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Introduction

146 This document defines the classes used to describe the sensors in a managed system. The document
147 also defines association classes that describe the relationship of the sensors with the monitored devices
148 and with DMTF profile version information. The information in this specification is intended to be sufficient
149 for a provider or consumer of this data to identify unambiguously the classes, properties, methods, and
150 values that are mandatory to be instantiated and manipulated to represent and manage sensors of
151 managed systems and subsystems that are modeled using the DMTF CIM core and extended model
152 definitions.

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

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Sensors Profile

1 Scope

157 The *Sensors Profile* extends the management capabilities of referencing profiles by adding the capability
158 to represent sensors. The sensor's relationship with devices and the profile's registration for the schema
159 implementation version information are also described.

2 Normative references

161 The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated or
162 versioned references, only the edition cited (including any corrigenda or DMTF update versions) applies.
163 For references without a date or version, the latest published edition of the referenced document
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165 DMTF DSP0004, *CIM Infrastructure Specification 2.6*,
166 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP0004_2.6.pdf

167 DMTF DSP0200, *CIM Operations over HTTP 1.3*
168 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP0200_1.3.pdf

169 DMTF DSP1000, *Management Profile Specification Template 1.0*
170 <http://www.dmtf.org/sites/default/files/standards/documents/DSP1000.pdf>

171 DMTF DSP1001, *Management Profile Specification Usage Guide 1.1*,
172 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP1001_1.1.pdf

173 DMTF DSP1033, *Profile Registration Profile 1.0*,
174 http://www.dmtf.org/standards/published_documents/DSP1033_1.0.pdf

175 ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2, *Rules for the structure and drafting of International Standards*,
176 <http://isotc.iso.org/livelink/livelink.exe?func=ll&objId=4230456&objAction=browse&sort=subtype>

177 Unified Modeling Language (UML) from the Open Management Group (OMG), <http://www.uml.org>

3 Terms and definitions

179 In this document, some terms have a specific meaning beyond the normal English meaning. Those terms
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181 The terms "shall" ("required"), "shall not," "should" ("recommended"), "should not" ("not recommended"),
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191 not contain normative content. Notes and examples are always informative elements.

192 The terms defined in [DSP0004](#) and [DSP1001](#) apply to this document. The following additional terms are
193 used in this document.

194 **3.1**

195 **conditional**

196 indicates requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the document when the specified conditions
197 are met

198 **3.2**

199 **mandatory**

200 indicates requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the document and from which no deviation is
201 permitted

202 **3.3**

203 **optional**

204 indicates a course of action permissible within the limits of the document

205 **3.4**

206 **referencing profile**

207 indicates a profile that owns the definition of this class and can include a reference to this profile in its
208 “Related Profiles” table

209 **4 Symbols and abbreviated terms**

210 The abbreviations defined in [DSP0004](#) and [DSP1001](#) apply to this document.

211 **5 Synopsis**

212 **Profile name:** Sensors

213 **Version:** 1.1.1

214 **Organization:** DMTF

215 **CIM Schema version:** 2.32

216 **Central class:** CIM_Sensor

217 **Scoping class:** CIM_ComputerSystem

218 The *Sensors Profile* extends the management capability of the referencing profiles by adding the
219 capability to represent sensors in a managed system.

