-1 illustrates a high-level overview of the PaaS Service description files archive. A PaaS Service description files archive can be composed of multiple files to convey the necessary parts concerning the deployment and lifecycle, and the characteristics of the PaaS Service.

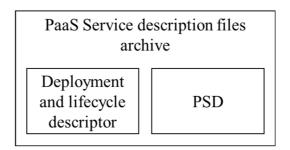


Figure 9.1-1: PSD composition

NOTE: Even though figure 9.1-1 does only depict single descriptors, i.e. one for deployment and lifecycle, one for PSD, individual descriptors can be implemented by various artifacts and files.

Management of the PSDs is performed via the PSR through the PaaS Services descriptor management interface (see clause 10.3.2). Regarding the "deployment and lifecycle descriptors of a PaaS Service", these are managed according to the interfaces and/or capabilities of other NFV-MANO functional blocks and functions supporting respective forms of deployment of the PaaS Service (see clause 9.2). For a successful deployment and operation of a PaaS Service, both PSD and the "deployment and lifecycle descriptor" shall be onboarded and enabled.

The PSD of a PaaS Service supports the registration, inventory and discovery processes of PaaS Services by NFV-MANO. By being able to express the capability of and requirement on specific PaaS Services, NFV-MANO can use such information to determine various aspects regarding the PaaS Services such as when:

- Onboarding of PaaS Services, i.e. cataloguing PaaS Services that are ready for deployment. The information in the descriptors can be consumed directly by NFV-MANO.
- Registering information about capabilities and other properties of PaaS Services into the inventory runtime information about instantiated PaaS Services. The information in the descriptors is consumed directly by NFV-MANO when performing the registration.
- Discovering the capabilities and properties of instantiated PaaS Services from the registry. The information in the descriptors is consumed indirectly by NFV-MANO based on what has previously been registered.
- "Binding" PaaS Services to its consumers, e.g. binding the VNF generic OAM functions to its managed VNF instances by establishing the association between which VNF instances make use of which VNF generic OAM functions. The information in the descriptors is consumed indirectly by NFV-MANO based on what has previously been registered.

Irrelevant of the form of deployment adopted, the specification of the descriptors for PaaS Services shall consider:

- c) The general functional requirements as described in table 4.2.1.1-1 and table 4.2.1.1-2 in clause 4.2.1.1.
- d) A unique descriptor irrelevant of the PaaS Service type (e.g. in case of VNF generic OAM functions such as Traffic Enforcer, Metrics Aggregator, etc.).
- e) Reusing the corresponding standardized deployment descriptors and packaging formats.

9.2 Deployment and lifecycle descriptors for PaaS Services

9.2.1 Overview

As introduced in clause 9.1, PaaS Services can be deployed, and their lifecycle be managed using different forms. Based on the concept of VNF Common/Dedicated Service as described in ETSI GR NFV-IFA 029 [i.3] PaaS Services can be deployed as VNFs or can be realized as NFVI resources or as a new object class.

Clause 9.2 specifies the requirements regarding the deployment and lifecycle descriptors for PaaS Services.

For a successful lifecycle management of the PaaS Services, the corresponding deployment and lifecycle descriptors of the PaaS Service shall be onboarded and available to management and orchestration functions responsible for the lifecycle of deployments (the NFV-MANO in the case of the NFV-MANO architectural framework), at the latest, before the lifecycle management of the PaaS Service is to be executed.

9.2.2 PaaS Service deployed as a "VNF"

In the case a PaaS Service is deployed and managed as a VNF (VM-based and/or container-based), the requirements and information modelling specified in ETSI GS NFV-IFA 011 [1] shall apply regarding the deployment and lifecycle descriptors and packaging of the PaaS Service.

When the PaaS Service is deployed as a VNF, the VNF Package (as specified in ETSI GS NFV-IFA 011 [1]) may, but need not, contain the PSD as an additional VNF Package artifact. In case the PSD is contained in the VNF Package, the VNF Package metadata artifacts shall identify in a standard format the PSD.

Requirements for the management of VNF Packages, as specified in ETSI GS NFV-IFA 013 [4], shall apply.

9.2.3 PaaS Service deployed as an "NFVI resource"

NOTE: The specification of descriptors for deployment of PaaS Services as one or multiple virtualised resources offered as a new type of NFVI resource is not completed. Therefore, the present document version does not specify related requirements.

9.2.4 PaaS Service deployed as a "managed CIS cluster object"

In the case a PaaS Service is deployed and managed as an MCCO, the requirements and information modelling specified in clause 6.3 of ETSI GS NFV-IFA 036 [2] shall apply regarding the descriptors of PaaS Services.

When the PaaS Service is deployed as an MCCO, the archive file of the MCCO declarative descriptor may, but need not, contain the PSD as an additional artifact or description. In case the PSD is contained in the archive file of the MCCO declarative descriptor, the MCCO declarative descriptor metadata artifacts shall identify in a standard format the PSD.

9.3 Characteristics description of a VNF generic OAM function

9.3.1 Characteristics descriptor requirements

Table 9.3.1-1 specifies general requirements for the description of characteristics and capabilities of VNF generic OAM functions.

