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Foreword

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Introduction

121 A *profile* is a collection of Common Information Model (CIM) elements and behavior rules that represent a
122 specific area of management. The purpose of the profile is to ensure interoperability of Web-Based
123 Enterprise Management (WBEM) services for a specific subset of the CIM schema — in this case, CPU
124 diagnostics.

125 Diagnostics is a critical component of systems management. Diagnostic services are used in problem
126 containment to maintain availability, achieve fault isolation for system recovery, establish system integrity
127 during boot, increase system reliability, and perform routine proactive system verification. The goal of the
128 Common Diagnostic Model (CDM) is to define industry-standard building blocks, based on and consistent
129 with the DMTF CIM, which enable seamless integration of vendor-supplied diagnostic services into
130 system and storage area network management frameworks.

131 The goal of the *Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile* is to define industry-standard building
132 blocks that enable seamless problem determination support for Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapters (FC
133 HBA) and to troubleshoot network problems involving FC HBAs. The profile extends the standard
134 diagnostic profile by identifying a base set of FC HBA functions that should be diagnosed by provider
135 implementations. Suppliers can differentiate their diagnostic offering by providing this base set of
136 diagnostics and developing diagnostics to analyze proprietary features of the FC HBA.

137 Document conventions

138 Typographical conventions

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146 definition in [RFC5234](#) that interprets literal strings as case-insensitive US-ASCII characters.

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Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile

148 1 Scope

149 The *Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile* specializes the [Diagnostics Profile](#) by defining
150 the diagnostic tests needed to determine the health of an FC HBA as well as the tests needed to
151 troubleshoot storage area network problems involving FC HBAs. The diagnostic tests are defined as
152 subclasses of CIM_DiagnosticTest.

153 2 Normative references

154 The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated or
155 versioned references, only the edition cited (including any corrigenda or DMTF update versions) applies.
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159 http://dmft.org/sites/default/files/standards/documents/DSP0004_2.6.pdf

160 DMTF DSP0200, *CIM Operations over HTTP 1.3*,
161 http://dmft.org/sites/default/files/standards/documents/DSP0200_1.3.pdf

162 DMTF DSP1001, *Management Profile Specification Usage Guide 1.0*,
163 http://dmft.org/sites/default/files/standards/documents/DSP1001_1.0.pdf

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165 http://dmft.org/sites/default/files/standards/documents/DSP1002_2.0.pdf

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193 4 Symbols and abbreviated terms

194 The following symbols and abbreviations are used in this document.

195 4.1

196 CDM

197 Common Diagnostic Model

198 4.2

199 CIM

200 Common Information Model

201 4.3

202 CIMOM

203 CIM Object Manager

204 4.4

205 CRU

206 Customer Replaceable Unit

207 4.5

208 CT

209 Common Transport

210 4.6

211 FRU

212 Field Replaceable Unit

213 4.7

214 FC

215 Fibre Channel

216 4.8

217 HBA

218 Host Bus Adapter

219 4.9

220 ICMP

221 Internet Control Message Protocol

222	4.10
223	LED
224	Light-Emitting Diode
225	4.11
226	LUN
227	Logical Unit Number
228	4.12
229	ME
230	Managed Element
231	4.13
232	MOF
233	Managed Object Format
234	4.14
235	PD
236	Problem Determination
237	4.15
238	PFA
239	Predictive Failure Analysis
240	4.16
241	POST
242	Power-On Self-Test
243	4.17
244	SAN
245	Storage Area Network
246	4.18
247	SLP
248	Service Location Protocol
249	4.19
250	SM-HBA
251	Storage Management Host Bus Adapter
252	4.20
253	SNPing
254	Storage Network Ping
255	4.21
256	WBEM
257	Web-Based Enterprise Management
258	4.22
259	WWPN
260	World Wide Port Name

261 **5 Synopsis**

262 **Profile name:** FC HBA Diagnostics

263 **Version:** 1.0.0

264 **Organization:** DMTF

265 **CIM Schema version:** 2.31

266 **Central class:** CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest

267 **Scoping class:** CIM_ComputerSystem

268 **Specializes:** Diagnostics Profile 2.0.0

269 The *Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile* extends the management capability of
 270 referencing profiles by adding common methods for determining that the FC HBA is operating normally
 271 and for troubleshooting Fibre Channel network problems involving the FC HBA in a managed system.

