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Foreword

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Introduction

167 This document defines the classes used to describe role-based authorization in a managed system. Also
168 included are descriptions of the relationship between the authorization and authentication for a managed
169 system, and the DMTF profile version information. The information in this specification is intended to be
170 sufficient for a provider or consumer of this data to identify unambiguously the classes, properties,
171 methods, and values that are mandatory to be instantiated and manipulated to represent and manage
172 users and groups that are modeled using the DMTF Common Information Model (CIM) core and
173 extended model definitions.

174 The target audience for this specification is implementers who are writing CIM-based providers or
175 consumers of management interfaces that represent the component described in this document.

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Role Based Authorization Profile

177 1 Scope

178 The *Role Based Authorization Profile* extends the management capability of the referencing profiles by
179 adding the capability to model role-based authorization for a managed system. This profile is intended to
180 be used for the representation of the authorization on a managed system. This profile is not intended to
181 serve as a mechanism for the authorization. The relationship between authorization and security
182 principals of the accounts and groups, as well as the profile's registration for the schema implementation
183 version information, is also described.

184 2 Normative References

185 The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated
186 references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced
187 document (including any amendments) applies.

188 2.1 Approved References

- 189 DMTF [DSP0200](#), *CIM Operations over HTTP 1.2.0*
190 DMTF [DSP0004](#), *CIM Infrastructure Specification 2.3.0*
191 DMTF [DSP1000](#), *Management Profile Specification Template*
192 DMTF [DSP1001](#), *Management Profile Specification Usage Guide*
193 DMTF [DSP1034](#), *Simple Identity Management Profile 1.0*
194 DMTF [DSP1033](#), *Profile Registration Profile 1.0*

195 2.2 References under Development

- 196 DMTF [DSP0215](#), *Server Management Managed Element Addressing Specification, 1.0.0*

197 2.3 Other References

- 198 ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2, *Rules for the structure and drafting of International Standards*,
199 <http://isotc.iso.org/livelink/livelink.exe?func=ll&objId=4230456&objAction=browse&sort=subtype>
200 Unified Modeling Language (UML) from the Open Management Group (OMG), <http://www.uml.org>

201 3 Terms and Definitions

202 For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply. For the purposes of this
203 document, the terms and definitions given in [DSP1033](#) and [DSP1001](#) also apply.

204 3.1

205 can

206 used for statements of possibility and capability, whether material, physical, or causal

- 207 **3.2**
208 **cannot**
209 used for statements of possibility and capability, whether material, physical, or causal
- 210 **3.3**
211 **conditional**
212 indicates requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the document when the specified conditions
213 are met
- 214 **3.4**
215 **mandatory**
216 indicates requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the document and from which no deviation is
217 permitted
- 218 **3.5**
219 **may**
220 indicates a course of action permissible within the limits of the document
- 221 **3.6**
222 **need not**
223 indicates a course of action permissible within the limits of the document
- 224 **3.7**
225 **optional**
226 indicates a course of action permissible within the limits of the document
- 227 **3.8**
228 **referencing profile**
229 indicates a profile that owns the definition of this class and can include a reference to this profile in its
230 "Referenced Profiles" table
- 231 **3.9**
232 **shall**
233 indicates requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the document and from which no deviation is
234 permitted
- 235 **3.10**
236 **shall not**
237 indicates requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the document and from which no deviation is
238 permitted
- 239 **3.11**
240 **should**
241 indicates that among several possibilities, one is recommended as particularly suitable, without
242 mentioning or excluding others, or that a certain course of action is preferred but not necessarily required
- 243 **3.12**
244 **should not**
245 indicates that a certain possibility or course of action is deprecated but not prohibited
- 246 **3.13**
247 **unspecified**
248 indicates that this profile does not define any constraints for the referenced CIM element or operation

249 **3.14**

250 **Associated Privilege Management Capability**

251 an instance of CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities describing the capabilities of the mentioned
252 instance of CIM_Privilege as described in section 7.4

253 **3.15**

254 **Associated Role Management Capability**

255 an instance of CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities, which is associated with the instance of
256 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService through the CIM_ElementCapabilities association, which in turn is
257 associated with the mentioned instance of CIM_Role through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association

258 **3.16**

259 **Cumulative Privilege**

260 a conceptual instance of CIM_Privilege that represents rights granted

261 **3.17**

262 **Cumulative Role Privilege**

263 an instance of CIM_Privilege that is the conceptual representation of all the Granted Privileges and
264 Denied Privileges that are associated with a particular instance of CIM_Role

265 **3.18**

266 **Denied Privilege**

267 an instance of CIM_Privilege with the PrivilegeGranted property set to FALSE that represents the denied
268 privilege of associated roles

269 **3.19**

270 **Granted Privilege**

271 an instance of CIM_Privilege with the PrivilegeGranted property set to TRUE that represents the granted
272 privilege of associated roles

273 **3.20**

274 **Modified Role**

275 an instance of CIM_Role that is referenced by the Role parameter of the ModifyRole() method

276 **3.21**

277 **Root Instance**

278 an instance of CIM_ManagedElement that is associated with the instance of CIM_Role through the
279 CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget association and conceptually symbolizes the root of the scope hierarchy for
280 the CIM_Role instance

281 **3.22**

282 **Template Privilege**

283 an instance of CIM_Privilege only to be used by a client as a template for creating new authorized roles
284 or modifying the existing roles

285 **4 Symbols and Abbreviated Terms**

286 **Experimental Maturity Level**

287
288 Some of the content considered for inclusion in the *Role Based Authorization Profile* has yet to receive
289 sufficient review to satisfy the adoption requirements set forth by the Technical Committee within the
290 DMTF. This content is presented here as an aid to implementers who are interested in likely future
291 developments within this specification. The content marked experimental may change as implementation

292 experience is gained. There is a high likelihood that it will be included in an upcoming revision of the
 293 specification. Until that time, it is purely informational, and is clearly marked within the text.
 294 A sample of the typographical convention for experimental content is included here:

295 **EXPERIMENTAL**

296 Experimental content appears here.

297 **EXPERIMENTAL**

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299 **5 Synopsis**

300 **Profile Name:** *Role Based Authorization*

301 **Version:** 1.0.0

302 **Organization:** DMTF

303 **CIM schema version:** 2.20

304 **Central Class:** CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService

305 **Scoping Class:** CIM_ComputerSystem

306 The *Role Based Authorization Profile* extends the management capability of the referencing profiles by
 307 adding the capability to authorize the authenticated entities in a managed system.

308 The Central Class of the *Role Based Authorization Profile* shall be CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.
 309 The Central Instance shall be an instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService. The Scoping Class
 310 shall be CIM_ComputerSystem. The Scoping Instance shall be the instance of CIM_ComputerSystem
 311 that is associated with the Central Instance through the CIM_HostedService association.

312 Table 1 lists the profiles related to the *Role Based Authorization Profile*.

313

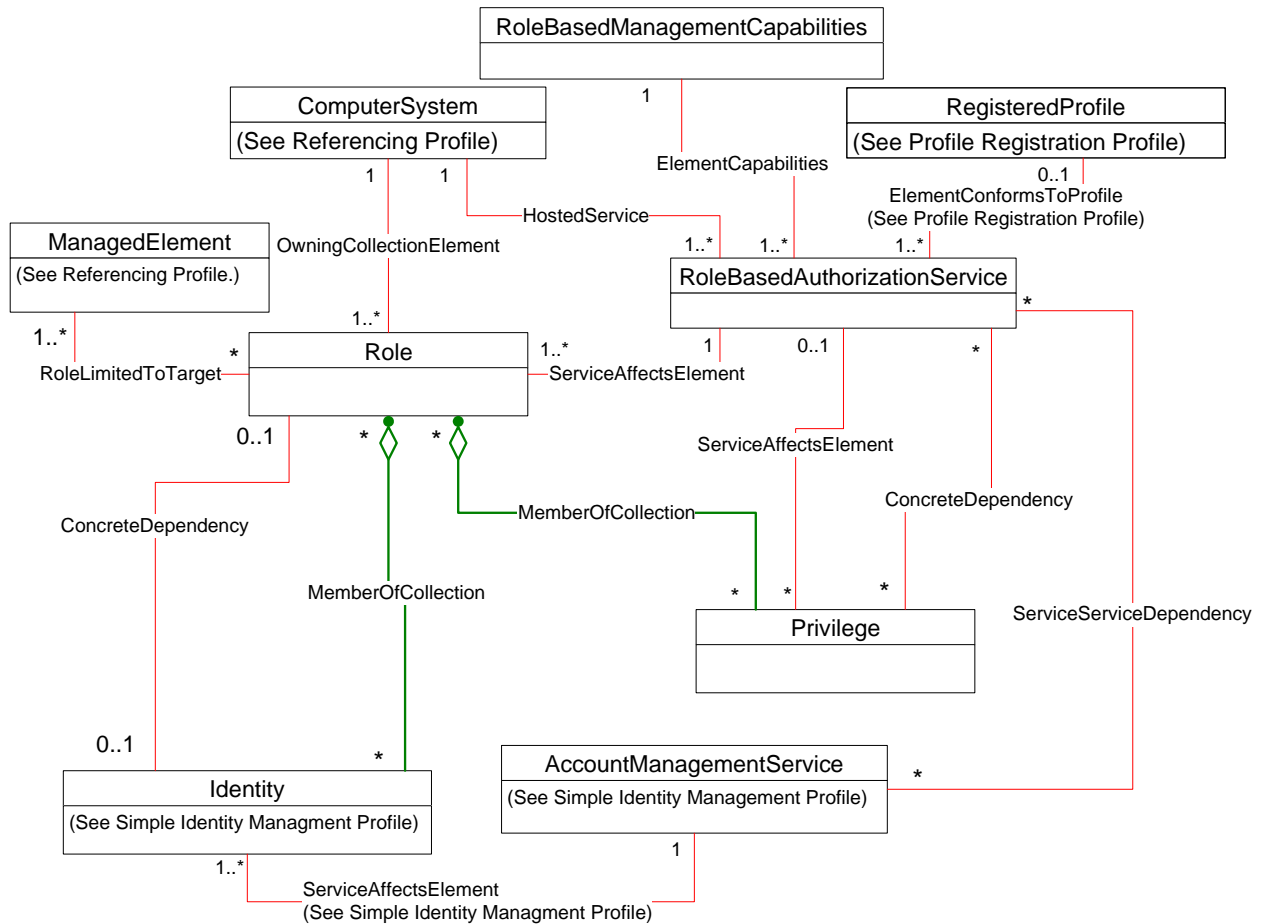
Table 1 – Referenced Profiles

Profile Name	Organization	Version	Relationship	Behavior
<i>Simple Identity Management</i>	DMTF	1.0.0	Optional	See section 7.3.
<i>Profile Registration</i>	DMTF	1.0.0	Mandatory	

314 **6 Description**

315 The *Role Based Authorization Profile* describes the properties and methods for role management and
 316 authorization in a managed system. This profile does not provide a mechanism for an application to verify
 317 authorization. The CIM instrumentation of this profile is intended to reflect the roles and privileges that are
 318 available in and enforced by the underlying managed system.

319 Figure 1 represents the class schema for the profile. For simplicity, the prefix *CIM_* has been removed
 320 from the names of the classes.



321

322

Figure 1 – Role Based Authorization Profile: Class Diagram

323 **6.1 Role Authorization Service: CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService**

324 The ability to manage and configure roles for a managed system is represented by the
 325 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance. The CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService class is the
 326 Central Class of the profile and, through extrinsic methods, serves as the interface for a client to request
 327 deletion and modification of existing roles, creation of new roles, and assignment of roles to security
 328 principals.

329 **6.2 Authorized Roles and Privileges: CIM_Role and CIM_Privilege**

330 The authorized roles on a managed system are represented through instances of CIM_Role. Rights
 331 granted to a security principal through membership in a role are represented by instances of
 332 CIM_Privilege that are associated with the instance of CIM_Role through the CIM_MemberOfCollection
 333 association.

334 6.2.1 Role Privileges

335 When the security principal is a member of an authorized role, the principal is granted the cumulative
336 privileges of the role. Every authorized role on the managed system can have a set of explicitly granted or
337 denied privileges. The PrivilegeGranted property of the CIM_Privilege instance represents whether the
338 instance of CIM_Privilege comprises activities that are granted or denied for the role. The Activities,
339 ActivityQualifiers, and QualifierFormats properties of the CIM_Privilege instance describe the activities
340 represented by the privilege.

341 6.2.2 Role Scope

342 The scope of the authorized role is the set of managed elements represented by the instances of the
343 CIM_ManagedElement subclass, which could be subjected to the activities that make up the privileges of
344 the authorized role. The scope of the roles authorization is represented by associating the CIM_Role
345 instance to instances of CIM_ManagedElement through the CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget association. When
346 the associated CIM_ManagedElement instance contains or aggregates additional CIM_ManagedElement
347 instances, the privileges granted by the role can propagate to the contained or aggregated instances of
348 CIM_ManagedElement. This profile does not provide a mechanism for managing whether the privileges
349 granted by an instance of CIM_Role for managing an instance of CIM_ManagedElement are propagated
350 to aggregated or contained instances of CIM_ManagedElement. Therefore, privileges granted for
351 managing or accessing an instance of CIM_ManagedElement always propagate to the aggregated and
352 contained instances of CIM_ManagedElement.

353 The detailed requirements for representing the scope of the authorized role are described in section
354 7.1.1.

355 6.2.3 Cumulative Privileges

356 A security principal is granted rights through role membership to manage or access managed elements
357 that are within the scope of the role. The Cumulative Privileges granted to a security principal for a
358 managed element are determined by evaluating the Cumulative Role Privileges for each role of which the
359 security principal is a member and in whose scope the target managed element lies.