Table 9.3.1-1: Requirements related to the description of the characteristics and capabilities of VNF generic OAM functions

Identifier	Requirement		
VnfGenOam.Desc.001	Replaced by requirement Psd.001 in clause 9.4.		
VnfGenOam.Desc.002	Replaced by requirement Psd.002 in clause 9.4.		
VnfGenOam.Desc.003	The characteristics descriptor of a VNF generic OAM function shall support describing the type of a VNF generic OAM function.		
VnfGenOam.Desc.004	The characteristics descriptor of a VNF generic OAM function shall support describing the characteristics of a VNF generic OAM function according to its type. See note 1.		
VnfGenOam.Desc.005	Replaced by requirement Psd.005 in clause 9.4.		
VnfGenOam.Desc.006	Replaced by requirement Psd.006 in clause 9.4.		
VnfGenOam.Desc.007 The characteristics descriptor of a PaaS Service shall support describing the supported Northbound-Function (NB-F) interfaces exposed by the PaaS Service and their version			
VnfGenOam.Desc.008 The characteristics descriptor of a VNF generic OAM function shall support describing supported interactions in the southbound with VNFs.			
VnfGenOam.Desc.009	Replaced by requirement Psd.009 in clause 9.4.		
NOTE 1: Examples of	characteristics of a VNF generic OAM function according to its type, are data models used for		
configuration for the case of VNF Configuration Manager.			
NOTE 2: Void.			
NOTE 3: See clause 4	.2.3 regarding the SB-F interfaces consumed by the VNF generic OAM function.		

9.4 General requirements for PaaS Services description

Table 9.4-1 specifies general requirements for PaaS Services descriptors.

Table 9.4-1: Requirements related to PaaS Services Descriptors

Identifier	Requirement
Psd.001	The PSD shall support uniquely identifying a PaaS Service.
Psd.002	The PSD shall support specifying the following metadata of a PaaS Service: version, provider, name and
	product description of the PaaS Service.
Psd.003	The PSD shall support describing the type of a PaaS Service.
Psd.004	The PSD shall support describing the characteristics of a PaaS Service according to its type. See note.
Psd.005	The PSD shall support describing the form of deployment and lifecycle management of a PaaS Service.
Psd.006	The characteristics descriptor of a PaaS Service shall support describing the supported
	Northbound-Management (NB-M) interfaces exposed by the PaaS Service and their version.
Psd.007	The characteristics descriptor of a PaaS Service shall support describing the supported
	Northbound-Function (NB-F) interfaces exposed by the PaaS Service and their version.
Psd.008	The characteristics descriptor of a PaaS Service shall support describing the supported interactions in
	the Southbound-VNF (SB-V) with VNF and NS constituents.
Psd.009	The characteristics descriptor of a PaaS Service shall support describing the supported interactions in
	the Southbound-Function (SB-F) with other entities or other PaaS Services.
Psd.010	The characteristics descriptor of a PaaS Service shall support describing the pre-defined (if applicable)
	usage format of the PaaS Service.
NOTE: E	xamples of characteristics of a PaaS Service according to its type are specific properties of the PaaS
5	ervice.

9.5 PaaS Service Descriptor

9.5.1 Overview

Clause 9.5 specifies a high-level information model of PSD fulfilling the requirements specified in clause 9.4.

9.5.2 Psd information element

9.5.2.1 Description

A PSD is a template that describes a PaaS Service in terms of its characteristics, deployment and operational behaviour.

9.5.2.2 Attributes

The attributes of the Psd information element shall follow the indications provided in table 9.5.2.2-1.

Table 9.5.2.2-1: Attributes of the Psd information element

Attribute	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdld	М	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD. This attribute shall be globally unique.
version	М	01	Version	Version of the PaaS Service. It shall be present if the PaaS Service is versioned.
provider	M	1	String	Provider of the PaaS Service.
name	M	1	String	Name of the PaaS Service.
description	M	01	String	Human readable name of the PaaS Service.
type	М	1	Enum	Type of PaaS Service. VALUES: VNF_GENERIC_OAM_FUNCTION: a PaaS Service of type "VNF generic OAM function" CONFIGURATION_SERVER: a PaaS Service of type "Configuration Server" UNDEFINED: reserved for undefined types of PaaS Services
subType	М	0N	String	Sub-type of PaaS Service. It is used to further categorize the type of PaaS Service depending on the value of the attribute "paasServiceType". Multiple sub-types of PaaS Service can be specified. It shall be present when "type = VNF_GENERIC_OAM_FUNCTION" or "type = UNDEFINED". See note 1.
paasServiceProperties	М	1	Not specified	Properties of the PaaS Service which characterize the PaaS Service according to its type.
deploymentFormat	M	1	Enum	Format of deployment of the PaaS Service. VALUES: VNF: when deployed as a VNF NFVI_RESOURCE: when deployed as an NFVI resource MCCO: when deployed as an MCCO
deploymentDescriptor	М	1	Identifier	Identifier of the descriptor(s) for the deployment and lifecycle of the PaaS Service. See note 2.
deploymentFlavour	М	0N	Identifier	Identifier of the deployment flavours defined in the descriptor(s) for the deployment and lifecycle of the PaaS Service. See note 3.
usageFormat	M	1	Enum	The pre-defined usage format of the PaaS Service. VALUES: VNF_COMMON: to use the PaaS Service as VNF Common Service VNF_DEDICATED: to use the PaaS Service as VNF Dedicated Service NS: to use the PaaS Service for any NS constituent other than a VNF UNDEFINED: no specific usage defined
interface	M	1N	PaasServic eInterface	Interfaces of the PaaS Service.

