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1 Introduction

1.1 Overview

The Conformance Statement describes the DICOM interface for the Siemens WH AWS in terms of part 2 of [DICOM].

This introduction describes the application's implemented DICOM functionality in general terms.

1.2 Scope and Field

The WH AWS is a "syngo®-speakinga" Imaging Modality or workstation. The WH AWS is designed to be integrated into an environment of medical DICOM-based devices. The WH AWS DICOM network implementation acts as SCU and SCP for the DICOM Storage, Storage Commitment and Query/Retrieve services and as SCU for the DICOM Print, DICOM Basic Worklist and Modality Performed Procedure Step Services. Verification is supported in SCU (only via Service environment) and SCP role. Furthermore the handling of CD/MOD offline media is supported as a FSC, FSU and FSR.

1.3 Audience

This document is intended for hospital staff, health system integrators, software designers or implementers. It is assumed that the reader has a working understanding of DICOM.

1.4 Remarks

DICOM, by itself, does not guarantee interoperability. However, the Conformance Statement facilitates a first-level validation for interoperability between different applications supporting the same DICOM functionality as SCU and SCP, respectively.

This Conformance Statement is not intended to replace validation with other DICOM equipment to ensure proper exchange of information intended.

The scope of this Conformance Statement is to facilitate communication with Siemens and other vendors' Medical equipment. The Conformance Statement should be read and understood in conjunction with the DICOM 3.0 Standard [DICOM]. However, by itself it is not guaranteed to ensure the desired interoperability and a successful interconnectivity.

The user should be aware of the following important issues:

- The comparison of different conformance statements is the first step towards assessing interconnectivity between Siemens and non-Siemens equipment.
- Test procedures should be defined and tests should be performed by the user to validate the connectivity desired. DICOM itself and the conformance parts do not specify this.
- The standard will evolve to meet the users' future requirements. Siemens is actively involved in developing the standard further and therefore reserves the right to make changes to its products or to discontinue its delivery.
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1.5 Definitions, Terms and Abbreviations

Definitions, terms and abbreviations used in this document are defined within the different parts of the DICOM standard.

Additional Abbreviations and terms are as follows:

ACR American College of Radiology AE DICOM Application Entity

ASCII American Standard Code for Information Interchange

CSE Customer Service Engineer

DB Database

DCS DICOM Conformance Statement
DSA Digital Subtraction Angiography
IIDC Image-Intensifier Distortion Correction
IOD DICOM Information Object Definition
ISO International Standard Organization
WH AWS Acquisition Workstation Women's Health
NEMA National Electrical Manufacturers Association

O Optional Key Attribute
PDU DICOM Protocol Data Unit
R Required Key Attribute
RIS Radiology Information System

RWA Real-World Activity

SCU DICOM Service Class User (DICOM client)
SCP DICOM Service Class Provider (DICOM server)

SOP DICOM Service-Object Pair U Unique Key Attribute

1.6 References

[DICOM] Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine (DICOM), NEMA PS 3.1-3.15, 2001

1.7 Structure

This Conformance Statement is subdivided into multiple Parts, which relate to individual documents needed to declare Conformance according to the requirements of "Part 2 - Conformance" of the DICOM Standard.

Those parts are:

- "Network Conformance Statement" for Network related Services
 - Storage User/Provider (includes Verification User/Provider)
 - Storage Commitment User/Provider
 - Query/Retrieve User/Provider
 - Basic Grayscale/Color Print User
 - Basic Worklist User
 - Modality Performed Procedure Step User
- "Offline Media Conformance Statement" to support local archive media.
- A general Appendix.

2 Implementation Model Verification

The WH AWS DICOM Service Tool application requests Verification to verify the ability of a foreign DICOM application on a remote node to respond to DICOM messages.

Responding to Verification requests from remote nodes is handled by the Storage SCP application and therefore described in 4.1.

2.1 Application Data Flow Diagram

The WH AWS DICOM network implementation acts as SCU for the C-ECHO DICOM network service. The product target Operating System is Windows $XP^{@}$.

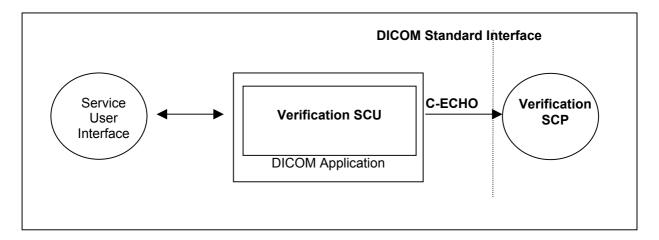


Figure 1: Application Data Flow Diagram - Verification SCU

2.2 Functional Definitions of Applications

The WH AWS DICOM Service Tool application opens an association when a "verification" of a remote application is requested during a configuration session. This can be done when entering new data for remote application configuration or to verify existing configuration data.

2.3 Sequencing of Real-World Activities

Newly entered data have to be saved first, before a "verification" of these data is possible.

3 Application Entity Specification Verification

3.1 Verification AE Specification

3.1.1 Association Establishment Policies

3.1.1.1 General

The WH AWS DICOM Service Tool application attempts to open an association for verification request whenever the "verification" function is activated during network configuration of a remote DICOM application.

3.1.1.2 Number of Associations

The WH AWS DICOM Service Tool application initiates one association at a time to request verification.

3.1.1.3 Asynchronous Nature

The WH AWS DICOM software does not support asynchronous communication (multiple outstanding transactions over a single association).

3.1.1.4 Implementation Identifying Information

Implementation Class UID	1.3.12.2.1107.5.12
Implementation Version Name	"SIEMENS_AWSVA10A"

3.1.2 Association Initiation Policy

The WH AWS DICOM Service Tool application attempts to initiate a new association for

DIMSE C-ECHO

service operations.

3.1.2.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Verification

3.1.2.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity – Request Verification "verification"

The associated Real-World activity is a C-ECHO request initiated by Service and Configuration SW environment whenever a "verification" is requested. If an association to a remote Application Entity is successfully established, Verification with the configured AET is requested via the open association. If the C-ECHO Response from the remote Application contains a status other than "Success" this will be indicated in the service environment and the association is closed.

3.1.2.1.2 Proposed Presentation Contexts

The WH AWS DICOM application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table – Verification SCU						
Abstract Syntax		Transfer Syntax			Extended	
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Negotiation	
Verification	1.2.840.10008.1.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Explicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1	SCU	None	

3.1.2.1.3 SOP Specific Conformance - Verification SCU

The Application conforms to the definitions of the Verification SCU in accordance to the DICOM Standard.

3.1.3 Association Acceptance Policy

The Verification SCP is part of the Storage SCP – see section 5.1.3.

4 Implementation Model Storage

The WH AWS DICOM Application Entity both originates associations for Storage of DICOM Composite Information Objects in Remote Application Entities and accepts association requests for Storage from Remote Application Entities.

4.1 Application Data Flow Diagram

The WH AWS DICOM network implementation acts as SCU and SCP for the C-STORE DICOM network service and as SCP for the C-ECHO DICOM network service. The product target Operating System is Windows XP.

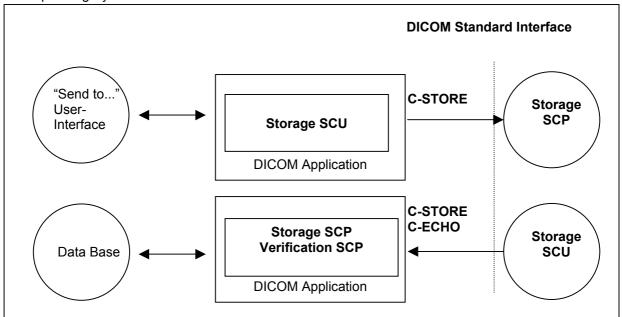


Figure 2: Application Data Flow Diagram - Storage SCU/SCP

4.2 Functional Definitions of Application Entities

The Storage SCU is invoked by the job control interface that is responsible for processing network send/storage tasks. The job consists of data describing the composite image objects selected for storage and the destination. An association is negotiated with the destination application entity and the image data is transferred using the C-STORE DIMSE-Service. Status of the transfer is reported to the job control interface.

The Storage SCP component of the WH AWS DICOM application is operating as background server process. It is existing when the machine is powered on and waits for Storage association requests. Upon accepting an association with a negotiated Presentation Context it starts to receive the Composite Image Objects and imports them to local database. Verification requests will be processed and responded by Storage SCP component too.

4.3 Sequencing of Real-World Activities

not applicable

5 Application Entity Specification Storage

5.1 Storage AEs Specification

The WH AWS Storage service class user/service class provider applications use one AE when initiating/receiving associations to/from remote DICOM nodes.

SIEMENS WH AWS DICOM products provide Standard Conformance to the following DICOM V3.0 SOP Classes as an SCU:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID	
Computed Radiography Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1	
Computed Tomography Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2	
Digital X-Ray Image Storage – for Processing	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.1	
Digital X-Ray Image Storage – for Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1	
Digital M ammo G raphy Image Storage – for Processing	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2.1	
Digital M ammo G raphy Image Storage – for Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.2	
Digital Intra-oral X-Ray Image Storage – for Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3.1	
Digital Intra-oral X -Ray Image Storage – for Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3	
Magnetic Resonance Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.4	
Nuclear Medicine Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.20	
PET Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.128	
Secondary Capture Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.7	
UltraSound Multi-Frame Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3.1	
UltraSound Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.6.1	
X-Ray Angiographic Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.1	
X-Ray RadioFluoroscopic Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.2	

SIEMENS WH AWS DICOM products provide Standard Conformance to the following DICOM V3.0 SOP Classes as an SCP:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID	
Computed Radiography Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1	
Computed Tomography Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2	
Digital X-Ray Image Storage – for Processing	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.1	
Digital X-Ray Image Storage – for Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1	

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID	
Digital M ammo G raphy Image Storage – for Processing	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2.1	
Digital M ammo G raphy Image Storage – for Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.2	
Digital Intra-oral X-Ray Image Storage – for Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3.1	
Digital Intra-oral X-Ray Image Storage – for Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3	
Magnetic Resonance Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.4	
Nuclear Medicine Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.20	
PET Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.128	
Secondary Capture Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.7	
UltraSound Multi-Frame Image Storage (retired)	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3	
UltraSound Multi-Frame Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3.1	
UltraSound Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.6.1	
UltraSound Image Storage (retired)	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.6	
X-Ray Angiographic Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.1	
X-Ray RadioFluoroscopic Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.2	
Verification	1.2.840.10008.1.1	

5.1.1 Association Establishment Policies

5.1.1.1 General

The existence of a job queue entry with network destination or an internal trigger from processing a retrieve request will activate the DICOM Storage Application. An association request is sent to the destination AE and upon successful negotiation of a Presentation Context the transfer is started.

The default PDU size used will be 28 KB.

5.1.1.2 Number of Associations

The WH AWS DICOM application initiates several associations at a time, one for each destination to which a transfer request is being processed in the active job queue list.

The WH AWS DICOM application is able to accept multiple associations at a time. It can handle up to 10 associations in parallel.

The number of Simultaneous DICOM associations can be configured via the Service-UI. The dialog can be found in Configuration / DICOM / General.

5.1.1.3 Asynchronous Nature

The WH AWS DICOM software does not support asynchronous communication (multiple outstanding transactions over a single association).

5.1.1.4 Implementation Identifying Information

Implementation Class UID	1.3.12.2.1107.5.12
Implementation Version Name	"SIEMENS_AWSVA10A"

5.1.2 Association Initiation Policy

If a job with network destination gets active in the job list or a retrieve sub-operation is processed the WH AWS DICOM application attempts to initiate a new association for

DIMSE C-STORE service operations.

5.1.2.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Send

5.1.2.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity – Send Image Objects to a Network Destination

The associated Real-World activity is a C-STORE request initiated by an internal daemon process triggered by a job with network destination or the processing of an external C-MOVE retrieve request. If the process successfully establishes an association to a remote Application Entity, it will transfer each image one after another via the open association. If the C-STORE Response from the remote Application contains a status other than "Success" or "Warning", the association is aborted.

5.1.2.1.2 Proposed Presentation Context – Send Images

The WH AWS DICOM application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table						
Abstract Syntax		Transfer Syntax			Ext.	
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.	
Computed Radiography Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None	

	Presentation Context Table					
Abst	ract Syntax	Transfer S	Syntax		Ext.	
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.	
Computed Tomography Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50	SCU	None	
Digital X-Ray Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian JPEG Lossy Extended *1	1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51	SCU	None	
for processing		(Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50			
		Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2			
Digital X-Ray Image for presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.1	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50	SCU	None	
MammoGraphy Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.2.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian JPEG Lossy Extended *1	1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51	SCU	None	
for processing	1.2.040.10000.0.1.4.1.1.1.2.1	(Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	300	None	
MammoGraphy Image for presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.2	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2	SCU	None	
Digital Intra-oral X-Ray Image for processing	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.3.1	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2	SCU	None	
Digital Intra-oral X-Ray Image for presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.3	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None	

	Present	ation Context Table			
Abs	tract Syntax	Transfer S	Syntax		Ext.
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.
Magnetic Resonance Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.4	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Nuclear Medicine Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.20	Implicit VR Little Endian JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
PET Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.128	Implicit VR Little Endian JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2	SCU	None
Secondary Capture Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.7	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Ultra-Sound Multi- Frame Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3.1	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Ultra-Sound Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.6.1	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2	SCU	None
X -Ray A ngiographic Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.1	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2	SCU	None

Presentation Context Table						
Abst	Abstract Syntax Transfer Syntax			Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.	
X-Ray RadioFluoroscopic Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.2	JPEG Lossy Extended *1 (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) *1 Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2	SCU	None	

^{*1:} The Transfer Syntax used is strongly influenced by the fact of "how was the accepted Transfer Syntax at the time when the Instance was received". e.g. the Instances received with JPEG Lossy Transfer Syntaxes will not be converted and can only be sent out with the same Transfer Syntax.

Note: The proposed Transfer Syntax is highly restricted for images stored internally in lossy compressed format. E.g. instances received with JPEG Lossy Transfer Syntaxes will not be converted and can only be sent out with the same Transfer Syntax.

The "MOVE destinations" must be configured as Storage destinations. This would include the configuration of Transfer Syntax capabilities.

Not all the listed transfer syntaxes will be proposed all the time. For some abstract syntaxes only a list of uncompressed (UC) transfer syntaxes (one or more) will be proposed, for other abstract syntaxes also JPEG Lossless (LL) syntax will be proposed and/or a list of JPEG Lossy (LY) transfer syntaxes. The contents of this lists is configurable, e.g. UC could be configured to contain only Implicit Little Endian for instance.

Depending on the real world activity initiating the C-STORE, we have the following behaviors:

- if the C-STORE is initiated by a user, a configuration parameter called QualityFactor(Q) will be used to decide which transfer syntax lists will be proposed. Q can take values between 0 and 100. If Q=0, only UC will be proposed. If Q = 100, UC and LL will be proposed. Else UC and LY will be proposed.
- if the C-STORE is initiated by the C-MOVE SCP, there is another configuration parameter called Compression Types Supported (CTS) which will be used to decide what transfer syntaxes are proposed. CTS can take integer values. If CTS=0 or CTS > 3, UC will be proposed. If CTS=1, UC and LY will be proposed. If CTS = 2, UC and LL will be proposed. If CTS >= 3, UC, LL and LY will be proposed.

The compression types JPEG lossy and JPEG losless are parameters, which are part of the Application Entity Properties configuration (storage checked). It can by reached via the Service-UI: Configuration / DICOM / Network nodes

5.1.2.1.3 SOP specific Conformance to Storage SOP classes

The WH AWS (DICOM) application will not change private attributes as long as no modification is done. During a "Save as ..." operation all private attributes not defined within the WH AWS DICOM application will be removed when the new object instance is created.

For association and DIMSE level time-outs, please refer to Configuration section of this document.

5.1.2.1.3.1 Optional Attributes

Data Dictionary of DICOM Type 2 and 3 IOD Attributes

Please see the related Image Object definition tables in the Annex for a list of all DICOM IOD attributes of type 2 and 3, which are encoded by the WH AWS applications.

5.1.2.1.3.2 Specialized Information Object Definitions

The DICOM images created by WH AWS DICOM application conform to the DICOM IOD definitions (Standard extended IODs). But they will contain additional private elements, which have to be discarded by a DICOM system when modifying the image.

The DICOM nodes are responsible for data consistency when modifying images. All unknown private attributes have to be removed upon modification!

Data Dictionary of applied private IOD Attributes

Please see "A.1 Siemens Standard Extended Modules" in the Annex for a list of possible private IOD attributes

5.1.3 Association Acceptance Policy

The WH AWS DICOM application attempts to accept a new association for

- DIMSE C-ECHO
- DIMSE C-STORE

service operations. Any Information Objects transmitted on that association will be checked on conformance and stored in database if check was successful.

5.1.3.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Receive

5.1.3.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity – Receiving Images from a Remote Node

The daemon receiving process will accept an association and will receive any images transmitted on that association and will store the images on disk in the own database if the conformance check is performed successfully.

5.1.3.1.2 Accepted Presentation Context – Receiving Images

The WH AWS DICOM application will accept Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

	Presentation Context Table						
Abs	tract Syntax	Transfer Syntax			Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.		
Computed Radiography Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2	SCP	None		

	Prese	ntation Context Table			
Abs	Abstract Syntax		Transfer Syntax		Ext.
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.
Computed Tomography Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70	SCP	None
		(selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50		
		RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1		
		Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2		
Digital X-Ray Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.1.1	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51	SCP	None
	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.1	JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70		
		JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50		
		RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1		
		Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.2		
M ammo G raphy	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.2.1	JPEG Lossy Extended	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51	SCP	None
Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.2	(Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70		
		JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50		
		RLE Lossless	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5		
		Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2		
Digital Intra-oral X- Ray Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3.1	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51	SCP	None
	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3	JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70		
		JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50		
		RLE Lossless	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5		
		Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2		
		Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2		
Magnetic Resonance Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.4	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51	SCP	None
		JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70		
		JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50		
		RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1		
		Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.2		
Nuclear Medicine	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.20	Implicit VR Little Endian JPEG Lossy Extended	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51	COD	Nana
Nuclear Medicine Image	1.2.040.10000.3.1.4.1.1.20	(Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51	SCP	None
		(selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50		
		(Process 1) RLE Lossless	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5		
		Explicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.1		
		Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2		

	Presentation Context Table						
Abs	stract Syntax	Transfer Syntax			Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.		
PET Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.128	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50	SCP	None		
		(Process 1) RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2				
Secondary Capture Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.7	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70	SCP	None		
		JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2				
Ultra-Sound Multi- Frame Image (retired) *1	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50	SCP	None		
		(Process 1) RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2				
Ultra-Sound Image (retired) *1	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.6	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50	SCP	None		
		RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2				
Ultra-Sound Multi- Frame Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3.1	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50	SCP	None		
		(Process 1) RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2				
Ultra-Sound Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.6.1	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1)	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50	SCP	None		
		RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2				

	Presentation Context Table						
Abs	stract Syntax	Transfer S	yntax		Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.		
X-Ray Angiographic Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.1	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.51 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.70 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2	SCP	None		
X-Ray RadioFluoroscopic Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.2	JPEG Lossy Extended (Process 2 & 4) JPEG Lossless, Process 14 (selection value 1) JPEG Lossy Baseline (Process 1) RLE Lossless Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Implicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.4.50 1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.5 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCP	None		
Verification	1.2.840.10008.1.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian Explicit VR Little Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1	SCP	None		

^{*1)} US Retired and US Multi-frame Retired images are converted to US Images/US Multi-frame images before storing them into the local database. The conversion creates new images, which implies new UIDs.