360 6.3 Security Principal: CIM_Identity

361 The CIM_Identity class represents the security principal for the accounts (CIM_Account), users
362 (CIM_UserContact), and groups (CIM_Group) as described in the *Simple Identity Management Profile*.
363 The security principal exists on the managed system and is used to provide the security context under
364 which the authenticated user and group can act within the managed system. As such, the instantiation of
365 a CIM_Identity instance that represents the security principal does not depend on the underlying
366 authentication of the associated users and groups.

367 CIM_Identity instances that represent security principals for the accounts, users, and groups can have a
368 CIM_MemberOfCollection association to the appropriate CIM_Role instances. The representation of roles
369 is described in detail in section 6.2.

370 6.4 Privilege Management

371 Two general patterns exist for managing privileges for a security principal. Privileges can be managed
372 through one or more common roles with well-known, fixed privileges. For example, a system could have
373 administrator, operator, and read-only roles. The second pattern is the specification of a custom
374 combination of privileges. These custom privileges can be assigned in two ways. A common role can be
375 created that has the custom privileges, and then the security principal can be assigned to the role.
376 Alternatively, each security principal can have a dedicated role, and the custom privileges can be
377 managed for that role.

378 This profile describes how to use the *Role Based Authorization Profile* to support these two privilege-
379 management patterns. Two methods can be used. One method uses common roles and manages
380 privileges for a security principal through membership in one or more roles. The second method uses a
381 dedicated role for each security principal to enable the management of privileges directly for the principal.
382 The first method corresponds to the management of privileges (well-known or custom) through
383 membership in common roles. The second method corresponds to the management of custom privileges
384 assigned individually to each security principal. Within an implementation, the two methods can be used
385 simultaneously to model custom and defined roles.

386 When referencing an instance of `CIM_Role`, `CIM_ConcreteDependency` is used to indicate that the
387 `CIM_Role` instance is dedicated to managing the privileges of the referenced `CIM_Identity`.

388 The `CIM_ServiceServiceDependency` association is used to associate instances of
389 `CIM_AccountManagementService` with instances of `CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService`. This
390 association indicates that security principals managed by the instance of
391 `CIM_AccountManagementService` can be assigned to roles managed by the instance of
392 `CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService`.

393 **7 Implementation**

394 This section details the requirements related to the arrangement of instances and their properties for
395 implementations of this profile.

396 **7.1 Modeling the Authorized Role**

397 The implementation shall instantiate at least one instance of `CIM_Role` that represents an authorized role
398 and at least one instance of `CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService`.

399 Instances of `CIM_Role` shall be associated to an instance of `CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService`
400 through `CIM_ServiceAffectsElement` associations.

401 Each instance of `CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService` shall be associated to only one instance of
402 `CIM_ComputerSystem` through the `CIM_HostedService` association. This instance of
403 `CIM_ComputerSystem` shall be the Scoping Instance.

404 Each `CIM_Role` instance shall be associated to only one instance of `CIM_ComputerSystem`, through the
405 `CIM_OwningCollectionElement` association.

406 Exactly one instance of `CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities` shall be associated with the
407 `CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService` instance through the `CIM_ElementCapabilities` association.

408 **7.1.1 Scope of the Authorized Role**

409 Privileges granted by an instance of `CIM_Role` shall propagate from containing or aggregating instances
410 of `CIM_ManagedElement` to the contained or aggregated instances of `CIM_ManagedElement`.

411 Each instance of `CIM_Role` shall be referenced by at least one instance of `CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget`.
412 The `CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget` association explicitly places the referenced instance of
413 `CIM_ManagedElement` into the scope of the `CIM_Role` instance. Additional instances of
414 `CIM_ManagedElement` may be implicitly within the scope of the `CIM_Role` instance.

415 Table 2 identifies common containment and aggregation associations that are used to determine if an
416 instance of `CIM_ManagedElement` is implicitly within the scope of an instance of `CIM_Role`.

417

Table 2 – Containment Relationships

Container Class (REF role)	Association Class	Contained Class (REF role)
CIM_ManagedElement (GroupComponent)	CIM_Component	CIM_ManagedElement (PartComponent)
CIM_ManagedElement (Antecedent)	CIM_Dependency	CIM_ManagedElement (Dependent)
CIM_Collection (Collection)	CIM_MemberOfCollection	CIM_ManagedElement (Member)
CIM_ManagedElement (OwningElement)	CIM_OwningCollectionElement	CIM_Collection (OwnedElement)
CIM_RecordLog (Log)	CIM_LogManagesRecord	CIM_LogRecord (Record)
CIM_System (System)	CIM_InstalledSoftwareIdentity	CIM_SoftwareIdentity (InstalledSoftware)

418 **7.1.1.1 Managed Element within Role’s Scope**

419 This section defines the algorithm used to determine whether an instance of CIM_ManagedElement is
420 within the scope of an instance of CIM_Role.

421 An instance of CIM_ManagedElement shall be in the scope of an instance of CIM_Role if

- 422 1) The instance of CIM_ManagedElement is associated with the instance of CIM_Role through the
423 CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget association.
- 424 2) The instance of CIM_ManagedElement is referenced by an instance of an association class
425 specified in the "Association Class" column of Table 2 where a reference to the instance of
426 CIM_ManagedElement is the value of the property specified in the "Contained Class" column of
427 Table 2 and the instance of CIM_ManagedElement referenced by the property specified in the
428 "Container Class" column of Table 2 is in the scope of the instance of CIM_Role, where the scope is
429 determined by recursively applying this algorithm.

430 **Note:** Other associations that are not listed in Table 2 may exist and may be used in Step 2 of the above
431 algorithm.

432 **7.1.2 CIM_Role.CommonName**

433 The CIM_Role.CommonName property shall be formatted using the following algorithm:

434 < OrgID > : < LocalID >, where < OrgID > and < LocalID > are separated by a colon (:), and where
435 < OrgID > shall include a copyrighted, trademarked, or otherwise unique name that is owned by the
436 business entity that is creating or defining the CommonName or that is a registered ID assigned to the
437 business entity by a recognized global authority. (This requirement is similar to the < Schema Name > _
438 < Class Name > structure of Schema class names.) In addition, to ensure uniqueness, < OrgID > shall
439 not contain a colon (:). The first colon to appear in this property shall appear between < OrgID > and
440 < LocalID >. < LocalID > is chosen by the business entity and should not be reused to identify different
441 underlying (real-world) elements.

442 **7.1.3 Privileges of Authorized Role**

443 The privileges of an authorized role may be represented by instances of CIM_Privilege. If the
444 CIM_Role.RoleCharacteristics property contains the value 3 (Opaque), no instances of CIM_Privilege
445 shall be associated with the instance of CIM_Role through the CIM_MemberOfCollection association.

446 If the CIM_Role.RoleCharacteristics property does not contain the value 3 (Opaque), zero or more
447 instances of CIM_Privilege shall be associated with the instance of CIM_Role through the
448 CIM_MemberOfCollection association.

449 The three types of CIM_Privilege instances are Denied Privileges, Granted Privileges, and Template
450 Privileges (see sections 3.18, 3.19, and 3.22).

451 7.1.3.1 Granted Privileges and Denied Privileges

452 Granted Privileges and Denied Privileges are associated with instances of CIM_Role through instances of
453 CIM_MemberOfCollection. If at least one instance of CIM_Privilege is associated with an instance of
454 CIM_Role, at least one Granted Privilege shall be associated with the instance of CIM_Role. Any
455 activities that are not represented by Granted Privileges associated with an instance of CIM_Role are
456 assumed as denied activities for the role.

457 If the instance of CIM_Role is associated with Denied Privileges and Granted Privileges, the Denied
458 Privileges shall take precedence over the Granted Privileges.

459 7.1.3.2 Cumulative Privileges for a Role

460 More than one Granted Privilege and more than one Denied Privilege can be associated with an instance
461 of CIM_Role. This section defines an algorithm to accumulate all the rights for a given role into one
462 conceptual instance of CIM_Privilege, Cumulative Role Privilege (see section 3.16). Upon completion of
463 this algorithm, the Cumulative Role Privilege will reflect the rights explicitly granted by the instance of
464 CIM_Role.

465 The following algorithm shall be used to construct Cumulative Role Privilege:

- 466 1) Select all the Granted Privileges (instances of CIM_Privilege with the PrivilegeGranted property set
467 to TRUE) that are associated with the given CIM_Role instance through CIM_MemberOfCollection
468 associations.
- 469 2) For each instance of Granted Privileges, select the CIM_Privilege.Activities,
470 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, and CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats array properties.
- 471 3) For each element in the CIM_Privilege.Activities property array, select the value of the corresponding
472 index of CIM_Privilege.Activities, CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, and
473 CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats property arrays,
 - 474 – Determine if the Cumulative Role Privilege's CIM_Privilege.Activities,
475 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, and CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats property arrays contain the
476 combination of selected element values from step 3.
 - 477 – If not, add the combination of selected values to the appropriate array properties of Cumulative
478 Role Privilege.
- 479 4) Select all the Denied Privileges (instances of CIM_Privilege with the PrivilegeGranted property set to
480 FALSE) that are associated with the given CIM_Role instance through CIM_MemberOfCollection
481 associations.
- 482 5) For each instance of Denied Privileges, select the CIM_Privilege.Activities,
483 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, and CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats array properties.
- 484 6) For each element in the CIM_Privilege.Activities property array, select the value of the corresponding
485 index of CIM_Privilege.Activities, CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, and
486 CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats property arrays,
 - 487 – Determine if the Cumulative Role Privilege's CIM_Privilege.Activities,
488 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, and CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats property arrays contain the
489 combination of selected element values.

- 490 – If it does, remove the combination of selected values from the appropriate array properties of
491 Cumulative Role Privilege.

492 If the CIM_Privilege.Activities, CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, or CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats
493 property is Null for all instances of CIM_Privilege where the CIM_Privilege.PrivilegeGranted property has
494 the value TRUE, the property shall be Null for the Cumulative Role Privilege.

495 7.1.3.3 Cumulative Privileges for Multiple Roles

496 The Cumulative Privilege granted by the instances of CIM_Role in an arbitrary set of instances of
497 CIM_Role shall be defined as follows:

- 498 1) For each instance of CIM_Role in the set, follow the algorithm in section 7.1.3.2 to construct the
499 Cumulative Role Privileges for the instance.
- 500 2) For each instance of Cumulative Role Privileges,
501 – For each element in the CIM_Privilege.Activities property array, select the value of the
502 corresponding index of CIM_Privilege.Activities, CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, and
503 CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats property arrays,
504 1) Determine if the Cumulative Privilege's CIM_Privilege.Activities,
505 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers, and CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats property arrays
506 contain the combination of selected element values from step 1.
507 2) If not, add the combination of selected values to the appropriate array properties of
508 Cumulative Role Privilege.

509 7.1.3.4 Template Privileges

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511 Template Privileges are used to provide the client with guidance for the Privileges parameter of the
512 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.CreateRole() and
513 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ModifyRole() methods. An element in the array of the Privileges
514 parameter of these methods may be created from Template Privileges by replicating all the properties of
515 a Template Privilege with the exception of keys.

516 EXPERIMENTAL

517 The Template Privileges shall be associated with instances of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService
518 through instances of CIM_ConcreteDependency.

519 7.1.4 Static Authorized Role

520 An authorized role that cannot be modified or deleted by the instrumentation is referred to as a static
521 authorized role. The CIM_Role.RoleCharacteristics property shall contain the value 2 (Static Role) for an
522 instance of CIM_Role that represents a static authorized role. The CIM_Role instance that represents the
523 static authorized role shall not support Authorized Role Management as described in section 7.2.

524 7.2 Authorized Role Management

525 This clause details the requirements related to managing the roles and privileges. If role and privilege
526 management is supported, the requirements specified in this clause shall be met.

527 Authorized Role Management provides functionality for creating, deleting, and modifying instances of
528 CIM_Role, associated instances of CIM_Privilege, and necessary associations.

529 Authorized Role Management shall be supported for an instance of CIM_Role if and only if the
530 SupportedMethods property array of the Associated Role Management Capability of the CIM_Role
531 instance contains at least one value, and if and only if the CIM_Role.RoleCharacteristics property does
532 not contain the value 2 (Static).

533 Authorized Role Management consists of support for one or more of the following functionalities:

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- 535 • Creation of a CIM_Role instance and associated CIM_Privilege instances by using the
536 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.CreateRole() method. See section 8.1 for requirement details.
- 537 • Deletion of a CIM_Role instance and associated CIM_Privilege instances by using the
538 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.DeleteRole() method. See section 8.1.1 for requirement
539 details.

540 **EXPERIMENTAL**

- 541 • Modification of a CIM_Role instance and associated CIM_Privilege instances by using the
542 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ModifyRole() method. See section 8.2.1 for requirement
543 details.
- 544 • Modification of a CIM_Privilege instance by using the ModifyInstance operation. See section 8.13 for
545 requirement details.

546 **7.3 Authorized Role Membership of Security Principal**

547 The privileges for a security principal may be managed. This behavior is optional. If this behavior is
548 implemented, the requirements specified in the following sections shall be implemented.

549 The *Simple Identity Management Profile* shall be implemented.

550 **7.3.1 Roles Available to Principal**

551 For each instance of CIM_Role with which an instance of CIM_Identity may be associated through the
552 CIM_MemberOfCollection association, an instance of CIM_ServiceServiceDependency shall associate at
553 least one CIM_AccountManagementService instance that is associated through the
554 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association with the CIM_Identity instance to the instance of
555 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService that is associated through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement
556 association to the instance of CIM_Role.