220 Table 1 identifies profiles related to this profile.

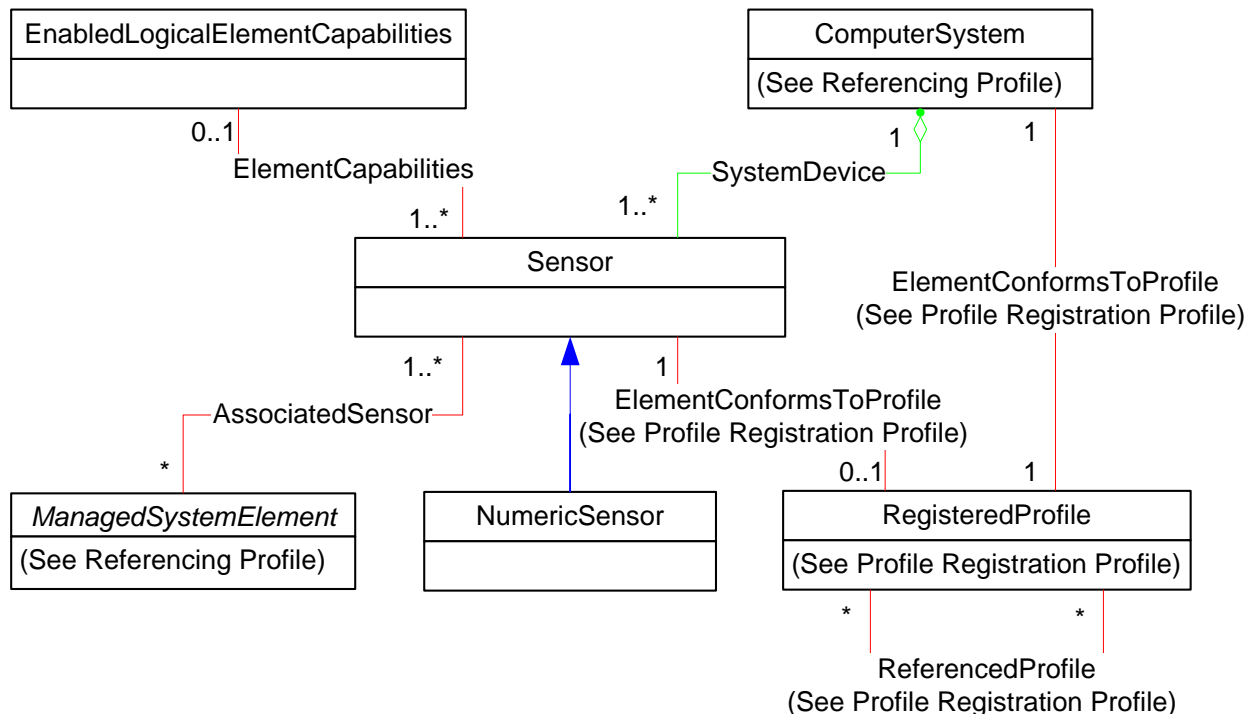
221 **Table 1 – Related profiles**

Profile Name	Organization	Version	Requirement	Description
Profile Registration	DMTF	1.0	Mandatory	None

222 **6 Description**

223 The *Sensors Profile* describes the properties and methods of sensors in a managed system.

224 Figure 1 represents the class schema for the *Sensors Profile*. For simplicity, the prefix CIM_ has been
 225 removed from the names of the classes.



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Figure 1 – Sensors Profile: Class diagram

228 **7 Implementation requirements**

229 This clause details the requirements related to the instantiation of instances and their properties for
 230 implementations of this profile. The requirements for the implementation of the methods are listed in 8,
 231 "Methods".

232 **7.1 CIM_Sensor and CIM_NumericSensor**

233 The implementation shall instantiate an instance of CIM_Sensor, including its subclass
 234 CIM_NumericSensor.

235 **7.2 CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates**

236 The CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates property shall represent an array of the possible string outputs of the
 237 sensor provided as a value of the CIM_Sensor.CurrentState property. The CIM_Sensor.SensorType
 238 property shall determine which CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates enumeration set to use.

239 The mappings between the CIM_Sensor.SensorType property values and the
 240 CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates property values are shown in Table 2. When the value of the
 241 CIM_Sensor.SensorType property matches a value in the “CIM_Sensor.SensorType” column of Table 2,
 242 the CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates property shall contain an array of values or an array of the subset of
 243 values specified in the corresponding “CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates” column. If the value of the
 244 CIM_Sensor.SensorType property is not listed in Table 2, the CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates property shall
 245 be defined by the implementation. The mapping between the values of CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates in
 246 Table 2 and the actual condition of the monitored device is implementation specific.

247 **Table 2 – CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates values for discrete sensors**

CIM_Sensor.SensorType	CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates
2 (Temperature)	“Bad”, “Good”, “Unknown”
3 (Voltage)	“Bad”, “Good”, “Unknown”
4 (Current)	“Bad”, “Good”, “Unknown”
5 (Tachometer)	“Bad”, “Good”, “Unknown”
7 (Switch)	“Closed”, “Open”, “Unknown”
8 (Lock)	“Locked”, “Unlocked”, “Unknown”
9 (Humidity)	“Humid”, “Normal”, “Unknown”
10 (Smoke Detection)	“Smoky”, “Normal”, “Unknown”
11 (Presence)	“Not Present”, “Present”, “Unknown”
12 (Air Flow)	“Bad”, “Good”, “Unknown”
13 (Power Consumption)	“Bad”, “Good”, “Unknown”
14 (Power Production)	“Bad”, “Good”, “Unknown”
15 (Pressure)	“Bad”, “Good”, “Unknown”

248 **7.3 CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates**

249 The CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates property shall represent an array of the possible string outputs
 250 of the sensor provided as a value of the CIM_NumericSensor.CurrentState property. The
 251 CIM_NumericSensor.SensorType property shall determine which CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates
 252 enumeration set to use.

253 The mappings between the CIM_NumericSensor.SensorType property values and the
 254 CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates property values are shown in Table 3. When the value of the
 255 CIM_NumericSensor.SensorType property matches a value in the “CIM_NumericSensor.SensorType”
 256 column of Table 3, the CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates property shall contain an array of values or
 257 an array of the subset of the values specified in the corresponding “CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates”
 258 column. If the value of the CIM_NumericSensor.SensorType property is not listed in Table 3, the
 259 CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates property shall be defined by the implementation. The mapping
 260 between the values of CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates in Table 3 and the actual condition of the
 261 monitored device is implementation specific.