272 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest shall be the Central Class of this profile. The instance of
 273 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest shall be the Central Instance of this profile. CIM_ComputerSystem shall be
 274 the Scoping Class of this profile. The instance of CIM_ComputerSystem with which the Central Instance
 275 is associated through an instance of CIM_HostedService shall be the Scoping Instance of this profile.

276 The CIM_ManagedElement is CIM_PortController or a subclass of it.

277 Table 1 identifies profiles on which this profile has a dependency.

278 **Table 1 – Referenced profiles**

Profile name	Organization	Version	Description
Diagnostics	DMTF	2.0	Specializes
Profile Registration	DMTF	1.0	Mandatory
FC HBA	SNIA	1.3.0	Optional

279 **6 Description**

280 Two categories of Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter (FC HBAs) diagnostics are useful in SAN
 281 environments: those that diagnose the FC HBA itself and those used to help troubleshoot network
 282 problems. These two classes can be further categorized into two different types: destructive and non-
 283 destructive.

284 The [Diagnostics Profile](#) defines destructive tests as those that have the potential for destroying data,
 285 permanently altering the state, or reconfiguring the device. In the case of an FC HBA, any test that could
 286 cause a previously executing application to lose access to the SAN should be considered destructive
 287 because it could cause the data contained in an active transaction to be lost. An example would be using
 288 a loopback to verify data pathways. When the loopback runs, the FC HBA cannot carry normal traffic.

289 Non-destructive diagnostics are those that can be safely executed without disrupting normal traffic, such
 290 as using a form of echo to verify the accessibility of a SAN device. Practical SAN management requires
 291 both types and both categories of diagnostics to maintain operations in production environments. As
 292 such, all FC HBA diagnostics shall work in a normal operating system environment. Special pre-boot
 293 environments shall not be required. The diagnostic tests specified in this profile may be implemented in
 294 the FC HBA's firmware, the driver, or the FC HBA Diagnostics Provider itself. The goal of the *Fibre*

295 *Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile* is to define a set of standard diagnostics that meet these
296 needs and are both vendor and hardware agnostic.

297 FC HBAs are field replaceable units (FRUs); when defective, they are simply replaced. When the host
298 system or SAN management framework wishes to verify the health of an FC HBA it should not have to be
299 concerned with testing the individual FC HBA components. Rather it needs to be able to call upon a
300 single diagnostic that tests the entire FC HBA. This self-test shall be comprehensive, similar to a Power-
301 On Self-Test (POST). By its nature, this test is destructive. All FC HBA diagnostic providers shall support
302 a Self-Test.

303 Verifying the health of an FC HBA non-destructively is problematic. Any definitive health verification
304 disrupts, suspends or corrupts normal data traffic. However, it is possible to determine relative health of
305 the FC HBA using data such as its current operational state, error counts, and the results of its last POST.
306 Diagnostics providers should take advantage of this test to report any detected degraded conditions
307 before they become problems. Executing this test would also verify that basic communications with the
308 FC HBA are operational. All FC HBA diagnostic providers shall support a Status test.

309 To enable the isolation of certain types of faults, FC HBAs should also be testable at their boundaries.
310 The boundaries of an FC HBA are its connection to the system bus and its connection to the Fibre
311 Channel SAN. Being able to test at these boundaries makes it possible to isolate problems to the FC HBA
312 or to the SAN. For instance, if the transmit side of the cable from the FC HBA to the switch broke, the
313 HBA would still have a link but would not receive any responses. From the viewpoint of the host, the
314 source of the problem would not be clear; it could be a problem with the FC HBA or something on the
315 SAN itself. Putting the FC HBA into loopback would show that the pathway from the host through the HBA
316 was working properly and that the problem is something on the SAN.