557 **7.3.2 Managing Privileges through Role Assignment**

558 Privileges for a principal may be managed by assigning the principal to zero or more roles. An instance of
559 CIM_Identity shall be a member of an instance of CIM_Role, if and only if an instance of
560 CIM_MemberOfCollection associates the instance of CIM_Identity that represents the principal with the
561 instance of CIM_Role that represents a role assigned to the principal.

562 If the CIM_Identity instance is not associated with any instances of CIM_Role through the
563 CIM_MemberOfCollection association, the principal shall not have any privileges.

564 **7.3.3 Managing Privileges One to One for a Principal**

565 The privileges for an authenticated entity may be modeled through a one-to-one correspondence of
566 instances of CIM_Role with an instance of CIM_Identity. If privileges are managed through one-to-one
567 correspondence, the requirements specified in this section shall be met.

568 Exactly one instance of CIM_ConcreteDependency shall be implemented as defined in section 10.2 that
569 associates the CIM_Identity instance with a CIM_Role instance. At most one instance of CIM_Identity
570 shall be associated with the CIM_Role instance through the CIM_MemberOfCollection association, if the
571 CIM_Role instance is referenced by a CIM_ConcreteDependency association. The instance relationship
572 through CIM_ConcreteDependency is used to indicate that the CIM_Role instance can be used for the
573 single CIM_Identity instance with which it is associated.

574 **7.4 Privilege Management Capability**

575 This section provides requirements for identifying the Associated Privilege Management Capability for an
576 instance of CIM_Privilege. Each instance of CIM_Privilege associated with a CIM_Role instance through
577 CIM_MemberOfCollection association shall have the capabilities defined in the Associated Privilege
578 Management Capability. CIM_Privilege may be optionally associated with
579 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService through CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association.

580 If there is an instance of CIM_ServiceAffectsElement associating the instance of CIM_Privilege with an
581 instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, then the instance of
582 CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities associated with the instance of
583 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService shall be the Associated Privilege Management Capability.

584 If there is an instance of CIM_ServiceAffectsElement associating the instance of CIM_Privilege with an
585 instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, the Associated Role Capability of instance(s) of
586 CIM_Role associated with the instance of CIM_Privilege through CIM_MemberOfCollection association(s)
587 shall be the Associated Privilege Management Capability.

588 **7.4.1.1 Shared Privileges**

589 If the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities.SharedPrivilegeSupported property is set to FALSE, the
590 instance of CIM_Privilege shall be associated to only one instance of CIM_Role.

591 If the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities.SharedPrivilegeSupported property is set to TRUE, the
592 instance of CIM_Privilege may be associated to one or more instances of CIM_Role.

593 **7.4.1.2 Supported Activities**

594 This clause details the requirements related to representation of the list of supported activities of the
595 privileges. This behavior is optional. If the representation of the list of supported activities of the privileges
596 is supported, the requirements specified in this clause shall be met.

597 The ActivitiesSupported, ActivityQualifiersSupported, and QualifierFormatsSupported properties of the
598 Associated Privilege Management Capability represents the full list of supported activities of the privilege.

599 If the ModifyInstance operation is supported on an instance of CIM_Privilege, the ActivitiesSupported,
600 ActivityQualifiersSupported, and QualifierFormatsSupported properties on the Associated Privilege
601 Management Capability of the instance of CIM_Privilege shall be supported.

602 If the implementation supports the ActivitesSupported property, than the ActivityQualifiersSupported shall
603 be implemented, and the QualifierFormats may be implemented.

604 The ActivitiesSupported, ActivityQualifiersSupported, and QualifierFormatsSupported properties of the
605 Associated Privilege Management Capability of the instance of CIM_Privilege shall represent the super
606 set of supported activities, and the following rules apply:

- 607 • The CIM_Privilege.Activities property array shall contain a subset of elements of the
608 ActivitiesSupported property array elements.
- 609 • The CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers property array shall contain a subset of elements of the
610 ActivityQualifiersSupported property array elements.

- 611 • The CIM_Privilege.QualifierFormats property array shall contain a subset of elements of the
612 QualifierFormatsSupported property array elements.

613 8 Methods

614 This section details the requirements for supporting intrinsic operations and extrinsic methods for the CIM
615 elements defined by this profile.

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617 8.1 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.CreateRole()

618 The CreateRole() method is used to create a new authorized role with specific privileges.

619 Upon the successful execution of the CreateRole() method:

- 620 • An instance of CIM_Role shall exist that is the exact replica of the embedded instance of CIM_Role
621 of the RoleTemplate parameter except for the key properties.
- 622 • An instance of the CIM_OwningCollectionElement association shall associate the new CIM_Role
623 instance and the scoping CIM_ComputerSystem instance referenced by the OwningSystem
624 parameter.
- 625 • Instances of CIM_Privilege shall be associated with the newly created instance of CIM_Role through
626 the CIM_MemberOfCollection association.
- 627 • The Cumulative Role Privilege of the newly associated instances of CIM_Privilege shall be equal to
628 the Cumulative Role Privilege of the embedded instances of CIM_Privilege contained in the
629 Privileges parameter.
- 630 • If the SharedPrivilegeSupported property of the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities instance
631 that is associated with the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance has a value of FALSE, the
632 CIM_Privilege instances shall be associated only with the newly created CIM_Role instance and
633 shall not be associated with any other instance of CIM_Role.
- 634 • If the SharedPrivilegeSupported property of the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities instance
635 that is associated with the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance has a value of TRUE, the
636 CIM_Privilege instances shall be associated with the newly created CIM_Role instance and may be
637 associated with any other instance of CIM_Role.
- 638 • Instances of CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget shall associate the newly created CIM_Role instance with
639 the instances referenced by the RoleLimitedToTargets parameter.
- 640 • Instances of CIM_ServiceAffectsElement shall associate the new CIM_Role instance and the
641 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance.

642 If the properties of the embedded instances of RoleTemplate parameters and privileges are not fully
643 specified, the implementation may use its defaults to populate the resulting instances of CIM_Role and
644 CIM_Privilege.

645 The CreateRole() method shall return the value 2 (Error occurred) if the RoleCharacteristics property of
646 the RoleTemplate parameter's instance of CIM_Role contains the value 2 (Static).

647 The CreateRole() method's return code values shall be as specified in Table 3 where the method
648 execution behavior matches the return code description. The CreateRole() method's parameters are
649 specified in Table 4.

650 No standard messages are defined for this method.

651 **Table 3 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.CreateRole() Method: Return Code Values**

Value	Description
0	Request was successfully executed.
1	Method is not supported in the implementation.
2	Error occurred.

652 **Table 4 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.CreateRole() Method: Parameters**

Qualifiers	Name	Type	Description/Values
IN	RoleTemplate	string	Embedded instance of CIM_Role that contains the non-key properties for the desired CIM_Role instance
IN	OwningSystem	CIM_ComputerSystem REF	References the CIM_ComputerSystem to which the new CIM_Role instance is going to be scoped
IN, REQ	Privileges	string []	Array of embedded instances of CIM_Privilege that describe the instances of CIM_Privilege to be associated with the desired CIM_Role instance
IN	RoleLimitedToTargets	CIM_ManagedElement REF []	References to the instances of CIM_ManagedElement subclasses to which the desired CIM_Role instance will be constrained
OUT	Role	CIM_Role REF	Reference to the desired newly created CIM_Role instance

653 **8.1.1 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.CreateRole() Conditional Support**

654 If Authorized Role Management is supported and the SupportedMethods property array of the Associated
 655 Role Management Capability contains the value 4 (CreateRole), the CreateRole() method shall be
 656 implemented and shall not return the value 1 (Not Supported).

657 If Authorized Role Management is not supported or the SupportedMethods property array of the
 658 Associated Role Management Capability does not contain the value 4 (CreateRole), the CreateRole()
 659 method shall not be implemented or shall always return the value 1 (Not Supported).

660 **8.2 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.DeleteRole()**

661 If the DeleteRole() method is implemented, the requirements specified in this section shall be met.

662 The execution of the DeleteRole() method shall attempt to delete the CIM_Role instance referenced by
 663 the Role parameter and the associated instances as described in this section.

664 If the CIM_Role instance referenced by the Role parameter is not associated with the
 665 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association, the
 666 DeleteRole() method shall fail and return the value 2 (Error occurred).

667 If the DeleteRole() method is implemented and the RoleCharacteristics property of the CIM_Role
 668 instance referenced by the Role parameter contains a value of 2 (Static), the DeleteRole() method shall
 669 fail and return the value 2 (Error occurred).

670 Upon the successful execution of the DeleteRole() method, the following actions occur:

- 671 • All instances of the CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget association that reference the CIM_Role instance that
672 is referenced by the Role parameter shall be deleted.
- 673 • If the SharedPrivilegeSupported property of the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities instance
674 that is associated with the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance has a value of FALSE, the
675 implementation shall delete all the CIM_Privilege instances that are associated with the CIM_Role
676 instance that is referenced by the Role parameter.
- 677 • If the SharedPrivilegeSupported property of the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities instance
678 that is associated with the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance has a value of TRUE, the
679 implementation shall delete the CIM_Privilege instances that are only associated with the CIM_Role
680 instance that is referenced by the Role parameter.
- 681 • All instances of the CIM_MemberOfCollection association that reference the CIM_Role instance that
682 is referenced by the Role parameter shall be deleted.
- 683 • All instances of the CIM_OwningCollectionElement association that reference the CIM_Role instance
684 that is referenced by the Role parameter shall be deleted.
- 685 • The instance of the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association that references the CIM_Role instance
686 that is referenced by the Role parameter and that references the
687 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance shall be deleted.

688 The DeleteRole() method's return code values shall be as specified in Table 5 where the method
689 execution behavior matches the return code description. The DeleteRole() method's parameters are
690 specified in Table 6.

691 No standard messages are defined for this method.

692 **Table 5 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.DeleteRole() Method: Return Code Values**

Value	Description
0	Request was successfully executed.
1	Method is not supported in the implementation.
2	Error occurred.

693 **Table 6 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.DeleteRole() Method: Parameters**

Qualifiers	Name	Type	Description/Values
IN, REQ	Role	CIM_Role REF	The reference to the CIM_Role instance to be deleted

694 **8.2.1 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.DeleteRole() Conditional Support**

695 If Authorized Role Management is supported and the SupportedMethods property array of the Associated
696 Role Management Capability contains the value 9 (DeleteRole), the DeleteRole() method shall be
697 implemented and shall not return the value 1 (Not Supported).

698 If Authorized Role Management is not supported or the SupportedMethods property array of the
699 Associated Role Management Capability does not contain the value 9 (DeleteRole), the DeleteRole()
700 method shall not be implemented or shall always return the value 1 (Not Supported).

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702 **8.3 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ModifyRole()**

703 The ModifyRole() method is used to modify an authorized role and its privileges.

704 Upon the successful execution of the ModifyRole() method, the following actions occur:

- 705 • If the Privileges parameter is Null, the instances of CIM_Privilege that are associated with the
706 Modified Role shall not be modified (see section 3.20).
- 707 • If the Privileges parameter is not Null and instances of CIM_Privilege are associated with the
708 Modified Role through the CIM_MemberOfCollection association, the Cumulative Role Privilege of
709 the associated instances of CIM_Privilege shall be equal to the Cumulative Role Privilege of the
710 embedded instances of CIM_Privilege that are contained in the Privileges parameter.
- 711 • If the SharedPrivilegeSupported property of the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities instance
712 that is associated with the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance has a value of FALSE, the
713 CIM_Privilege instances shall be associated only with the Modified Role and shall not be associated
714 with any other instance of CIM_Role.
- 715 • If the SharedPrivilegeSupported property of the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities instance
716 that is associated with the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance has a value of TRUE, the
717 CIM_Privilege instances shall be associated with the Modified Role and may be associated with any
718 other instance of CIM_Role.
- 719 • An instance of CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget shall reference the Modified Role and an instance of
720 CIM_ManagedElement only if a reference to the CIM_ManagedElement was contained in the
721 RoleLimitedToTargets parameter.

722 The ModifyRole() method shall return the value 2 (Error occurred) if the Modified Role is not associated
723 with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService through an instance of
724 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement.

725 The ModifyRole() method shall return the value 2 (Error occurred) if the Modified Role
726 RoleCharacteristics property contains the value 2 (Static).

727 The ModifyRole() method's return code values shall be as specified in Table 7 where the method
728 execution behavior matches the return code description. The ModifyRole() method's parameters are
729 specified in Table 8.

730 No standard messages are defined for this method.

731 **Table 7 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ModifyRole() Method: Return Code Values**

Value	Description
0	Request was successfully executed.
1	Method is not supported in the implementation.
2	Error occurred.

732 **Table 8 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ModifyRole() Method: Parameters**

Qualifiers	Name	Type	Description/Values
IN	Privileges	string []	Array of embedded instances of CIM_Privilege that describe the complete set of instances of CIM_Privilege to be associated with the Modified Role
IN	RoleLimitedToTargets	CIM_ManagedElement REF []	References to the instances of CIM_ManagedElement subclasses to which the Modified Role will be constrained
IN, REQ	Role	CIM_Role REF	Reference to Modified Role

733 **8.3.1 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ModifyRole() Conditional Support**

734 If Authorized Role Management is supported and the SupportedMethods property array of the Associated
 735 Role Management Capability contains the value 5 (ModifyRole), the ModifyRole() method shall be
 736 implemented and shall not return the value 1 (Not Supported).

737 If Authorized Role Management is not supported or the SupportedMethods property array of the
 738 Associated Role Management Capability does not contain the value 5 (ModifyRole), the ModifyRole()
 739 method shall not be implemented or shall always return the value 1 (Not Supported).