262 **Table 3 – CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates values for numeric sensors**

CIM_NumericSensor.SensorType	CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates
2 (Temperature)	“Non-Critical”, “Lower Non-Critical”, “Upper Non-Critical”, “Critical”, “Lower Critical”, “Upper Critical”, “Fatal”, “Lower Fatal”, “Upper Fatal”, “Normal”, “Unknown”
3 (Voltage)	
4 (Current)	
5 (Tachometer)	
9 (Humidity)	
10 (Smoke Detection)	
12 (Air Flow)	
13 (Power Consumption)	
14 (Power Production)	
15 (Pressure)	

263 **7.4 CIM_Sensor.CurrentState and CIM_NumericSensor.CurrentState**

264 The CIM_Sensor.CurrentState property shall have a value of one of the elements in the
 265 CIM_Sensor.PossibleStates array.

266 The CIM_NumericSensor.CurrentState property shall have a value of one of the elements in the
 267 CIM_NumericSensor.PossibleStates array.

268 **7.5 CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdNonCritical**

269 The CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdNonCritical property shall be mandatory when the
 270 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds array contains a value of 0 (LowerThresholdNonCritical).

271 The CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdNonCritical property shall be settable only if the
 272 CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds array contains a value of 0 (LowerThresholdNonCritical).

273 **7.6 CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdNonCritical**

274 The CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdNonCritical property shall be mandatory when the
 275 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds array contains a value of 1 (UpperThresholdNonCritical).

276 The CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdNonCritical property shall be settable only if the
 277 CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds array contains a value of 1 (UpperThresholdNonCritical).

278 **7.7 CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdCritical**

279 The CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdCritical property shall be mandatory when the
 280 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds array contains a value of 2 (LowerThresholdCritical).

281 The CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdCritical property shall be settable only if the
282 CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds array contains a value of 2 (LowerThresholdCritical).

283 **7.8 CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdCritical**

284 The CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdCritical property shall be mandatory when the
285 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds array contains a value of 3 (UpperThresholdCritical).

286 The CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdCritical property shall be settable only if the
287 CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds array contains a value of 3 (UpperThresholdCritical).

288 **7.9 CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdFatal**

289 The CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdFatal property shall be mandatory when the
290 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds array contains a value of 4 (LowerThresholdFatal).

291 The CIM_NumericSensor.LowerThresholdFatal property shall be settable only if the
292 CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds array contains a value of 4 (LowerThresholdFatal).

293 **7.10 CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdFatal**

294 The CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdFatal property shall be mandatory when the
295 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds array contains a value of 5 (UpperThresholdFatal).

296 The CIM_NumericSensor.UpperThresholdFatal property shall be settable only if the
297 CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds array contains a value of 5 (UpperThresholdFatal).

298 **7.11 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds**

299 The CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds property is an array that contains the list of the
300 implemented thresholds: LowerThresholdNonCritical, UpperThresholdNonCritical,
301 LowerThresholdCritical, UpperThresholdCritical, LowerThresholdFatal, and UpperThresholdFatal. When
302 the implementation does not support any of these threshold properties, the
303 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds property shall be an empty array.

304 **7.12 CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds**

305 The CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds property is an array that contains the list of the settable
306 implemented thresholds: LowerThresholdNonCritical, UpperThresholdNonCritical,
307 LowerThresholdCritical, UpperThresholdCritical, LowerThresholdFatal, and UpperThresholdFatal. The
308 CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds array shall contain the subset of values in the
309 CIM_NumericSensor.SupportedThresholds array (see 7.11). When the implementation does not support
310 any of the settable threshold properties, the CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds property shall be an
311 empty array.

312 **7.13 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities**

313 When the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities class is instantiated, the instance of
314 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities shall be associated with the Central Instance through the
315 CIM_ElementCapabilities association and used for advertising the capabilities of the Central Instance.

316 At most only one instance of CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities shall be associated with a given
317 instance of CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor.

318 **7.13.1 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.RequestedStatesSupported**

319 The CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.RequestedStatesSupported property is an array that
320 contains the supported requested states for the instance of CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor. This
321 property shall be the super set of the values to be used as the RequestedState parameter in the
322 RequestStateChange() method.

323 The value of the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.RequestedStatesSupported property shall be
324 an empty array or contain any combination of the following values: 2 (Enabled), 3 (Disabled), or
325 11 (Reset).

326 **7.13.2 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.ElementNameEditSupported**

327 The CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.ElementNameEditSupported property shall have a value of
328 TRUE when the implementation supports client modification of the ElementName property of the
329 associated CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor instance.

330 **7.13.3 CIM_EnabledLogicalElement.MaxElementNameLen**

331 The CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.MaxElementNameLen property shall be implemented when
332 the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.ElementNameEditSupported property has a value of TRUE.

333 **7.14 Sensor state management**

334 Sensor state management is optional. Sensor state management consists of the RequestStateChange()
335 method of the Central Instance being supported (see 8.1) and the RequestedState property of the Central
336 Instance having a value other than 12 (Not Applicable).

337 **7.14.1 Sensor state management support**

338 When no CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance is associated with the Central Instance,
339 sensor state management shall not be supported.