Note:

With RLE Lossless Transfer Syntax the DICOM application will decompress the image before storing it into the database.

5.1.3.1.3 SOP-specific Conformance Statement – Receiving Images

The WH AWS DICOM application conforms to the Full Storage Class at Level 2.

Upon successful receiving a C-STORE-RQ, the Siemens WH AWS DICOM receiver performs a quick plausibility test on the received image and available system resources. If this test succeeds, it returns the status SUCCESS, otherwise one of the following status codes is returned and the association is aborted:

Refused (A700):

This error status indicates a lack of Resources (e.g. not enough disk space) on the WH AWS modality.

Invalid Dataset (0xA900):

The dataset is not containing one of the Attributes "Study Instance UID", "Series Instance UID" or "SOP Instance UID", or one of them has an invalid value.

Processing Error (0110):

An error occurred while processing the image, which makes it impossible to proceed

Attention! Only after sending the response, the image will be saved into the database. If during this operation an error occurs, the association will be aborted. This implies that a C-STORE-RSP with status SUCCESS does not mean that the image was successfully stored into the database.

In order to confirm that the sent images where successfully stored in the database, the sending application should use Storage Commitment Service.

If an image instance is received that is identified by a SOP Instance UID which is already used by an Instance stored in database then the actual received image will be discarded. The existing Instance is not superseded.

The following sections will differentiate the attribute contents required for Image Viewing. The WH AWS DICOM application supports more formats for Storage of Images than Viewing.

5.1.3.1.3.1 Image Pixel Attribute Acceptance Criterion for Grayscale Images - Viewing

The WH AWS Multi-Modality Viewing application accepts the MONOCHROME1 and MONOCHROME2 photometric interpretation pixel format and graphic overlay with unsigned integer and 8 or 16 bits allocated. Accepted values:

Pixel plane

- samples per pixel (attribute 0028, 0002) = 1
- photometric interpretation (attribute 0028,0004) = "MONOCHROME1"
- photometric interpretation (attribute 0028,0004) = "MONOCHROME2"
- pixel representation (attribute 0028, 0103) = 0
- bits allocated (attribute 0028, 0100) = 8, 16
- bits stored (attribute 0028,0101) = 8, 10, 12
- high bit (attribute 0028,0102) = 7, 9, 11
- only aspect ratio 1:1 is supported

· Overlay plane

- overlay type (attribute 60xx, 0040) = "G"
- bits allocated (attribute 60xx, 0100) = 16
- bit position (attribute 60xx, 0102) = 12, 13, 14, 15 (only bits above high bit permitted)
- Graphic Overlay will be shifted to fill Overlay Planes from Bit 12 and consecutive.

Overlay plane

- overlay type (attribute 60xx, 0040) = "G"
- bits allocated (attribute 60xx, 0100) = 1
- bit position (attribute 60xx, 0102) = 0
- overlay data (attribute 60xx, 3000) = supported

The WH AWS Multi-Modality Viewing application accepts also the MONOCHROME1 and MONOCHROME2 photometric interpretation pixel format with binary 2's complement integer and 16 bits allocated. Accepted values:

Pixel plane

- samples per pixel (attribute 0028, 0002) = 1
- photometric interpretation (attribute 0028,0004) = "MONOCHROME1"
- photometric interpretation (attribute 0028,0004) = "MONOCHROME2"
- pixel representation (attribute 0028, 0103) = 1 (signed)
- bits allocated (attribute 0028, 0100) = 16
- bits stored (attribute 0028,0101) = 16
- high bit (attribute 0028,0102) = 15
- only aspect ratio 1:1 is supported

- Overlay plane
 - overlay type (attribute 60xx, 0040) = "G"
 - bits allocated (attribute 60xx, 0100) = 1
 - bit position (attribute 60xx, 0102) = 0
 - overlay data (attribute 60xx, 3000) = supported
 - For MOD LUT, both the linear LUT (Rescale Slope/Intercept) and the MOD LUT SQ are supported and considered when pixel data is displayed. However there are two limitations. The MOD LUT SQ will be ignored in the following cases:
- 8-Bit signed pixels
- the pixel format is changed by the MOD LUT (e.g. 8bit -> 16bit)

If the MOD LUT SQ contains multiple LUTs, then only the first one is used.

For VOI LUT, both the linear LUT (Window Center/Width) and the VOI LUT SQ are supported (VOI LUT SQ with 8 or 16 bit LUT data)

But if both, a VOI LUT SQ and a linear MOD LUT, are specified within one image, then the value for Rescale Slope is restricted to 1.

If the VOI LUT SQ contains multiple LUTs, then only the first one is used by default. The other VOI LUTs are selectable.

Only Rectangular and Circular Shutter Shape is supported in this version. Images containing other Shutter Shapes will be displayed w/o shutter.

5.1.3.1.3.2 Image Pixel Attribute Acceptance Criterion for Color Images - Viewing

The WH AWS Multi-Modality Viewing application supports the RGB color image description with the unsigned integer 24-bit color image plane pixel format.

Accepted values:

- samples per pixel (attribute 0028, 0002) = 3
- photometric interpretation (attribute 0028,0004) = "RGB"
- pixel representation (attribute 0028, 0103) = 0
- bits allocated (attribute 0028, 0100) = 8
- bits stored (attribute 0028,0101) = 8
- high bit (attribute 0028,0102) = 7
- planar configuration (attribute 0028,0006) = 0 (pixel interleave) or 1 (plane interleave).

The WH AWS Multi-modality Viewing application supports the "Palette Color" color image description with the unsigned integer and 2's complement pixel format. Accepted values:

- samples per pixel (attribute 0028, 0002) = 1
- photometric interpretation (attribute 0028,0004) = "PALETTE COLOR"
- pixel representation (attribute 0028, 0103) = 0
- bits allocated (attribute 0028, 0100) = 8 and bits stored (attribute 0028,0101) = 8
- bits allocated (attribute 0028, 0100) = 16 and bits stored (attribute 0028,0101) = 16

high bit (attribute 0028,0102) = 7, 15

Both 8-bit and 16-bit palettes are supported, but NO Segmented Palette Color LUTs.

The WH AWS Multi-modality Viewing application supports the YBR_FULL color image description with the unsigned integer pixel format. Accepted values:

- samples per pixel (attribute 0028, 0002) = 3
- photometric interpretation (attribute 0028,0004) = "YBR_FULL"
- pixel representation (attribute 0028, 0103) = 0
- bits allocated (attribute 0028, 0100) = 8 and bits stored (attribute 0028,0101) = 8
- high bit (attribute 0028,0102) = 7

If WH AWS software is making any persistent changes on a YBR image, the resulting new image will be saved with Photometric Interpretation = "RGB".

5.1.3.1.4 Presentation Context Acceptance Criterion

The WH AWS DICOM application will accept any number of verification or storage SOP classes that are listed above. The number of presentation contexts accepted is limited to the maximum of 127 (DICOM limit). In the event that the WH AWS DICOM application runs out of resources, it will reject the association request.

5.1.3.1.5 Transfer Syntax Selection Policies

The WH AWS DICOM application currently supports

- the Implicit VR Little Endian, the Explicit VR Little Endian and Explicit VR Big Endian Transfer Syntaxes
- the JPEG Lossless Non-hierarchical Transfer Syntax
- the JPEG Baseline and JPEG Extended Transfer Syntaxes (JPEG Lossy).
- the RLE Lossless Transfer Syntax

Any proposed presentation context including one of these Transfer Syntaxes will be accepted. Any proposed presentation context that does not include one of these Transfer Syntaxes will be rejected.

The order of preference in accepting Transfer Syntaxes within Presentation Contexts or Presentation Contexts with single Transfer Syntaxes is:

- 1. JPEG Lossy Extended
- 2. JPEG Lossless non-hierarchical
- 3. JPEG Lossy Baseline
- 4. RLE Lossless
- 5. Explicit VR Little Endian
- 6. Explicit VR Big Endian
- 7. Implicit VR Little Endian

With RLE Lossless Transfer Syntax the WH AWS DICOM application will decompress the image before storing it into the database.

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With Implicit VR Little Endian Transfer Syntax the WH AWS DICOM application will remove any Private Attributes not known to the application. Decision on removal of a Private Element is done if there is NO entry in the attribute-dictionary of the WH AWS DICOM application.

Therefore any Explicit VR Transfer Syntax shall preferably be used by the Storage SCU's when sending Composite Image Instances to the WH AWS DICOM application.

6 Implementation Model Storage Commitment

The Storage Commitment service class defines an application-level class of service which facilitates the commitment to storage. It performs an additional task of commitment of composite objects apart from the network based storage of images as defined by the Storage Service class. The WH AWS DICOM implementation supports the Storage Commitment Push Model as SCU and SCP.

6.1 Application Data Flow Diagram

The WH AWS DICOM network implementation acts as SCU for the Storage Commitment Push Model Service using the Storage Commitment Service Class. The product target Operating System is Windows XP.

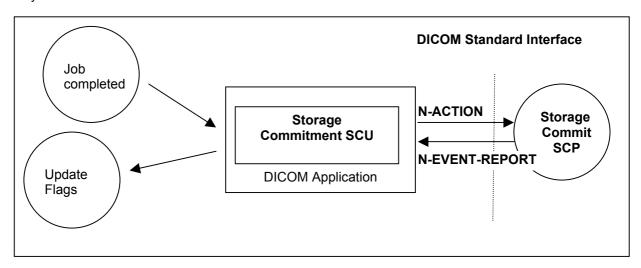


Figure 3: Application Data Flow Diagram - Storage Commitment SCU

6.2 Functional Definitions of Application Entities

With each successfully completed send job to a node that is configured to be a Storage Commitment SCP, the WH AWS DICOM Application will create a Storage Commitment Push Model Identifier from the SOP Instances sent. Then an a Storage Commit Request is triggered. Depending on configuration, the WH AWS DICOM application will keep the association open for responses with a configurable time-out, or closes the association and expects responses on a different association that has to be establishes by the remote Storage Commitment SCP.

The commitment status derived from the related trigger response will be indicated in the related Status Flags of the related entity. It is possible to create triggers ("auto rules") from this event.

The Transaction UIDs of the pending commitment request are kept "open" for a configurable amount in time (default: 1h). If the "open time" for a pending commitment request has elapsed w/o a related response from the provider, the Transaction UID is removed and the related entities are indicated as "commit failed".

In any case, commitment will only be requested for previously and successfully sent images.

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6.3 Sequencing of real World Activities

The Storage Commitment trigger is automatically derived from the successful completion of a Send Job.

7 AE Specification Storage Commitment

7.1 Storage Commitment AE Specification

SIEMENS WH AWS DICOM application provides Standard Conformance to the following DICOMV3.0 SOPClass as an SCU:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
Storage Commitment Push Model	1.2.840.10008.1.20.1

7.1.1 Association Establishment Policies

7.1.1.1 General

With a Send Job successfully completed to a node that is configured to be a Storage Commitment SCP, the DICOM application will generate an Storage Commitment Identifier which references to all Instances of the processed job. The Commit Request is then sent over a single opened association. The WH AWS will wait for Status responses of the Storage Commitment Request. If the Provider accepts the Storage Commitment with Success Status, the generated Transaction UID, together with study identification data and a time-stamp, is kept. Depending on configuration, the association is closed when the configured time-out has elapsed or a response was received before. If the association is closed before a response was received, the response is then expected on a different association. Multiple Storage Commitment Requests can be pending.

The default PDU size used will be 28 KB.

7.1.1.2 Number of Associations

The WH AWS DICOM application initiates several associations at a time, one for each destination to which a transfer request is being processed in the active job queue list.

The WH AWS DICOM application is able to accept multiple associations at a time. It can handle up to 10 associations in parallel.

7.1.1.3 Asynchronous Nature

The WH AWS DICOM software does not support asynchronous communication (multiple outstanding transactions over a single association).

7.1.1.4 Implementation Identifying Information

Implementation Class UID	1.3.12.2.1107.5.12
Implementation Version Name	"SIEMENS_AWSVA10A"

7.1.2 Association Initiation Policy

The WH AWS DICOM Application Entity acts as a Service Class User (SCU) for the

 Storage Commtiment Push Model Service Class (to request commitment for storage of instances previously sent).

To do so, the WH AWS will issue a

- N-ACTION DIMSE to request commitment or a
- N-EVENT-REPORT DIMSE to respond to a received storage commitment request and the association was closed by the remote system prior to response.

7.1.2.1 Real World Activity – Storage Commitment

7.1.2.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Job Completed

The WH AWS Storage Commitment application sends the commit request (N-ACTION-RQ) message and waits for acceptance of this request (N-ACTION-RSP). After receiving this, the transaction is marked as "waiting".

Depending on a configuration value, the association will then be closed or kept open. In the first case, there is another configurable timeout giving the number of hours (h) and minutes (m) (by default 1h:0m) to wait for the corresponding commit response (N-EVENT-REPORT). In the second case, this time is the (also configurable) time-out for the association. For both cases, if the commit response (N-EVENT-REPORT) does not arrive during the configured time, the transaction will be marked as failed. The WH AWS does not re-send objects from a failed Storage Commintment result in any case.

If the commit response (N-EVENT-REPORT) received has the status of "complete - failure exists", the transaction is marked as failed, else the transaction is marked as "completed"; In both cases, a message is shown to the user.

7.1.2.1.2 Proposed Presentation Contexts - Job Completed

The WH AWS DICOM application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table						
Abstra	ct Syntax	Transfer Syntax			Ext.	
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.	
Storage Commitment Push Model	1.2.840.10008.1.20.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None	

7.1.2.1.3 SOP Specific Conformance Statement- Job Completed

Storage Commitment is supported for all the SOP class UIDs as mentioned in 'Acceptable presentation contexts - Storage' in the Storage SCP section of this document.

The Referenced Study Component Sequence is not supported.

Storage Media File-Set ID and UID Attributes will not be supported in the commitment request (N-ACTION primitive) invoked by the Storage Commitment SCU.

7.1.2.1.4 Associated Real-World Activity - Send Commit Response

Acting as an Storage Commitment Provider, the WH AWS Storage Commitment AE received an Storage Commitment request, carried out the request, and is ready to send back the response, but the association is not open anymore. In this case it will by itself initiate an association to send the storage commitment response (N-EVENT-REPORT) to the SCU.

7.1.2.1.5 Proposed Presentation Contexts - Send Commitment Response

The Siemens WH AWS DICOM application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table						
Abstra	ct Syntax	Transfer Syntax			Ext.	
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.	
Storage Commitment Push Model	1.2.840.10008.1.20.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCP	None	

7.1.2.1.6 SOP Specific Conformance Statement - Send Commitment Response

Storage Media File-Set ID and UID Attributes will not be supported in the N-EVENT-REPORT primitive invoked by the Storage Commitment SCP.

7.1.3 Association Acceptance Policy

The WH AWS DICOM Application Entity acts as a Service Class Provider (SCP) for the

 Storage Commitment Push Model Service Class (Give a commitment to store previously received instances).

To do so, the WH AWS attempts to accept a

- N-ACTION DIMSE to receive a commitment request for the instance included or a
- N-EVENT-REPORT DIMSE to receive a storage commitment response from a previous request and the SCP behavior requires a different association than the commit request.

7.1.3.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Commit SCU

7.1.3.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Update Flags

The WH AWS Storage Commitment DICOM Application has sent a Storage Commitment Request and, being configured to receive response on a separate association, has closed the association, and now it gets an association request from the Storage Commitment SCP that want to send the results. The WH AWS DICOM application will await Storage commitment Notification triggers. Any incoming Notification will be checked for validity, that is, if the related Transaction UID is still part of the Pending Request Queue.

If the Notification is valid, the Notification Identifier is evaluated and the related Instances marked with the related status. The over-all Commit Status of the higher Information Entities is derived from propagation of the States of all Image entities included in a study.

The Status Flags directly affected by Storage Commitment results and indicated in the different entities of the Patient Browser list can be one of

- "AC" or "SC" Successful Commitment, A means archived to configured Archive destination, whereas S means sent to any other destination
- "Af" of "Sf" Commitment failed.
- "A?" or "S?" Commitment request is sent, response is pending.

In case of failure the user has to repeat the transfer of images to the Archive destination. Another Storage Commitment will be performed after sending is completed successfully.

7.1.3.1.2 Accepted Presentation Contexts - Update Flags

The Siemens WH AWS DICOM application will accept Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table						
Abstra	t Syntax Transfer Syntax				Ext.	
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.	
Storage Commitment Push Model	1.2.840.10008.1.20.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None	

7.1.3.1.3 SOP-specific Conformance Statement - Update Flags

If the Commitment response (N-EVENT-REPORT) received has the status of "complete - failure exists", the transaction is marked as failed, else the transaction is marked as "completed"; In both cases, a message is shown to the user.

The related status flags are set for the committed images in the local database.

The WH AWS DICOM application will NOT support the Storage Media File Set ID attributes.

8 Implementation Model Query / Retrieve

The query/retrieve service class defines an application-level class of services which facilitates the management of images and patient data against the well-defined information model of DICOM and allows a DICOM AE to retrieve images from a remote DICOM node or to request a remote DICOM AE to initiate a transfer of images to another DICOM AE. The WH AWS DICOM query/retrieve application supports the query/retrieve services to act as SCU and SCP.

8.1 Application Data Flow Diagram

The WH AWS DICOM network implementation acts as SCU and SCP for the query/retrieve network service. The product target Operating System is Windows XP[®].

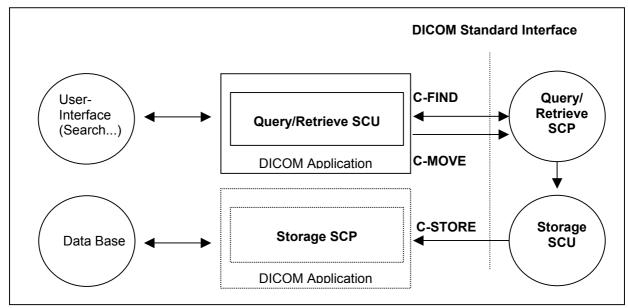


Figure 4: WH AWS Application Data Flow Diagram - Query/Retrieve SCU

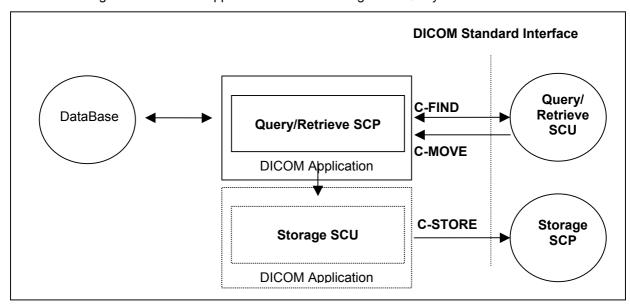


Figure 5: WH AWS Application Data Flow Diagram - Query/Retrieve SCP

8.2 Functional Definitions of Application Entities

The WH AWS DICOM query/retrieve SCU requests the remote query/retrieve SCP to perform a search and match to the keys specified in the request in order to display the results in the WH AWS user interface. Depending on user action (Import) the WH AWS DICOM SCU sends a C-MOVE DIMSE service to initiate a C-STORE sub-operation on the SCP to start an image transfer from remote Storage SCU (running on Query/Retrieve SCP) to the WH AWS Storage SCP.