740 **8.4 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.AssignRoles()**

741 The AssignRoles() method is used to assign a security principal that is represented by an instance of
 742 CIM_Identity to zero or more roles represented by instances of CIM_Role.

743 If the CIM_Identity instance identified by the Identity parameter is not associated with an instance of
 744 CIM_AccountManagementService through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association, where the
 745 CIM_AccountManagementService is associated through the CIM_ServiceServiceDependency
 746 association with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService upon which the method was
 747 invoked, the method shall return the value 2 (Failed).

748 If the Roles parameter contains a reference to an instance of CIM_Role that is not associated through the
 749 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService upon
 750 which the method was invoked, the method shall return the value 2 (Failed).

751 The AssignRoles() method's return code values shall be as specified in Table 9 where the method
 752 execution behavior matches the return code description. The AssignRoles() method's parameters are
 753 specified in Table 10.

754 No standard messages are defined for this method.

755 **Table 9 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.AssignRoles() Method: Return Code Values**

Value	Description
0	Operation completed successfully.
1	Operation unsupported
2	Failed

756 **Table 10 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.AssignRoles() Method: Parameters**

Qualifiers	Name	Type	Description/Values
IN, REQ	Identity	CIM_Identity REF	Reference to the CIM_Identity instance that represents the security principal
IN, REQ	Roles	CIM_Role[] REF	Array of references to instances of CIM_Role

757 **8.4.1 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.AssignRoles() Conditional Support**

758 If Authorized Role Management is supported and the SupportedMethods property array of the Associated
 759 Role Management Capability contains the value 6 (AssignRoles), the AssignRoles() method shall be
 760 implemented and shall not return the value 1 (Not Supported).

761 If Authorized Role Management is not supported or the SupportedMethods property array of the
 762 Associated Role Management Capability does not contain the value 6 (AssignRoles), the AssignRoles()
 763 method shall not be implemented or shall always return the value 1 (Not Supported).

764 **8.5 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowAccess()**

765 The ShowAccess() method is used to query the rights granted to a security principal for a managed
766 element.

767 If the Subject or Target parameter is Null, the method shall return the value 2 (Failed).

768 If the Subject parameter is not an instance of CIM_Identity, the method shall return the value 2 (Failed).

769 If the CIM_Identity instance identified by the Subject parameter is not associated with an instance of
770 CIM_AccountManagementService instance through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association, where
771 the CIM_AccountManagementService is associated through the CIM_ServiceServiceDependency
772 association with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService upon which the method was
773 invoked, the method shall return the value 2 (Failed).

774 Upon successful completion, the method shall return the value 0 and the Privileges Out parameter shall
775 be the Cumulative Privilege defined in section 7.1.3.3, where

- 776 • the set of instances of CIM_Role are those instances such that the instance of CIM_Identity specified
777 by the Subject parameter is a member of the CIM_Role instance as defined in section 7.3.2
- 778 • the instance of CIM_ManagedElement specified by the Target parameter is in the scope of the
779 CIM_Role instance as defined in section 7.1.1.1
- 780 • the instance of CIM_Role is associated with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService
781 through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association

782 The OutSubjects and OutTargets parameters shall be Null if the method completes.

783 The ShowAccess() method's return code values shall be as specified in Table 11 where the method
784 execution behavior matches the return code description. The ShowAccess() method's parameters are
785 specified in Table 12.

786 No standard messages are defined for this method.

787 **Table 11 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowAccess() Method: Return Code Values**

Value	Description
0	Operation completed successfully.
1	Operation unsupported.
2	Failed

788 **Table 12 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowAccess() Method: Parameters**

Qualifiers	Name	Type	Description/Values
IN	Subject	CIM_ManagedElement REF	Reference to the CIM_Identity instance that represents the security principal
IN	Target	CIM_ManagedElement REF	Reference to the CIM_ManagedElement instance that represents the target
OUT	Privileges[]	string	Array that contains the embedded instances of the Cumulative Privilege
OUT	OutSubjects[]	CIM_ManagedElement REF	This output parameter shall be always NULL.
OUT	OutTargets[]	CIM_ManagedElement REF	This output parameter shall be always NULL.

789 **8.5.1 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowAccess() Conditional Support**

790 If Authorized Role Management is supported and the SupportedMethods property array of the Associated
791 Role Management Capability contains the value 1 (ShowAccess), the ShowAccess() method shall be
792 implemented and shall not return the value 1 (Not Supported).

793 If Authorized Role Management is not supported or the SupportedMethods property array of the
794 Associated Role Management Capability does not contain the value 1 (ShowAccess), the ShowAccess()
795 method shall not be implemented or shall always return the value 1 (Not Supported).

796 **8.6 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowRoles()**

797 The ShowRoles() method is used to show the roles that the specified security principal is a member of
798 and the specified managed element is within the scope of.

799 If the Subject parameter is not an instance of CIM_Identity, the method shall return the value 2 (Failed).

800 If the Subject parameter is not Null and the CIM_Identity instance identified by the Subject parameter is
801 not associated with an instance of CIM_AccountManagementService through the
802 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association, where the CIM_AccountManagementService is associated
803 through the CIM_ServiceServiceDependency association with the instance of
804 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService upon which the method was invoked, the method shall return the
805 value 2 (Failed).

806 Upon successful completion, the method shall return the value 0.

807 If the Subject and Target parameters are not Null, upon successful completion of the method

- 808 • the Roles parameter shall contain an embedded instance of CIM_Role for each instance of
809 CIM_Role such that the instance of CIM_Identity specified by the Subject parameter is a member of
810 the CIM_Role instance as defined in section 7.3.2
- 811 • the instance of CIM_ManagedElement specified by the Target parameter is in the scope of the
812 CIM_Role instance as defined in section 7.1.1.1
- 813 • the instance of CIM_Role is associated with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService
814 through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association

815 If the Subject parameter is not Null and the Target parameter is Null, upon successful completion of the
816 method

- 817 • the Roles parameter shall contain an embedded instance of CIM_Role for each of instance of
818 CIM_Role such that the instance of CIM_Identity specified by the Subject parameter is a member of
819 the CIM_Role instance as defined in section 7.3.2
- 820 • the instance of CIM_Role is associated with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService
821 through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association

822 If the Subject parameter is Null and the Target parameter is not Null, upon successful completion of the
823 method

- 824 • the Roles parameter shall contain an embedded instance of CIM_Role for each of instance of
825 CIM_Role such that the instance of CIM_ManagedElement specified by the Target parameter is in
826 the scope of the CIM_Role instance as defined in section 7.1.1.1
- 827 • the instance of CIM_Role is associated with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService
828 through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association

829 If the Subject and Target parameters are both Null, upon successful completion of the method, the Roles
 830 parameter shall contain an embedded instance of CIM_Role for each of instance of CIM_Role such that
 831 the instance of CIM_Role is associated with the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService through
 832 the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association.

833 For each instance of CIM_Role for which the Roles parameter contains an embedded instance of
 834 CIM_Role, the Privileges parameter shall contain at the same array index an embedded instance of
 835 CIM_Privilege that represents the Cumulative Privilege of the CIM_Role as defined in section 7.1.3.2.

836 The ShowRoles() method's return code values shall be as specified in Table 13 where the method
 837 execution behavior matches the return code description. The ShowRoles() method's parameters are
 838 specified in Table 14.

839 No standard messages are defined for this method.

840 **Table 13 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowRoles() Method: Return Code Values**

Value	Description
0	Operation completed successfully.
1	Operation unsupported.
2	Failed

841 **Table 14 – CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowRoles() Method: Parameters**

Qualifiers	Name	Type	Description/Values
IN	Subject	CIM_Identity REF	Reference to the CIM_Identity instance that represents the security principal
IN	Target	CIM_ManagedElement REF	Reference to the CIM_ManagedElement instance
OUT	Roles[]	string	Array of embedded instances of CIM_Role
OUT	Privileges[]	string	Array of embedded instances of CIM_Privilege

842 **8.6.1 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowRoles() Conditional Support**

843 If Authorized Role Management is supported and the SupportedMethods property array of the Associated
 844 Role Management Capability contains the value 7 (ShowRoles), the ShowRoles() method shall be
 845 implemented and shall not return the value 1 (Not Supported).

846 If Authorized Role Management is not supported or the SupportedMethods property array of the
 847 Associated Role Management Capability does not contain the value 7 (ShowRoles), the ShowRoles()
 848 method shall not be implemented or shall always return the value 1 (Not Supported).

849 **8.7 Profile Conventions for Operations**

850 Support for operations for each profile class (including associations) is specified in the following
 851 subclauses. Each subclause includes either the statement "All operations in the default list in section 8.7
 852 are supported as described by [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)" or a table listing all of the operations that are not
 853 supported by this profile or where the profile requires behavior other than that described by
 854 [DSP0200 version 1.2](#).

855 The default list of operations is as follows:

- 856 • GetInstance
- 857 • EnumerateInstances
- 858 • EnumerateInstanceNames
- 859 • Associators
- 860 • AssociatorNames
- 861 • References
- 862 • ReferenceNames

863 A compliant implementation shall support all of the operations in the default list for each class, unless the
 864 "Requirement" column states something other than *Mandatory*.

865 **8.8 CIM_ConcreteDependency**

866 Table 15 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
 867 or shall not be supported.

868 **Table 15 – Operations: CIM_ConcreteDependency**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
Associators	Unspecified	None
AssociatorNames	Unspecified	None
References	Unspecified	None
ReferenceNames	Unspecified	None

869 **8.9 CIM_ElementCapabilities**

870 Table 16 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
 871 or shall not be supported.

872 **Table 16 – Operations: CIM_ElementCapabilities**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
Associators	Unspecified	None
AssociatorNames	Unspecified	None
References	Unspecified	None
ReferenceNames	Unspecified	None

873 **8.10 CIM_HostedService**

874 Table 17 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
875 or shall not be supported.

876 **Table 17 – Operations: CIM_HostedService**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
Associators	Unspecified	None
AssociatorNames	Unspecified	None
References	Unspecified	None
ReferenceNames	Unspecified	None

877 **8.11 CIM_MemberOfCollection**

878 Table 18 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
879 or shall not be supported.

880 **Table 18 – Operations: CIM_MemberOfCollection**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
Associators	Unspecified	None
AssociatorNames	Unspecified	None
References	Unspecified	None
ReferenceNames	Unspecified	None

881 **8.12 CIM_OwningCollectionElement**

882 Table 19 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
883 or shall not be supported.

884 **Table 19 – Operations: CIM_OwningCollectionElement**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
Associators	Unspecified	None
AssociatorNames	Unspecified	None
References	Unspecified	None
ReferenceNames	Unspecified	None

885 **8.13 CIM_Privilege**

886 Table 20 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
887 or shall not be supported.

888 **Table 20 – Operations: CIM_Privilege**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
ModifyInstance	Optional. See section 8.13.1.	None

889 **8.13.1 CIM_Privilege—ModifyInstance**

890 If Authorized Role Management is not supported or the SupportedMethods property array of the
 891 Associated Privilege Management Capability of the instance of CIM_Privilege does not contain the value
 892 8 (ModifyPrivilege), then the ModifyInstance operation shall not be supported.

893 If Authorized Role Management is supported and the SupportedMethods property array of the Associated
 894 Privilege Management Capability of the instance of CIM_Privilege contains the value 8 (ModifyPrivilege),
 895 the ModifyInstance operation shall be supported except as follows:

- 896 • The ModifyInstance operation shall not be supported on the Granted Privileges or Denied Privileges
 897 that are associated with an instance of CIM_Role if the CIM_Role.RoleCharacteristics property
 898 contains the value 2 (Static).
- 899 • The ModifyInstance operation shall not be supported on the Template Privileges.

900 **8.14 CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities**

901 All operations in the default list in section 8.7 are supported as described by [DSP0200 version 1.2](#).

902 **8.15 CIM_Role**

903 All operations in the default list in section 8.7 are supported as described by [DSP0200 version 1.2](#).

904 **8.16 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService**

905 All operations in the default list in section 8.7 are supported as described by [DSP0200 version 1.2](#).

906 **8.17 CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget**

907 Table 21 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
 908 or shall not be supported.

909 **Table 21 – Operations: CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
Associators	Unspecified	None
AssociatorNames	Unspecified	None
References	Unspecified	None
ReferenceNames	Unspecified	None

910 **8.18 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement**

911 Table 22 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
 912 or shall not be supported.

913 **Table 22 – Operations: CIM_ServiceAffectsElement**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
Associators	Unspecified	None
AssociatorNames	Unspecified	None
References	Unspecified	None
ReferenceNames	Unspecified	None

914 **8.19 CIM_ServiceServiceDependency**

915 Table 23 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200 version 1.2](#)
 916 or shall not be supported.

917 **Table 23 – Operations: CIM_ServiceServiceDependency**

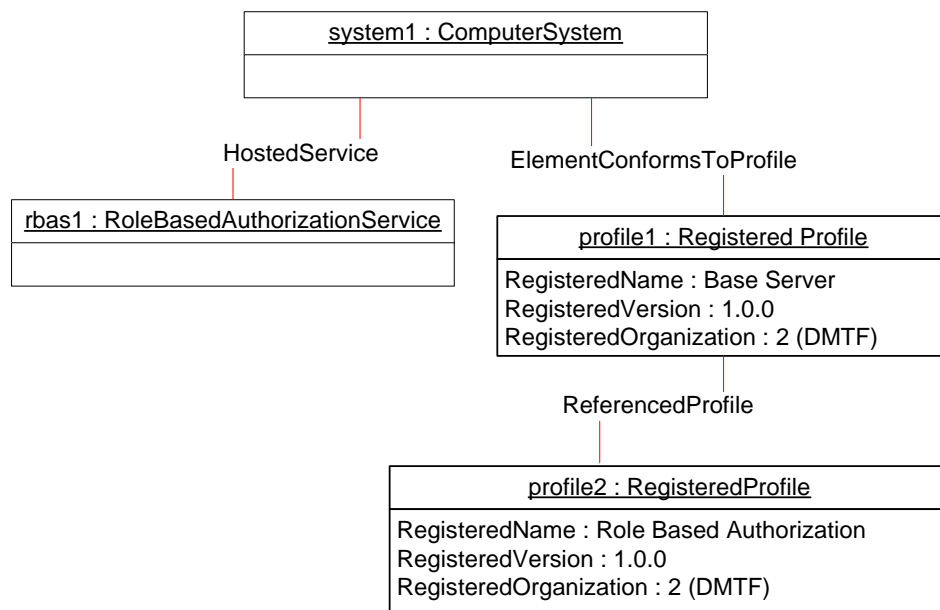
Operation	Requirement	Messages
Associators	Unspecified	None
AssociatorNames	Unspecified	None
References	Unspecified	None
ReferenceNames	Unspecified	None

918 **9 Use Cases**

919 This section contains object diagrams and use cases for the *Role Based Authorization Profile*. The
 920 contents of this section are for informative purposes only and do not constitute normative requirements
 921 for implementations of this specification.