340 When a CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance is associated with the Central Instance but the
341 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.RequestedStatesSupported property is an empty array, sensor
342 state management shall not be supported.

343 When a CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance is associated with the Central Instance and the
344 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.RequestedStatesSupported property is a non-empty array,
345 sensor state management shall be supported.

346 **7.15 CIM_Sensor.RequestedState and CIM_NumericSensor.RequestedState**

347 The RequestedState property shall have a value of 12 (Not Applicable), a value of 5 (No Change), or a
348 value that is contained in the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.RequestedStatesSupported
349 property array of the associated CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance (see 7.13.1).

350 When sensor state management is supported and the RequestStateChange() method is successfully
351 executed, the RequestedState property shall be set to the value of the RequestedState parameter of the
352 RequestStateChange() method. After the RequestStateChange() method completes successfully, the
353 RequestedState and EnabledState properties shall have equal values with the exception of the
354 transitional requested state 11 (Reset). The value of the RequestedState property may also change as a
355 result of the request for a change to the sensor's enabled state by a non-CIM implementation.

356 **7.15.1 RequestedState – 12 (Not Applicable)**

357 When sensor state management is not supported, the value of the RequestedState property of the
358 Central Instance shall be 12 (Not Applicable).

359 7.15.2 RequestedState – 5 (No Change)

360 When sensor state management is supported, the initial value of the RequestedState property of the
361 Central Instance shall be 5 (No Change).

362 7.16 CIM_Sensor.EnabledState and CIM_NumericSensor.EnabledState

363 Table 4 describes the mapping between the EnabledState property values and the corresponding
364 description of the state of the sensor. The EnabledState property shall match the values that are specified
365 in Table 4. The value of the EnabledState property may change as a result of a client execution of the
366 RequestStateChange() method or a change to the sensor's enabled state by a non-CIM implementation.

367 **Table 4 – EnabledState value description**

Value	Description	Extended Description
2	Enabled	Sensor shall be operational.
3	Disabled	Sensor shall be disabled.
5	Not Applicable	Sensor state is indeterminate, or sensor state management is not supported.

368 7.17 CIM_Sensor.OtherSensorTypeDescription and 369 CIM_NumericSensor.OtherSensorTypeDescription

370 The OtherSensorTypeDescription property shall be mandatory when the SensorType property is set to a
371 value of 1 (Other).

372 The OtherSensorTypeDescription property shall be formatted as a free-formed string of variable length
373 (pattern ".*").

374 7.18 CIM_SystemDevice and CIM_AssociatedSensor

375 When the Central Instance represents a sensor for the entire managed system, the instance of
376 CIM_ComputerSystem that is referenced by CIM_SystemDevice shall identify the managed system and
377 no instances of CIM_AssociatedSensor shall reference the Central Instance.

378 When the Central Instance represents a sensor for one or more discrete components and not for the
379 entire system, for each component an instance of CIM_AssociatedSensor shall reference the Central
380 Instance and the CIM_ManagedElement that identifies the component.

381 7.19 CIM_Sensor.ElementName and CIM_NumericSensor.ElementName

382 The ElementName property shall be formatted as a free-formed string of variable length (pattern ".*").

383 7.19.1 ElementName is modifiable

384 Implementations may allow the ElementName property to be modifiable by a client. This behavior is
385 conditional. This clause describes the CIM elements and behavior requirements when an implementation
386 supports client modification of the ElementName property.

387 **7.20 CIM_Sensor.SensorContext**

388 The SensorContext property indicates the purpose and context of the sensor. The property may indicate
 389 what entity is being monitored or where the sensor is installed.

390 The property value shall be formatted using the following algorithm: <OrgID>:<LocallID> where <OrgID>
 391 and <LocallID> are separated by a colon (:). <OrgID> shall include a unique name that is owned by the
 392 business entity creating or defining the SensorContext and <OrgID> shall not contain a colon (:).
 393 <LocallID> is chosen by the business entity and should not be reused to identify different underlying (real-
 394 world) elements.

395 For DMTF defined identifiers, the <OrgID> shall match “DMTF”. Table 5 shows the values of
 396 SensorContext defined in this profile.

397 **Table 5 – Sensor Context Values**

SensorContext	Description
DMTF:Inlet	Sensor located at inlet
DMTF:Exhaust	Sensor located at exhaust
DMTF:CPU	Sensor monitoring a CPU
DMTF:Base Board	Sensor monitoring base board

398 **8 Methods**

399 This clause details the requirements for supporting intrinsic operations and extrinsic methods for the CIM
 400 elements defined by this profile.

401 **8.1 CIM_Sensor.RequestStateChange() and**
 402 **CIM_NumericSensor.RequestStateChange()**

403 The RequestStateChange() method shall be implemented when sensor state management is supported
 404 (see 7.14.1).

405 Invocation of the RequestStateChange() method shall change the element’s state to the value specified
 406 in the RequestedState parameter.

407 RequestStateChange() return code values are specified in Table 6. RequestStateChange() parameters
 408 are specified in Table 7.