The WH AWS DICOM query/retrieve SCP responds to C-FIND DIMSE services from remote SCU applications. Depending on further remote request, a C-MOVE involves the WH AWS DICOM query/retrieve SCP application to initiate a C-STORE association (by triggering and parametrizing the own Storage SCU) to send image objects to a remote Storage SCP.

All components of the DICOM query/retrieve SCP application are operating as background server processes. They are existing when the machine is powered on and then respond to queries based on the records stored in its database.

8.3 Sequencing of Real-World Activities

Retrieve of images is only possible if results from a previous "Search..." operation exist and those entities can be selected for "Import".

9 Application Entity Specification Query/Retrieve

9.1 Query/Retrieve Service AEs Specification

The Query/Retrieve SCU requests that the remote SCP performs a match of all keys specified in the request, against the information in its database and the identified images will be moved over a different (C-MOVE) storage association.

The Query/Retrieve SCP responds to queries based on the records based on its database and images will be sent to the requesting SCU or to a different storage destination.

SIEMENS WH AWS DICOM products provide Standard Conformance to the following DICOM V3.0 SOP Classes as SCU:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
Patient Root Query/Retrieve Information Model - FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.1.1
Patient Root Query/Retrieve Information Model - MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.1.2
Study Root Query/Retrieve Information Model - FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.2.1
Study Root Query/Retrieve Information Model - MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.2.2

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
Patient/Study Only Query/Retrieve Information Model - FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.3.1
Patient/Study Only Query/Retrieve Information Model - MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.3.2

SIEMENS WH AWS DICOM products provide Standard Conformance to the following DICOM V3.0 SOP Classes as an SCP:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
Patient Root Query/Retrieve Information Model - FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.1.1
Patient Root Query/Retrieve Information Model - MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.1.2
Study Root Query/Retrieve Information Model - FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.2.1
Study Root Query/Retrieve Information Model - MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.2.2
Patient/Study Only Query/Retrieve Information Model - FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.3.1
Patient/Study Only Query/Retrieve Information Model – MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.3.2

Note: See also the Storage DICOM Conformance Statement of the WH AWS DICOM application to compare for conformance of the C-STORE sub-operation generated by the C-MOVE DIMSE services. Furthermore compare the supported Storage Service SOP classes described in the Storage DICOM Conformance Statement of the Modality to which the images shall be transferred to.

9.1.1 Association Establishment Policies

9.1.1.1 General

With the "Search..." function the query data are input and the DICOM query/retrieve application is started. A query request will be sent out to one remote node that can be selected from a list of configured Query Providers and the response data will be displayed for the user. Upon request (Import), the retrieval of selected items is initiated.

The default PDU size used will be 28 KB.

9.1.1.2 Number of Associations

The WH AWS DICOM application initiates several associations at a time, one for each destination to which a transfer request is being processed in the active job queue list.

The WH AWS DICOM application is able to accept multiple associations at a time. It can handle up to 10 associations in parallel.

9.1.1.3 Asynchronous Nature

The WH AWS DICOM software does not support asynchronous communication (multiple outstanding transactions over a single association).

9.1.1.4 Implementation Identifying Information

Implementation Class UID	1.3.12.2.1107.5.12
Implementation Version Name	"SIEMENS_AWSVA10A"

9.1.2 Association Initiation Policy

The query user interface will request the query-data from user and triggers one C-FIND request to the selected remote node. The response data will be displayed in the query UI for further data navigation.

When requesting Import of related items the browser requests the retrieve application to send a C-MOVE request to the related remote node. Images will then be received by the Storage SCP as described in the related section.

9.1.2.1 Real World Activity - Find SCU

9.1.2.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Find SCU "Search"

The associated Real-World activity is to fill out a query form with search data and pass it as query to the network application which issues a C-FIND over a previously built association. The remote SCP will respond with related data-entries that will be passed to a browser application. When data transfer is finished the association is closed.

9.1.2.1.2 Proposed Presentation Contexts - Find SCU

The WH AWS DICOM application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

	Presentation Context Table						
Abstra	ct Syntax	x Transfer Syntax			Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List UID List		Role	Neg.		
Patient Root Query/Retrieve Model - FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.1.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None		
Study Root Query/Retrieve Model – FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.2.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None		

It is configurable which of the two query models (or both) are to be used by the WH AWS DICOM Query SCU application. If both Abstract Syntaxes are configured, The C-FIND SCU will use the Patient Root Model only for C-FIND requests on PATIENT level. For all other levels it will use the STUDY root model.

Presentation Context Table						
Abstract Syntax Transfer Syntax				Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List UID List		Role	Neg.	
Patient/Study Only Query/Retrieve Model – FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.3.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None	

9.1.2.1.3 Conformance Statement - Find SCU

The WH AWS DICOM Query/Retrieve SCU supports hierarchical queries with all mandatory search keys. The interactive querying of attributes on IMAGE level is not supported by the Query SCU, hence retrieval of individual Objects is possible. The following table describes the search keys for the different query models that the SCU supports. Matching is either wildcard, which means that the user can supply a string containing wildcards, or universal, which means that the attribute is requested as return value.

Attribute name	Tag	Туре	Matching	User input	return value display
Patient Level ^a					
Patient Name	(0010,0010)	R	Wildcard ^b	enter value	yes
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	U	Wildcard ^b	enter value	yes
Patient's Birth date	(0010,0030)	О	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	О	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Number of Patient	(0020,1200)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes ^c
related Studies					
Number of Patient	(0020,1202)	О	universal (Null)	-	no
related Series Number of Patient related Instances	(0020,1204)	0	universal (Null)	-	no
Study Level					
Patient Named	(0010,0010)	R	Wildcard ^b	enter value	yes
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	R	Wildcard ^b	enter value	yes
Patient's Birth date d	(0010,0030)	О	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Patient's Sex d	(0010,0040)	О	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	U	single value	-	yes
Study ID	(0020,0010)	R	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Study Date	(0008,0020)	R	universal (Null)	enter valuee	yes
Study Time	(0008,0030)	R	universal (Null)	-	yes
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	R	universal (Null)	-	yes
Study Description	(0008,1030)	О	universal (Null)		yes
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
Name of Physician Reading Study	(0008,1060)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
Modalities in Study	(0008,0061)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
	(0008,0130)	О	universal (Null)	-	no
Retrieve AE Title	(0008,0054)	О	universal (Null)	-	no
Number of Study related Series	(0020,1206)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes ^f

a Patient Root Information Model only

b Always a '*" is appended to the user-supplied string

c Implicitely visualized in the UI if no study and series search attributes have been entered

d Study Root Information Model only

e Date range also possible

f Implicitely if no series search attributes have been entered

Attribute name	Tag	Туре	Matching	User input	return value display
Number of Study	(0020,1208)	О	universal (Null)	-	no
related Instances					
Series Level		1			1
Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	U	single value	-	yes
Series Number	(0020,0011)	R	universal (Null)	-	yes
Modality	(0008,0060)	R	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Series Date	(0008,0021)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
Series Time	(0008,0031)	0	universal (Null)		yes
Series Description	(0008,103E)	О	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Body Part Examined	(0018,0015)	О	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Performing Physician	(0008,1050)	О	universal (Null)	enter value	yes
Storage Media File- Set ID	(0008,0130)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
Retrieve AE Title	(0008,0054)	0	universal (Null)	-	yes
Protocol Name	(0018,1030)	О	universal (Null)	-	no
Perf. Procedure Step Start Date	(0040,0244)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
Perf. Procedure Step Start Time	(0040,0245)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
Requested Attribute Sequence	(0040,0275)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
> Requested Procedure ID	(0040,1001)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
> Scheduled Procedure ID	(0040,0009)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
Number of Series related Instances	(0020,1209)	О	universal (Null)	-	yes
Image Level					
SOP Instance UID	(0008,0018)	U	single value	-	no
Image Number	(0020,0013)	R	universal (Null)	-	yes
Storage Media File- Set ID	(0008,0130)	О	universal (Null)	-	no
Retrieve AE Title	(0008,0054)	0	universal (Null)		no
Instance Date	(0008,0023)	0	universal (Null)	-	no
Instance Time	(0008,0033)	0	universal (Null)	-	no
	(0028,0008)	0	universal (Null)	-	yes
Image Comments	(0020,4000)	0	universal (Null)	-	no

The Find SCU interprets following status codes:

C-FIND response status

Service Status	Meaning	Protocol Codes	Related Fields
Refused	Out of Resources	A700	(0000,0902)
Failed	Identifier does not match SOP Class	A900	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
	Unable to process	Cxxx	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
Cancel	Matching terminated due to Cancel request	FE00	None
Success	Matching is complete - No final Identifier is supplied	0000	None
Pending	Matches are continuing - Current Match is supplied and any Optional Keys were supported in the same manner as Required Keys	FF00	Identifier
	Matches are continuing - Warning that one or more Optional Keys were not supported for existence and/or matching for this identifier	FF01	Identifier

9.1.2.2 Real-World Activity – Move SCU

9.1.2.2.1 Associated Real-World Activity – Move SCU "Import"

When selecting a data entry in the Query UI and activate the "Import" function, a retrieval request is passed to the archival application which issues a C-MOVE service according to the Patient Root or Study Root query model. (The Storage Service Class Conformance Statement describes the C-STORE service, which is generated by processing the C-MOVE service.)

The transferred image data are processed as described in the storage class SCP descriptions.

The possibility to request the remote C-MOVE provider (remote application that responded to the C-FIND) to move data to an application entity other than the C-MOVE SCU (the WH AWS DICOM application) is NOT USED.

C-MOVE operation on Patient Level is not supported by the Query UI.

9.1.2.2.2 Proposed Presentation Contexts - Move SCU "Import"

The WH AWS DICOM application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table						
Abstract Syntax Transfer Syntax				Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List UID List		Role	Neg.	
Patient Root Query/Retrieve Model – MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.1.2	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None	
Study Root Query/Retrieve Model – MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.2.2	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None	

Note: C-MOVE extended negotiation will not be supported by the SCU

Presentation Context Table						
Abstract Syntax Transfer Syntax				Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List UID List		Role	Neg.	
Patient/Study OnlyQuery/Retrieve Model – MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.3.2	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None	

9.1.2.2.3 SOP Specific Conformance Statement - Move SCU "Import"

At association establishment time the C-MOVE presentation context shall be negotiated. The C-STORE sub-operations must be done on a different association to transfer images to the own Storage Service Class SCP.

The Move SCU interprets following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes	Related Fields
Refused	Out of Resources - Unable to calculate number of matches	A701	(0000,0902)
	Out of Resources - Unable to perform sub operations	A702	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)
Failed	Identifier does not match SOP Class	A900	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
	Unable to process	CXXX	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
Cancel	Sub-operations terminated due to Cancel Indication	FE00	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)
Warning	Sub-operations Complete - One or more Failures or Warnings	B000	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)
Success	Sub-operations Complete - No Failures or Warning	0000	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)
Pending	Sub-operations are continuing	FF00	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)

9.1.3 Association Acceptance Policy

The WH AWS DICOM application will accept associations for the following DIMSE-C operations as SCP:

- C-FIND
- C-MOVE
- C-FIND-CANCEL
- C-MOVE-CANCEL

9.1.3.1 Real-World Activity - Find SCP

9.1.3.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Find SCP

The associated Real-World activity is to respond query requests to an SCU with the query model Patient Root, Study Root and Patient/Study Only. Relational retrieve operation is NOT supported. With a C-FIND-CANCEL request the running query can be canceled at any time.

Multiple C-FIND requests over the same association are supported.

9.1.3.1.2 Accepted Presentation Contexts - Find SCP

The WH AWS DICOM application will accept Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table					
Abstra	ct Syntax	Transfer Syntax			Ext.
Name	UID	Name List UID List		Role	Neg.
Patient Root Query/Retrieve Model – FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.1.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCP	None
Study Root Query/Retrieve Model – FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.2.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCP	None
Patient/Study Only Query/Retrieve Model – FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.3.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCP	None

Note: C-FIND Extended Negotiation will NOT be supported.

The order of preference for accepting Transfer Syntaxes is: 1. Explicit VR Little Endian, 2. Explicit VR Big Endian, 3. Implicit VR Little Endian

9.1.3.1.3 SOP Specific Conformance Statement - Find SCP

The WH AWS DICOM Query/Retrieve SCP supports hierarchical queries with all mandatory and optional search keys.

The query attribute contents will be treated case-sensitive.

With wildcard queries the symbol "?" is treated as "*" by the C-FIND SCP application. As a consequence the query string of "?abc*" will be processed as "*abc*".

If the value for the patient-level unique key "Patient ID" is not known, it may be returned with zero length. The attribute "Image Comments" will not be included in the C-FIND-RSP, if it is not set in the DB, even if it was requested as return key in the related C-FIND-RQ.

Usage of Storage Media File-Set ID, Retrieve AE Title with C-FIND-RSP message:

- The Storage Media File-Set ID if existent can be returned at Study/Series/Image Level.
 Only on Image Level, the values of ONLINE, NEARLINE of OFFLINE are returned to indicate the Storage Location of the related Instance.
- The Retrieve AE Title if existent can only be returned at Image Level (for Patient Root and Study Root models) or Study Level (for Patient/Study Only model).

Relational Queries are **not** supported.

A remote DICOM AE can cancel the running query by sending a C-FIND-CANCEL. Matches are possibly continuing (more C-FIND response with status PENDING) until the cancel operation has completed.

The supported attributes on the various query levels of the three supported information models are list in the tables of the following sections.

9.1.3.1.3.1 Patient Root Information Model

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Matching
Patient Level			
Patient Name	(0010,0010)	R	single value, wildcard, universal
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	U	single value, wildcard, universal
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	0	single value, range, universal
Patient's Birth Time	(0010,0032)	0	single value, range, universal
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	0	single value, wildcard, universal
Ethnic Group	(0010,2160)	0	single value, wildcard, universal
Patient Comments	(0010,4000)	0	wildcard, universal
Number of Patient related Studies	(0020,1200)	0	universal
Number of Patient related Series	(0020,1202)	0	universal
Number of Patient related Instances	(0020,1204)	О	universal
Study Level			
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	U	single value, list of UIDs
Study ID	(0020,0010)	R	single value, wildcard, universal
Study Date	(0008,0020)	R	single value, range, universal
Study Time	(0008,0030)	R	single value, range, universal
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	R	single value, wildcard, universal
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	0	single value, wildcard, universal
Study Description	(0008,1030)	0	single value, wildcard, universal
Admitting Diagnoses Description	(0008,1080)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Patient's Age	(0010,1010)	0	single value, wildcard, universal
Patient's Size	(0010,1020)	0	single value, universal
Patient's Weight	(0010,1030)	0	single value, universal
Occupation	(0010,2180)	0	single value, wildcard, universal
Additional Patient History	(0010,21B0)	0	wildcard, universal
Name of Physician reading Study	(0008,1060)	0	single value, wildcard, universal
Modalities in Study	(0008,0061)	0	multiple values, universal
Number of Study related Series	(0020,1206)	0	universal
Number of Study related Instances	(0020,1208)	0	universal
Series Level		<u> </u>	
Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	U	single value, list of UID
Series Number	(0020,0011)	R	single value, universal
Modality	(0008,0060)	R	single value, wildcard, universal
Laterality	(0020,0060)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Body Part Examined	(0018,0015)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Patient Position	(0018,5100)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Smallest Pixel Value in Series	(0028,0108)	0	single value, universal
Largest Pixel Value in Series	(0028,0109)	0	single value, universal

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Matching
Protocol Name	(0018,1030)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Series Date	(0008,0021)	О	single value, range, universal
Series Time	(0008,0031)	О	single value, range, universal
Series Description	(0008,103E)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Operators Name	(0008,1070)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Performing Physician's Name	(0008,1050)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Perf. Procedure Step Start Date	(0040,0244)	О	universal
Perf. Procedure Step Start Time	(0040,0245)	О	universal
Number of Series related Instances	(0020,1209)	О	universal
Imags Level			
SOP Instance UID	(0008,0018)	U	single value, list of UID
Image Number	(0020,0013)	R	single value, universal
Image Date	(0008,0023)	О	single value, range, universal
Image Time	(0008,0033)	О	single value, range, universal
Modality	(0008,0060)	О	single value, wildcard, universal
Image Comments	(0020,4000)	О	Universal

Supported Query attributes sorted by Query Level – Patient Root Information Model

9.1.3.1.3.2 Study Root Information Model

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Matching		
Study Level	_				
Patient Name	(0010,0010)	R	Single value, Wildcard, universal		
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	R	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	0	Single Value, Range, universal		
Patient's Birth Time	(0010,0032)	0	Single Value, Range, universal		
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Patient Comments	(0010,4000)	0	Wildcard, universal		
Number of Patient related Studies	(0020,1200)	0	universal		
Number of Patient related Series	(0020,1202)	0	universal		
Number of Patient related Instances	(0020,1204)	0	universal		
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	U	Single Value, List of UIDs		
Study ID	(0020,0010)	R	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Study Date	(0008,0020)	R	Single Value, Range, universal		
Study Time	(0008,0030)	R	Single Value, Range, universal		
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	R	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Study Description	(0008,1030)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Admitting Diagnosis Description	(0008,1080)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Patient's Age	(0010,1010)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Patient's Size	(0010,1020)	0	Single Value, universal		
Patient's Weight	(0010,1030)	0	Single Value, universal		
Occupation	(0010,2180)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Additional Patient History	(0010,21B0)	0	Wildcard, universal		
Name of Physician reading the Study	(0008,1060)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal		
Modalities in Study	(0008,0061)	0	Multiple values, universal		
Number of Study Related Series	(0020,1206)	0	universal		
Number of Study Related Instances	(0020,1208)	0	universal		
Series Level	Series Level				
Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	U	Single Value, List of UIDs		
Series Number	(0020,0011)	R	Single Value, universal		