317 There are both internal and external Fibre Channel loopbacks. Internal loopbacks are desirable because
318 they allow the HBA to be tested remotely without having to physically reconfigure the SAN. However,
319 because internal loopbacks are implemented in circuitry and not in the FC optics, they do not test the
320 entire data pathway through the FC HBA. By their nature, FC loopback tests are destructive. All FC HBA
321 diagnostic providers shall support both internal and external FC loopback tests.

322 Loopbacks can also be implemented at the FC HBA's host bus interface. These loopbacks are helpful in
323 isolating problems occurring between the FC HBA and the host system. If an FC HBA is failing internal
324 loopback tests, the problem lies in the data path of the HBA if that HBA can pass host bus interface
325 loopback tests. As with FC loopbacks, host bus interface loopbacks are destructive. All FC HBA
326 diagnostic providers shall support host bus interface loopbacks only if the FC HBA being tested supports
327 them.

328 One of the most familiar and powerful tools in an IP network maintenance engineer's "toolbox" is the Ping
329 utility. This utilizes the Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP) that is supported by every Network
330 Interface Card (NIC) to provide a simple method of testing for the presence of a NIC at a specified
331 address. To minimize the use of SAN bandwidth, both the size of the data packet to be transmitted and
332 the number of iterations should be kept small. The input parameters of the Ping test are similar to those
333 defined by T11's [Fibre Channel Storage Network Ping](#) (SNPing) utility specification for Fibre Channel
334 devices. All FC HBA diagnostic providers shall support a Ping test, and the Ping test shall be non-
335 destructive.