409 Invoking the RequestStateChange() method multiple times could result in the earlier requests being
 410 overwritten or lost.

411 No standard messages are defined for this method.

412 **Table 6 – RequestStateChange() method: Return code values**

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

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Table 7 – RequestStateChange() method: Parameters

Qualifiers	Name	Type	Description/Values
IN, REQ	RequestedState	uint16	Shall have a value from the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.RequestedStatesSupported array (see 7.14)
OUT	Job	CIM_ConcreteJob REF	Returned if job started
IN, REQ	TimeoutPeriod	datetime	Client-specified maximum amount of time the transition to a new state is supposed to take: 0 or NULL – No time requirements <interval> – Maximum time allowed

414 8.2 CIM_NumericSensor.RestoreDefaultThresholds()

415 The CIM_NumericSensor.RestoreDefaultThresholds() method shall be implemented and shall not return
416 a value of 1 (Unsupported) when the CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds property is a non-empty
417 array (see 7.12).

418 Invocation of the CIM_NumericSensor.RestoreDefaultThresholds() method shall reset the values of the
419 thresholds of the sensor represented by the instance of CIM_NumericSensor to the hardware defaults.

420 Detailed requirements of the CIM_NumericSensor.RestoreDefaultThresholds() method are specified in
421 Table 8.

422 No method parameters are defined for this method.

423 No standard messages are defined for this method.

424 **Table 8 – CIM_NumericSensor.RestoreDefaultThresholds() Method: Return code values**

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

425 8.3 Profile conventions for operations

426 Support for operations for each profile class (including associations) is specified in the following
427 subclauses. Each subclause includes either the statement “All operations in the default list in 8.3 are
428 supported as described by [DSP0200](#) or a table listing all of the operations that are not supported by this
429 profile or where the profile requires behavior other than that described by [DSP0200](#).

430 The default list of operations is as follows:

- 431 • GetInstance
- 432 • EnumerateInstances
- 433 • EnumerateInstanceNames
- 434 • Associators
- 435 • AssociatorNames
- 436 • References
- 437 • ReferenceNames

438 A compliant implementation shall support all of the operations in the default list for each class, unless the
 439 “Requirement” column states something other than *Mandatory*.

440 **8.4 CIM_Sensor**

441 Table 9 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200](#) or shall not be
 442 supported.

443 **Table 9 – Operations: CIM_Sensor**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
ModifyInstance	Optional. See 8.4.1.	None

444 **8.4.1 CIM_Sensor—ModifyInstance**

445 This clause details the requirements for the ModifyInstance operation applied to an instance of
 446 CIM_Sensor. The ModifyInstance operation may be supported.

447 The ModifyInstance operation shall be supported when the ElementNameEditSupported property of the
 448 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance that is associated with the CIM_Sensor instance has a
 449 value of TRUE.

450 **8.4.1.1 CIM_Sensor.ElementName**

451 When the ElementNameEditSupported property of the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance
 452 that is associated with the CIM_Sensor instance has a value of TRUE, the implementation shall allow the
 453 ModifyInstance operation to change the value of the ElementName property of the CIM_Sensor instance.
 454 The ModifyInstance operation shall enforce the length restriction specified in the MaxElementNameLen
 455 property of the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance.

456 When the ElementNameEditSupported property of the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance
 457 has a value of FALSE, the implementation shall not allow the ModifyInstance operation to change the
 458 value of the ElementName property of the CIM_Sensor instance.

459 **8.5 CIM_NumericSensor**

460 Table 10 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200](#) or shall not
 461 be supported.

462 **Table 10 – Operations: CIM_NumericSensor**

Operation	Requirement	Messages
ModifyInstance	Optional. See 8.5.1.	None

463 **8.5.1 CIM_NumericSensor—ModifyInstance**

464 This clause details the requirements for the ModifyInstance operation applied to an instance of
 465 CIM_NumericSensor. The ModifyInstance operation may be supported.

466 The ModifyInstance operation shall be supported when the ElementNameEditSupported property of the
 467 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance that is associated with the CIM_NumericSensor
 468 instance has a value of TRUE.

469 The ModifyInstance operation shall be supported when CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds property
 470 is a non-empty array. The ModifyInstance operation shall modify the following properties:

- 471 • LowerThresholdNonCritical when CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds contains a value of 0
472 (LowerThresholdNonCritical)
- 473 • UpperThresholdNonCritical when CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds contains a value of 1
474 (UpperThresholdNonCritical)
- 475 • LowerThresholdCritical when CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds contains a value of 2
476 (LowerThresholdCritical)
- 477 • UpperThresholdCritical when CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds contains a value of 3
478 (UpperThresholdCritical)
- 479 • LowerThresholdFatal when CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds contains a value of 4
480 (LowerThresholdFatal)
- 481 • UpperThresholdFatal when CIM_NumericSensor.SettableThresholds contains a value of 5
482 (UpperThresholdFatal)

483 8.5.1.1 CIM_NumericSensor.ElementName

484 When the ElementNameEditSupported property of the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance
485 that is associated with the CIM_NumericSensor instance has a value of TRUE, the implementation shall
486 allow the ModifyInstance operation to change the value of the ElementName property of the
487 CIM_NumericSensor instance. The ModifyInstance operation shall enforce the length restriction specified
488 in the MaxElementNameLen property of the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance.