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Matching
Modality	(0008,0060)	R	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Laterality	(0020,0060)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Body Part Examined	(0018,0015)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Patient Position	(0018,5100)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Smallest Pixel Value in Series	(0028,0108)	0	Single Value, universal
Largest Pixel Value in Series	(0028,0109)	0	Single Value, universal
Protocol Name	(0018,1030)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Series Date	(0008,0021)	0	Single Value, Range, universal
Series Time	(0008,0031)	0	Single Value, Range, universal
Series Description	(0008,103E)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Operator's Name	(0008,1070)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Performing Physician's Name	(0008,1050)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Performed Procedure Step Start Date	(0040,0244)	0	universal
Performed Procedure Step Start Time	(0040,0245)	0	universal
Number of Series related Instances	(0020,1209)	0	universal
Image Level			
SOP Instance UID	(0008,0018)	U	Single Value, List of UIDs
Image Number	(0020,0013)	R	Single Value, universal
Image Date	(0008,0023)	0	Single Value, Range, universal
Image Time	(0008,0033)	0	Single Value, Range, universal
Modality	(0008,0060)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Image Comments	(0020,4000)	0	universal

Supported Query attributes sorted by Query Level – Study Root Information Model

9.1.3.1.3.3 Patient/Study Only Information Model

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Matching
Patient Level			
Patient Name	(0010,0010)	R	Single value, Wildcard, universal
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	U	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	0	Single Value, Range, universal
Patient's Birth Time	(0010,0032)	0	Single Value, Range, universal
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Ethnic Group	(0010,2160)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Patient Comments	(0010,4000)	0	Wildcard, universal
Number of Patient related Studies	(0020,1200)	0	universal
Number of Patient related Series	(0020,1202)	0	universal
Number of Patient related Instances	(0020,1204)	0	universal
Study Level			
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	U	Single Value, List of UIDs
Study ID	(0020,0010)	R	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Study Date	(0008,0020)	R	Single Value, Range, universal
Study Time	(0008,0030)	R	Single Value, Range, universal
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	R	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Study Description	(0008,1030)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Admitting Diagnosis Description	(0008,1080)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Patient's Age	(0010,1010)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Patient's Size	(0010,1020)	0	Single Value, universal
Patient's Weight	(0010,1030)	0	Single Value, universal
Occupation	(0010,2180)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Additional Patient History	(0010,21B0)	0	Wildcard, universal
Name of Physician reading the Study	(0008,1060)	0	Single Value, Wildcard, universal
Modalities in Study	(0008,0061)	0	Multiple values, universal

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Matching
Number of Study Related Series	(0020,1206)	0	universal
Number of Study Related Instances	(0020,1208)	0	universal

Supported Query attributes sorted by Query Level – Patient/Study Only Information Model

The Find SCP returns following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes	Related Fields
Refused	Out of Resources	A700	(0000,0902)
Failed	Identifier does not match SOP Class	A900	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
	Unable to process	C001	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
Cancel	Matching terminated due to Cancel request	FE00	None
Success	Matching is complete - No final Identifier is supplied	0000	None
Pending	Matches are continuing - Current Match is supplied and any Optional Keys were supported in the same manner as Required Keys	FF00	Identifier
	Matches are continuing - Warning that one or more Optional Keys were not supported for existence and/or matching for this identifier	FF01	Identifier

9.1.3.2 Real-World Activity - Move SCP

9.1.3.2.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Move SCP

The associated Real-World activity is to respond to retrieve requests to an SCU. The SCP supports the query model Patient Root, Study Root and Patient/Study Only. The Storage Service Class Conformance Statement describes the C-STORE service, which is generated by the C-MOVE service. Relational retrieve operation is NOT supported.

Multiple C-MOVE requests over the same association are NOT supported.

9.1.3.2.2 Accepted Presentation Contexts - Move SCP

The WH AWS DICOM application will accept Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table					
Abstra	ct Syntax	Transfer Syntax			Ext.
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.
Patient Root Query/Retrieve Model – MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.1.2	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCP	None
Study Root Query/Retrieve Model – MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.2.2	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCP	None
Patient/Study Only Query/Retrieve Model – MOVE	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.2.3.2	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCP	None

Note: C-MOVE Extended negotiation will NOT be supported.

The order of preference for accepting Transfer Syntaxes is: 1. Explict VR Little Endian, 2. Explicit VR Big Endian, 3. Implicit VR Little Endian.

9.1.3.2.3 SOP Specific Conformance Statement - Move SCP

At association establishment time the C-MOVE presentation context shall be negotiated. The C-STORE sub-operations is done on a different association, specified in the C-MOVE request, to transfer images to a remote SCP of the Storage Service Class. Relational retrieve operation is NOT supported.

All unique keys have to be supplied according to the selected Query/Retrieve Level. The related tables in the C-FIND SCP section will give information about "U" marked key attributes.

The Move SCP returns following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes	Related Fields
Refused	Out of Resources - Unable to calculate number of matches	A701	(0000,0902)
	Out of Resources - Unable to perform sub operations	A702	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)
Failed	Identifier does not match SOP Class	A900	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
	Unable to process	C001	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
Cancel	Sub-operations terminated due to Cancel Indication	FE00	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)
Warning	Sub-operations Complete - One or more Failures of Warnings	B000	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)
Success	Sub-operations Complete - No Failures or Warning	0000	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)
Pending	Sub-operations are continuing	FF00	(0000,1020) (0000,1021) (0000,1022) (0000,1023)

10 Implementation Model Print

The Print Management Service Classes define an application-level class of services, which facilitate the printing of images on a hardcopy medium. The print management SCU and print management SCP are peer DICOM print management application entities. The *syngo* DICOM print application supports the print management DIMSE services to act as SCU.

10.1 Application Data Flow Diagram

The *syngo* DICOM network implementation acts as SCU for the print management network service. The product target Operating System is Windows XP[®].

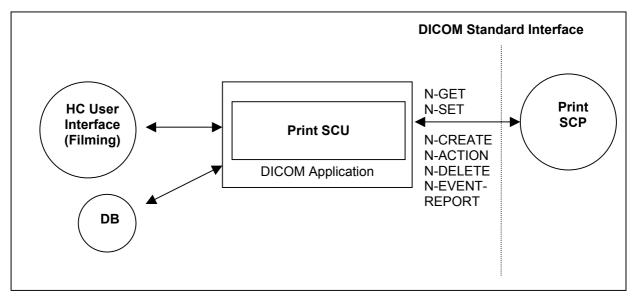


Figure 6: DICOM Application Data Flow Diagram – Print SCU

10.2 Functional Definition of Application Entities

The Print SCU is invoked by the user interface to setup film-sheet layout and whenever an image is ready to be printed on film. The Print SCU will hold and maintain all data needed to compile a complete film-sheet from the data (images, layout, configuration) received. Whenever a film-sheet is ready to print the related data is used to supply the Information to the SOP Classes of the Print Management Service Class. A queue is maintained, in order to intermediately store several film-sheets in case of resource problems on printer. The SCU will only supply and require the mandatory SOP Classes of the Print Management Service Class.

10.3 Sequencing of Real-World Activities

Not applicable

11 Application Entity Specification Print

11.1 Print Management AE Specification

The *syngo* print management SCU (HCS) invokes print management DIMSE services to transfer images from the local AE to the remote SCP AE to print images with defined layout on a selected network-based DICOM hardcopy printer. This is done in an "full-page" print mode.

SIEMENS *syngo* DICOM products provide Standard Conformance to the following DICOM V3.0 Print Management Meta SOP Classes as an SCU:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
Basic Grayscale Print Management Meta SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.9
- Basic Film Session SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.1
- Basic Film Box SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.2
- Basic Grayscale Image Box SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.4
- Printer SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.16
Print Job SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.14
Presentation LUT SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.23

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
Basic Color Print Management Meta SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.18
- Basic Film Session SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.1
- Basic Film Box SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.2
- Basic Color Image Box SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.4.1
- Printer SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.16
Print Job SOP Class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.14

11.1.1 Association Establishment Policies

11.1.1.1 General

Whenever a film is completely set up and printed by command or automatism, the job is prepared for processing. As soon as the queue is ready to process the job is activated and worked according the processing data. The related Print application will initiate an association to the print destination and process the printing of the related information.

The default PDU size used will be 28 KB.

11.1.1.2 Number of Associations

The *syngo* DICOM Print application initiates one association at a time for each different print device configured.

11.1.1.3 Asynchronous Nature

The *syngo* DICOM software does not support asynchronous communication (multiple outstanding transactions over a single association).

11.1.1.4 Implementation Identifying Information

Implementation Class UID	1.2.12.2.1107.5.12
Implementation Version Name	"SIEMENS_AWSVA10A"

11.1.2 Association Initiation Policy

Triggered by the Print job queue the Print Management SCU establishes an association by using the DICOM association services. With the help of the N-GET request for the Printer SOP Class the Status is determined before printing.

With no problem encountered with the N-CREATE/N-SET Services for the related Basic Print SOP Classes the film sheet is set up for printing and the image(s) is(are) transferred to the printer device.

After the last film is printed from queue, the Print application will leave open the association for another 60 seconds. If a new film job is ready for printing within this time-limit, the job will be immediately processed over the still open association. If there is no new job, the association is closed if the time-out elapsed. This is done to optimize automated printing.

During the "idle-time" (no open association to printer) the Print application will issue a cyclic camera status request (using N-GET of Printer SOP Class) every 5 minutes.

11.1.2.1 Associated Real-World Activity

11.1.2.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity – Printing a Printer Job Queue Entry

Whenever a film-sheet is prepared by the user, it is forwarded to the Printer Job queue. As soon as the associated Printer device is available the job is activated and association is set up.

The film sheet is internally processed, converted to a Standard/1-1 page and then the page image is sent. Status is controlled by awaiting any N-EVENT message all through the transfer until the last image or film-sheet is sent.

If the response from the remote application contains a status other than Success or Warning the association is aborted.

11.1.2.1.2 Proposed Presentation Context (Presentation Context Table)

The Siemens *syngo* DICOM Print application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table					
Abstra	Abstract Syntax Transfer Syntax		-	Ext.	
Name	UID	Name List	UID List	Role	Neg.
Basic Grayscale Print Management Meta SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.9	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Basic Color Print Management Meta SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.18	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Basic film session SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Basic Film Box SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.2	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Basic Grayscale Image Box SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.4	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Basic Color Image Box SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.4.1	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Printer SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.16	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Print Job SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.14	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None
Presentation LUT SOP class	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.23	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None

11.1.2.1.3 SOP specific Conformance Statement – Meta SOP Classes

The *syngo* DICOM print management SCU conforms to the DICOM Basic Grayscale Print Management Meta SOP Class and the Basic Color Print Management Meta SOP Class.

The application uses a setting platform to define the properties of the connected DICOM SCP, e.g.:

- maximum number of print jobs in the queue
- maximum number of print copies
- · supported film sizes of the connected DICOM SCP
- supported film formats of the DICOM SCP
- lookup table definition.

The printing is only suspended in the case of a failure return status of the SCP.

11.1.2.1.3.1 Basic Film Session SOP class

The Basic Film Session information object definition describes all the user-defined parameters, which are common for all the films of a film session. The Basic Film Session refers to one or more Basic Film Boxes and that are printed on one hardcopy printer.

The *syngo* DICOM print management SCU supports the following DIMSE Service elements for the Basic Film Session SOP Class as SCU:

N-CREATE, N-DELETE

The Basic Film Session SOP Class N-CREATE-RQ (SCU) uses the following attributes:

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Supported Values
Number of Copies	(2000,0010)	U	1
Medium Type	(2000,0030)	U	BLUE FILM CLEAR FILM PAPER
Film Destination	(2000,0040)	U	MAGAZINE PROCESSOR

The number of Copies sent to the DICOM Printer is always 1, the job is sent n times for n copies.

The affected SOP Instance UID received with N-CREATE-RSP message will be kept internally and used for later requests (e.g. N-DELETE-RQ) on the Basic Film Session – see below:

Attribute Name	Tag	Source of Information
Requested SOP Instance UID	(0000,1000)	Affected SOP Instance UID of N-CREATE-RSP
Requested SOF Instance Oid	→ (0000,1001)	on Basic Film Session

The N-DELETE-RQ on the Basic Film Session SOP Class is used to remove the complete Basic Film Session SOP Instance hierarchy.

The Basic Film Session SOP class interprets the following status codes (from N-CREATE-RSP, N-DELETE-RSP messages):

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes
Failed	Film session SOP instances hierarchy does not contain film box SOP instances	C600
	Unable to create print job, print queue is full	C601
	Image size is larger than images box size	C603
Warning	Memory allocation not supported	B600
	Film session printing is not supported	B601
	Film box does not contain image box (empty page)	B602
Success	Film belonging to the film session are accepted for printing	0000

11.1.2.1.3.2 Basic Film Box SOP class

The Basic Film Box information object definition describes all the user-defined parameter of one film of the film session. The Basic Film Box information description defines the presentation parameters, which are common for all images on a given sheet of film.

The Basic Film Box refers to one or more Image Boxes.

Supported Service Elements as SCU are:

- N-CREATE
- N-ACTION
- N-DELETE

The Basic Film Box SOP class N-CREATE-RQ message uses the following attributes (the actual values for each attribute depend on DICOM printer configuration within the *syngo* DICOM print management SCU):

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Supported Values
Image Display Format	(2010,0010)	M	STANDARD\1,1
Referenced Film Session Sequence	(2010,0500)	M	
> Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	M	1.2.840.10008.5.1.1.1
> Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	M	
Film Orientation	(2010,0040)	M	PORTRAIT
Film Size ID	(2010,0050)	М	8INX10IN, 10INX12IN, 10INX14IN, 11INX14IN,, 14INX14IN, 14INX17IN, 24CMX24CM, 24CMX30CM
Magnification Type	(2010,0060)	М	BILINEAR, CUBIC, NONE, REPLICATE
Border Density	(2010,0100)	U	BLACK, WHITE
Max Density	(2010,0130)	U	0 < Value
Min Density	(2010,0120)	U	0 < Value < 50
Illumination	(2010,015E)	U	0 < Value Required if Presentation LUT is present.
Reflective Ambient Light	(2010,0160)	U	0 < Value Required if Presentation LUT is present.
Referenced Presentation LUT Sequence	(2050,0500)	U	

The N-CREATE-RSP message from the Print SCP includes the Referenced Image Box Sequence with SOP Class/Instance UID pairs which will be kept internally to be further used for the subsequent Basic Image Box SOP Class N-SET-RQ messages.

When all Image Boxes (including parameters) for the film-sheet have been set, the *syngo* DICOM print manager will issue a N-ACTION-RQ message with the SOP Instance UID of the Basic Film Box and the Action Type ID of 1.

The affected SOP Instance UID received with N-CREATE-RSP message will be kept internally and used for later requests (e.g. N-DELETE-RQ) on the Basic Film Box - see below:

Attribute Name	Tag	Source of Information	
Degreeted COD Instance LIID	(0000,1000)	Affected SOP Instance UID of N-CREATE-RSP	
Requested SOP Instance UID	→ (0000,1001)	on Basic Film Box	

The Basic Film Box SOP class interprets the following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes
Failure	Unable to create print job, print queue is full	C602
	Image size is larger than images box size	C603
Warning	Film box does not contain image box (empty page)	B603
	Requested MinDensity or MaxDensity outside of Printer's operating range	B605
Success	Film accepted for printing	0000

11.1.2.1.3.3 Basic Grayscale Image Box SOP Class

The Basic Grayscale Image Box information object definition is the presentation of an image and image related data in the image area of a film. The Basic Image Box information describes the presentation parameters and image pixel data, which apply to a single image of a sheet of film.

The Grayscale Image Box SOP Class uses only the N-SET-RQ with the following attributes:

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Supported Values
Image Position	(2020,0010)	M	1
BASIC Grayscale Image Sequence	(2020,0110)	М	
> Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	М	1
> Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	M	MONOCHROME2
> Rows	(0028,0010)	М	
> Columns	(0028,0011)	М	
> Pixel Aspect Ratio	(0028,0034)	М	
> Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	М	8
> Bits Stored	(0028,0101)	M	8
> High Bit	(0028,0102)	М	7
> Pixel Representation	(0028,0103)	М	0
> Pixel Data	(7FE0,0010)	M	

The Grayscale Image Box SOP class interpret the following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes
Failure	Image contains more pixel than printer can print in Image Box	C603
	Insufficient memory in printer to store the image	C605
Warning	Requested MinDensity or MaxDensity outside of Printer's operating range	B605
Success		0000

11.1.2.1.3.4 Basic Color Image Box SOP Class

The Basic Color Image Box information object definition is the presentation of an image and image related data in the image area of a film. The Basic Image Box information describes the presentation parameters and image pixel data, which apply to a single image of a sheet of film.

The Color Image Box SOP Class uses only the N-SET-RQ with the following attributes:

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Supported Values
Image Position	(2020,0010)	М	1
BASIC Color Image Sequence	(2020,0111)	М	
> Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	М	3
> Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	М	RGB
> Planar Configuration	(0028,0006)	М	0
> Rows	(0028,0010)	М	
> Columns	(0028,0011)	М	
> Pixel Aspect Ratio	(0028,0034)	М	
> Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	М	8
> Bits Stored	(0028,0101)	М	8
> High Bit	(0028,0102)	М	7
> Pixel Representation	(0028,0103)	M	0
> Pixel Data	(7FE0,0010)	М	

The Color Image Box SOP class interpret the following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes
Failure	Image contains more pixel than printer can print in Image Box	C603

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes
	Insufficient memory in printer to store the image	C605
Warning	Image size larger than image box size	B604
Success		0000

11.1.2.1.3.5 Presentation LUT SOP Class

The objective of the Presentation LUT is to realize image hardcopy printing tailored for specific modalities, applications and user preferences.

The output of the Presentation LUT is Presentation Values (P-Values). P-Values are approximately related to human perceptual response. They are intended to facilitate common input for hardcopy. P-Values are intended to be independent of the specific class or characteristics of the hardcopy device.

The Presentation LUT SOP Class uses only the N-CREATE-RQ with the following attributes:

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCU	Supported Values
Presentation LUT Shape	(2050,0020)	U	IDENTITY

The affected SOP Instance UID received with N-CREATE-RSP message will be kept internally and is used for later requests on the Basic Film Box (N-CREATE-RQ) and on the Presentation LUT (N-DELETE-RQ) - see below:

Attribute Name	Tag	Source of Information	
Degreeted COD Instance LIID	(0000,1000)	Affected SOP Instance UID of N-CREATE-RSP	
Requested SOP Instance UID	\rightarrow (0000,1001)	on Presentation LUT	

The Presentation LUT SOP class interprets the following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes
Warning	Requested MinDensity or MaxDensity outside of HCD's operating range. HCD will use its respective minimum or maximum density value instead.	B605
Success	Presentation LUT successfully created	0000

11.1.2.1.3.6 Printer SOP Class

The Printer SOP Class is the possibility to monitor the status of the hardcopy printer in a synchronous and an asynchronous way.

The SCU uses the mandatory N-EVENT Report DIMSE service to monitor the changes of the printer status in an asynchronous way.

It can directly ask the Printer (SCP) for its status or receive Events from the Printer asynchronously:

N-GET as SCU

N-EVENT-REPORT as SCU In both cases the following information is supported:

Used Printer N-EVENT Report attributes

Event-type Name	Event	Attributes	Tag	Usage SCU
Normal	1			

Warning	2	Printer Status Info	(2110,0020)	U
Failure	3	Printer Status Info	(2110,0020)	U

11.1.2.1.3.6.1.1.1 Mandatory Printer N-GET-RSP, N-EVENT-REPORT-RQ attributes

Attribute Name	Tag	Usage SCP	Supported Values
Printer Status	(2110,0010)	М	NORMAL, FAILURE, WARNING
Printer Status Info	(2110,0020)	M	See tables in Annex for details.