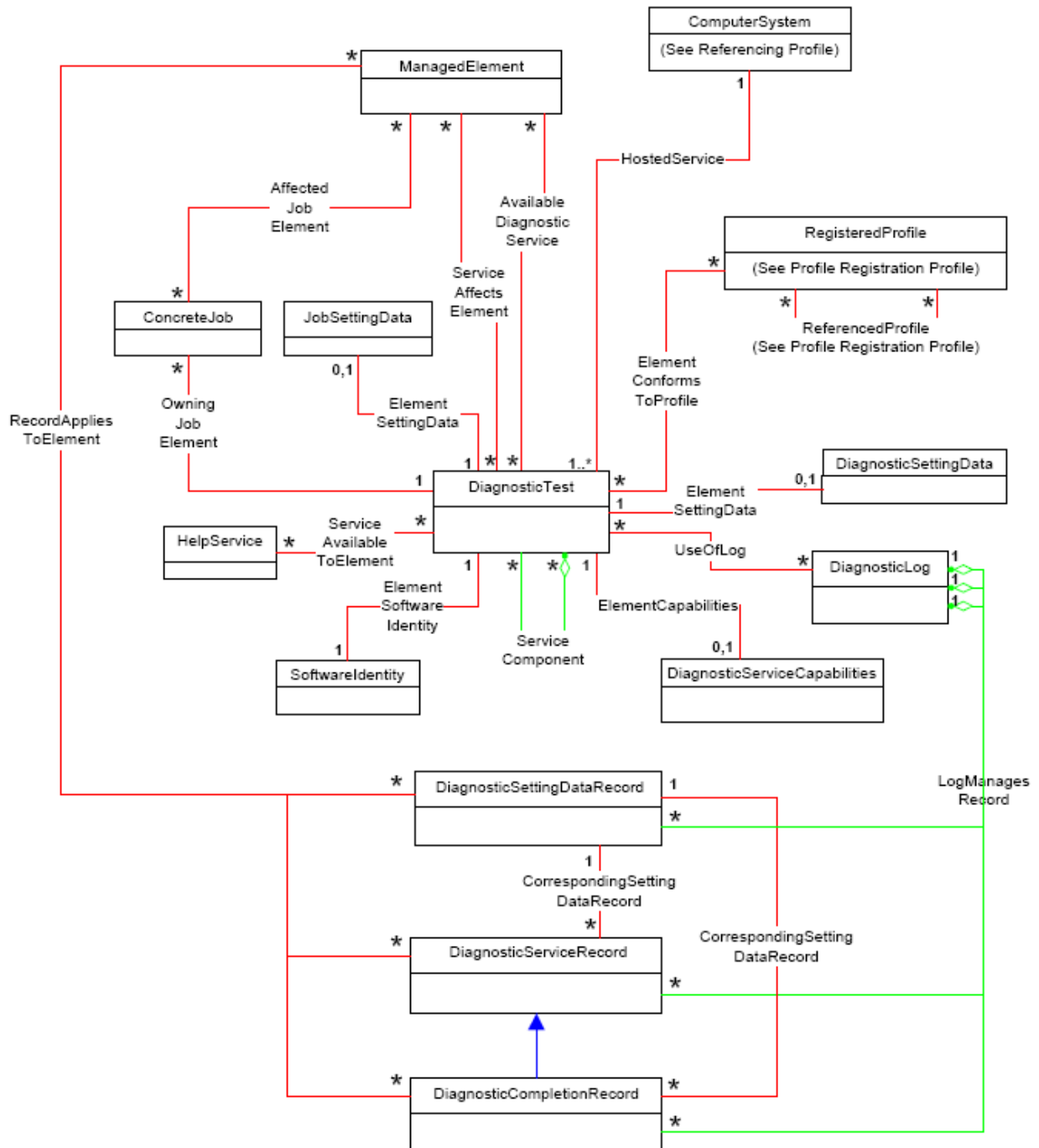
336 Another common network troubleshooting technique is to repeatedly send traffic to a specific device,
337 have it echoed back, and then verify that the data is still intact. This is similar to Ping, except that it is
338 acceptable to generate enough traffic for the test to become destructive (that is, disruptive to other
339 network traffic). This Echo test can be useful when resolving network configuration or performance
340 issues. The size and content of the data packet to be sent may be varied. Because sustained Echo tests
341 increase network latency and can be disruptive, they should be considered destructive. All FC HBA
342 diagnostic providers shall support an Echo test.

343 Like any other programmed device, FC HBAs can sometimes be affected by software errors that can
344 cause them to behave erratically, enter an unknown state, or stop working altogether. Resetting an FC

345 HBA often clears these conditions and restores the host's access to the FC SAN. Because resetting an
346 FC HBA causes it to lose its current state information and any transactions that are in progress, Reset
347 shall be considered destructive. All FC HBA diagnostic providers shall support a Reset test.

348 Many host systems contain multiple FC HBAs. If one of these HBAs is known to be malfunctioning, it can
349 be difficult to visually identify which HBA is the defective unit when attempting to replace it. Flashing one
350 or more LEDs on the HBA in a known pattern, or beaconing, resolves this problem. The flashing LEDs
351 allow the HBA in question to be easily identified. Beaconing is non-destructive. All FC HBA diagnostic
352 providers shall support a Beacon test only if the FC HBA under test supports it.