489 When the ElementNameEditSupported property of the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance
490 has a value of FALSE, the implementation shall not allow the ModifyInstance operation to change the
491 value of the ElementName property of the CIM_NumericSensor instance.

492 8.6 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities

493 All operations in the default list in 8.3 are supported as described by [DSP0200](#).

494 8.7 CIM_ElementCapabilities

495 Table 11 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200](#) or shall not
496 be supported.

497 **Table 11 – Operations: CIM_ElementCapabilities**

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

498 **8.8 CIM_SystemDevice**

499 Table 12 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200](#) or shall not
500 be supported.

501 **Table 12 – Operations: CIM_SystemDevice**

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

502 **8.9 CIM_AssociatedSensor**

503 Table 13 lists operations that either have special requirements beyond those from [DSP0200](#) or shall not
504 be supported.

505 **Table 13 – Operations: CIM_AssociatedSensor**

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

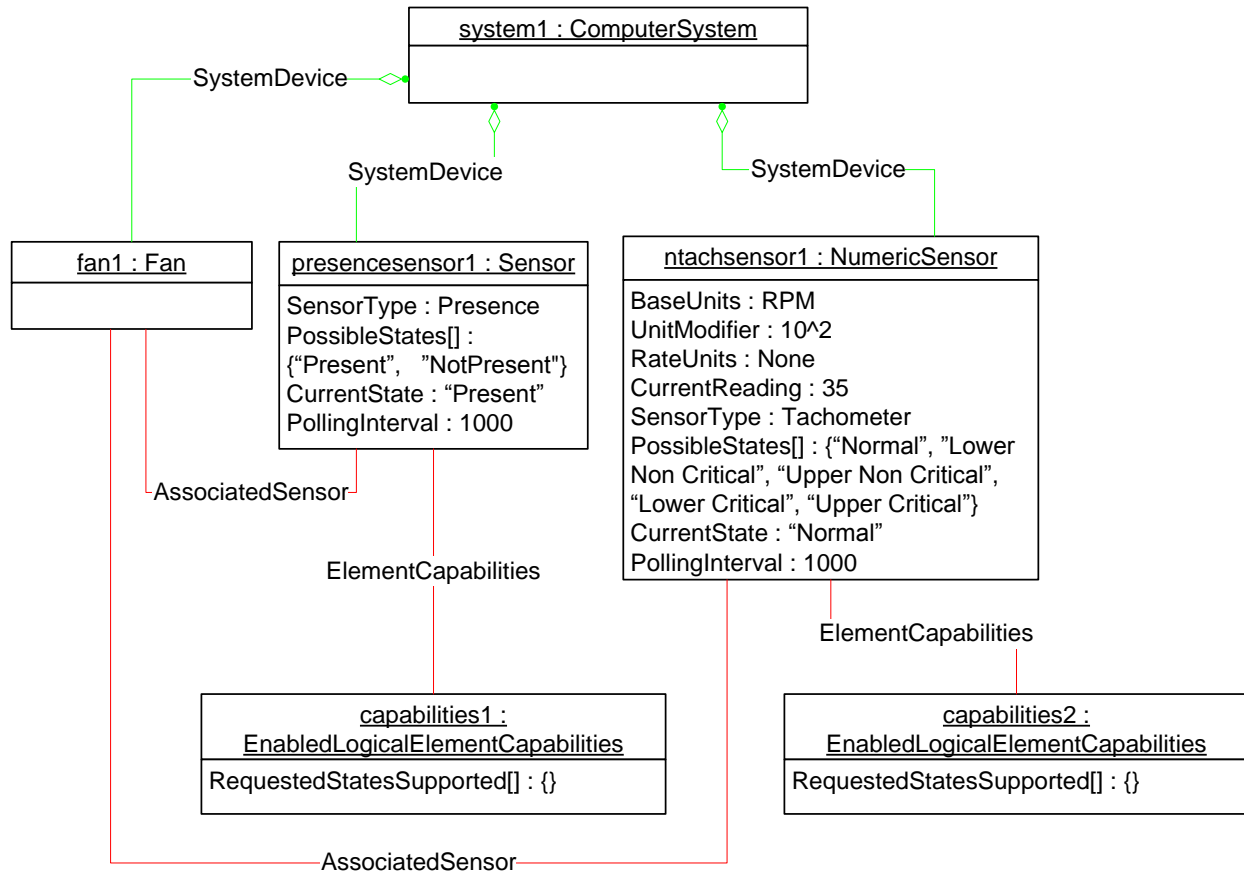
506 **9 Use cases**

507 All use cases are based on the implementation conformance to the DMTF *Sensors Profile*.

508 **9.1 Object diagrams**

509 Figure 2 represents a possible instantiation of the *Sensors Profile* classes. In the diagram, the instances
510 of CIM_Sensor and CIM_NumericSensor are associated with an instance of CIM_Fan through instances
511 of CIM_AssociatedSensor. In other cases, different instances of concrete classes derived from
512 CIM_ManagedElement can be associated through CIM_AssociatedSensor with an instance of
513 CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor.