A	Attribute	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
NOTE 1:					ivey the possible grouping of several granular
	functions, e.g. a F	PaaS Servic	e that is a grou	ping of two or	more VNF generic OAM functions.
NOTE 2:	For instance, this	can be a re	ference to a VN	NFD identifier,	an MCCO descriptor identifier, etc.
NOTE 3:	3: For instance, in the case of deploying the PaaS Service as a VNF and the VNF is described by a VNFD,				
	this can refer to the attribute "flavourld" of the "VnfDf" information element defined in clause 7.1.8.2 of				
	ETSI GS NFV-IF/	4 011 [1].			

9.5.3 PaasServiceInterface information element

9.5.3.1 Description

A PaasServiceInterface specifies information about an interface produced by the PaaS Service, or the requirements for interaction with other entities.

9.5.3.2 Attributes

The attributes of the PaasServiceInterface information element shall follow the indications provided in table 9.5.3.2-1.

Table 9.5.3.2-1: Attributes of the PaasServiceInterface information element

Attribute	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
interfaceType	M	1	Enum	Type of interface according to the PaaS Services framework. VALUES: NB-M: northbound-management NB-F: northbound-function SB-V: southbound to VNF or NS SB-F: southbound-function
interfaceInfo	M	1	Not specified	Properties of the interface, such as protocols and data models used over the interface. When applicable, information about the version of the interface shall also be provided.
handleInfo	М	01	Not specified	Information to declare a handle according to this interface. It shall be present if the interface is used as a handle to access and use the PaaS Service.

10 PaaS Services management functions interfaces

10.1 Introduction

The management framework of PaaS Services (including VNF generic OAM functions) adds to NFV-MANO two additional management functions, the PaaS Services Management (PSM) and the PaaS Service Repository (PSR). Functional requirements for PSR function and PSM are specified in clauses 17 and 18 of ETSI GS NFV-IFA 010 [i.9], respectively.

The functional capabilities of the two management functions are exposed to consumers via interfaces, whose requirements and operations are further specified in the subsequent clauses.

10.2 Interface requirements

10.2.1 Interface requirements for PSM

10.2.1.1 Introduction

Clause 10.2.1 specifies the requirements of interfaces exposed by the PSM.

10.2.1.2 PSM service requirements

Table 10.2.1.2-1 specifies requirements applicable to the services provided by the PSM.

Table 10.2.1.2-1: PSM services requirements

Identifier	Requirement
Psm.Svc.001	The PSM shall provide a PaaS Services lifecycle management service.

10.2.1.3 PaaS Services lifecycle management interface requirements

Table 10.2.1.3-1 specifies the requirements applicable to the PaaS Services lifecycle management interface produced by the PSM.

Table 10.2.1.3-1: PaaS Services lifecycle management interface requirements

Identifier	Requirement			
Psm.Svc.Psslcm.001	The PaaS Services lifecycle management interface produced by the PSM shall support			
	instantiating a PaaS Service. See note 1.			
Psm.Svc.Pssicm.002	The PaaS Services lifecycle management interface produced by the PSM shall support			
	terminating a PaaS Service instance. See note 1.			
Psm.Svc.Pssicm.003	The PaaS Services lifecycle management interface produced by the PSM shall support scaling			
	out/in an existing PaaS Service instance. See note 1.			
Psm.Svc.Pssicm.004	The PaaS Services lifecycle management interface produced by the PSM shall support			
	subscription management to notifications about lifecycle events of PaaS Services. See note 2.			
Psm.Svc.Pssicm.005	The PaaS Services lifecycle management interface produced by the PSM shall support notifying			
	subscribers about events related to the lifecycle of PaaS Services.			
NOTE 1: The PSM in	teracts with responsible NFV-MANO functional blocks and functions for the execution of the			
corresponding lifecycle management. See clause 5.8 of ETSI GS NFV-IFA 010 [i.9].				
NOTE 2: Subscription	n management includes: creation and termination of subscriptions to notifications.			

10.2.2 Interface requirements for PSR

10.2.2.1 Introduction

Clause 10.2.2 specifies the requirements of interfaces exposed by the PSR.

10.2.2.2 PSR service requirements

Table 10.2.2.2-1 specifies requirements applicable to the services provided by the PSR.

Table 10.2.2.2-1: PSR services requirements

Identifier	Requirement
Psr.Svc.001	The PSR shall provide a PaaS Services Descriptor (PSD) management service.
Psr.Svc.002	The PSR shall provide a PaaS Services registration management service.