Note: For a detailed description on how *syngo* reacts on different printer status messages, please refer to the Annex section "DICOM Print SCU – detailed status displays".

11.1.2.1.3.7 Print Job SOP Class

The Print Job SOP Class is the possibility to monitor the execution of the print process.

The *syngo* DICOM Print Management application supports the optional N-EVENT-REPORT DICMSE Service to receive the changes of the Print Job Status in an asynchronous way.

It can receive Events from the Print SCP asynchronously

Note: syngo does not support receiving N-EVENT from camera during print sessions, normally this is configurable in the camera.

N-EVENT-REPORT The following information is supported:

Used Print Job N-EVENT Report attributes

Event-type Name	Event	Attributes	Tag	Usage SCU
Normal	1	Execution Status Info	(2100,0030)	U
		Print Job ID	(2100,0010)	(Print Queue Management SOP Class not supported)
		Film Session Label	(2000,0050)	U
		Printer Name	(2110,0030)	U
Printing	2	Execution Status Info	(2100,0030)	U
		Print Job ID	(2100,0010)	(Print Queue Management SOP Class not supported)
		Film Session Label	(2000,0050)	U
		Printer Name	(2110,0030)	U
Done	3	Execution Status Info	(2100,0030)	U
		Print Job ID	(2100,0010)	(Print Queue Management SOP Class not supported)
		Film Session Label	(2000,0050)	U
		Printer Name	(2110,0030)	U
Failure	4	Execution Status Info	(2100,0030)	U
		Print Job ID	(2100,0010)	(Print Queue Management SOP Class not supported)
		Film Session Label	(2000,0050)	U
		Printer Name	(2110,0030)	U

Note: For a detailed description on how *syngo* reacts on different printer status messages, please refer to the Annex section "DICOM Print SCU – detailed status displays".

11.1.3 Association Acceptance Policy

Not applicable

12 Implementation Model Worklist

The Basic Worklist Management Service class defines an application-level class of service, which facilitates the transfer of worklists from the information system to the imaging modality. The worklist is queried by the AE and supplies the SCU with the scheduled tasks, which have to be performed on the modality. The WH AWS DICOM worklist application supports the worklist service as SCU.

12.1 Application Data Flow Diagram

The WH AWS DICOM network implementation acts as SCU for the Basic Worklist Service using the Modality Worklist SOP Class. The product target Operating System is Windows XP[®].

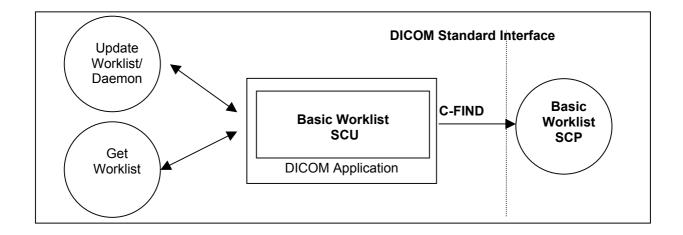


Figure 7: WH AWS Application Flow Diagram - Basic Worklist SCU

12.2 Functional Definitions of Application Entities

The worklist SCU ("broad query") is invoked from the patient browser user interface or by timer to request the worklist from a remote Information System (Modality Worklist Class SCP). This is done to perform a match to the internal worklist query keys specified in the C-Find DIMSE service issued for the Modality Worklist Model.

The worklist SCP responses to the C-FIND query and scheduled imaging service requests (scheduled procedure steps) and patient demographic information will be downloaded from the information system to the WH AWS modality. All information retrieved will be hold in the scheduling database for usage during Patient registration procedure.

Furthermore the patient based Query dialog from the patient browser allows to enter specific matching criteria ("narrow query") for the issue worklist query. With the response data the Patient Registration dialog can be populated according availability within the worklist response identifier.

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12.3 Sequencing of Real-World Activities

The "narrow" (interactive) Worklist Query requires that sufficient matching keys or a unique matching key are/is entered before the query is issued. Only then a single response can be expected to complete the registration dialog.

13 Application Entity Specification Worklist

13.1 Modality Worklist Service AE Specification

The Modality worklist SCU (patient registration in conjunction with the network application) requests that the remote SCP performs a match of all keys specified in the query against the information in its worklist database.

The WH AWS DICOM network implementation acts as SCU for the Basic Worklist Service using the Modality Worklist SOP Class:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
Modality Worklist Information Model - FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.31

13.1.1 Association Establishment Policies

13.1.1.1 General

It is possible to configure a cyclic update of the modality scheduler database through a background worklist request with date/time and modality information.

In addition the user can request worklist update with "Update Worklist". No duplicate entries will be added in the Scheduler DB. Entries are uniquely identified by the Study Instance UID (0020,000D) for the Requested Procedure and the SPS ID (0040,009) in the SPS Sequence (0040,0100).

An interactive worklist query can be issued with search criteria entered in the patient based Query dialog from the patient browser.

The default PDU size used will be 28 KB.

13.1.1.2 Number of Associations

The WH AWS DICOM application initiates one association at a time to query worklist entry data.

13.1.1.3 Asynchronous Nature

The WH AWS DICOM software does not support asynchronous communication (multiple outstanding transactions over a single association).

13.1.1.4 Implementation Identifying Information

Implementation Class UID	1.3.12.2.1107.5.12
Implementation Version Name	"SIEMENS_AWSVA10A"

13.1.2 Association Initiation Policy

The network application will cyclically query the worklist and by request of patient registration interface. Ever then it establishes an association by using the DICOM association services. During association establishment the negotiation of SOP classes to exchange the capabilities of the SCU and the SCP is not supported.

The following DIMSE-C operation is supported as SCU:

C-FIND

13.1.2.1 Real-World Activity

13.1.2.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Query (Update) Worklist

A network application will perform worklist queries with the C-FIND request at regular intervals. In addition it can be triggered by immediate request. The received worklist items will be compared with the contents of the local scheduler database. New items will be inserted into scheduler database.

After each broad-query, all RP/SPS that were canceled or rescheduled to another modality at the RIS will be automatically removed from the Scheduler DB if:

- 1. the Examination of this procedure has not been started or finished yet, and
- 2. the corresponding configuration item "Automatic removal of canceled/rescheduled Request" was checked in the Service UI under DICOM/His-Ris Node.

No automatic clean-up of the scheduler DB is performed after a Patient base Query since the worklist received does not give the complete list of all currently scheduled procedures for the modality.

13.1.2.1.2 Proposed Presentation Contexts

The WH AWS DICOM application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

	Presentation Context Table						
Abstract Syntax Transfer Syntax					Ext.		
Name	UID	Name List UID List		Role	Neg.		
Modality Worklist Information Model- FIND	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.31	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None		

13.1.2.1.3 SOP Specific Conformance Statement

Search Key Attributes of the Worklist C-FIND

The WH AWS DICOM worklist SCU supports "broad worklist queries" with all required search keys. The following tables describe the "broad query" search keys that the SCU supports.

Attribute Name Tag	Matching Key Type	Query Value
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Attribute Name	Tag	Matching Key Type	Query Value
Scheduled Procedure Step			
Scheduled Procedure Step Sequence	(0040,0100)	R	
>Scheduled Station AE Title	(0040,0001)	R	<own aet=""> or "*"a</own>
>Scheduled Procedure Step Start Date	(0040,0002)	R	<act. date="">-<act. date=""> or range from UI^b</act.></act.>
>Scheduled Procedure Step Start Time	(0040,0003)	R	<zero length=""> or range from UI^b</zero>
>Modality	(0008,0060)	R	"*" or <own modality="">a</own>

Return Key Attributes of the Worklist C-FIND

The WH AWS DICOM worklist SCU supports worklist queries with return key attributes of all types. The following tables describe the return keys that the SCU supports.

An "x" in the UI column will indicate the attribute is visualized when browsing the Worklist results with Patient Browser and/or during Patient Registration. The Patient Browser display is additionally influenced by the related Browser configuration.

A tag in the **IOD** column will indicate that the related attribute is included into the SOP Instances of the IOD's created during processing of this worklist request.

A tag in the MPPS column will indicate that the related attribute is included into the SOP Instances of the MPPS objects created during processing of this worklist request. (See also the tables "Attributes used for the Performed Procedure Step N-CREATE" and "Attributes used for the Performed Procedure Step N-SET".)

Attribute Name	Tag	Return Key Type	UI	IOD	MPPS
SOP Common					
Specific Character Set	(0008,0005)	1C	-	(0008,0005)	(0008,0005)
Scheduled Procedure Step					
Scheduled Procedure Step Sequence	(0040,0100)	1			
>Modality	(0008,0060)	1	х	(0008,0060)	(0008,0060)
>Requested Contrast Agent	(0032,1070)	2C	х	(0032,1070)	
>Scheduled Station AE Title	(0040,0001)	1	х		(0040,0241) ^c
>Scheduled Procedure Step Start Date	(0040,0002)	1	х		
>Scheduled Procedure Step Start Time	(0040,0003)	1	х		
>Scheduled Procedure Step End Date	(0040,0004)	3	-		
>Scheduled Procedure Step End Time	(0040,0005)	3	-		
>Scheduled Performing Physician's Name	(0040,0006)	1	х	(0008,1050) ^d	(0008,1050) ^d
>Scheduled Procedure Step Description	(0040,0007)	1C	х	(0040,0007) (0040,0254) ^e	(0040,0007) (0040,0254) ^e
>Scheduled Protocol Code Sequence ^f	(0040,0008)	1C	-	(0040,0008) (0040,0260) ^g	(0040,0008) (0040,0260) ^g
>>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	Х		

^a This depends on user configuration (Options->Configuration->Patient Registration) if the "own AET" is provided or not. Use the "HIS/RIS" tabcard for configuration.

⁹ "Scheduled Protocol Code Sequence" is taken as default for "Performed Protocol Code Sequence"

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b It depends on user configuration (Options->Configuration->Patient Registration) if the actual Date with a full time range or an interactive input dialog for date/time specification is used.

^c "Scheduled Station AE Title" is taken as default for "Performed Station AE Title"

^d "Scheduled Performing Physician's Name" is taken as default for "Performing Physician's Name"

^e "Scheduled Procedure Step Description" is taken as default for "Performed Procedure Step Description"

f Uses universal sequence match

		Return				
Attribute Name	Tag	Key Type	UI	IOD	MPPS	
>>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	х			
>>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	Х			
>>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	Х			
>Scheduled Procedure Step ID	(0040,0009)	1	х	(0040,0009) (0040,0253) ^a	(0040,0009) (0040,0253) ^a	
>Scheduled Station Name	(0040,0010)	2	Х			
>Scheduled Procedure Step Location	(0040,0011)	2	Х		(0040,0242) ^b	
>Pre-Medication	(0040,0012)	2C	Х			
>Scheduled Procedure Step Status	(0040,0020)	3	Х			
>Comments on the Scheduled Procedure Step	(0040,0400)	3	-			
Requested Procedure						
Referenced Study Sequence ^c	(0008,1110)	2	-	(0008,1110)	(0008,1110)	
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	-			
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	-			
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	1	-	(0020,000D)	(0020,000D)	
Requested Procedure Description	(0032,1060)	1C	х	(0032,1060)	(0032,1060)	
Requested Procedure Code Sequence ^c	(0032,1064)	1C	-	(0008,1032) ^d (0032,1064)	(0008,1032) ^d	
>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	х	,		
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	х			
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	х			
>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	х			
Requested Procedure ID	(0040,1001)	1	х	(0040,1001) (0020,0010) ^e	(0040,1001) (0020,0010) ^e	
Reason for the Requested Procedure	(0040,1002)	3	-			
Requested Procedure Priority	(0040,1003)	2	Х			
Patient Transport Arrangements	(0040,1004)	2	-			
Requested Procedure Location	(0040,1005)	3	-			
Confidentiality Code	(0040,1008)	3	-			
Reporting Priority	(0040,1009)	3	-			
Names of intended Recipients of Results	(0040,1010)	3	-	(0008,1048)		
Requested Procedure Comments	(0040,1400)	3	х			
Imaging Service Request						
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	2	х	(0008,0050)	(0008,0050)	
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	2	х	(0008,0090)		
Requesting Physician	(0032,1032)	2	х	(0032,1032)	(0032,1032)	
Requesting Service	(0032,1033)	3	х	(0032,1033)		
Reason for the Imaging Service Request	(0040,2001)	3	-			
Issuing Date of Imaging Service Request	(0040,2004)	3	-			
Issuing Time of Imaging Service Request	(0040,2005)	3	-			
Placer Order Number / Imaging Service Request f	(0040,2016)	3	-		(0040,2016)	
Filler Order Number / Imaging Service Request ⁹	(0040,2017)	3	-		(0040,2017)	
Order entered by	(0040,2008)	3	-		,	
Order Enterer's location	(0040,2009)	3	-			
Order Callback Phone Number	(0040,2010)	3	-			
Imaging Service Request Comments	(0040,2400)	3	х		†	

^a "Scheduled Procedure Step ID" is taken as default for "Performed Procedure Step ID" b "Scheduled Procedure Step Location" is taken as default for "Performed Location"

^c Uses universal sequence match
^d "Requested Procedure Code Sequence" is taken as default for "Procedure Code Sequence"
^e "Requested Procedure ID" is taken as default for "Study ID"

f Old tag (0040,2006) is retired and not used.

^g Old tag (0040,2007) is retired and not used.

Attribute Name	Tag	Return Key Type	UI	IOD	MPPS
Visit Identification		. , , , ,			
Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	х	(0008,0080)	
Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	-	(0008,0081)	
Institution Code Sequence ^a	(0008,0082)	3	-	,	
>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	-		
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	-		
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	-		
>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	-		
Admission ID	(0038,0010)	2	х		
Issuer of Admission ID	(0038,0011)	3	-		
Visit Status					
Visit Status ID	(0038,0008)	3	-		
Current Patient Location	(0038,0300)	2	х		
Patient's Institution Residence	(0038,0400)	3	-		
Visit Comments	(0038,4000)	3	-		
Visit Relationship					
Referenced Study Sequence ^a	(0008,1110)	3	-		
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	-		
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	-		
Referenced Patient Sequence ^a	(0008,1120)	2	-		(0008,1120)
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	-		(5555,1125)
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	-		
Visit Admission	(0000,1100)				
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	2	х	(0008,0090)	
Referring Physician's Address	(0008,0092)	3	-	(0000,0000)	
Referring Physician's Phone Numbers	(0008,0094)	3	-		
Admitting Diagnosis Description	(0008,1080)	3	х	(0008,1080)	
Admitting Diagnosis Code Sequence ^a	(0008,1084)	3	-	(0000,1000)	
>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	-		
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	-		
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	-		
>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	_		
Route of Admissions	(0038,0016)	3	-		
Admitting Date	(0038,0020)	3	-		
Admitting Time	(0038,0020)	3			
Patient Identification	(0000,0021)				
Patient's Name	(0010,0010)	1	x	(0010,0010)	(0010,0010)
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	1	X	(0010,0010)	(0010,0010)
Issuer of Patient ID	(0010,0020)	3	-	(0010,0020)	(0010,0020)
Other Patient IDs	(0010,1000)	3	X	(0010,1000)	
Other Patient Names	(0010,1000)	3	X	(0010,1000)	
Patient's Birth Name	(0010,1001)	3	-	(0010,1001)	
Patient's Mother's Birth Name	(0010,1060)	3	_	(0010,1003)	
Medical Record Locator	(0010,1080)	3	-	(0010,1000)	
Patient Demographic	(3010,1030)			(5510,1030)	
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	2	х	(0010,0030)	(0010,0030)
Patient's Birth Time	(0010,0030)	3	-	(0010,0030)	(0010,0000)
I GUOTE O DITUT TITIC	(0010,0002)				
Patient's Sev	(0010 0040)	2	~	(በበ1በ በበላበነ	(0010 0040)
Patient's Sex Patient's Insurance Plan Code Sequence a	(0010,0040)	3	- -	(0010,0040)	(0010,0040)

^a Uses universal sequence match

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Attribute Name	Tag	Return Key Type	UI	IOD	MPPS
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	-		
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	-		
>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	-		
Patient's Age	(0010,1010)	3	Х	(0010,1010)	
Patient's Size	(0010,1020)	3	Х	(0010,1020)	
Patient's Weight	(0010,1030)	2	Х	(0010,1030)	
Patient's Address	(0010,1040)	3	Х	(0010,1040)	
Military Rank	(0010,1080)	3	Х	(0010,1080)	
Branch of Service	(0010,1081)	3	-	(0010,1081)	
Country of Residence	(0010,2150)	3	-	(0010,2150)	
Region of Residence	(0010,2152)	3	-	(0010,2152)	
Patient's Telephone Numbers	(0010,2154)	3	-	(0010,2154)	
Ethnic Group	(0010,2160)	3	Х	(0010,2160)	
Occupation	(0010,2180)	3	-	(0010,2180)	
Patient's Religious Preference	(0010,21F0)	3	-	(0010,21F0)	
Patient Comments	(0010,4000)	3	Х	(0010,4000)	
Patient Data Confidentiality Constraint Description	(0040,3001)	2	Х	(0040,3001)	
Patient Medical					
Medical Alerts	(0010,2000)	2	Х	(0010,2000)	
Contrast Allergies	(0010,2110)	2	Х	(0010,2110)	
Pregnancy Status	(0010,21C0)	2	Х	(0010,21C0)	
Smoking Status	(0010,21A0)	3	Х	(0010,21A0)	
Last Menstrual Date	(0010,21D0)	3	Х	(0010,21D0)	
Additional Patient History	(0010,21B0)	3	Х	(0010,21B0)	
Special Needs	(0038,0050)	2	Х	(0038,0050)	
Patient State	(0038,0500)	2	Х	(0038,0500)	
Patient Relationship					
Referenced Study Sequence ^a	(0008,1110)	3	-		
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	-		
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	-		
Referenced Visit Sequence ^a	(0008,1125)	3	-		
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	-		
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	-		
Referenced Patient Alias Sequence ^a	(0038,0004)	3	-		
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	-		
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	-		

13.1.2.1.4 Associated Real-World Activity – Get Worklist

With "Get Worklist" in the patient based Worklist Query dialog, the entered attributes are used to form a worklist request identifier. With the response data the Patient Registration dialog can be updated to perform examination in advance. The response data are additionally placed in the scheduler database

13.1.2.1.5 Proposed Presentation Contexts – Get Worklist

This RWA will propose the same Presentation Contexts as with "Update Worklist". Please see table in section 13.1.2.1.2.

^a Uses universal sequence match

13.1.2.1.6 SOP Specific Conformance - Get Worklist

13.1.2.1.6.1.1.1 Search Key Attributes of the Worklist C-FIND

The WH AWS DICOM worklist SCU supports "narrow worklist queries" with all required search keys. The following tables describe the "narrow query" search keys that the SCU supports.