353 The *Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile* describes the set of tests necessary for
354 diagnosing FC HBA issues and troubleshooting some SAN issues. Each test is a specialization of
355 CIM_DiagnosticTest. The supported service modes, user controls, log options, and loop controls for each
356 test are advertised through the CIM_FCHBADiagnosticsServiceCapabilities instance. For tests with
357 specifiable parameters, the default parameter values are advertised through instances of
358 CIM_ElementSettingData that associate an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData to the test.
359 Where supported, clients specify non-default test parameters by creating instances of
360 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData that are associated to instances of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.
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Figure 1 – Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile: Profile class diagram

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365 **7 Implementation**

366 This clause provides additional implementation details for the various diagnostic tests of this profile.

367 **7.1 FC HBA test information**

368 Table 2 contains information about the test types.

369 **Table 2 – Test type information**

Test name	Test information	
Beacon	Description	The diagnostic causes at least one of the LEDs of an FC HBA to flash on and off.
	Coverage Range	FC HBA LEDs
	Destructive	No
	User Control	The user may specify the number of iterations or the duration that the LED blinks on and off.
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds or minutes.
	Built into Device	Yes
	Details	The LED flash pattern is determined by the vendor, but the pattern shall be distinct from that of normal activity. The LED to be flashed may be the normal activity/status LEDs or separate LEDs provided solely for beaconing.
Echo	Description	The diagnostic verifies the data path from host to target.
	Coverage Range	The complete data path from host to target
	Destructive	The diagnostic can cause a loss of network bandwidth and cause problems for some applications.
	User Control	The user may specify the type of Echo test, the buffer size and buffer pattern to be used, and the target device.
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds or minutes.
	Built into Device	Yes
	Details	The FC HBA must be connected to a SAN that contains a device that supports Echo.
External Loopback	Coverage Area	The diagnostic verifies that the entire data path through an FC HBA is working properly.
	Coverage Range	The entire FC HBA data path
	Destructive	The diagnostic blocks all access to the SAN while it is in progress.
	User Control	The user may specify the buffer size and buffer pattern to be used.
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds or minutes.
	Built into Device	Yes
	Details	A loopback connector is required. With an external loopback connector attached to the FC HBA, data packets are sent to the FC HBA and then read back. The results are compared to verify that the data does not change.

Test name	Test information	
Host Bus Loopback	Coverage Area	The diagnostic tests an FC HBA's host bus interface.
	Coverage Range	The data path from the host system's memory to the FC HBA's host bus interface.
	Destructive	This test blocks all access to the SAN while it is in progress.
	User Control	The user may specify the buffer size and buffer pattern to be used.
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds.
	Built into Device	Yes
	Details	After activating the host bus loopback, data packets are sent to the FC HBA and then read back. The results are compared to verify that the data has not changed.
Internal Loopback	Coverage Area	The diagnostic verifies the integrity of internal data paths in the FC HBA.
	Coverage Range	The data path from the host through most of the FC HBA is tested. The actual placement of the loopback is vendor-dependent, but it is normally before the Fibre Channel optics.
	Destructive	The diagnostic blocks all access to the SAN while it is in progress.
	User Control	The user may specify the buffer size and buffer pattern to be used.
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds.
	Built into Device	Yes
	Details	After activating the internal loopback, data packets are sent to the FC HBA and then read back. The results are compared to verify that the data has not changed.
Ping	Coverage Area	The diagnostic verifies the existence and accessibility of devices on the SAN.
	Coverage Range	Complete data path from host to target
	Destructive	No
	User Control	The user may specify the type of Ping test, the buffer size and buffer pattern to be used, and the target device.
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds or minutes.
	Built into Device	Yes