922 **9.1 Profile Registration**

923 Figure 2 describes one of the ways that the implementation can advertise the instantiation of the *Role*
 924 *Based Authorization Profile*. Using scoping instance methodology as described in the *Profile Registration*
 925 *Profile*, profile2 contains the version information for the *Role Based Authorization Profile* implementation.



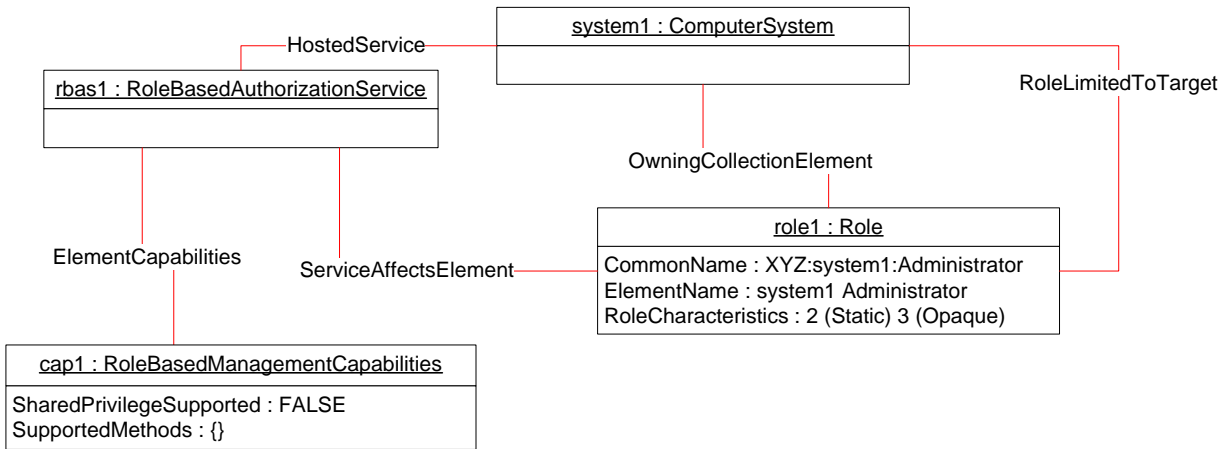
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Figure 2 – Profile Registration

928 **9.2 Minimal Instantiation of the Profile**

929 Figure 3 describes a possible minimal instantiation of the *Role Based Authorization Profile*. In this
 930 instantiation, role1 is described as being a system1 administrator role. The scope of role1 is limited to
 931 system1 as shown by the instance of the CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget association. role1 is opaque and
 932 static. The rights granted by the role are not explicitly modeled. No methods are supported for
 933 management of the role, which is indicated by the empty array for the SupportedMethods property of
 934 cap1.



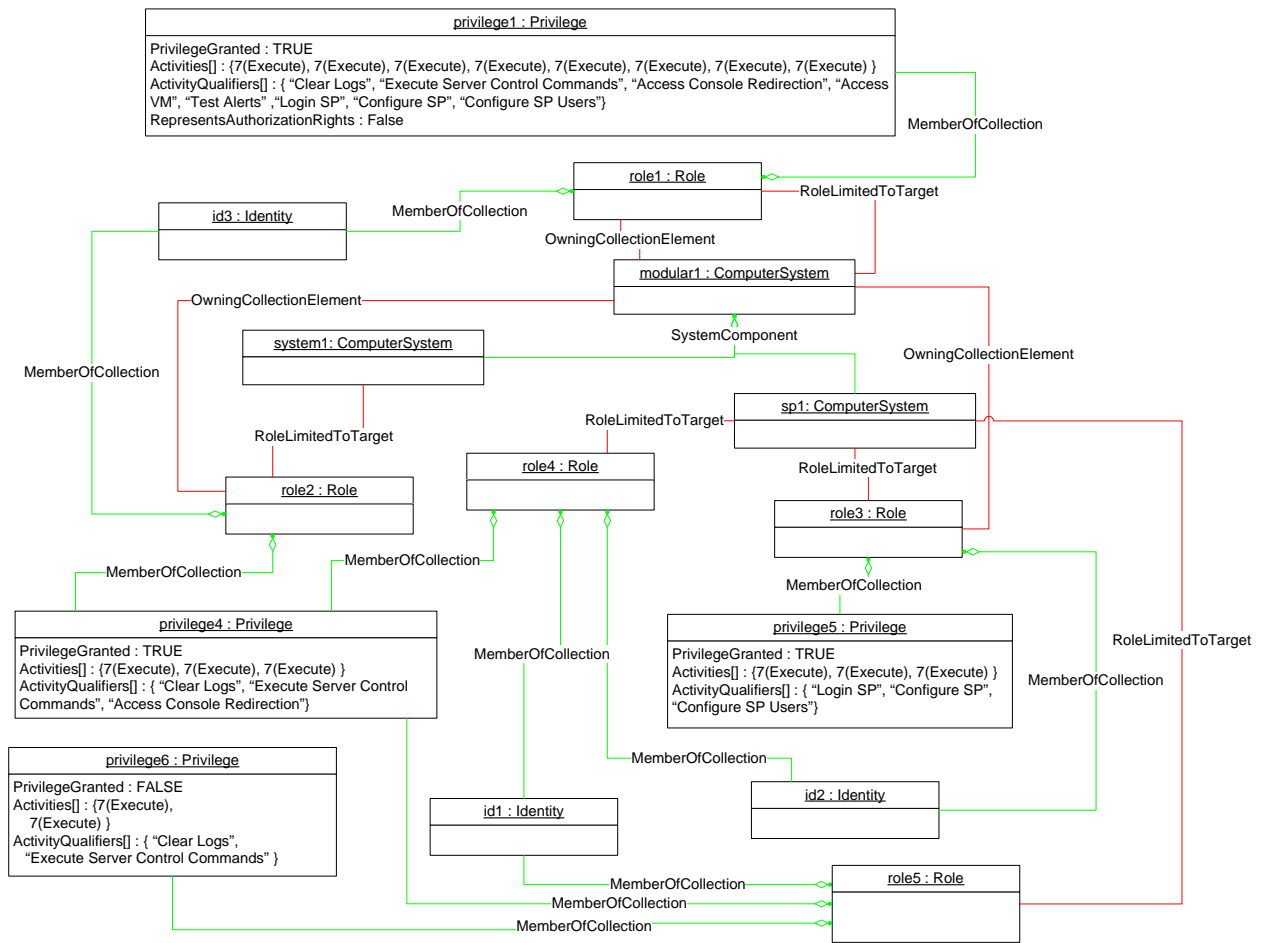
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Figure 3 – Minimal Instantiation

937 **9.3 Evaluating Scope and Privileges**

938 Figure 4 illustrates the behavior of the CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowAccess() and
 939 CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowRoles() methods. The diagram illustrates two systems
 940 (system1 and sp1) contained within a third system (modular1). role1 is explicitly scoped to modular1;
 941 system1 and sp1 are within modular1, so they are also within the scope of role1. role2 is explicitly scoped
 942 to system1. role3, role4, and role5 are explicitly scoped to sp1.



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Figure 4 – Cumulative Role Privilege Example

945 **9.3.1 CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowRoles()**

946 Given a value of id1 for the Subject parameter and Null for the Target parameter, the ShowRoles()
 947 method will return information about each instance of CIM_Role of which id1 is a member. Thus two
 948 embedded instances of CIM_Role will be in the Roles parameter, one corresponding to role5 and one
 949 corresponding to role4. Two embedded instances of CIM_Privilege will be returned in the Privileges
 950 parameter, one reflecting the cumulative privileges of role5 and the other those of role4.

951 The embedded instance of CIM_Privilege that corresponds to the Cumulative Privilege of role5 is
 952 constructed by adding the Granted Privileges (privilege4) to the Cumulative Privilege and subtracting from
 953 the Cumulative Privilege the intersection with the Denied Privilege (privilege6). This results in the
 954 following values for the Activities and ActivityQualifier properties:

- 955 • CIM_Privilege.Activities = { 7(Execute) }
- 956 • CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers = { "Access Console Redirection" }

957 9.3.2 CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowAccess()

958 Each of the following sections lists a value for each of the input parameters of the ShowAccess() method
959 and the properties of the output Privilege parameter that results from successful invocation of the method.

960 9.3.2.1 Example: CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowAccess()

961 Subject = id1

962 Target = sp1

963 CIM_Privilege.Activities = { 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute) }

964 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers = { "Clear Logs", "Execute Server Control Commands", "Access Console
965 Redirection" }

966 id1 belongs to role5 and role4. sp1 is in the scope of role5 and role4. The intersection of the roles is role5
967 and role4. Therefore, the set of roles to which the algorithm in section 7.1.3.3 will be applied consists of
968 role5 and role4. The Privileges out parameter contains the Cumulative Privilege that results from
969 combining the Cumulative Privilege of role5 with the Cumulative Privilege of role4.

970 9.3.2.2 Example: CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowAccess()

971 Subject = id3

972 Target = modular1

973 CIM_Privilege.Activities = { 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute),
974 7(Execute), 7(Execute) }

975 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers = { "Clear Logs", "Execute Server Control Commands", "Access Console
976 Redirection", "Access VM", "Test Alerts", "Login SP", "Configure SP", "Configure SP Users" }

977 id3 belongs to role1 and role2. modular1 is in the scope of role1. The intersection of the roles is role1.
978 Therefore, the set of roles to which the algorithm in section 7.1.3.3 will be applied consists of role1. The
979 Privileges out parameter contains the Cumulative Privilege of role1.

980 9.3.2.3 Example: CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowAccess()

981 Subject = id3

982 Target = system1

983 CIM_Privilege.Activities = { 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute),
984 7(Execute), 7(Execute) }

985 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers = { "Clear Logs", "Execute Server Control Commands", "Access Console
986 Redirection", "Access VM", "Test Alerts", "Login SP", "Configure SP", "Configure SP Users" }

987 id3 belongs to role1 and role2. system1 is contained in modular1 and modular1 is in the scope of role1.
988 Therefore, sp1 is in the scope of role1. system1 is explicitly within the scope of role2. The intersection of
989 the roles is role1 and role2. Therefore, the set of roles to which the algorithm in section 7.1.3.3 will be
990 applied consists of role1 and role2. The Cumulative Privilege of role1 is a superset of the Cumulative
991 Privilege of role2. Therefore, the out parameter contains the Cumulative Privilege of role1.

992 9.3.2.4 Example: CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowAccess()

993 Subject = id3

994 Target = sp1

995 CIM_Privilege.Activities = { 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute),
996 7(Execute), 7(Execute) }

997 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers = { "Clear Logs", "Execute Server Control Commands", "Access Console
998 Redirection", "Access VM", "Test Alerts", "Login SP", "Configure SP", "Configure SP Users" }

999 id3 belongs to role1 and role2. sp1 is contained in modular1 and modular1 is in the scope of role1.
1000 Therefore, sp1 is in the scope of role1. The intersection of the roles is role1. Therefore, the set of roles to
1001 which the algorithm in section 7.1.3.3 will be applied consists of role1. The Privileges out parameter
1002 contains the Cumulative Privilege of role1.