Attribute Name	Tag	Matching Key Type	Query Value
Scheduled Procedure Step			
Scheduled Procedure Step Sequence	(0040,0100)	R	
>Scheduled Performing Physician's Name	(0040,0006)	R	input from UI or <zero length=""></zero>
Requested Procedure			
Requested Procedure ID	(0040,1001)	0	input from UI or <zero length=""></zero>
Imaging Service Request			
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	0	input from UI or <zero length=""></zero>
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	0	input from UI or <zero length=""></zero>
Visit Status			
Current Patient Location	(0038,0300)	0	input from UI or <zero length=""></zero>
Patient Identification			
Patient's Name	(0010,0010)	R	input from UI or <zero length=""></zero>
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	R	input from UI or <zero length=""></zero>

13.1.2.1.6.1.1.1.2 Return Key Attributes of the Worklist C-FIND

Please see list for "Update Worklist" RWA.

13.1.2.1.6.1.1.1.3 Status Codes of the Worklist C-FIND

The worklist SCU interprets following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes	Related Fields
Refused	Out of Resources	A700	(0000,0902)
Failed	Identifier does not match SOP Class	A900	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
	Unable to process	Cxxx	(0000,0901) (0000,0902)
Cancel	Matching terminated due to Cancel request	FE00	None
Success	Matching is complete - No final Identifier is supplied	0000	None
Pending	Matches are continuing - Current Match is supplied and any Optional Keys were supported in the same manner as Required Keys	FF00	Identifier
	Matches are continuing - Warning that one or more Optional Keys were not supported for existence and/or matching for this identifier	FF01	Identifier

14 Implementation Model MPPS

The Modality Performed Procedure Step Service class defines an application-level class of service which facilitates the transfer of procedure, billing and radiation dose information from the imaging modality to the information system. The Performed Procedure Step is created and set by the AE and supplies the SCP with the information about a real-world procedure which is performed on the modality. The WH AWS DICOM Modality Performed Procedure Step application supports the MPPS service as SCU.

14.1 Application Data Flow Diagram

The WH AWS DICOM network implementation acts as SCU for the Modality Performed Procedure Step SOP Class. The product target Operating System is Windows XP[®].

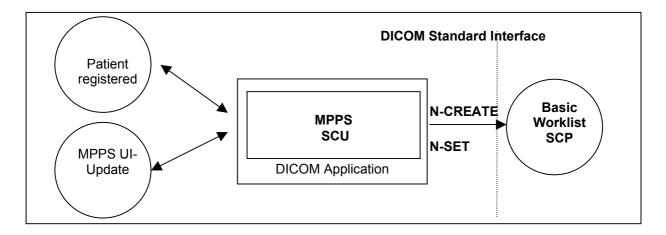


Figure 8: WH AWS Application Flow Diagram - MPPS SCU

14.2 Functional Definitions of Application Entities

With registering a Patient (i.e. a Scheduled Procedure Step from Worklist), the WH AWS DICOM application will create a MPPS Instance and communicate it to the MPPS SCP.

Furthermore a manual update can be performed with the WH AWS MPPS user interface. Only there it is possible to set the state of the MPPS to "Completed" or "Discontinued". If done so, the DICOM application will no longer allow updates on the related MPPS Instance.

15 AE Specification MPPS

15.1 Modality Performed Procedure Step AE Specification

The Modality Performed Procedure Step SCU (Patient Registration and MPPS UI) provide information about a performed real-world Procedure to a remote SCP (Information System).

SIEMENS WH AWS DICOM products provide Standard Conformance to the following DICOM V3.0 SOP Class as an SCU:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
Modality Performed Procedure Step	1.2.840.10008.3.1.2.3.3

15.1.1.1 General

The creation of MPPS Instance is done automatically by WH AWS whenever a patient is registered for image acquisition through the Patient Registration dialog.

Further updates on the MPPS data can be done interactively from the related MPPS user interface. The MPPS "Complete" or "Discontinued" states can only be set from user interface.

The default PDU size used will be 28 KB.

15.1.1.2 Number of Associations

The WH AWS DICOM application initiates one association at a time to create or set MPPS instance.

15.1.1.3 Asynchronous Nature

The WH AWS DICOM software does not support asynchronous communication (multiple outstanding transactions over a single association).

15.1.1.4 Implementation Identifying Information

Implementation Class UID	1.3.12.2.1107.5.12
Implementation Version Name	"SIEMENS_AWSVA10A"

15.1.2 Association Initiation Policy

The WH AWS DICOM Application Entity acts as a Service Class User (SCU) for the

 Modality Performed Procedure Step Service Class (to notify a RIS about status of a procedure while it is performed).

To do so, the WH AWS will issue a

- N-CREATE DIMSE according to the CREATE Modality Performed Procedure Step SOP Instance operation or a
- N-SET DIMSE to update the contents and state of the MPPS according to the SET Modality Performed Procedure Step Information operation.

15.1.2.1 Real World Activity

15.1.2.1.1 Associated Real-World Activity - Patient registered

A patient is registered by the Patient Registration "Exam" action. From this event the trigger to create a MPPS Instance is derived. The related Instance is then immediately communicated to the configured RIS system. An association is established and the MPPS Instance is sent.

15.1.2.1.2 Proposed Presentation Contexts - Patient registered

The WH AWS DICOM application will propose Presentation Contexts as shown in the following table:

Presentation Context Table					
Abstra	ct Syntax	Transfer Syntax			Ext.
Name	UID	Name List UID List		Role	Neg.
Modality Performed Procedure Step	1.2.840.10008.3.1.2.3.3	Implicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Little Endian Explicit VR Big Endian	1.2.840.10008.1.2 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1 1.2.840.10008.1.2.2	SCU	None

15.1.2.1.3 SOP Specific Conformance Statement- Patient registered

15.1.2.1.3.1.1.1.1 Attributes used for the Performed Procedure Step N-CREATE

The Siemens WH AWS DICOM Modality Performed Procedure Step SCU informs the remote SCP when the examination of a scheduled procedure step will be performed (i.e. the patient is registered). The N-CREATE message is sent when the examination is started with successful registration of the patient data. The following table describes the supported attributes of a N-CREATE message.

Attribute Name	Tag	Туре	Value
SOP Common			
Specific Character Set	(0008,0005)	1C	from MWL or created
Performed Procedure Step Relationship			
Scheduled Step Attribute Sequence	(0040,0270)	1	
>Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	1	from MWL or created
>Referenced Study Sequence	(0008,1110)	2	from MWL or <zero length=""></zero>
>>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	
>>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	
>Accession Number	(0008,0050)	2	from MWL or user input
>Placer Order Number/Imaging Service Request	(0040,2016)	3	from MWL or <zero length=""></zero>
>Filler Order Number/Imaging Service Request	(0040,2017)	3	from MWL or <zero length=""></zero>
>Requested Procedure ID	(0040,0001)	2	from MWL or user input
>Requested Procedure Description	(0032,1060)	2	from MWL or <zero length=""></zero>
>Scheduled Procedure Step ID	(0040,0009)	2	from MWL or <zero length=""></zero>
>Scheduled Procedure Step Description	(0040,0007)	2	from MWL or <zero length=""></zero>
>Scheduled Action Item Sequence	(0040,0008)	2	from MWL or <zero length=""></zero>

>>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
Patient's Name	(0010,0010)	2	from MWL or user input
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	2	from MWL or user input
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	2	from MWL or user input
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	2	from MWL or user input
Referenced Patient Sequence	(0008,1120)	2	from MWL or <zero length=""></zero>
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	
Performed Procedure Step Information			
Performed Procedure Step ID	(0040,0253)	1	From SPS ID or created
Performed Station AE Title	(0040,0241)	1	own AE Title
Performed Station Name	(0040,0242)	2	own hostname
Performed Location	(0040,0243)	2	from SPS location or <zero length=""></zero>
Performed Procedure Step Start Date	(0040,0244)	1	created
Performed Procedure Step Start Time	(0040,0245)	1	created
Performed Procedure Step Status	(0040,0252)	1	"IN PROGRESS"
Performed Procedure Step Description	(0040,0254)	2	from SPS Description or <zero length=""></zero>
Performed Procedure Type Description	(0040,0255)	2	<zero length=""></zero>
Procedure Code Sequence	(0008,1032)	2	from Requested Procedure Code or <zero length=""></zero>
>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
Performed Procedure Step End Date	(0040,0250)	2	<zero length=""></zero>
Performed Procedure Step End Time	(0040,0251)	2	<zero length=""></zero>
Image Acquisition Results		I.	-
Modality	(0008,0060)	1	MG
Study ID	(0020,0010)	2	from Requested Procedure ID or created
Performed Protocol Code Sequence	(0040,0260)	2	from Scheduled Action Item Sequence or <zero length=""></zero>
>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
Performed Series Sequence	(0040,0340)	2	
>Performing Physician's Name	(0008,1050)	2C	from MWL or user input
>Operator's Name	(0008,1070)	2C	User input
>Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1C	created
>Series Description	(0008,103E)	2C	<zero length=""></zero>
>Retrieve AE Title	(0008,0054)	2C	<zero length=""></zero>
>Protocol Name	(0018,1030)	N/a	User-defined description of the conditions under which the Series was performed.
>Referenced Image Sequence	(0008,1140)	2C	<zero length=""></zero>
>Referenced Standalone SOP Instance Sequence	(0040,0220)	2C	<zero length=""></zero>
Other attributes from Radiation Dose Module		3	

15.1.2.1.3.1.1.1.2 Status Codes of the Performed Procedure Step N-CREATEThe Performed Procedure Step SCU interprets following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes (0000.0900)
	Processing Failure	0110
	No such attribute	0105
	Invalid attribute value	0106
	Duplicate SOP Instance	0111
Failure	No such SOP Instance	0112
rallule	No such SOP Class	0118
	Class Instance conflict	0119
	Missing attribute	0120
	Missing attribute value	0121
	Resource limitation	0213
Success	MPPS Instance created	0000

15.1.2.1.4 Associated Real-World Activity – MPPS UI-Update

With the MPPS UI the status of the MPPS Instance can be set to "COMPLETED" or "DISCONTINUED". There is no cyclic update during performance of the procedure.

15.1.2.1.5 Proposed Presentation Contexts - MPPS UI-Update

This RWA will propose the same Presentation Contexts as with "Patient registered". Please see table in section 15.1.2.1.2.

15.1.2.1.6 SOP Specific Conformance Statement – MPPS UI-Update

15.1.2.1.6.1.1.1 Attributes used for the Performed Procedure Step N-SET

The Siemens WH AWS DICOM Modality Performed Procedure Step SCU informs the remote SCP about the performed examination and ist status. The N-SET message is sent only per ended examination (finished status "COMPLETED" or incomplete status "DISCONTINUED"). The following table describes the supported attributes of a N-SET message.

Attribute Name	Tag	Туре	Value
Performed Procedure Step Information			
Performed Procedure Step Status	(0040,0252)	3	"COMPLETED" or "DISCONTINUED"
Performed Procedure Step Description	(0040,0254)	3	from SPS Description or user input
Performed Procedure Type Description	(0040,0255)	3	User input
Procedure Code Sequence	(0008,1032)	3	from Requested Procedure Code or user input
>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
Performed Procedure Step End Date	(0040,0250)	1	created
Performed Procedure Step End Time	(0040,0251)	1	created
Image Acquisition Results			
Performed Protocol Code Sequence	(0040,0260)	3	from Scheduled Action Item Sequence or user input
>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
Performed Series Sequence	(0040,0340)	1	
>Performing Physician's Name	(0008,1050)	2C	from MWL or user input
>Protocol Name	(0018,1030)	1C	from related SOP Instance

>Operator's Name	(0008,1070)	2C	user input
>Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1C	from related SOP Instance
>Series Description	(0008,103E)	2C	from related SOP Instance
>Retrieve AE Title	(0008,0054)	2C	from Storage Commitment response or <zero length=""></zero>
>Referenced Image Sequence	(0008,1140)	2C	created
>>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	
>>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	
>Referenced Standalone SOP Instance Sequence	(0040,0220)	2C	<zero length=""></zero>
Other attributes from Radiation Dose Module		3	

15.1.2.1.6.1.1.2 Status Codes of the Performed Procedure Step N-SETThe Performed Procedure Step SCU interprets following status codes:

Service Status	Meaning	Error Codes (0000.0900)
	Processing Failure: Performed Procedure Step Object may no longer be updated.	0110
	No such attribute	0105
	Invalid attribute value	0106
	No such SOP Instance	0112
Failure	Invalid Object instance	0117
	No such SOP Class	0118
	Class Instance conflict	0119
	Missing attribute value	0121
	Resource limitation	0213
Success	MPPS Instance set	0000

16 Communication Profiles

16.1 Supported Communication Stacks

The Siemens WH AWS DICOM application provides DICOM V3.0 TCP/IP Network Communication Support as defined in Part 8 of the DICOM Standard. The product target Operating System is Windows XP[®].

16.1.1 TCP/IP Stack

The WH AWS DICOM application uses the TCP/IP stack from the target operating system upon which it executes. It uses the MergeCOM-3 subroutine library from Merge Technologies Inc. that is based on a Berkeley socket interface.

16.1.1.1 API

The WH AWS DICOM application uses the MergeCOM library that is based on a TCP/IP socket interface.

16.1.1.2 Physical Media Support

The WH AWS DICOM application is indifferent to the physical medium over which TCP/IP executes; it inherits this from the target operating system upon which it executes.

17 Extensions / Specializations / Privatizations

17.1.1 Standard Extended / Specialized / Private SOPs

Please refer to Annex for further information on these topics. A detailed overview is given there.

17.1.2 Private Transfer Syntaxes

Not applicable

18 Configuration

18.1 AE Title/Presentation Address Mapping

To ensure unique identification within the network the hostname should be used as part of the AE Titles (see examples below, hostname = name1). The string can be up to 16 characters long and must not contain any extended characters, only 7-bit ASCII characters (excluding Control Characters) are allowed according to DICOM Standard.

Note: the current implementation of syngo does not support the full DICOM Standard. Spaces and special characters (like &<> ") in the AE title string are not supported.

18.1.1 DICOM Verification

The Verification Service uses the AE configuration of the DICOM Service that is checked with the C-ECHO message. e.g. Verification will use the Storage AE, if initiated to check the configuration of a remote DICOM node.

18.1.2 DICOM Storage AE Title

Within syngo there are local application entity titles for HIS/RIS, Study Transfer and Print. They can be configured via Service-UI in Configuration / DICOM / General (e.g. STU_NAME1).

The port number is set to the default value of 104.

18.1.3 DICOM Query/Retrieve AE Title

The DICOM Query/Retrieve application uses the same application entity title as the DICOM Storage AE.

18.1.4 DICOM Print AE Title

The DICOM Print application provides the application entity title:

e.g. PRI_NAME1 (No input of AETs starting with a numeric character is possible)

18.2 Configurable Parameters

The Application Entity Titles, host names and port numbers for remote AE are configured using the WH AWS Service/Installation Tool. For each AET the list of services supported can be configured.

18.2.1 Storage, Storage Commitment and Query/Retrieve

The WH AWS Service/Installation Tool can be used to set the AET's, port-numbers, host-names, IP-addresses and capabilities for the remote nodes (SCP's). The user can select transfer syntaxes, compression modes and query models for each SCP separately.

- a quality factor which determines the proposed transfer syntax in case that an user has initiated the C-STORE. By convention, 0 means: Only Uncompressed Transfer Syntax(es) are proposed, 100 means: Lossless Transfer Syntax is proposed, and any other value between 1 and 99 means that an JPEG Lossy Transfer Syntax is proposed. One Uncompressed Transfer Syntax will be proposed in any case. This parameter is general for all destination nodes.
- a "compression type supported" which determines the proposed transfer syntax in case that the C-STORE was initiated as a sub-operation of an incoming C-MOVE-RQ. By convention, 0 means:
 Only Uncompressed Transfer Syntax(es) are proposed, 1 means: Lossless Transfer Syntax is proposed, and 2 means that an JPEG Lossy Transfer Syntax is proposed. One uncompressed transfer syntax will be proposed in any case. This parameter can be set for each configured destination node.

Additional configurable parameters for Storage Commitment are:

When acting as SCU:

- flag to indicate whether the association will be kept open to receive the response or to close the association and be prepared to receive the response on another association.
- time-out which defines how long the association of N-ACTION is kept to receive a N-EVENT-REPORT on the same association. The same value is used to wait for a N-EVENT-REPORT on an other association. (default 1 h)

When acting as SCP:

flag to indicate if an archive system is installed

18.2.2 Print

The WH AWS Service/Installation Tool can be used to configure the SCP (DICOM-Printer).

These parameters are mandatory to set:

- AET,
- host-name,
- IP-address and
- Port-number.

These parameters have defaults as per configuration file and can be changed:

- default camera (yes/no),
- pixel size,
- additional or changed film sheet formats (e.g. inch 14x14, inch 14x17, ...),
- list with mapping pixel size to each film sheet format.
- minimal density,
- stored printed film jobs,
- media type,
- film destination.

18.2.3 Modality Worklist

The Service application can be used to set the AETs, port numbers, host names, IP addresses, capabilities and time-outs for the remote nodes (SCPs)

Additional configurable parameters for Modality Worklist Query are:

- Query Waiting time the time to wait for the C-FIND-RSP after sending the C-FIND-RQ (default 20 sec.)
- Max Query Match Number the maximum number of entries accepted in one worklist (default is 200)
- Query Interval: the time between two C-FIND-RQ to the Hospital Information system (default is 60 min.)
- Broad Worklist Query behaviour (two values are defined):
 - Set the AE Title search attribute to the own AE Title, and the Modality search attribute to "*"
 - Set the Modality search attribute to the own modality and the AE Title search attribute to
 "*".

18.3 Default Parameters

This installation tool also uses some default parameters:

- max PDU size set to 262144 Bytes (256 kB)
- time-out for accepting/rejecting an association request: 60 s
- time-out for responding to an association open/close request: 60 s
- time-out for accepting a message over network: 60 s
- time-out for waiting for data between TCP/IP-packets: 60 s

The time-outs for waiting for a Service Request/Response message from the remote node are as follows:

- for Storage SCP/SCU: 600 s
- for Storage Commitment SCU: time-out for Response to N-ACTION: 600 s
- for Query/Retrieve SCP/SCU: 600 s
- for Print Management SCU:
 - time-out for Response to N-SET-RQ: 240 s
 - time-out for Response to other Requests: 60 s

19 Support of Extended Character Sets

The WH AWS DICOM application supports the ISO 8859 Latin 1 (ISO-IR 100) character set.

When there is a mismatch between the SCS tags (0008,0005) and the characters in an IOD received by the system, then the following measures are taken to make the characters DICOM conform:

Try to import with ISO_IR 100. If ISO_IR 100 fails, convert each illegal character to a '?'.

Media Storage Conformance Statement

This chapter will contain the Conformance Statement to all "Offline Media Application Profiles (incl. private extentions)" supported by the WH AWS archive options.