Test name	Test information	
	Details	<p>The FC HBA must be connected to a SAN that contains a device that supports the desired Ping mechanism.</p> <p>Fibre Channel protocol does not contain any constructs similar to ICMP Ping that are universally implemented. The closest match to Ping is the optional Fibre Channel Echo Extended Link (FC Echo). It sends a single frame of data to a recipient that then returns it without modifying its content.</p> <p>Determining that the content has not changed verifies that the recipient is present and can be communicated with correctly. Another possible mechanism for implementing Ping functionality would be to use SCSI commands such as Inquiry to access the device. This would provide coverage for all SCSI devices connected to the SAN. Because no one mechanism can provide coverage for all FC devices, a Ping test shall support both FC and SCSI Inquiry. Other mechanisms such as FC Trace Route may also be used. To minimize the use of SAN bandwidth, both the size of the data packet to be transmitted and the number of iterations should be kept small. The input parameters of this Ping test should be similar to those defined by T11's Fibre Channel Storage Network Ping (SNPing) utility specification for Fibre channel devices.</p>
Reset	Coverage Area	The diagnostic causes the FC HBA to reinitialize itself.
	Coverage Range	The entire FC HBA
	Destructive	Any traffic in progress is lost, and the FC HBA is unable to carry traffic while this test is in progress.
	User Control	None
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds.
	Built into Device	Yes
	Details	The implementation of this test is vendor-specific.
Self-Test	Coverage Area	This test allows all components of the FC HBA to be tested.
	Coverage Range	The entire FC HBA except for the FC optics
	Destructive	The FC HBA is unable to carry traffic while this test is in progress.
	User Control	None
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds.
	Built into Device	Yes
	Details	The details of the Self-Test are vendor-specific. It is expected that the test will be comprehensive, testing all possible components on the FC HBA. The test is not expected to test the FC optics. The test must leave the HBA in the same state that it was in before the test was run.
Status	Coverage Area	The diagnostic checks the health of the FC HBA, not including the FC optics.
	Coverage Range	The data path to the FC HBA and the entire FC HBA except for the FC optics is tested.
	Destructive	No
	User Control	None
	Execution Time	The test shall run on the order of seconds.
	Built into Device	Yes

Test name	Test information	
	Details	The implementation of this test is vendor-unique but should take into consideration the state of the FC port. Other possible data sources to be used include the results of the last POST or Self-Test, trends in error counts, and vendor-specific data.

370 **7.2 CIM_FCHBADIagnosticTest**

371 The CIM_FCHBADIagnosticTest class can be used for a variety of tests necessary for diagnosing FC
 372 HBA issues. Table 3 defines the valid property values and whether the test is mandatory or optional. An
 373 implementation may extend this class and add vendor-defined tests using the Vendor Defined range of
 374 the FCHBATestType valuemap.

375 Table 4 provides additional information about the CIM_FCHBADIagnosticTest class.

376 **Table 3 – CIM_FCHBADIagnosticTest property requirements**

Test name	Criteria	ElementName*	FCHBATestType	TestType*
Beacon	Optional	FC HBA Beacon Test	2	(2) Functional
Echo	Mandatory	FC HBA Echo Test	3	(3) Stress (5) Access Test
External Loopback	Mandatory	FC HBA External Loopback Test	4	(2) Functional (5) Access Test
Host Bus Loopback	Optional	FC HBA Host Bus Loopback Test	5	(2) Functional
Internal Loopback	Mandatory	FC HBA Internal Loopback Test	6	(2) Functional
Ping	Mandatory	FC HBA Ping Test	7	(5) Access Test
Reset	Mandatory	FC HBA Reset Test	8	(2) Functional
Self	Mandatory	FC HBA Self-Test	9	(2) Functional
Status	Mandatory	FC HBA Status Test	10	(4) Health Check

377 An asterisk (*) indicates that the property is inherited from the parent class CIM_DiagnosticSettingData.

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Table 4 – CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest property requirements

Test name	Characteristics*	Comment
Beacon		
Echo	4 (Is Destructive) 10 (Additional Hardware Required)	The FC HBA must be connected to a SAN that contains a device that supports Echo.
External Loopback	4 (Is Destructive) 10 (Additional Hardware Required)	A loopback connector is required.
Host Bus Loopback	4 (Is Destructive)	
Internal Loopback	4 (Is Destructive)	
Ping	4 (Is Destructive) 10 (Additional Hardware Required)	The FC HBA must be connected to a SAN that contains a device that supports the desired Ping mechanism.
Reset	4 (Is Destructive)	
Self-Test	4 (Is Destructive)	
Status		
Beacon		

379 An asterisk (*) indicates that the property is inherited from the parent class CIM_DiagnosticTest

380 **7.3 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData**

381 One or more instances of the CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData class may be implemented. They are
 382 associated to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest using CIM_ElementSettingData. The vendor-defined default
 383 values may be specified and advertised using an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData that is
 384 referenced by the instance of CIM_ElementSettingData whose property value for IsDefault is 1 (Is
 385 Default).