1003 9.3.2.5 Example: CIM_RoleBasedManagementService.ShowAccess()

1004 Subject = id2

1005 Target = sp1

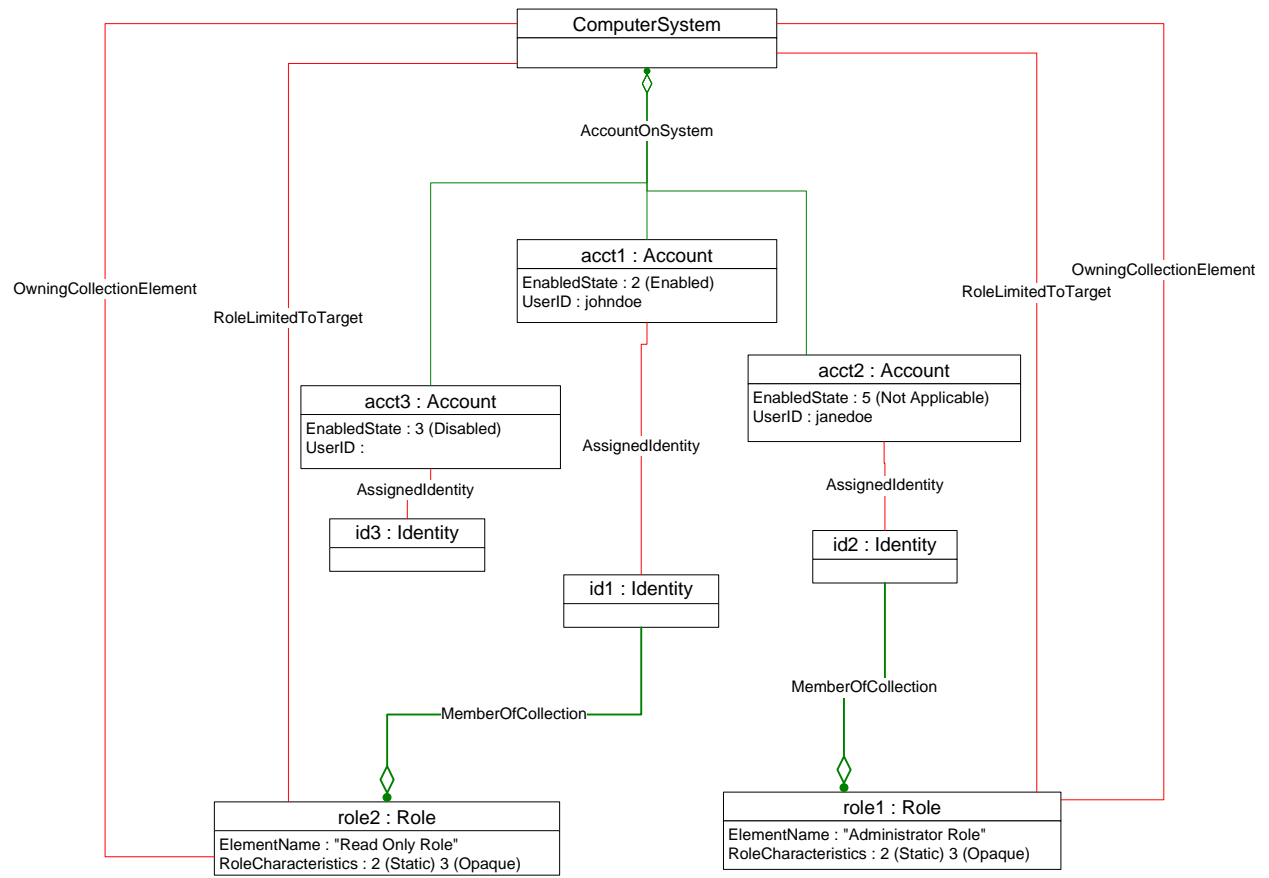
1006 CIM_Privilege.Activities = { 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute), 7(Execute) }

1007 CIM_Privilege.ActivityQualifiers = { "Clear Logs", "Execute Server Control Commands", "Access Console
1008 Redirection", "Login SP", "Configure SP", "Configure SP Users" }

1009 id2 belongs to role3 and role4. sp1 is in the scope of role3 and role4. The intersection of the roles is role3
1010 and role4. Therefore, the set of roles to which the algorithm in section 7.1.3.3 will be applied consists of
1011 role3 and role4. The Privileges out parameter contains the Cumulative Privilege that results from
1012 combining the Cumulative Privilege of role3 with the Cumulative Privilege of role4.

1013 9.4 Scope of the Role and Privileges for a Managed Element

1014 Figure 5 shows a system that has three local accounts and uses role membership to manage the
1015 privileges for a user account. This system has three local accounts: acct1, acct2, and acct3. acct1
1016 currently has privileges of role1, and acct2 currently has the privileges of role2. acct3 does not have any
1017 privileges. Both role1 and role2 are opaque roles based on the RoleCharacteristics property containing
1018 value 3(Opaque), which means that their privileges are not represented by instances of CIM_Privilege. In
1019 this case the client is expected to know the privileges of the role by the information provided within the
1020 CIM_Role instance. All the CIM_Role instances are scoped to the instance of CIM_ComputerSystem,
1021 which means that all the managed elements within the scope of the instance of CIM_ComputerSystem
1022 are within the scope of the CIM_Role instances and the privileges of these roles are applicable on those
1023 managed elements.

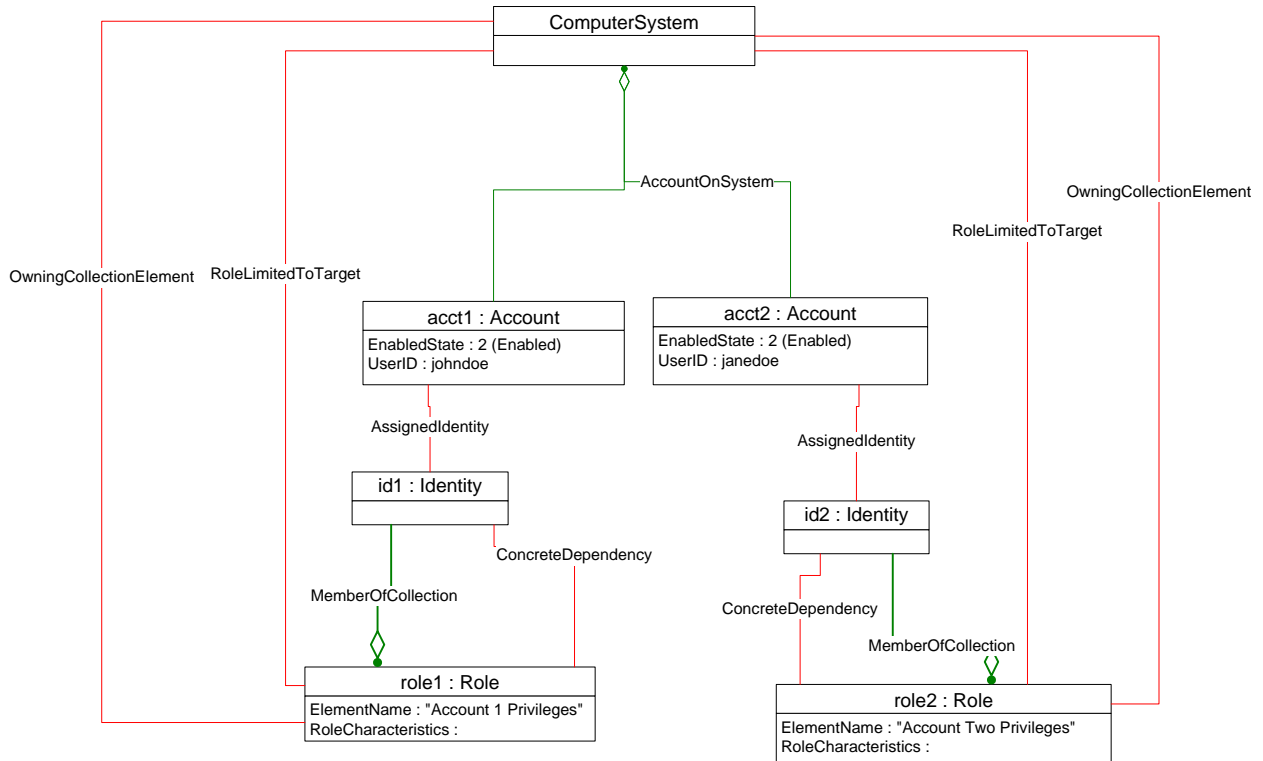


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Figure 5 – Scope of the Roles

1026 Figure 6 shows a system that has two local accounts and manages privileges for individual accounts.
 1027 This system has two local accounts: acct1 and acct2. Privileges for acct1 and acct2 are managed through
 1028 role1 and role2, respectively, as indicated by the CIM_ConcreteDependency associations. No common
 1029 roles are defined; therefore, privileges for each account can be managed only through their respective
 1030 dedicated roles.

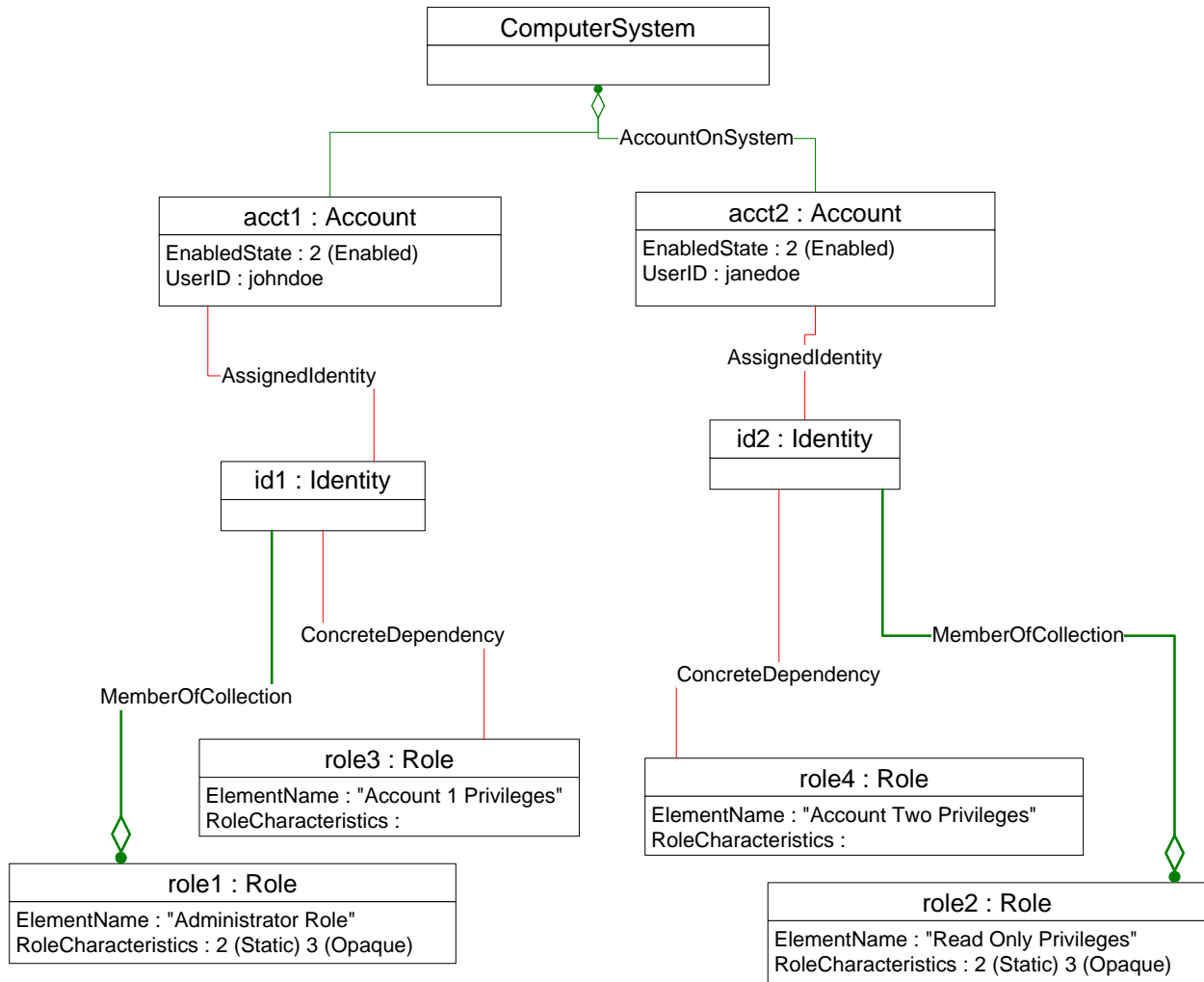


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Figure 6 – Fixed Accounts with Role Membership Privilege Management

1033 Figure 7 shows a system that has two local accounts. Privileges for the accounts are managed either
 1034 through assignment to a pre-defined role (role1 and role2) or through modification of privileges granted to
 1035 a dedicated role (role3 and role4).