Those application profiles supported shall be:

- Standard Application Profiles
- syngo private Application Profile
- General Purpose CDR Profile

1 Introduction

1.1 Purpose

This DICOM Conformance Statement is written according to part PS 3.2 of [1].

The applications described in this conformance statement are the SIEMENS WH AWS based on *syngo*® software^a. The WH AWS DICOM offline media storage service implementation acts as FSC, FSU and/or FSR for the specified application profiles and the related SOP Class instances.

1.2 Scope

This DICOM Conformance Statement refers to SIEMENS WH AWS based products using WH AWS software. The following table relates WH AWS software names to SIEMENS products:

Software Name	SIEMENS syngo-based Product		
VA10	WH AWS		

1.3 Definitions, Abbreviations

1.3.1 Definitions

DICOM Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine

DIMSE DICOM Message Service Element

DIMSE-C DICOM Message Service Element with Composite information objects

1.3.2 Abbreviations

ACR American College of Radiology
AE DICOM Application Entity

ASCII American Standard Code for Information Interchange

DB Database

DCS DICOM Conformance Statement

FSC File Set Creator FSR File Set Reader FSU File Set Updater

IOD DICOM Information Object Definition ISO International Standard Organization

LEONARDO AX-Workstation (for Angiographic/Radiographic viewing)

MOD Magneto-optical Disk

NEMA National Electrical Manufacturers Association

O Optional Key Attribute
PDU DICOM Protocol Data Unit
R Required Key Attribute
RWA Real-World Activity
U Unique Key Attribute

1.4 References

[1] Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine (DICOM) 3.0, NEMA PS 3.1-15, 2001

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1.5 Remarks

DICOM, by itself, does not guarantee interoperability. However, the Conformance Statement facilitates a first-level validation for interoperability between different applications supporting the same DICOM functionality as SCU and SCP, respectively.

This Conformance Statement is not intended to replace validation with other DICOM equipment to ensure proper exchange of information intended.

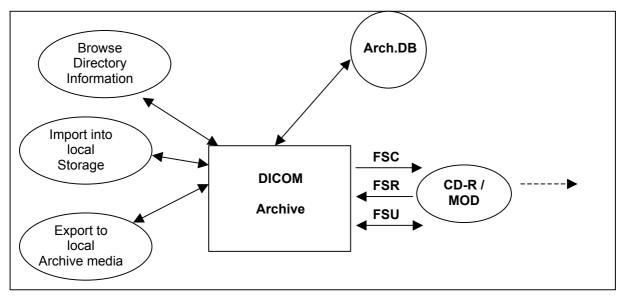
The scope of this Conformance Statement is to facilitate communication with Siemens and other vendors' Medical equipment. The Conformance Statement should be read and understood in conjunction with the DICOM 3.0 Standard [DICOM]. However, by itself it is not guaranteed to ensure the desired interoperability and a successful interconnectivity.

The user should be aware of the following important issues:

- The comparison of different conformance statements is the first step towards assessing interconnectivity between Siemens and non-Siemens equipment.
- Test procedures should be defined and tests should be performed by the user to validate the connectivity desired. DICOM itself and the conformance parts do not specify this.
- The standard will evolve to meet the users' future requirements. Siemens is actively involved in developing the standard further and therefore reserves the right to make changes to its products or to discontinue its delivery.
- Siemens reserves the right to modify the design and specifications contained herein without prior notice. Please contact your local Siemens representative for the most recent product information.

2 Implementation Model

2.1 Application Data Flow Diagram



The DICOM archive application will serve as an interface to the CD-R offline medium device. It serves interfaces to include the offline media directory into the browser and to copy SOP instances to a medium or retrieve SOP Instances from medium into local storage.

The DICOM Archive application will support the 120mm CD-R medium, the 130mm 2.3 GB R/W MOD.

The FSU role will update new SOP Instances only to media with pre-existing File-sets conforming to the Application Profiles supported.

The contents of the DICOMDIR will be temporarily stored in Archive-Database.

2.2 Functional Definitions of AEs

The WH AWS DICOM offline media storage application consists of the DICOM Archive application entity serving all interfaces to access offline media. The DICOM Archive application is capable of

- 1. creating a new File-set onto an unwritten medium (Export to...).
- 2. updating an existing File-set by writing new SOP Instances onto the medium (Export to...).
- 3. importing SOP Instances from the medium onto local storage
- 4. reading the File-sets DICOMDIR information into temporary database and pass it to display applications.

2.3 Sequencing of Real-World Activities

The DICOM Archive application will not perform updates before the Directory information of the DICOMDIR is completely read.

When performing updates, the SOP instances are checked for existence before updating. Duplicate instances will be avoided.

2.4 File Meta Information Options

Implementation Class UID	1.3.12.2.1107.5.12		
Implementation Version Name	"SIEMENS_AWSVA10A"		

3 AE Specifications

3.1 DICOM Archive Specification

The DICOM Archive provides Standard conformance to Media Storage Service Class (Interchange Option). In addition Augmented conformance is provided to store extra data attributes important for the full feature support of the WH AWS product SW. Details are listed in following Table:

Application Profiles Supported	Real-World Activity	Role	SC Option
STD-GEN-CD	Browse Directory Information	FSR	Interchange
	Import into local Storage	FSR	Interchange

The General Purpose Interchange Profile (STD-GEN-CD) will be supported with read capability of the related media.

3.1.1 File Meta Information for the Application Entity

The Source Application Entity Title is set by configuration. See Chapter "Configuration" for details.

3.1.2 Real-World Activities for this Application Entity

3.1.2.1 Real-World Activity: Browse Directory Information

The DICOM Archive application acts as FSR using the interchange option when requested to read the media directory.

The DICOM archive application will read the DICOMDIR and insert those directory entries, that are valid for the application profiles supported, into a local database. The database can the then be used for browsing media contents.

Note

IconImageSQ is also supported in DICOMDIR. But only those Icon Images with BitsAllocated (0028,0100) equal to 8 and size of 64x64 or 128x128 pixels are imported into database and are visible in the Browser.

3.1.2.1.1 Application Profiles for the RWA: Browse Directory Information

See Table in section 3.1 for the Application Profiles listed that invoke this Application Entity for the Browse Directory Information RWA.

3.1.2.2 Real-World Activity: Import into local Storage

The DICOM Archive application acts as FSR using the interchange option when requested to read SOP Instances from the medium into the local storage.

The SOP Instance selected from the media directory will be copied into the local storage. Only SOP Instances, that are valid for the application profile supported and are listed as supported by the Storage SCP Conformance section (Network DCS, 5.1.3), can be retrieved from media storage. This is due to the fact that the Browse Directory Information will filter all SOP Instances not matching the Application profiles supported.

During operation no "Attribute Value Precedence" is applied to the SOP Instances. Detached Patient Management is not supported (please refer to DICOM Part 11, Media Storage Application Profiles).

For media conforming to the STD-GEN-CD Profile the following SOP classes will be supported as an FSR:

Information Object Definition	SOP Class UID	Transfer Syntax UID
CR Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
CT image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
DX Image-For Processing	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
DX Image-For Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
IOX Image-For Processing	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.3.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
IOX Image-For Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.3	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
MG Image-For Processing	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.2.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
MG Image-For Presentation	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.1.2	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
MR Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.4	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
NM Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.20	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
PET Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.128	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
Secondary Capture Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.7	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
Ultrasound Image (retired)	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.6	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
Ultrasound Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.6.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
Ultrasound Multi-frame Image (retired)	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
Ultrasound Multi-frame Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.3.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
X-Ray Angiographic Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.1	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1
X-Ray Radiofluoroscopic Image	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.12.2	Explicit VR Little Endian Uncompressed 1.2.840.10008.1.2.1

3.1.2.2.1 Application Profiles for the RWA: Import into local Storage

See Table in section 3.1 for the Application Profiles listed that invoke this Application Entity for the Import into Local Storage RWA.

3.1.2.3 Real-World Activity: Export to local Archive Media

The DICOM Archive application acts as FSU (for media with existing DICOM file-set) or FSC (media not initialized) using the interchange option when requested to copy SOP Instances from the local storage to local Archive Medium.

The DICOM Archive application will receive a list of SOP Instances to be copied to the local archive medium. According to the state of the medium inserted (new medium, Medium with DICOM file-set) the validity of the SOP Instances according to the applicable profile is checked. Only valid SOP Instances are accepted.

When the DICOM archive application is requested to copy SOP Instances the preferred application profile according configuration will be used to validate and copy the referred SOP Instances. When creating a new file-set no Descriptor File will be allocated and the related ID is not used.

The DICOM archive application will not close the medium.

3.1.2.3.1 Application Profiles for the RWA: Export to local Archive Media

See Table in section 3.1 for the Application Profiles listed that invoke this Application Entity for the Export to local Archive Media RWA.

4 Extensions, Specialization and Privatization of SOP Classes and Transfer Syntaxes

The SOP Classes listed refer in majority to those created by the equipment to which this conformance Statement is related to. For SOP classes not listed in this section, please refer to the Storage section of the DICOM Conformance Statement of the product. This will include all SOP Instances that can be received and displayed and therefor will be included into offline media storage even though these SOP Instances are not created by the equipment serving the Media Storage Service.

4.1 SOP Specific Conformance Statement for Basic Directory

4.1.1 Extension, Specialization for SIEMENS Non-Image Objects

According to the PRI-SYNGO Application Profile Class the usage of the Private Creator UIDs and further optional keys for the Directory Records referring to SIEMENS Non-Image Objects are listed in the following tables.

Attribute	Tag	Value used
Private Record UID	(0004,1432)	1.3.12.2.1107.5.9.1
SOP Class UID	(0008,0016)	1.3.12.2.1107.5.9.1

For those "Non-Images" no Icon Image Sequence will be generated.

5 Configuration

5.1 AE Title Mapping

5.1.1 DICOM Media Storage AE Title

The DICOM Storage application provides the application entity title:

CsalmageManager

6 Support of Extended Character Sets

The Siemens WH AWS DICOM archive application supports the ISO 8859 Latin 1 (ISO-IR 100) character set.

When there is a mismatch between the SCS tags (0008,0005) and the characters in an IOD received by the system, then the following measures are taken to make the characters DICOM conform:

• Try to import with ISO_IR 100. If ISO_IR 100 fails, convert each illegal character to a '?'.

A ANNEX

A.1 Siemens Standard Extended Modules

IE	Module	Reference	Usage	Note
Image	CSA Image Header	A.2.1	U	private GG information
	CSA Series Header	A.2.2	U	
	MEDCOM Header	A.2.3	U	private syngo information
	MEDCOM OOG	A.2.4	U	if object graphics is attached to image

A.1.1 CSA Image Header Module

The table in this section contains private IOD Attributes that describe the CSA Image Header:

Attribute Name	Tag	Owner	Туре	Notes
CSA Image Header Type	(0029,xx08)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	1	CSA Image Header identification characteristics. Defined Terms: NUM 4 = NUMARIS/4 SOM 5 = SOMARIS/5
CSA Image Header Version	(0029,xx09)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	3	Version of CSA Image Header Info (0029,xx10) format.
CSA Image Header Info	(0029,xx10)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	3	Manufacturer model dependent information.

A.1.2 CSA Series Header Module

The table in this section contains private IOD Attributes that describe the CSA Series Header:

Attribute Name	Tag	Owner	Type	Notes
CSA Series Header Type	(0029,xx18)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	1	CSA Series Header identification characteristics. Defined Terms: NUM 4 = NUMARIS/4
CSA Series Header Version	(0029,xx19)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	3	Version of CSA Series Header Info (0029,xx20) format.
CSA Series Header Info	(0029,xx20)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	3	Manufacturer model dependent information.

A.1.3 MEDCOM Header Module

The table in this section contains private IOD Attributes that describe MEDCOM Header:

Attribute Name	Tag	Owner	Туре	Notes
MedCom Header Type	(0029,xx08)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	1C	MedCom Header identification characteristics. Defined Terms: MEDCOM 1 (Required if MedCom Header Info (0029,xx10) present.)
MedCom Header Version	(0029,xx09)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	2C	Version of MedCom Header Info (0029,xx10) format. (Required if MEDCOM Header Info (0029,xx10) present.)
MedCom Header Info	(0029,xx10)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Manufacturer model dependent information. The value of the attribute MedCom

				Header Info (0029,xx10) can be build up in each user defined format.
MedCom History Information	(0029,xx20)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	MedCom defined Patient Registration history information. See A.2.3.1.
PMTF Information 1	(0029,xx31)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Transformation Information
PMTF Information 2	(0029,xx32)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Transformation Information
PMTF Information 3	(0029,xx33)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Transformation Information
PMTF Information 4	(0029,xx34)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Transformation Information
PMTF Information 5	(0029,xx35)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Transformation Information
Application Header Sequence	(0029,xx40)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Sequence of Application Header items. Zero or more items are possible.
>Application Header Type	(0029,xx41)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	1C	Application Header identification characteristics. Required, if Sequence is sent.
>Application Header ID	(0029,xx42)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Identification of an application header
>Application Header Version	(0029,xx43)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Version of CSA Series Header Info (0029,xx44) format.
>Application Header Info	(0029,xx44)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Application dependent information.
Workflow Control Flags	(0029,xx50)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Eight free definable flags.
Archive Management Flag Keep Online	(0029,xx51)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Flag to control remote archive management system to keep the image always online (also when already archived). Enumerated Values: 00 = remote control not required 01 = keep image online
Archive Management Flag Do Not Archive	(0029,xx52)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Flag to control remote archive management system not to archive the related image. Enumerated Values: 00 = remote control not required 01 = don't archive image
Image Location Status	(0029,xx53)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Image location status to control retrieving. Defined Terms: ONLINE = retrieving has to be done as usual, NEARLINE = move request to SCP and delay according to value of Estimated Retrieve Time (0029,xx54), OFFLINE = invoking a retrieve operation initiates an operator request, INVALID = invoking a retrieve operation would always result in an error.
Estimated Retrieve Time	(0029,xx54)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Estimated retrieve time in seconds. A value less then zero (< 0) indicates location is OFFLINE or INVALID.
Data Size of Retrieved Images	(0029,xx55)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	3	Data size of images in MByte.

A.1.3.1 MEDCOM History Information

The value of the attribute MEDCOM History Information (0029,xx20) is defined in the following way:

Part	Name	Туре	Bytes	Notes
hoodor	Identifier	string	32	Always "CSA HISTORY"
header	Version	string	32	e.g. "V1.10"
n Items	Class Name	string	64	
II ILCIIIS	Modification String	string	1024	

A.1.4 MEDCOM OOG Module

The table in this section contains private IOD Attributes that describe MEDCOM Object Oriented Graphics (OOG). This module is used whenever object graphics is drawn on the image and need to be stored as graphic object properties. Given the condition that the module contents was not removed by other modalities, the graphic objects remain re-animatable if such an image was transferred and is then retrieved back

Attribute Name	Tag	Owner	Туре	Notes
MedCom OOG Type	(0029,xx08)	SIEMENS MEDCOM OOG	1	MEDCOM Object Oriented Graphics (OOG) identification characteristics. Defined Terms: MEDCOM OOG 1 MEDCOM OOG 2
MedCom OOG Version	(0029,xx09)	SIEMENS MEDCOM OOG	3	Version of MEDCOM OOG Info (0029,xx10) format.
MedCom OOG Info	(0029,xx10)	SIEMENS MEDCOM OOG	3	MEDCOM Object Oriented Graphics (OOG) data.

The graphics objects are also fully drawn in the Image Overlay Plane for compatibility with other products, which do not support the MedCom OOG module. Any system not supporting the MedCom OOG module shall remove the OOG module and it's contents when modifying the image overlay plane content.

A.2 Registry of DICOM Data Elements

Tag	Private Owner Code	Name	VR	VM
(0029,xx08)	SIEMENS CSA NON-IMAGE	CSA Data Type	CS	1
(0029,xx09)	SIEMENS CSA NON-IMAGE	CSA Data Version	LO	1
(0029,xx10)	SIEMENS CSA NON-IMAGE	CSA Data Info	ОВ	1
(0029,xx08)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	CSA Image Header Type	CS	1
(0029,xx09)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	CSA Image Header Version	LO	1
(0029,xx10)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	CSA Image Header Info	ОВ	1
(0029,xx18)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	CSA Series Header Type	CS	1
(0029,xx19)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	CSA Series Header Version	LO	1
(0029,xx20)	SIEMENS CSA HEADER	CSA Series Header Info	ОВ	1
(0029,xx08)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	MedCom Header Type	CS	1
(0029,xx09)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	MedCom Header Version	LO	1
(0029,xx10)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	MedCom Header Info	ОВ	1
(0029,xx20)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	MedCom History Information	ОВ	1
(0029,xx40)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Application Header Sequence	SQ	1
(0029,xx41)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Application Header Type	CS	1
(0029,xx42)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Application Header ID	LO	1
(0029,xx43)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Application Header Version	LO	1
(0029,xx44)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Application Header Info	ОВ	1
(0029,xx50)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Workflow Control Flags	LO	8
(0029,xx51)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Arch. Management Flag Keep Online	CS	1
(0029,xx52)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Arch. Mgmnt Flag Do Not Archive	CS	1
(0029,xx53)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Image Location Status	CS	1
(0029,xx54)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Estimated Retrieve Time	DS	1
(0029,xx55)	SIEMENS MEDCOM HEADER	Data Size of Retrieved Images	DS	1
(7FE1,xx10)	SIEMENS CSA NON-IMAGE	CSA Data	ОВ	1

A.3 Standard Extensions of all SOP Classes

The following tables list the data dictionary of all DICOM IOD attributes where WHAWS extends the DICOM standard definitions:

Attribute Name	Tag	Private Creator	Туре	Notes
				see A.4.1 additional Defined Terms:
Image Type	(0008,0008)	-	1	Defined Terms for value 3: OTHER
				Defined Terms for value 4: LEFT RIGHT BOTH

All SOP classes may contain additional type 3 attributes which DICOM standard defines in a different DICOM IOD or DICOM SOP class (attributes from Normalized SOP classes).

This is the case for example for

- Rescale Slope (0028,1053)
- Rescale Intercept (0028,1052)
 which are also used in the MR IOD.

A.3.1 Image Type

The Image Type (0008,0008) attribute identifies important image identification characteristics. These characteristics are:

- 1. Pixel Data Characteristics:
- is the image an ORIGINAL Image; an image whose pixel values are based on original or source data. or
- is the image a DERIVED Image; an image whose pixel values have been derived in some manner from the pixel value of one or more other images.
 - 2. Patient Examination Characteristics:
- is the image a PRIMARY Image; an image created as a direct result of the Patient examination, or
- is the image a SECONDARY Image; an image created after the initial Patient examination.
 - 3. Modality Specific Characteristics (SOP Specific Characteristics).
 - 4. Implementation specific identifiers; other implementation specific identifiers shall be documented in an implementation's conformance claim.