386 A diagnostic test may require parameters to run. Some parameters may affect how the test is run, while
 387 other parameters provide the values to be used by the test.

388 The CIM_DiagnosticSettingData class contains properties that affect how a diagnostic test is run (for
 389 example, LoopControl, QuickMode), how errors are handled (for example, HaltOnError), or how results
 390 are logged (for example, LogOptions). CIM_DiagnosticSettingData is an argument to the
 391 CIM_DiagnosticTest.RunDiagnosticService() extrinsic method. If additional properties are needed that
 392 control the behavior of the diagnostic test, they should be defined in a subclass of
 393 CIM_DiagnosticSettingData.

394 The client may use the vendor-defined default CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData instance as an
 395 argument to the CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.RunDiagnosticService() extrinsic method. Alternatively, the
 396 client may create its own instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData and use it instead.

397 The CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData class defines the parameters that may be used by some of the
 398 FC HBA tests. Table 5 lists these test parameters and shows which tests might use them. An
 399 implementation may extend this class and define additional parameters for any other Vendor Defined
 400 tests.

401

Table 5 – CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData property requirements

Test name	ElementName*	Target device	Echo mechanism	LUN	Buffer sizes	Buffer pattern	Ping mechanism
Beacon	FC HBA Beacon Test						
Echo	FC HBA Echo Test	Used	Used	Used	Used	Used	
External Loopback	FC HBA External Loopback Test				Used	Used	
Host Bus Loopback	FC HBA Host Bus Loopback Test				Used	Used	
Internal Loopback	FC HBA Internal Loopback Test				Used	Used	
Ping	FC HBA Ping Test	Used		Used	Used	Used	Used
Reset	FC HBA Reset Test						
Self	FC HBA Self-Test						
Status	FC HBA Status Test						
Stress	FC HBA Beacon Test						

402 An asterisk (*) indicates that the property is inherited from the parent class CIM_DiagnosticSettingData.

403 **7.3.1 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.TargetDevice**

404 This property is used by a client for the Echo and Ping tests to specify which device they are targeting.

405 The Echo and Ping tests send packets of data from the local host to a remote device on the FC SAN. The
 406 CIM_DiagnosticService.RunDiagnosticService() extrinsic method requires a reference to the managed
 407 element (local FC HBA) to be used in the test. However, in order to run the test, the address of the
 408 remote device is needed.

409 When FC Echo is being used, this property contains either the World Wide Port Name (WWPN) or the FC
 410 port address of the device to be targeted. Typically, a port address is used for point-to-point and
 411 arbitrated loops, while a WWPN is normally used in fabrics. When SCSI Inquiry is to be used, the property
 412 must contain a WWPN.

413 The string is formatted as ASCII characters representing hexadecimal digits. The only characters to be
 414 used shall be 0–9 and A–F. Leading zeros are permitted. WWPNs shall contain 16 characters. FC port
 415 addresses shall contain six characters.

416 For the Echo and Ping tests, TargetDevice has no default value; that is, a value must be specified.

417 NOTE When SCSI commands are used, in addition to specifying the target device, the client must specify a LUN
 418 on the target device using CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.LUN.

419 **7.3.2 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.TargetDeviceFormat**

420 This property specifies the format of the TargetDevice value, which is a string formatted as ASCII
 421 characters representing hexadecimal digits. The only characters to be used shall be 0–9 and A–F.
 422 Leading zeros are permitted. WWPNs shall contain 16 characters. FC port addresses shall contain six
 423 characters.