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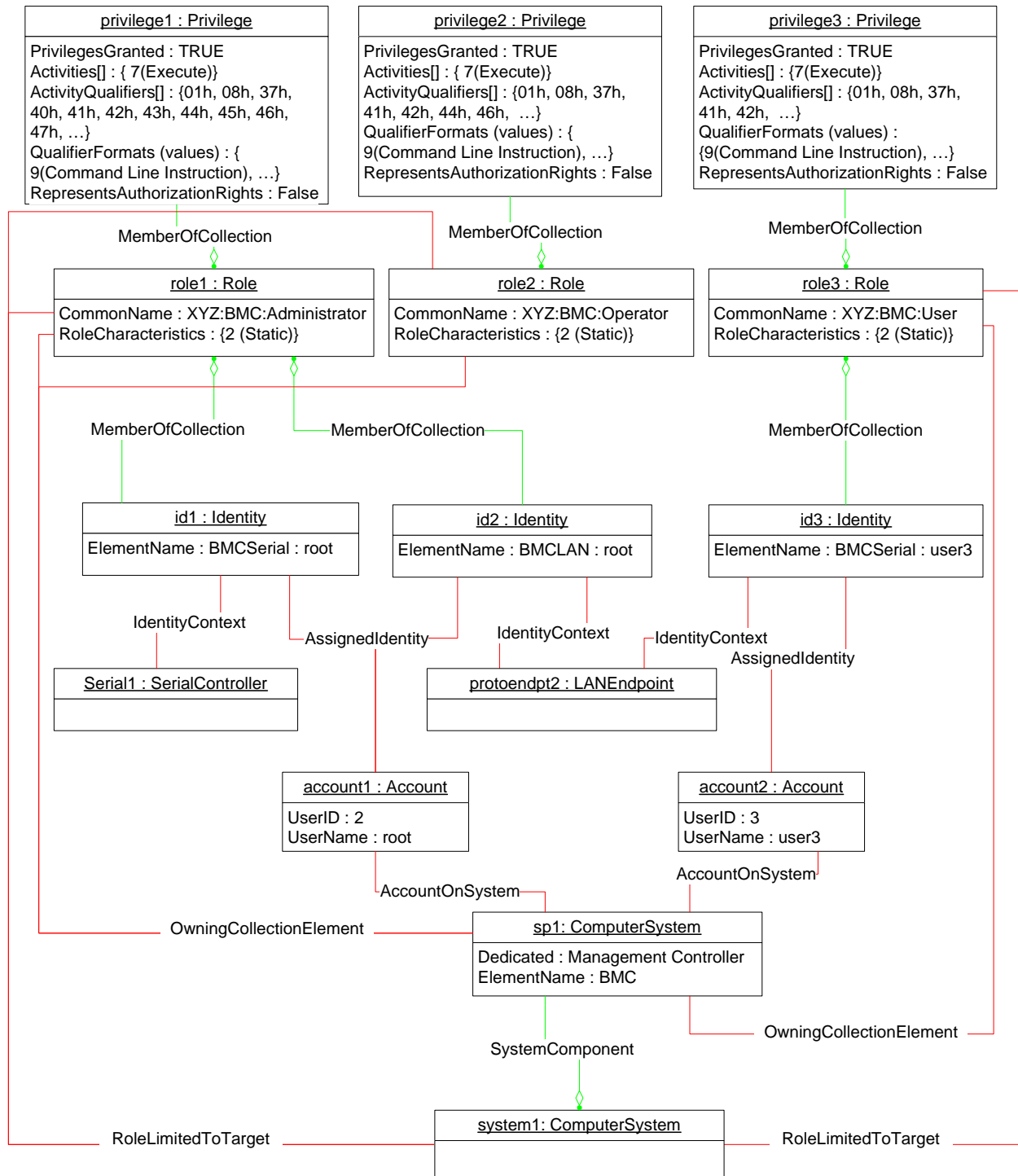
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Figure 7 – Fixed Accounts with Individual Account Privilege Management

1038 **9.5 Service Processor Roles Use Cases**

1039 This section provides object diagrams for a possible implementation of authorized roles for a service
 1040 processor.

1041 Figure 8 represents a possible instantiation of the *Role Based Authorization Profile* for IPMI-based
 1042 service processor roles. Three roles are represented: role1, role2, role3. These roles have the scope that
 1043 includes system1 and the service processor, sp1. The privileges for the authorized roles are represented
 1044 through the IPMI commands that each role allows the associated user to execute. The security principals
 1045 id1, id2, and id3, are each associated with Serial1, protoendpt2, and protoendpt2, respectively,
 1046 representing the communication channel that has handled the authentication. id1, id2, and id3 have
 1047 privileges to act within system1 as denoted by the instances of CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget that associate
 1048 their member roles to system1. Because sp1 is a component of system1, id1, id2, and id3 have the same
 1049 privileges within sp1.



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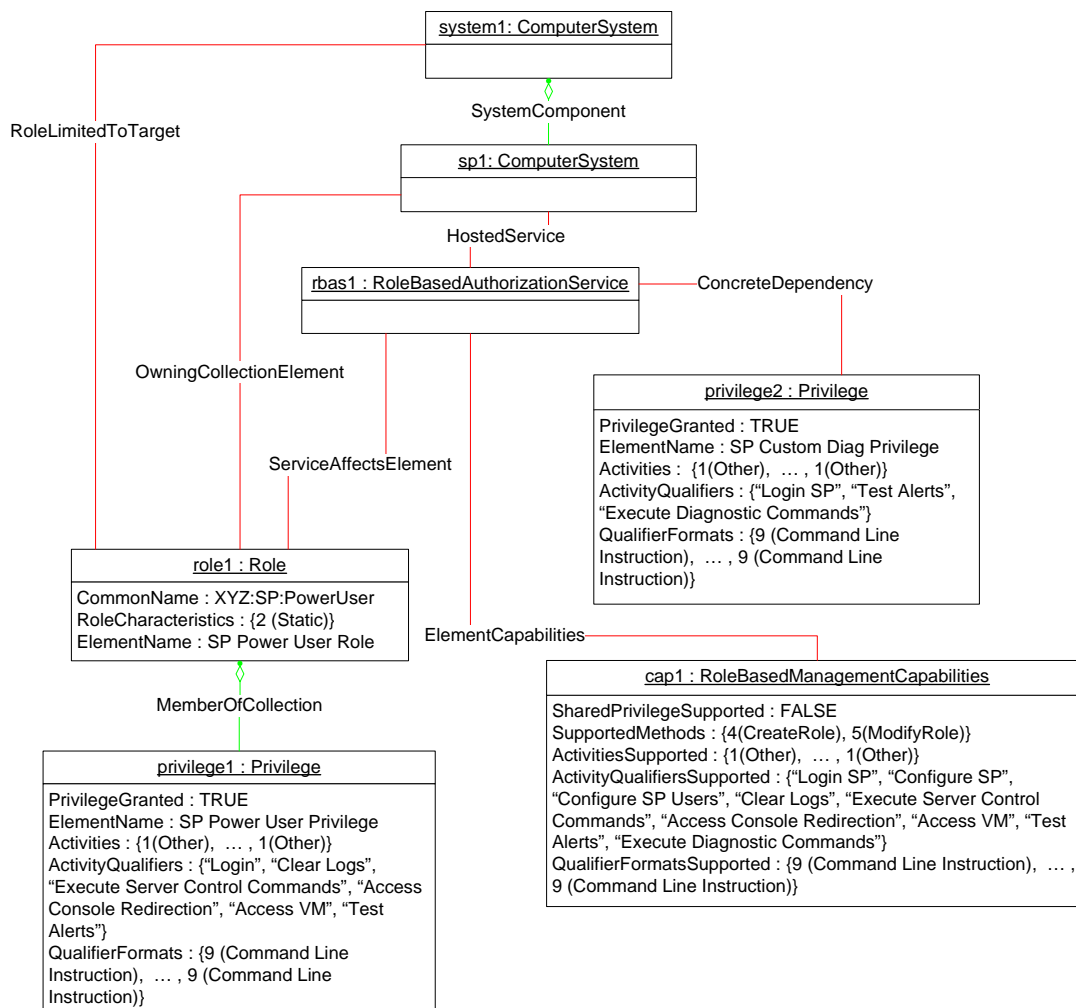
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Figure 8 – IPMI Service Processor with Role Management

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1053 Figure 9 represents another instantiation of the *Role Based Authorization Profile* for service processor
 1054 roles. system1 hosts sp1, which represents the service processor. sp1 has a predefined role, role1, scope
 1055 extends to the host computer system, system1, and the service processor itself, sp1. role1’s privileges
 1056 are represented by privilege1. cap1 advertises the capabilities for the client to do Authorized Role
 1057 Management. cap1’s SupportedMethods property contains two values: 4 (CreateRole) and 5
 1058 (ModifyRole), which advertises to the client that Authorized Role Management is supported with
 1059 CreateRole() and ModifyRole() extrinsic methods.

1060 To execute the CreateRole() method successfully, the client needs to know the type of privileges that the
 1061 new role can support. Because the underlying device has binary representation of activities, the
 1062 implementation has populated the ActivitiesSupported, ActivityQualifiersSupported, and
 1063 QualifierFormatsSupported properties of cap1, and the instrumentation has instantiated a Template
 1064 Privilege, privilege2, to give the client further guidance on the construction of the Privileges parameter of
 1065 the CreateRole() method of rbas1.



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Figure 9 – IPMI Service Processor with Role Management

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1069 9.6 Determine the Roles Managed by a Service

1070 Given an instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, a client can determine the instances of
1071 CIM_Role managed by the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService as follows:

- 1072 1) Find the instance of CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities that is associated with the target
1073 instance through an instance of CIM_ElementCapabilities.
- 1074 2) If the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities.SupportedMethods property contains the value 7
1075 (ShowRoles), invoke the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowRoles() method, specifying Null
1076 for the Subject and Target parameters.

1077 Upon successful completion, the Roles parameter will contain an embedded instance of CIM_Role
1078 for each CIM_Role instance managed by the service.

- 1079 3) If the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities.SupportedMethods property does not contain the
1080 value 7 (ShowRoles), find the instances of CIM_Role that are associated through the
1081 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association.

1082 9.7 Determine Candidate Roles for a Security Principal

1083 Given an instance of CIM_Identity that represents a security principal, a client can determine all of the
1084 instances of CIM_Role to which the CIM_Identity instance could be assigned as follows:

- 1085 1) Find the instance of CIM_AccountManagementService that is associated with the CIM_Identity
1086 instance through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association.
- 1087 2) Find the instances of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService that are associated with the
1088 CIM_AccountManagementService through the CIM_ServiceServiceDependency association.
- 1089 3) For each instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, use the steps in section 9.6 to find the
1090 instances of CIM_Role that are managed by the service.

1091 The union of the instances of CIM_Role from step 3) form the set of instances of CIM_Role to which
1092 the CIM_Identity instance could be assigned.

1093 9.8 Determine the Roles to Which a Security Principal Is Currently Assigned

1094 Given an instance of CIM_Identity that represents a security principal, a client can determine the
1095 instances of CIM_Role to which the CIM_Identity instance is currently assigned as follows:

- 1096 1) Find the instance of CIM_AccountManagementService that is associated with the CIM_Identity
1097 instance through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association.
- 1098 2) Find the instances of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService that are associated with the
1099 CIM_AccountManagementService through the CIM_ServiceServiceDependency association.
- 1100 3) For each instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, find the instance of
1101 CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities that is associated through the CIM_ElementCapabilities
1102 association.
- 1103 4) If the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities.SupportedMethods property contains the value
1104 7 (ShowRoles),
 - 1105 1) Invoke the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowRoles() method, specifying a reference
1106 to the CIM_Identity instance as the value of the Subject parameter and Null for the Target
1107 parameter.
 - 1108 2) Upon successful completion, the Roles parameter will contain an embedded instance of
1109 CIM_Role for each CIM_Role instance managed by the service, and the Privileges parameter
1110 will contain an instance of Cumulative Privilege for each returned instance of CIM_Role.

- 1111 5) Else, if the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities.SupportedMethods property does not contain
1112 the value 7 (ShowRoles), find all of the instances of CIM_Role that are associated with the
1113 CIM_Identity instance through the CIM_MemberOfCollection association.

1114 9.9 Determine the Roles that Scope a Managed Element

1115 Given an instance of CIM_ManagedElement, a client can determine the instances of CIM_Role that
1116 scope the target instance as follows:

- 1117 1) Enumerate all the instances of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.
- 1118 2) For each instrumented instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, find the instance of
1119 CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities that is associated through the CIM_ElementCapabilities
1120 association.
- 1121 3) If the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities.SupportedMethods property contains the value
1122 7 (ShowRoles), invoke the ShowRoles() method, specifying Null for the Subject parameter and a
1123 reference to the CIM_ManagedElement instance as the value of the Target parameter.
- 1124 4) Else, use the traversal algorithm described in section 7.1.1.1.

1125 9.10 Determine the Current Privileges of a Security Principal for a Managed 1126 Element

1127 Given an instance of CIM_Identity that represents a security principal and an instance of
1128 CIM_ManagedElement, a client can determine the current privileges of the CIM_Identity instance for
1129 managing the instance of CIM_ManagedElement as follows:

- 1130 1) Find the instance of CIM_AccountManagementService that is associated with the CIM_Identity
1131 instance through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement association.
- 1132 2) Find the instances of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService that are associated with the
1133 CIM_AccountManagementService through the CIM_ServiceServiceDependency association.
- 1134 3) For each instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, find the instance of
1135 CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities that is associated through the CIM_ElementCapabilities
1136 association.
- 1137 4) If the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities.SupportedMethods property contains the value
1138 1 (ShowAccess), invoke the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.ShowAccess() method, specifying
1139 a reference to the CIM_Identity instance as the value of the Subject parameter and a reference to
1140 the instance of CIM_ManagedElement for the Target parameter.

1141 Upon successful completion, the Privileges parameter will contain an embedded instance of
1142 CIM_Privilege that represents the Cumulative Privilege granted to the security principal by the
1143 instances of CIM_Role that are managed by the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.

- 1144 5) Else, construct the Cumulative Privilege as defined in section 7.1.3.3, where the set of instances of
1145 CIM_Role are those instances such that the given instance of CIM_Identity is a member of the
1146 CIM_Role instance as defined in section 7.3.2, and the given instance of CIM_ManagedElement
1147 specified by the Target parameter is in the scope of the CIM_Role instance as defined in section
1148 7.1.1.1.

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1150 9.11 Modify a Single Privilege of an Existing Role

1151 For a given instance of CIM_Role that represents an existing role, a client can modify a single privilege of
1152 the role as follows:

- 1153 1) If the RoleCharacteristics property of the selected instance of CIM_Role does not have the value 2
1154 (Static), then select the Associated Role Management Capability of the selected CIM_Role instance,
 - 1155 1) If the SupportedMethods property of the Associated Privilege Management Capability of the
1156 selected CIM_Privilege instance has a value of 8 (ModifyPrivilege),
 - 1157 1) Execute the ModifyInstance operation on the selected instances of CIM_Privilege,
1158 modifying the privilege accordingly.
 - 1159 2) Else, the privileges cannot be modified.
- 1160 2) Else, the role is static and its privileges cannot be modified.