10.2.2.3 PaaS Services descriptor management interface requirements

Table 10.2.2.3-1 specifies the requirements applicable to the interface of PaaS Services descriptor management produced by the PSR.

Table 10.2.2.3-1: PaaS Services descriptor management interface requirements

Identifier	Requirement				
Psr.Svc.Psdm.001	The PaaS Services descriptor management interface produced by the PSR shall support				
	onboarding a PSD to the repository. See notes 1 and 2.				
Psr.Svc.Psdm.002	The PaaS Services descriptor management interface produced by the PSR shall support				
	deleting an onboarded PSD form the repository.				
Psr.Svc.Psdm.003	The PaaS Services descriptor management interface produced by the PSR shall support				
	querying information about an onboarded PSD.				
Psr.Svc.Psdm.004	The PaaS Services descriptor management interface produced by the PSR shall support				
	updating information about an onboarded PSD. See note 2.				
Psr.Svc.Psdm.005	The PaaS Services descriptor management interface produced by the PSR shall support				
	fetching an onboarded PSD.				
Psr.Svc.Psdm.006	The PaaS Services descriptor management interface produced by the PSR shall support				
	changing the state of an onboarded PSD. See note 3.				
Psr.Svc.Psdm.007	The PaaS Services descriptor management interface produced by the PSR shall support				
	subscription management to notifications about PSD management events and changes. See				
	note 4.				
Psr.Svc.Psdm.008	The PaaS Services descriptor management interface produced by the PSR shall support				
	notifying subscribers about events related to PSD management events and changes.				
	anaged as an archive unit including one or more PaaS Service descriptor files, and zero or more				
	ch as image files.				
	OTE 2: The related operations shall support features of version control including identifying new versions of a PS				
	keeping track of modifications to the information about an onboarded PSD, tracking alternative versions				
	(e.g. under development), etc.				
NOTE 4: Subscription	on management includes: creation and termination of subscriptions to notifications.				

10.2.2.4 PaaS Services registration management interface requirements

Table 10.2.2.4-1 specifies the requirements applicable to the interface of PaaS Services registration management produced by the PSR.

Table 10.2.2.4-1: PaaS Services registration management interface requirements

Identifier	Requirement
Psr.Svc.Psrm.001	The PaaS Services registration management interface produced by the PSR shall support
	registering to the PSR a consumable PaaS Service and PaaS Services instances upon request.
Psr.Svc.Psrm.002	The PaaS Services registration management interface produced by the PSR shall support
	querying information about consumable PaaS Services and PaaS Services instances.
Psr.Svc.Psrm.003	The PaaS Services registration management interface produced by the PSR shall support updating information about PaaS Services instances and the association of the PaaS Services instances to PaaS Services consumers.
Psr.Svc.Psrm.004	The PaaS Services registration management interface produced by the PSR shall support requesting the creation of an identifier for a PaaS Service instance.

10.3 Interfaces

10.3.1 PaaS Services lifecycle management interface

10.3.1.1 Description

The PaaS Services lifecycle management interface enables a consumer to request lifecycle of PaaS Services.

The following operations are defined for the present interface:

- Instantiate PaaS Service;
- Terminate PaaS Service;
- Scale PaaS Service;
- Subscribe;
- Terminate Subscriptions; and
- Notify.

PaaS Services lifecycle operations that imply resource fulfilment, the PSM interacts with the responsible NFV-MANO functional blocks and functions as specified in clause 5.8 of ETSI GS NFV-IFA 010 [i.9].

For a successful lifecycle of a PaaS Service, both PSD and the "deployment and lifecycle descriptor" shall be onboarded and enabled.

10.3.1.2 Instantiate PaaS Service operation

10.3.1.2.1 Description

This operation instantiates a PaaS Service.

Table 10.3.1.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSM, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.1.2.1-1: Instantiate PaaS Service operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
InstantiatePaasServiceRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSM
InstantiatePaasServiceResponse	Mandatory	PSM → Consumer

10.3.1.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.2.2-1.

Table 10.3.1.2.2-1: Instantiate PaaS Service operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdld	М	1	Identifier (Reference to Psd)	Identifier of the PSD which defines the PaaS Service to be instantiated. The identifier is provided by the PSD and known to the consumer via its exposure on the PaaS Services descriptor management service.
flavourld	М	01	Identifier	Identifier of a specific deployment flavour of the PaaS Service to be instantiated. A value need not be provided in case there is an identified default deployment flavour of the PaaS Service, or there are no multiple deployment flavours defined in the PSD.
targetScale	М	01	Not specified	Information about the desired scale/capacity for the PaaS Service.
additionalParam	М	0N	KeyValuePair	Additional parameters passed as input to the instantiation process, specific to the PaaS Service being instantiated as declared in the PSD.

10.3.1.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.2.3-1.

Table 10.3.1.2.3-1: Instantiate PaaS Service operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
paasServiceId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PaaS Service instance.
lifecycleOperationOcc	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the lifecycle operation
urrenceld				occurrence.