514 Based on the SensorType property of the CIM_Sensor instance, presencesensor1 is a Presence sensor.
515 presencesensor1 is a discrete sensor and provides the value “Present” or “Not Present” based on the
516 PossibleStates property. Based on the SensorType property, ntachsensorn1 is a Tachometer sensor,
517 which is an analog sensor, and provides numeric reading of the fan1 speed. Based on the BaseUnits
518 property, the reading is in RPM units, and the RateUnit property shows no additional units. The
519 CurrentReading property in this object diagram has a value of 35, which is multiplied by the value of the
520 UnitModifier property (in this case 10^2), and therefore has a value of 3500 RPM.



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Figure 2 – Sensors Profile: Object diagram

524 9.2 Show all current states of the monitored devices in the computer system

525 Starting from the CIM_ComputerSystem instance that represents the computer system, select all of the
526 CIM_Sensor and CIM_NumericSensor instances that are associated through instances of
527 CIM_SystemDevice, which represent the sensors of the computer system. Iterate through the instances
528 and get the CIM_Sensor.CurrentState and CIM_NumericSensor.CurrentState property value, which will
529 represent the states of the monitored devices.

530 9.3 Find sensors associated with a specific component

531 Select all of the CIM_Sensor and CIM_NumericSensor instances that are associated with the instance of
532 a subclass of CIM_ManagedElement through an instance of CIM_AssociatedSensor.

533 9.4 Change upper non-critical threshold of numeric sensor

534 Select the instance of CIM_NumericSensor. Determine whether the SettableThresholds property contains
535 a value of 1 (UpperThresholdNonCritical). If so, set the value of the UpperThresholdNonCritical property;
536 otherwise, return an appropriate error.

537 9.5 Reset sensor to threshold defaults

538 Select the instance of CIM_NumericSensor. Execute the method RestoreDefaultThresholds().

539 **9.6 Determining whether ElementName can be modified**

540 For a given instance of CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor, a client can determine whether it can modify
 541 the ElementName as follows:

- 542 1) Find the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance that is associated with the target
 543 instance.
- 544 2) Query the value of the ElementNameEditSupported property of the
 545 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance. If the value is TRUE, the client can modify
 546 the ElementName property of the target instance.

547 **9.7 Determining whether state management is supported**

- 548 1) For a given instance of CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor, a client can determine whether
 549 state management is supported as follows:
- 550 2) Find the CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities instance that is associated with the instance.
- 551 3) Query the value of the RequestedStatesSupported property. If at least one value is specified,
 552 state management is supported.

553 **9.8 Find inlet temperature sensor instance**

554 Enumerate the instances of CIM_NumericSensor. Determine whether the SensorContext property
 555 contains a value of "DMTF:Inlet" and the SensorType has value 2 (Temperature) for one of the instance
 556 of CIM_NumericSensor. If so, that instance represents the sensor for the inlet.

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558 **10 CIM Elements**

559 Table 14 shows the list of CIM Elements for this profile and details their requirements. The
 560 implementation requirements for the classes and properties described in this clause are defined in 7,
 561 "Implementation requirements".

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Table 14 – CIM Elements: Sensors Profile Profile

Element Name	Requirement	Description
Classes		
CIM_Sensor	Conditional	See 7.1 and 10.1.
CIM_NumericSensor	Conditional	See 7.1 and 10.2.
CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities	Optional	See 7.13 and 10.3.
CIM_ElementCapabilities	Optional	See 10.4.
CIM_SystemDevice	Mandatory	See 7.18 and 10.5.
CIM_AssociatedSensor	Optional	See 7.18 and 10.6.
CIM_RegisteredProfile	Mandatory	See 10.7.
Indications		
None defined in this profile		

563 **10.1 CIM_Sensor**

564 CIM_Sensor is used to represent a discrete sensor. The CIM_Sensor class is mandatory if the
 565 CIM_NumericSensor class is not implemented. Table 15 provides information about the properties of
 566 CIM_Sensor.

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Table 15 – Class: CIM_Sensor

Properties and Methods	Requirement	Notes
SystemCreationClassName	Mandatory	Key
SystemName	Mandatory	Key
CreationClassName	Mandatory	Key
DeviceID	Mandatory	Key
SensorType	Mandatory	None
PossibleStates	Mandatory	See 7.2.
CurrentState	Mandatory	See 7.4.
ElementName	Mandatory	See 7.13.2.
OtherSensorTypeDescription	Conditional	See 7.17.
EnabledState	Mandatory	See 7.16.
SensorContext	Optional	See 7.20.
RequestedState	Mandatory	See 7.14.
OperationalStatus	Mandatory	None
HealthState	Mandatory	None
RequestStateChange()	Conditional	See 8.1.