The Image Type attribute is multi-valued and shall be provided in the following manner:

- Value 1 shall identify the Pixel Data Characteristics; Enumerated Values for the Pixel Data Characteristics are:
 - ORIGINAL = identifies an Original Image
 - DERIVED = identifies a Derived Image

- Value 2 shall identify the Patient Examination Characteristics; Enumerated Values for the Patient **Examination Characteristics are:**
 - PRIMARY = identifies a Primary Image
 - SECONDARY = identifies a Secondary Image
- Value 3 shall identify any Image IOD specific specialization, the following terms are defined in addition to the DICOM standard definitions:
 - OTHER = is also used for converted non-Axial and non-Localizer CT images
 - MPR = for 3D MPR images •
 - PROJECTION IMAGE = for 3D MIP and SSD images
- Value 4 which are implementation specific, the following terms are defined in addition to the **DICOM standard definitions:**
 - original syngo generated data set types:

LEFT = used to indicate left breast

RIGHT = used to indicate right breast

BOTH = used to indicate both breasts

- Converted images
 - CT SOM4 NONE = converted SOMARIS image
 - CT SOM4 CONV = converted SOMARIS Convolution Kernel file
 - CT SOM4 DART = converted SOMARIS Dental Artificial image
 - CT SOM4 DEVA = converted SOMARIS Dental Evaluation image
 - CT SOM4 DGRA = converted SOMARIS Dental Graphics image
 - CT SOM4 DMEA = converted SOMARIS Dynamic Measurement image
 - CT SOM4 DPAN = converted SOMARIS Dental Panorama image
 - SOM4 DPAR = converted SOMARIS Dental Paraxial image
 - CT SOM4 EBT = converted SOMARIS Evolution image
 - CT_SOM4 HIS = converted SOMARIS Histogram Graphics image
 - CT_SOM4 HISC = converted SOMARIS Histogram Graphics image
 - CT_SOM4 MUL = converted SOMARIS Multiscan image
 - CT_SOM4 OEVA = converted SOMARIS Osteo Evaluation image
 - CT_SOM4 OTOM = converted SOMARIS Osteo Tomogram image
 - CT_SOM4 OTOP = converted SOMARIS Osteo Topogram image
 - CT SOM4 PLOT = converted SOMARIS Plot image
 - CT_SOM4 QUAL = converted SOMARIS Quality image
 - CT_SOM4 R2D = converted SOMARIS 2D Rebuild image
 - CT SOM4 R3D = converted SOMARIS 3D Rebuild image
 - CT SOM4 R3DE = converted SOMARIS 3D Rebuild image
 - CT SOM4 RMAX = converted SOMARIS Maximum Intensity Projection image
 - CT SOM4 RMIN = converted SOMARIS Minimum Intensity Projection image
 - CT_SOM4 ROT = converted SOMARIS Rotation Mode image
 - CT_SOM4 RRAD = converted SOMARIS Radiographic Projection image
 - CT_SOM4 RVIT = converted SOMARIS Vessel Image Tool image
 - CT SOM4 RVRT = converted SOMARIS Volumetric Rendering image
 - CT_SOM4 SAVE = converted SOMARIS Evolution Screen Save image
 - SOM4 SCAN = converted SOMARIS Standard Mode image
 - SOM4 SEQ = converted SOMARIS Sequence Mode image
 - SOM4 SER = converted SOMARIS Serial Mode image
 - CT_SOM4 SIN = converted SOMARIS Sinogram image
 - CT_SOM4 SINC = converted SOMARIS Sinogram image CT_SOM4 SPI = converted SOMARIS Spiral Mode image
 - CT_SOM4 STA = converted SOMARIS Static Mode image
 - CT_SOM4 TAB = converted SOMARIS Correction Table image

 - CT_SOM4 TOP = converted SOMARIS Topogram image
 - CT_SOM4 GTOP = converted SOMARIS Topo Graphics image

CT SOM4 PEVG = converted SOMARIS Pulmo Evaluation image

CT SOM4 PEVI = converted SOMARIS Pulmo Evaluation image

CT SOM4 PUL = converted SOMARIS Pulmo Respiration image

CT_SOM4 PROT = converted SOMARIS Protocol image

CT_SOM4 TEXT = converted SOMARIS Text image

CT_SOM4 ICD = converted SOMARIS Interventional Cine image

SHS DENT = converted MagicView Dental Tomogram image

SHS DPAN = converted MagicView Dental Panorama image

SHS DPAR = converted MagicView Dental Paraxial image

SHS 3D CURVED = converted MagicView image

SHS 3D_MIP = converted MagicView Maximum Intensity Projection image

SHS 3D MPR = converted MagicView Multi Planar Reconstruction image

SHS 3D_SSD = converted MagicView Shaded Surface Display image

SHS 3D_VRT = converted MagicView Volumetric Rendering image

A.4 DICOM Print SCU – detailed status displays

The following tables document the behavior of the WH AWS DICOM Print AE in response to messages received for the printer SOP class and the print job SOP class.

Definitions of camera symbols:

- Idle: Camera is installed and ready; idle icon is displayed.
- Interact: The user has to react in near future, but not immediately.
 Example: A camera was low in 8x10 clear sheets: LOW 8x10 CLR was sent by n-event-report.
- Queue Stopped: The user has to react immediately. Either the camera needs immediate interaction or a job has been aborted.

Example: A camera is out of 8x10 clear sheets, or camera is down, or a film job is aborted.

Note: different camera symbols are displayed according to the Printer Status Info.

The Printer Status (Success, Warning, Failure) is not evaluated, since the Printer Status Info is much more detailed and allows a more appropriate reaction of the system.

A.4.1 Common Status Information

"Common Status Info evaluation"

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
NORMAL	Camera is ready	Camera is ready	<none>/idle</none>
BAD RECEIVE MGZ	There is a problem with the film receive magazine. Films from the printer cannot be transported into the magazine.	Problem with receive magazine.	<none>/interact</none>
BAD SUPPLY MGZ	There is a problem with the film supply magazine. Films from this magazine cannot be transported into the printer.	Problem with supply magazine.	<none>/interact</none>
CALIBRATING	Printer is performing self calibration, it is expected to be available for normal operation shortly.	Self calibration. Please wait.	<none>/idle</none>
CALIBRATION ERR	An error in the printer calibration has been detected, quality of processed films may not be optimal.	Problem in calibration. Film quality may not be optimal.	<none>/interact</none>
CHECK CHEMISTRY	A problem with the processor chemicals has been detected, quality of processed films may not be optimal.	Problem with chemistry. Film quality may not be optimal.	<none>/interact</none>
CHECK SORTER	There is an error in the film sorter	Error in film sorter.	<none>/interact</none>

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
CHEMICALS EMPTY	There are no processing chemicals in the processor, films will not be printed and processed until the processor is back to normal.	Camera chemistry empty. Please check.	<none>/interact</none>
CHEMICALS LOW	The chemical level in the processor is low, if not corrected, it will probably shut down soon.	Camera chemistry low. Please check.	<none>/interact</none>
COVER OPEN	One or more printer or processor covers, drawers, doors are open.	Camera cover, drawer or door open.	<none>/interact</none>
ELEC CONFIG ERR	Printer configured improperly for this job.	Camera configured improperly for this job. Queue stopped.	Queue for this camera will be STOPPED/ Queue stopped
ELEC DOWN	Printer is not operating due to some unspecified electrical hardware problem.	Camera electrical hardware Problem.	<none>/interact</none>
ELEC SW ERROR	Printer not operating for some unspecified software error.	Camera software problem. Queue stopped.	Queue for this camera will be STOPPED/ Queue stopped
EMPTY 8x10	The 8x10 inch film supply magazine is empty.	8x10 film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 8x10 BLUE	The 8x10 inch blue film supply magazine is empty.	8x10 blue film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 8x10 CLR	The 8x10 inch clear film supply magazine is empty.	8x10 clear film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 8x10 PAPR	The 8x10 inch paper supply magazine is empty.	8x10 paper supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 10x12	The 10x12 inch film supply magazine is empty.	10x12 film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 10x12 BLUE	The 10x12 inch blue film supply magazine is empty.	10x12 blue film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 10x12 CLR	The 10x12 inch clear film supply magazine is empty.	10x12 clear film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 10x12 PAPR	The 10x12 inch paper supply magazine is empty.	10x12 paper supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 10x14	The 10x14 inch film supply magazine is empty.	10x14 film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 10x14 BLUE	The 10x14 inch blue film supply magazine is empty.	10x14 blue film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 10x14 CLR	The 10x14 inch clear film supply magazine is empty.	10x14 clear film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 10x14 PAPR	The 10x14 inch paper supply magazine is empty.	10x14 paper supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 11x14	The 11x14 inch film supply magazine is empty.	11x14 film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 11x14 BLUE	The 11x14 inch blue film supply magazine is empty.	11x14 blue film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 11x14 CLR	The 11x14 inch clear film supply magazine is empty.	11x14 clear film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 11x14 PAPR	The 11x14 inch paper supply magazine is empty.	11x14 paper supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 14x14	The 14x14 inch film supply magazine is empty.	14x14 film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 14x14 BLUE	The 14x14 inch blue film supply magazine is empty.	14x14 blue film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 14x14 CLR	The 14x14 inch clear film supply magazine is empty.	14x14 clear film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 14x14 PAPR	The 14x14 inch paper supply magazine is empty.	14x14 paper supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 14x17	The 14x17 inch film supply magazine is empty.	14x17 film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 14x17 BLUE	The 14x17 inch blue film supply magazine is empty.	14x17 blue film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 14x17 CLR	The 14x17 inch clear film supply magazine is empty.	14x17 clear film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 14x17 PAPR	The 14x17 inch paper supply magazine is empty.	14x17 paper supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 24x24	The 24x24 inch film supply magazine is empty.	24x24 film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
EMPTY 24x24 BLUE	The 24x24 inch blue film supply magazine is empty.	24x24 blue film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 24x24 CLR	The 24x24 inch clear film supply magazine is empty.	24x24 clear film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 24x24 PAPR	The 24x24 inch paper supply magazine is empty.	24x24 paper supply empty	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 24x30	The 24x30 inch film supply magazine is empty.	24x30 film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 24x30 BLUE	The 24x30 inch blue film supply magazine is empty.	24x30 blue film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 24x30 CLR	The 24x30 inch clear film supply magazine is empty.	24x30 clear film supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY 24x30 PAPR	The 24x30 inch paper supply magazine is empty.	24x30 paper supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY A4 PAPR	The A4 paper supply magazine is empty.	A4 paper supply empty	<none>/interact</none>
EMPTY A4 TRANS	The A4 transparency supply magazine is empty.	A4 transparency supply empty.	<none>/interact</none>
EXPOSURE FAILURE	The exposure device has failed due to some unspecified reason.	Exposure device has failed.	<none>/interact</none>
FILM JAM	A film transport error has occurred and a film is jammed in the printer or processor.	Film jam.	<none>/interact</none>
FILM TRANSP ERR	There is a malfunction with the film transport, there may or may not be a film jam.	Film transport problem.	<none>/interact</none>
FINISHER EMPTY	The finisher is empty.	Finisher is empty.	<none>/interact</none>
FINISHER ERROR	The finisher is not operating due to some unspecified reason	Finisher problem.	<none>/interact</none>
FINISHER LOW	The finisher is low on supplies.	Finisher low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 8x10	The 8x10 inch film supply magazine is low.	8x10 film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 8x10 BLUE	The 8x10 inch blue film supply magazine is low.	8x10 blue film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 8x10 CLR	The 8x10 inch clear film supply magazine is low.	8x10 clear film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 8x10 PAPR	The 8x10 inch paper supply magazine is low.	8x10 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 10x12	The 10x12 inch film supply magazine is low.	10x12 film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 10x12 BLUE	The 10x12 inch blue film supply magazine is low.	10x12 blue film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 10x12 CLR	The 10x12 inch clear film supply magazine is low.	10x12 clear film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 10x12 PAPR	The 10x12 inch paper supply magazine is low.	10x12 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 10x14	The 10x14 inch film supply magazine is low.	10x14 film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 10x14 BLUE	The 10x14 inch blue film supply magazine is low.	10x14 blue film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 10x14 CLR	The 10x14 inch clear film supply magazine is low.	10x14 clear film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 10x14 PAPR	The 10x14 inch paper supply magazine is low.	10x14 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 11x14	The 11x14 inch film supply magazine is low.	11x14 film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 11x14 BLUE	The 11x14 inch blue film supply magazine is low.	11x14 blue film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 11x14 CLR	The 11x14 inch clear film supply magazine is low.	11x14 clear film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 11x14 PAPR	The 11x14 inch paper supply magazine is low.	11x14 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 14x14	The 14x14 inch film supply magazine is low.	14x14 film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 14x14 BLUE	The 14x14 inch blue film supply magazine is low.	14x14 blue film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 14x14 CLR	The 14x14 inch clear film supply magazine is low.	14x14 clear film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 14x14 PAPR	The 14x14 inch paper supply magazine is low.	14x14 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
LOW 14x17	The 14x17 inch film supply magazine is low.	14x17 film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 14x17 BLUE	The 14x17 inch blue film supply magazine is low.	14x17 blue film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 14x17 CLR	The 14x17 inch clear film supply magazine is low.	14x17 clear film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 14x17 PAPR	The 14x17 inch paper supply magazine is low.	14x17 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 24x24	The 24x24 inch film supply magazine is low.	24x24 film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 24x24 BLUE	The 24x24 inch blue film supply magazine is low.	24x24 blue film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 24x24 CLR	The 24x24 inch clear film supply magazine is low.	24x24 clear film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 24x24 PAPR	The 24x24 inch paper supply magazine is low.	24x24 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 24x30	The 24x30 inch film supply magazine is low.	24x30 film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 24x30 BLUE	The 24x30 inch blue film supply magazine is low.	24x30 blue film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 24x30 CLR	The 24x30 inch clear film supply magazine is low.	24x30 clear film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW 24x30 PAPR	The 24x30 inch paper supply magazine is low.	24x30 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW A4 PAPR	The A4 paper supply magazine is low.	A4 paper supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
LOW A4 TRANS	The A4 transparency supply magazine is low	A4 transparency supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
NO RECEIVE MGZ	The film receive magazine is not available.	Film receiver not available.	<none>/interact</none>
NO RIBBON	The ribbon cartridge needs to be replaced.	Replace ribbon cartridge.	<none>/interact</none>
NO SUPPLY MGZ	The film supply magazine is not available.	Film supply not available.	<none>/interact</none>
CHECK PRINTER	The printer is not ready at this time, operator intervention is required to make the printer available.	Check camera.	<none>/interact</none>
CHECK PROC	The processor is not ready at this time, operator intervention is required to make the printer available.	Check processor.	<none>/interact</none>
PRINTER DOWN	The printer is not operating due to some unspecified reason.	Camera down.	<none>/interact</none>
PRINTER INIT	The printer is not ready at this time, it is expected to become available without intervention. For example, it may be in a normal warm-up state.	Camera initializing.	<none>/Idle</none>
PRINTER OFFLINE	The printer has been disabled by an operator or service person.	Camera off-line.	<none>/interact</none>
PROC DOWN	The processor is not operating due to some unspecified reason.	Processor down.	<none>/interact</none>
PROC INIT	The processor is not ready at this time, it is expected to become available without intervention. For example, it may be in a normal warm-up state.	Processor initializing.	<none>/Idle</none>
PROC OVERFLOW FL	Processor chemicals are approaching the overflow full mark.	Processor chemicals near overflow.	<none>/interact</none>
PROC OVERFLOW HI	Processor chemicals have reached the overflow full mark.	Processor chemicals overflow.	<none>/interact</none>
QUEUED	Print job in Queue		<none>/Idle</none>
RECEIVER FULL	The film receive magazine is full.	Receiver full.	<none>/interact</none>
REQ MED NOT INST	The requested film, paper, or other media supply magazine is installed in the printer, but may be available with operator intervention.	Install media supply.	<none>/interact</none>
REQ MED NOT AVAI	The requested film, paper, or other media requested is not available on this printer.	Media supply not available on this camera. Queue stopped. Change camera.	Queue for this camera will be STOPPED/ Queue stopped
RIBBON ERROR	There is an unspecified problem with the print ribbon.	Error with print ribbon.	<none>/interact</none>

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
SUPPLY EMPTY	The printer is out of film.	Camera out of film.	<none>/interact</none>
SUPPLY LOW	The film supply is low.	Film supply low.	<none>/interact</none>
UNKNOWN	There is an unspecified problem.	Unspecified problem with camera.	<none>/interact</none>

A.4.2 Additional Status Information – AGFA printers

"Additional Agfa printer Status Info evaluation"

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
WARMING UP	Printer is in the warm-up stage. Spooling of print jobs to disk is still possible.	Camera is warming up.	<none>/idle</none>
OFFLINE	OFFLINE Printer is switched off-line. Spooling of print jobs to disk is still possible.	Camera is switched off- line.	<none>/interact</none>
NONE	General printer warning, no specific information is available. Spooling of print jobs to disk is still possible.		<none>/idle</none>

A.4.3 Additional Status Information – Kodak PACS Link (formerly Imation)

"Additional Kodak PACS Link (Imation) printer Status Info evaluation"

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
SUPPLY MGZ ERR	The supply magazine has an error.	Film supply has an error.	<none>/interact</none>

LOAD XLA4- CVTRANS	Load XLA4-Size transparencies.	Load XLA4-Size transparencies.	<none>/interact</none>
LOAD XLW-SIZE	Load XLW-Size media.	Load XLW-Size media.	<none>/interact</none>
LOAD XLW-DVPAPER	Load XLW-Size black and white paper.	Load XLW-Size black and white paper.	<none>/interact</none>
LOAD XLW-CVPAPER	Load XLW-Size color paper.	Load XLW-Size color paper.	<none>/interact</none>
LOAD 8X10-SIZE	Load 8x10 media.	Load 8x10 media.	<none>/interact</none>
LOAD 8X10-DVFILM	Load XLW-Size black and white film.	Load XLW-Size black and white film.	<none>/interact</none>
SUPPLY MISSING	The film supply magazine specified for this job is not available.	Film supply not available.	<none>/interact</none>
RIBBON MISSING	Ribbon is missing.	Ribbon is missing.	<none>/interact</none>
RIBBON EMPTY	Ribbon is empty.	Ribbon is empty.	<none>/interact</none>
TOP COVER OPEN	Top cover of printer is open.	Top cover of camera is open.	<none>/interact</none>

A.4.4 Additional DICOM Execution Status Information

"Additional DICOM Execution Status Info evaluation"

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
INVALID PAGE DES	The specified page layout cannot be printed or other page description errors have been detected.	Film Job cannot be printed on this camera. Queue stopped. Please redirect film job.	Queue for this camera will be STOPPED/ Queue stopped
INSUFFICIENT MEMORY	There is not enough memory available to complete this job.	Not enough memory available in camera.	Queue for this camera will be

Printer Status Info/ Execution Status Info	Description	Message string visible in 'Status Bar'	Other action for UI/ 'camera symbol'
		Queue stopped. Please continue queue or change camera.	STOPPED/ Queue stopped
NONE	General printer warning, no specific information is available. Spooling of print jobs to disk is still possible.		<none>/Idle</none>