10.3.1.2.4 Output results

In case of success, the PaaS Service instance has been instantiated, including the fulfilment of the resources as described in clause 10.3.1.1. In this case, an identifier has been assigned by the PSR upon request by the PSM. Also, the associated instance information has been registered into the PSR upon request by the PSM. In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer, either or both, via a response message or additional lifecycle event notifications.

If the lifecycle operation is processed and executed as a longer-running task, the PSM shall return identification information about the lifecycle operation that is being executed.

10.3.1.3 Terminate PaaS Service operation

10.3.1.3.1 Description

This operation terminates an existing PaaS Service instance.

Table 10.3.1.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSM, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.1.3.1-1: Terminate PaaS Service operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
TerminatePaasServiceRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSM
TerminatePaasServiceResponse	Mandatory	PSM → Consumer

10.3.1.3.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.3.2-1.

Table 10.3.1.3.2-1: Terminate PaaS Service operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
paasServiceId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PaaS Service instance to
				terminate.
additionalParam	M	0N	KeyValuePair	Additional parameters passed as input to
				the termination process, specific to the
				PaaS Service being terminated as
				declared in the PSD.

10.3.1.3.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.3.3-1.

Table 10.3.1.3.3-1: Terminate PaaS Service operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
lifecycleOperationOcc	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the lifecycle operation
urrenceld				occurrence.

10.3.1.3.4 Output results

In case of success, the PaaS Service instance has been terminated and all its resources released as described in clause 10.3.1.1. Also, the associated instance information has been de-registered into the PSR upon request by the PSM. In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer, either or both, via a response message or additional lifecycle event notifications.

If the lifecycle operation is processed and executed as a longer-running task, the PSM shall return identification information about the lifecycle operation that is being executed.

10.3.1.4 Scale PaaS Service operation

10.3.1.4.1 Description

This operation scales a PaaS Service in its supported forms by the PaaS Service, such as scaling out/in or scaling up/down.

Table 10.3.1.4.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSM, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.1.4.1-1: Scale PaaS Service operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
ScalePaasServiceRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSM
ScalePaasServiceResponse	Mandatory	PSM → Consumer

10.3.1.4.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.4.2-1.

Table 10.3.1.4.2-1: Scale PaaS Service operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
paasServiceId	M	1	Identifier	identifier of the PaaS Service instance to
				scale.
targetScale	M	1	Not specified	Information about the desired new
				scale/capacity for the PaaS Service.
additionalParam	M	0N	KeyValuePair	Additional parameters passed as input to
				the scaling process, specific to the PaaS
				Service being scaled as declared in the
				PSD.

10.3.1.4.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.4.3-1.

Table 10.3.1.4.3-1: Scale PaaS Service operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
lifecycleOperationOcc	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the lifecycle operation
urrenceld				occurrence.

10.3.1.4.4 Output results

In case of success, the PaaS Service instance has been scaled, including the resources fulfilment as described in clause 10.3.1.1. Also, the associated instance information has been registered into the PSR upon request by the PSM. In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer, either or both, via a response message or additional lifecycle event notifications.

If the lifecycle operation is processed and executed as a longer-running task, the PSM shall return identification information about the lifecycle operation that is being executed.

10.3.1.5 Subscribe operation

10.3.1.5.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to subscribe, with a filter, to notifications sent by the PSM on lifecycle events of PaaS Services.

Table 10.3.1.5.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSM, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.1.5.1-1: Subscribe operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
SubscribeRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSM
SubscribeResponse	Mandatory	PSM → Consumer

10.3.1.5.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.5.2-1.

Table 10.3.1.5.2-1: Subscribe operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
filter	M	1	Filter	Input filter for selecting PaaS Services of
				interest and the specific types of lifecycle
				events to be notified about.

10.3.1.5.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.5.3-1.

Table 10.3.1.5.3-1: Subscribe operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
subscriptionId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the subscription realized.

10.3.1.5.4 Output results

In case of success, the consumer is registered to receive notifications.

The results of the operation shall indicate if the subscription has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

For a particular subscription, only notifications matching the filter will be delivered to the consumer.

10.3.1.6 Terminate Subscription operation

10.3.1.6.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to terminate a particular subscription.

Table 10.3.1.6.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSM, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.1.6.1-1: Terminate Subscription operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
TerminateSubscriptionRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSM
TerminateSubscriptionResponse	Mandatory	PSM → Consumer

10.3.1.6.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.1.6.2-1.

Table 10.3.1.6.2-1: Terminate Subscription operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
subscriptionId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the subscription to terminate.

10.3.1.6.3 Output parameters

None.

10.3.1.6.4 Output results

In case of success, the identified subscription has been terminated and does not exist anymore, and the consumer will not receive notifications related to the terminated subscription any longer.

The results of the operation shall indicate if the subscription termination has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

10.3.1.7 Notify operation

10.3.1.7.1 Description

This operation notifies a subscriber about events related to PaaS Services lifecycle.

This operation distributes notifications to subscribers. It is a one-way operation issued by the producer (PSM) that cannot be invoked as an operation by a consumer. In order to receive notifications, the consumer has to perform an explicit "Subscribe Notifications" operation beforehand.