568 **10.2 CIM_NumericSensor**

569 CIM_NumericSensor is used to represent an analog sensor. The CIM_NumericSensor class is mandatory
 570 when the CIM_Sensor class is not implemented. Table 16 provides information about the properties of
 571 CIM_NumericSensor.

572 **Table 16 – Class: CIM_NumericSensor**

Properties and Methods	Requirement	Notes
SystemCreationClassName	Mandatory	Key
SystemName	Mandatory	Key
CreationClassName	Mandatory	Key
DeviceID	Mandatory	Key
BaseUnits	Mandatory	None
UnitModifier	Mandatory	None
RateUnits	Mandatory	None
CurrentReading	Mandatory	None
LowerThresholdNonCritical	Conditional	See 7.5.
UpperThresholdNonCritical	Conditional	See 7.6.
LowerThresholdCritical	Conditional	See 7.7.
UpperThresholdCritical	Conditional	See 7.8.
LowerThresholdFatal	Conditional	See 7.9.
UpperThresholdFatal	Conditional	See 7.10.
SupportedThresholds	Mandatory	See 7.11.
SettableThresholds	Mandatory	See 7.12.
SensorType	Mandatory	None
PossibleStates	Mandatory	See 7.3.
CurrentState	Mandatory	See 7.4.
ElementName	Mandatory	See 7.13.2.
OtherSensorTypeDescription	Conditional	See 7.17.
SensorContext	Optional	See 7.20.
EnabledState	Mandatory	See 7.16.
RequestedState	Mandatory	See 7.14.
OperationalStatus	Mandatory	None
HealthState	Mandatory	None
RequestStateChange()	Conditional	See 8.1.
RestoreDefaultThresholds()	Conditional	See 8.2.

573 **10.3 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities**

574 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities is used to represent the capabilities of the sensor as it applies to
 575 the properties of CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor that are derived from CIM_EnabledLogicalElement,
 576 such as RequestedEnabledState. For implementation details, see 7.13.

577 Table 17 provides information about the properties of CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities.

578 **Table 17 – Class: CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
InstanceID	Mandatory	Key
RequestedStatesSupported	Mandatory	See 7.13.1.
ElementNameEditSupported	Mandatory	See 7.13.2.
MaxElementNameLen	Conditional	See 7.13.3.

579 **10.4 CIM_ElementCapabilities**

580 CIM_ElementCapabilities is used to associate CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor with an instance of
 581 CIM_EnabledLogicalElementCapabilities that describes the capabilities of CIM_Sensor or
 582 CIM_NumericSensor. Table 18 provides information about the properties of CIM_ElementCapabilities.

583 **Table 18 – Class: CIM_ElementCapabilities**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
ManagedElement	Mandatory	Key
Capabilities	Mandatory	Key. See 7.13.

584 **10.5 CIM_SystemDevice**

585 CIM_SystemDevice is used to associate the instance of CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor with the
 586 instance of CIM_ComputerSystem of which the CIM_Sensor instance is a member. Table 19 provides
 587 information about the properties of CIM_SystemDevice.

588 **Table 19 – Class: CIM_SystemDevice**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
GroupComponent	Mandatory	Key: shall be a reference to the CIM_ComputerSystem instance of which the current CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor instance is a member.
PartComponent	Mandatory	Key: shall be a reference to the current CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor instance.

589 **10.6 CIM_AssociatedSensor**

590 CIM_AssociatedSensor is used to associate the instance of CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor with the
 591 instance of a subclass of CIM_ManagedElement. Table 20 provides information about the properties of
 592 CIM_AssociatedSensor.

593 **Table 20 – Class: CIM_AssociatedSensor**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	shall be a reference to a specific instance of CIM_Sensor or CIM_NumericSensor.
Dependent	Mandatory	shall be a reference to the instance of a subclass of CIM_ManagedElement that the sensor is monitoring.

594 **10.7 CIM_RegisteredProfile**

595 CIM_RegisteredProfile is defined by the Profile Registration Profile. The requirements denoted in
 596 Table 21 are in addition to those mandated by the Profile Registration Profile.

597 **Table 21 – Class: CIM_RegisteredProfile**

Properties	Requirement	Description
RegisteredName	Mandatory	This property shall have a value of "Sensors".
RegisteredVersion	Mandatory	This property shall have a value of "1.1.0".
RegisteredOrganization	Mandatory	This property shall have a value of 2 (DMTF).

598 NOTE: Previous versions of this document included the suffix 'Profile' for the RegisteredName value. If
 599 implementations querying for the RegisteredName value find the suffix 'Profile', they should ignore the suffix, with any
 600 surrounding white spaces, before any comparison is done with the value as specified in this document.

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ANNEX A (informative)

Change log

Version	Date	Description
1.0.0	2007-11-06	
1.0.1	2008-09-25	Errata 1.0.1
1.0.2	2009-10-05	Errata 1.0.2
1.1.0	2012-04-30	Added SensorContext property
1.1.1	2014-07-28	Errata removing unnecessary reference to DSP0223

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