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1162 9.12 Create a New Role

1163 For a given instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, a client can create a new role as follows:

- 1164 1) Find the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities instance associated to the given instance of
1165 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.
- 1166 2) If the SupportedMethods property of the CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities instance has a
1167 value of 4 (CreateRole),
 - 1168 1) Construct the parameters for the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.CreateRole() method in
1169 the following way:
 - 1170 • RoleTemplate: Construct the desired embedded instance of CIM_Role.
 - 1171 • OwningSystem: Construct the CIM reference to the instance of CIM_ComputerSystem that
1172 will be the Scoping Instance of the newly created instance of CIM_Role.
 - 1173 • Privileges: Construct the embedded instance of CIM_Privilege based on the
1174 ActivitiesSupported, ActivityQualifiersSupported, and QualifierFormatsSupported
1175 properties of the selected instance of CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities, or based
1176 on the Template Privilege associated with the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService
1177 instance.
 - 1178 • RoleLimitedToTargets: Construct the CIM reference to the instance of subclass of
1179 CIM_ManagedElement which will be the Root Instance of the new instance of CIM_Role.
 - 1180 2) Execute the CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService.CreateRole() method with the preceding
1181 parameters.
- 1182 3) Else, the given instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService does not support the creation of
1183 new role and this use case is not supported.

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1185 9.13 Determine Whether Privilege Management Is Supported for a Principal

1186 A client can determine whether privilege management is supported for a security principal as follows:

- 1187 1) Starting at the instance of CIM_Identity that represents the security principal, find the instances of
1188 CIM_AccountManagementService that are associated through the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement
1189 association.

- 1190 2) For each instance of CIM_AccountManagementService, determine if at least one instance of
 1191 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService is associated through the CIM_ServiceServiceDependency
 1192 association.
- 1193 3) If at least one instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService is associated with at least one
 1194 instance of CIM_AccountManagementService, privilege management is supported for the security
 1195 principal.

1196 **9.14 Determine Whether One-to-One Privilege Management Is Supported for an** 1197 **Account**

1198 A client can determine whether authorization for a security principal can be managed using one-to-one
 1199 correspondence as follows:

1200 Starting at the target instance of CIM_Identity, query for an instance of CIM_ConcreteDependency that
 1201 references the CIM_Identity instance and an instance of CIM_Role.

1202 If an instance exists, authorization for the CIM_Account can be managed through one-to-one
 1203 correspondence. Note that authorization through role membership could also be supported.

1204 **9.15 Assign Custom Privileges to an Identity**

1205 A client can assign custom privileges to an instance of CIM_Account as follows:

- 1206 1) Determine whether privileges for the CIM_Account are managed through one-to-one
 1207 correspondence or role membership as described in section 9.14.
- 1208 If privileges are not managed through one-to-one correspondence, it is necessary to create a custom
 1209 role that has the desired privileges. See section 9.12 for information about how to create a role with
 1210 the desired privileges.
- 1211 2) If privileges are managed through one-to-one correspondence, find the instance of CIM_Identity that
 1212 is associated with the CIM_Account instance.
- 1213 3) Find the instance of CIM_Role that is associated with the CIM_Identity instance through an instance
 1214 of CIM_ConcreteDependency.
- 1215 4) If the CIM_Identity instance is not already associated with the instance of CIM_Role from step 3)
 1216 through an instance of CIM_MemberOfCollection, use CreateInstance to create an instance of
 1217 CIM_MemberOfCollection that associates the CIM_Identity instance with the CIM_Role instance.
- 1218 5) If the CIM_Identity is associated with the instance of CIM_Role other than that from step 3) through
 1219 an instance of CIM_MemberOfCollection, use DeleteInstance to delete the instance of
 1220 CIM_MemberOfCollection that associates the CIM_Identity instance with the CIM_Role instance.
- 1221 6) Perform role modification on the instance of CIM_Role from step 3) as specified in section 9.6.

1222 **10 CIM Elements**

1223 Table 24 shows the instances of CIM Elements for this profile. Instances of the CIM Elements shall be
 1224 implemented as described in Table 24. Sections 7 (“Implementation”) and 8 (“Methods”) may impose
 1225 additional requirements on these elements.

1226 **Table 24 – CIM Elements: Role Based Authorization Profile**

Element Name	Requirement	Description
Classes		
CIM_ConcreteDependency (Privilege)	Optional	See section 10.1.
CIM_ConcreteDependency (Role)	Optional	See section 10.2.
CIM_ElementCapabilities	Mandatory	See sections 7.1 and 10.3.
CIM_HostedService	Mandatory	See section 10.4.
CIM_MemberOfCollection (Privilege)	Optional	See section 10.5.
CIM_MemberOfCollection (Identity)	Optional	See section 10.6.
CIM_OwningCollectionElement	Mandatory	See section 10.7.
CIM_Privilege	Optional	See section 10.8.
CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities	Mandatory	See sections 7.1 and 10.9.
CIM_RegisteredProfile	Mandatory	See section 10.10.
CIM_Role	Mandatory	See section 10.11.
CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService	Mandatory	See sections 7.2 and 10.12.
CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget	Mandatory	See section 10.13.
CIM_ServiceAffectsElement – CIM_Role	Mandatory	See section 10.14.
CIM_ServiceAffectsElement – CIM_Privilege	Optional	See section 10.15.
CIM_ServiceServiceDependency	Optional	See section 10.16.
Indications		
None defined in this profile		

1227 **10.1 CIM_ConcreteDependency (Privilege)**

1228 CIM_ConcreteDependency is used to associate a Template Privilege with an instance of
 1229 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService. Table 25 contains the requirements for elements of this class.

1230 **Table 25 – Class: CIM_ConcreteDependency (Privilege)**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference an instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService. Cardinality * indicating zero or more references.
Dependent	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference a Template Privilege. Cardinality * indicating zero or more references.

1231 **10.2 CIM_ConcreteDependency (Role)**

1232 CIM_ConcreteDependency is used to associate an instance of CIM_Identity with an instance of
 1233 CIM_Role. Table 26 contains the requirements for elements of this class.

1234 **Table 26 – Class: CIM_ConcreteDependency (Role)**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	This property shall be a reference to CIM_Identity. Cardinality 0..1
Dependent	Mandatory	This property shall be a reference to CIM_Role. Cardinality 0..1

1235 **10.3 CIM_ElementCapabilities**

1236 CIM_ElementCapabilities is used to associate an instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService with
 1237 an instance of CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities that describes the capabilities of the role
 1238 management. Table 27 contains the requirements for elements of this class.

1239 **Table 27 – Class: CIM_ElementCapabilities**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
ManagedElement	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService. Cardinality 1..*
Capabilities	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities. Cardinality 1 indicating one and only one reference.

1240 **10.4 CIM_HostedService**

1241 CIM_HostedService is used to associate an instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService with an
 1242 instance of CIM_ComputerSystem that is the computer system hosting the service. Table 28 contains the
 1243 requirements for elements of this class.

1244 **Table 28 – Class: CIM_HostedService**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_ComputerSystem. Cardinality 1
Dependent	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService. Cardinality 1..*

1245 **10.5 CIM_MemberOfCollection (Privilege)**

1246 CIM_MemberOfCollection is used to associate an instance of CIM_Privilege with an instance of
 1247 CIM_Role that represents the role that contains the privilege. Table 29 contains the requirements for
 1248 elements of this class.

1249 **Table 29 – Class: CIM_MemberOfCollection (Privilege)**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
Collection	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_Role. Cardinality * indicating zero or more references.
Member	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_Privilege. Cardinality * indicating zero or more references.

1250 **10.6 CIM_MemberOfCollection (Identity)**

1251 Table 30 contains the requirements for instances of CIM_MemberOfCollection if it is used to associate
 1252 instances of CIM_Identity with instances of CIM_Role.

1253 **Table 30 – Class: CIM_MemberOfCollection (Identity)**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
Collection	Mandatory	The value of this property shall be an instance of CIM_Role. Cardinality *
Member	Mandatory	This property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_Identity. Cardinality *

1254 **10.7 CIM_OwningCollectionElement**

1255 CIM_OwningCollectionElement is used to associate an instance of CIM_Role with an instance of
 1256 CIM_ComputerSystem that represents the computer system to which the role belongs. Table 31 contains
 1257 the requirements for elements of this class.

1258 **Table 31 – Class: CIM_OwningCollectionElement**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
OwningElement	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_ComputerSystem. Cardinality 1 indicating one and only one reference.
OwnedElement	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_Role. Cardinality 1..* indicating one or more references.

1259 **10.8 CIM_Privilege**

1260 CIM_Privilege is used to represent the privileges of a role. Table 32 contains the requirements for
 1261 elements of this class.

1262 **Table 32 – Class: CIM_Privilege**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
InstanceID	Mandatory	Key
RepresentsAuthorizationRights	Mandatory	None
PrivilegeGranted	Mandatory	See section 7.1.3.1.
Activities	Conditional	See section 7.4.1.2.
ActivityQualifiers	Conditional	See section 7.4.1.2.
QualifierFormats	Conditional	See section 7.4.1.2.

1263 **10.9 CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities**

1264 CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities is used to indicate the capabilities for role-based privilege
 1265 management. Table 33 contains the requirements for elements of this class.

1266 **Table 33 – Class: CIM_RoleBasedManagementCapabilities**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
InstanceID	Mandatory	Key
SharedPrivilegeSupported	Mandatory	See section 7.4.1.1.
ActivitiesSupported	Conditional	See section 7.4.1.2.
ActivityQualifiersSupported	Conditional	See section 7.4.1.2.
QualifierFormatsSupported	Optional	See section 7.4.1.2.
SupportedMethods	Mandatory	None
ElementName	Mandatory	Matches (pattern “.*”)

1267 **10.10 CIM_RegisteredProfile**

1268 The CIM_RegisteredProfile class is defined by the *Profile Registration Profile*. The requirements denoted
 1269 in Table 34 are in addition to those mandated by the *Profile Registration Profile*.

1270 **Table 34 – Class: CIM_RegisteredProfile**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
RegisteredName	Mandatory	This property shall have a value of “Role Based Authorization”.
RegisteredVersion	Mandatory	This property shall have a value of “1.0.0”.
RegisteredOrganization	Mandatory	This property shall have a value of 2 (“DMTF”).

1271 **10.11 CIM_Role**

1272 CIM_Role is used to represent an authorized role. Table 35 contains the requirements for elements of this
 1273 class.

1274 **Table 35 – Class: CIM_Role**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
CreationClassName	Mandatory	Key
Name	Mandatory	Key
RoleCharacteristics	Mandatory	See section 7.1.4.
CommonName	Mandatory	See section 7.1.2.
ElementName	Mandatory	This property shall be formatted as a free-form string of variable length (pattern “.*”).

1275 **10.12 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService**

1276 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService is used to represent the service that handles the role management.
 1277 Table 36 contains the requirements for elements of this class.

1278 **Table 36 – Class: CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
SystemCreationClassName	Mandatory	Key
SystemName	Mandatory	Key
CreationClassName	Mandatory	Key
Name	Mandatory	Key
ElementName	Mandatory	This property shall be formatted as a free-form string of variable length (pattern “.*”).
CreateRole()	Conditional	EXPERIMENTAL. See section 8.1.
DeleteRole()	Conditional	EXPERIMENTAL. See section 8.2.
ModifyRole()	Conditional	See section 8.3.
AssignRoles()	Conditional	See section 8.4.
ShowAccess()	Conditional	This method should be supported; see section 8.5.
ShowRoles()	Conditional	This method should be supported; see section 8.6.

1279 **10.13 CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget**

1280 CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget is used to associate an instance of CIM_Role with an instance of
 1281 CIM_ManagedElement that limits the scope of the role. Table 37 contains the requirements for elements
 1282 of this class.

1283 **Table 37 – Class: CIM_RoleLimitedToTarget**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
DefiningRole	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_Role. Cardinality * indicating zero or more references.
TargetElement	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_ManagedElement. Cardinality 1..*

1284 **10.14 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement – CIM_Role**

1285 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement is used to associate an instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService
 1286 with an instance of CIM_Role that represents the role that could be modified by using the service. Table
 1287 38 contains the requirements for elements of this class.

1288 **Table 38 – Class: CIM_ServiceAffectsElement**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
AffectedElement	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_Role. Cardinality 1..*
AffectingElement	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService. Cardinality 1
ElementEffects	Mandatory	Matches 5 (Manages)

1289 **10.15 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement – CIM_Privilege**

1290 If the instance of CIM_Privilege is associated with instances of CIM_Role which are in turn associated
 1291 with different instances of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService, CIM_ServiceAffectsElement associating
 1292 CIM_Privilege with a CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance shall be implemented.

1293 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement is used to associate an instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService
 1294 with an instance of CIM_Privilege that represents a privilege. Table 39 contains the requirements for
 1295 elements of this class.

1296 **Table 39 – Class: CIM_ServiceAffectsElement**

Elements	Requirement	Notes
AffectedElement	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_Privilege. Cardinality 1..*
AffectingElement	Mandatory	Key: This property shall reference the instance of CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService. Cardinality 1
ElementEffects	Mandatory	Matches 5 (Manages)

1297 **10.16 CIM_ServiceServiceDependency**

1298 CIM_ServiceServiceDependency is used to associate an instance of
 1299 CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService with an instance of CIM_AccountManagementService representing
 1300 that the identities of the CIM_AccountManagementService instance could be members of roles of the
 1301 associated CIM_RoleBasedAuthorizationService instance. Table 40 contains the requirements for
 1302 elements of this class.

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Table 40 – Class: CIM_ServiceServiceDependency

Elements	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	Key: This property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_AccountManagementService. Cardinality *
Dependent	Mandatory	Key: This property shall be a reference to the Central Instance of the profile. Cardinality *
TypeOfDependency	Mandatory	Matches 5 (Cooperate)

**ANNEX A
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Change Log

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