Table 10.3.1.7.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSM, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.1.7.1-1: Notify operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
Notify	Mandatory	PSM → Consumer

The following notifications can be sent by this operation:

• PaasServiceLifecycleNotification (see clause 7.7.2).

10.3.2 PaaS Services descriptor management interface

10.3.2.1 Description

The PaaS Services descriptor management interface enables a consumer to request management of PaaS Services Descriptors (PSD).

The following operations are defined for the present interface:

• Create PSD Info;

- Upload PSD;
- Delete PSD;
- Query PSD Info;
- Update PSD Info;
- Fetch PSD;
- Subscribe;
- Terminate Subscription; and
- Notify.

10.3.2.2 Create PSD Info operation

10.3.2.2.1 Description

This operation creates a PSD information object in the PSR for one or more versions of a PSD to be uploaded.

A PSD information object enables version control, i.e. any changes to a PSD information object with upload and update of PSDs are versioned.

Table 10.3.2.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.2.1-1: Create PSD Info operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
CreatePsdInfoRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
CreatePsdInfoResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.2.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.2.2-1.

Table 10.3.2.2.2-1: Create PSD Info operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
userDefinedData	M	0N	KeyValuePair	User defined data to be added to the PSD
				information object.

10.3.2.2.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.2.3-1.

Table 10.3.2.2.3-1: Create PSD Info operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdInfoObjectId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD information object
				created by the PSR.

10.3.2.2.4 Output results

In case of success, the PSD information object has been created.

The psdInfoObjectId is only returned when the operation has been successful.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.2.3 Upload PSD operation

10.3.2.3.1 Description

This operation uploads PSD file(s) to the PSR. The process of uploading the PSD and validating it is regarded as the "onboarding of a PSD".

This operation also enables the case of uploading new versions (e.g. with modifications) of PSDs.

Table 10.3.2.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.3.1-1: Upload PSD operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
UploadPsdRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
UploadPsdResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.2.3.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.3.2-1.

Table 10.3.2.3.2-1: Upload PSD operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdInfoObjectId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD information object to
				associate the PSD file(s).
psdFiles	M	1	Not specified	The PSD file(s) to be uploaded.
versionTag	M	1	String	A version tag for the PSD being uploaded.
userDefinedData	M	0N	KeyValuePair	User defined data to be added to the PSD
				information.

10.3.2.3.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.3.3-1.

Table 10.3.2.3.3-1: Upload PSD operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdInfoObjectVersion	M	1	Not specified	Version of the PSD information object
				resulted from its modification, in this case
				by uploading the PSD.

10.3.2.3.4 Output results

In case of success, the PSD file(s) have been uploaded to the PSR. The PSD files have been checked and summed, and the PSD information object versioned. After uploading, the state of the specified version of PSD in the PSD information object is "ENABLED", enabling the PSD to be used for deploying corresponding PaaS Services.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.2.4 Delete PSD operation

10.3.2.4.1 Description

This operation deletes one or more PSD(s). The associated PSD information objects are also deleted.

A PSD can only be deleted when there is no PaaS Service instance created based on the PSD.

NOTE: It is part of the protocol design whether this operation is modelled as a "bulk" operation that enables to delete multiple PSDs in one request, or a series of request that delete one PSD at a time.

Table 10.3.2.4.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.4.1-1: Delete PSD operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
DeletePsdRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
DeletePsdResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.2.4.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.4.2-1.

Table 10.3.2.4.2-1: Delete PSD operation input parameters

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10.3.2.4.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.4.3-1.

Table 10.3.2.4.3-1: Delete PSD operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
deletedPsdInfoObjectI	M	1N	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD information objects of
d				the associated deleted PSDs.

10.3.2.4.4 Output results

In case of success, the PSDs and their corresponding information objects have been deleted from the PSR.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.2.5 Query PSD Info operation

10.3.2.5.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to query the PSR information concerning one or more PSD.

Table 10.3.2.5.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.5.1-1: Query PSD Info operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
QueryPsdInfoRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
QueryPsdInfoResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.2.5.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.5.2-1.

Table 10.3.2.5.2-1: Query PSD Info operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
filter	М	1		Filter defining the PSD information objects on which the query applies, based on attributes of the PSD information objects. It can also be used to specify one or more
				PSD information objects to be queried by providing their identifiers and versions.
attributeSelector	М	0N	String	List of attribute names of the PSD information objects. If present, only these attributes are returned for the PSD information objects matching the filter. If absent, the complete PSD information objects are returned.

10.3.2.5.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.5.3-1.

Table 10.3.2.5.3-1: Query PSD Info operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
queryResult	М	0N	,	Data of the PSD information objects matching the input filter, and attribute
				selection if present.

10.3.2.5.4 Output results

In case of success, the consumer has queried the PSD information objects from the PSR. For a particular query, the PSD information objects that the consumer has access to and that match the filter are returned.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.2.6 Update PSD Info operation

10.3.2.6.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to modify user defined data and/or the operational state of an existing PSD information object.

Table 10.3.2.6.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.6.1-1: Update PSD Info operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
UpdatePsdInfoRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
UpdatePsdInfoResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.2.6.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.6.2-1.

Table 10.3.2.6.2-1: Update PSD Info operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description	
psdInfoObjectId	М	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD information object to be updated.	
versionTag	M	1	Not specified	Version tag to which the update concerns.	
userDefinedData	М	0N	KeyValuePair	User defined data to be updated. See note.	
operationalState	M	01	Enum	Operational state of the on-boarded PSD. VALUES:	
NOTE: At least one of these parameters shall be present.					

10.3.2.6.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.6.3-1.

Table 10.3.2.6.3-1: Update PSD Info operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdInfoObjectVersion	M	1		Version of the PSD information object resulted from its modification, in this case by updating the PSD.

10.3.2.6.4 Output results

In case of success, the PSD information object has been updated according to the input request.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.2.7 Fetch PSD operation

10.3.2.7.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to fetch a specific PSD version from the PSR.

Table 10.3.2.7.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.7.1-1: Fetch PSD operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
FetchPsdRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
FetchPsdResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.2.7.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.7.2-1.

Table 10.3.2.7.2-1: Fetch PSD operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdInfoObjectId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PSD information object
				associated to the PSD to be fetched.
versionTag	М	1	Not specified	Version tag of the PSD to be fetched.

10.3.2.7.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.7.3-1.

Table 10.3.2.7.3-1: Fetch PSD operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
psdFiles	M	1	Not specified	The fetched PSD files.

10.3.2.7.4 Output results

In case of success, the consumer has fetched the PSD from the PSR.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.2.8 Subscribe operation

10.3.2.8.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to subscribe, with a filter, to notifications sent by the PSR about PSD management events and changes.

Table 10.3.2.8.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.8.1-1: Subscribe operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
SubscribeRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
SubscribeResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.2.8.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.8.2-1.

Table 10.3.2.8.2-1: Subscribe operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
filter	M	1	Filter	Input filter for selecting PSDs of interest
				and the specific types of events to be
				notified about.

10.3.2.8.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.8.3-1.

Table 10.3.2.8.3-1: Subscribe operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
subscriptionId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the subscription realized.

10.3.2.8.4 Output results

In case of success, the consumer is registered to receive notifications.

The results of the operation shall indicate if the subscription has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

For a particular subscription, only notifications matching the filter will be delivered to the consumer.

10.3.2.9 Terminate Subscription operation

10.3.2.9.1 Description

This operation enables the consumer to terminate a particular subscription.

Table 10.3.2.9.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.9.1-1: Terminate Subscription operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
TerminateSubscriptionRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
TerminateSubscriptionResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.2.9.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.2.9.2-1.

Table 10.3.2.9.2-1: Terminate Subscription operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
subscriptionId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the subscription to terminate.

10.3.2.9.3 Output parameters

None.

10.3.2.9.4 Output results

In case of success, the identified subscription has been terminated and does not exist anymore, and the consumer will not receive notifications related to the terminated subscription any longer.

The results of the operation shall indicate if the subscription termination has been successful or not with a standard success/error result.

10.3.2.10 Notify operation

10.3.2.10.1 Description

This operation notifies a subscriber about events related to PSD management and changes.

This operation distributes notifications to subscribers. It is a one-way operation issued by the producer (PSR) that cannot be invoked as an operation by a consumer. In order to receive notifications, the consumer has to perform an explicit "Subscribe Notifications" operation beforehand.

Table 10.3.2.10.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.2.10.1-1: Notify operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
Notify	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

The following notifications can be sent by this operation:

• PsdOnboardingNotification (see clause 7.8.2).

• PsdChangeNotification (see clause 7.8.3).

10.3.3 PaaS Services registration management interface

10.3.3.1 Description

The PaaS Services registration management interface enables a consumer to perform management tasks regarding the registration of PaaS Services instances. This includes consumable PaaS Service instances, which are deployed and available for consumption, and inventory of PaaS Service instances that have been deployed and are associated to PaaS Services consumers, i.e. that are in use.

The following operations are defined for the present interface:

- Register PaaS Service;
- Query Info Registered PaaS Service;
- Update PaaS Service Registration; and
- Create PaaS Service Identifier.

10.3.3.2 Register PaaS Service operation

10.3.3.2.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to register a PaaS Service instance to the PSR.

Table 10.3.3.2.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.3.2.1-1: Register PaaS Service operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
RegisterPaasServiceRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
RegisterPaasServiceResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.3.2.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.3.2.2-1.

Table 10.3.3.2.2-1: Register PaaS Service operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
paasServiceId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PaaS Service instance to
				be registered.
paasServiceInfo	M	1	PaasServiceInfo	Information of the PaaS Service instance
				to be registered.
usageFormat	M	1	Enum	The usage format of the PaaS Service
				instance.
				VALUES:
				 VNF_COMMON: to use the PaaS
				Service as VNF Common
				Service
				 VNF_DEDICATED: to use the
				PaaS Service as VNF Dedicated
				Service
				 NS: to use the PaaS Service for
				any NS constituent other than a
				VNF
				 UNDEFINED: no specific usage
1				defined

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
location	M	1	Not specified	Information about the location(s) where the PaaS Service is instantiated. This can be in the form of some identification information of the NFVI-PoP or CIS cluster, or geographical location information.
deploymentHandle	M	1	Not specified	Information about the deployment of the PaaS Service and its form.
paasServiceHandle	M	1	Not specified	A handle enabling the access and use of the PaaS Service instance.
scaleInfo	M	1	Not specified	Information about the scale/capacity of the PaaS Service instance.

10.3.3.2.3 Output parameters

None.

10.3.3.2.4 Output results

In case of success, the PaaS Service instance has been registered into the PSR.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.3.3 Query Info Registered PaaS Service operation

10.3.3.3.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to query the PSR information about registered PaaS Service instances.

Table 10.3.3.3.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.3.3.1-1: Query Info Registered PaaS Service operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
QueryInfoRegisteredPaasServiceRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
QueryInfoRegisteredPaasServiceResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.3.3.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.3.3.2-1.

Table 10.3.3.3.2-1: Query Info Registered PaaS Service operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
filter	М	1	Filter	Filter defining the registered PaaS Service instances on which the query applies, based on attributes of the PaasServiceEntry information objects. It can also be used to specify one or more entries to be queried by providing their identifiers.
attributeSelector	М	0N	String	List of attribute names of the PaasServiceEntry information objects. If present, only these attributes are returned for the registered PaaS Service instances matching the filter. If absent, the complete PaasServiceEntry information objects are returned.

10.3.3.3.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.3.3.3-1.

Table 10.3.3.3.1: Query Info Registered PaaS Service operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
queryResult	M	0N	PaasServiceEntry	Information of the registered PaaS Service
				instance.

10.3.3.3.4 Output results

In case of success, the consumer has queried the registered PaaS Service entries from the PSR. For a particular query, the registered PaaS Service entries that the consumer has access to and that match the filter are returned.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.3.4 Update Registered PaaS Service operation

10.3.3.4.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to update information about a registered PaaS Service instance to the PSR.

Table 10.3.3.4.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.3.4.1-1: Update Registered PaaS Service operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
UpdateRegisteredPaasServiceRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
UpdateRegisteredPaasServiceResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.3.4.2 Input parameters

The input parameters sent when invoking the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.3.4.2-1.

Table 10.3.3.4.2-1: Update Registered PaaS Service operation input parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
paasServiceId	М	1	Identifier	Identifier of the registered PaaS Service
				instance to be updated.
usageFormat	M	01	Enum	New value for the usage format of the PaaS Service instance. VALUES: VNF_COMMON: to use the PaaS Service as VNF Common Service VNF_DEDICATED: to use the PaaS Service as VNF Dedicated Service NS: to use the PaaS Service for any NS constituent other than a VNF UNDEFINED: no specific usage defined See note.
scaleInfo	М	01	Not specified	New values of information about the scale/capacity of the PaaS Service instance. See note.

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description	
paasServiceHandle	M	01	Not specified	New values for the PaaS Service handle. The type and format of the handle depends on the form that the PaaS Service is formed. See note.	
additionalInfo	M	01	Not specified	New values for the additional information which is specific to the PaaS Service and its type. See note.	
consumerId	M	0N	Identifier	New values of identifiers of PaaS Service consumers. The attribute indicates consumers to be removed and/or added. See note.	
NOTE: At least one of the attributes shall be present in a request.					

10.3.3.4.3 Output parameters

None.

10.3.3.4.4 Output results

In case of success, the PaaS Service instance has been registration has been updated in the PSR.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

10.3.3.5 Create PaaS Service Identifier operation

10.3.3.5.1 Description

This operation enables a consumer to create and retrieve from the PSR an identifier for a PaaS Service instance.

Table 10.3.3.5.1-1 lists the information flow exchanged between the consumer and the PSR, as producer of the interface.

Table 10.3.3.5.1-1: Create PaaS Service Identifier operation

Message	Requirement	Direction
CreatePaasServiceIdentifierRequest	Mandatory	Consumer → PSR
CreatePaasServiceIdentifierResponse	Mandatory	PSR → Consumer

10.3.3.5.2 Input parameters

None.

10.3.3.5.3 Output parameters

The output parameters returned by the operation shall follow the indications provided in table 10.3.3.5.3-1.

Table 10.3.3.5.3-1: Create PaaS Service Identifier operation output parameters

Parameter	Qualifier	Cardinality	Content	Description
paasServiceId	M	1	Identifier	Identifier of the PaaS Service instance
				allocated by the PSR.

10.3.3.5.4 Output results

In case of success, a PaaS Service identifier has been created by the PSR and it is kept by the PSR for subsequent registration procedures.

In case of failure, appropriate error information shall be provided back to the consumer.

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		generic OAM function Log Analysis
		NFVIFA(22)000073r1 FEAT24 IFA049 Information elements exchange for VNF
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