424 **7.3.3 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.EchoMechanism**

425 This property is used by a client for the Echo test to specify one of the Echo test types listed in Table 6.

426

Table 6 – CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.EchoMechanism

EchoMechanism value	Criteria	Notes
1 (Other)	Optional	
2 (FC Echo)	Mandatory	The default
3 (SCSI read/write)	Mandatory	
4 (FC Trace Route)	Optional	
5 (FC Test)	Optional	

427 Fibre Channel Echo Extended Link (FC Echo) can be used to implement the Echo test against many, but
 428 not all, FC devices. CT Pass Through allows SCSI read/write buffer commands to be used to implement
 429 Echo against SCSI or SAS devices attached to the SAN. Because no one mechanism can be used to
 430 implement the Echo test against all possible devices, FC HBA providers shall support both of these
 431 mechanisms in order to maximize the number of testable devices.

432 Support for FC Trace Route is optional and requires the use of the HBA_SendCTPassThruV2 function to
 433 send an FC Trace Route CT payload. Support for FC Test is also optional and requires the use of the
 434 SMHBA_SendTEST function. Both of these functions require that the FC HBA, the associated HBAAPI
 435 library, and the target support SM-HBA.

436 7.3.4 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.LUN

437 This property is used by a client for the tests shown in Table 5 to specify which LUN they are targeting
 438 when SCSI commands are used as the Echo mechanism or Ping mechanism.

439 The typical default value is 0. The vendor-defined default value is advertised using the default instance of
 440 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.

441 If no value is specified by the client, the vendor-defined default value will be used.

442 7.3.5 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.BufferSizes

443 This array property is used by a client for the tests shown in Table 5 to specify the data buffer sizes to be
 444 used during the test.

445 The vendor-defined default value is advertised using the default instance of
 446 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.

447 If no value is specified by the client, the vendor-defined default value will be used.

448 7.3.6 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.BufferPattern

449 This octet array property is used by a client for the tests shown in Table 5 to specify the data pattern to be
 450 used by the test. If the buffer pattern is smaller than BufferSize, the pattern will be repeated as necessary
 451 to fill the buffer. If the buffer pattern is larger than BufferSize, the pattern will be truncated.

452 The vendor-defined default value is advertised using the default instance of
 453 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.

454 If no value is specified by the client, the vendor-defined default pattern will be used.

455 7.3.7 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.PingMechanism

456 This property is used by a client for the Ping test to specify the tests shown in Table 7. Vendors may
 457 extend PingMechanism to include other mechanisms for implementing Ping. The mechanism used

458 depends upon the capabilities of the device being tested. Clients may not know which mechanism is
 459 appropriate for a particular device. Therefore, providers shall have a mode where every mechanism is
 460 tried in succession until one is successful or all have been tried.

461 **Table 7 – CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.PingMechanism**

PingMechanism value	Criteria	Notes
1 (Other)	Optional	
2 (Use All)	Mandatory	The default
3 (FC Echo)	Mandatory	
4 (SCSI Inquiry)	Mandatory	

462 **7.4 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities**

463 The SupportedLoopControl property lists the loop controls that are supported by the Diagnostic Service.
 464 The values are: 0 (Unknown), 1 (Other), 2 (Continuous), 3 (Count), 4 (Timer), 5 (ErrorCount), and 0x8000
 465 (No Loop Control). Table 8 provides more information.

466 **Table 8 – CIM_FCBHADiagnosticServiceCapabilities property requirements**

Test name	SupportedLoopControl*	BufferSizesSupported	MaxPatternSizeSupported
Beacon	3 (Count) 4 (Timer)		
Echo	0x8000 (No Loop Control)	Used	Used
External Loopback	2 (Continuous) 3 (Count)	Used	Used
Host Bus Loopback	2 (Continuous) 3 (Count)	Used	Used
Internal Loopback	2 (Continuous) 3 (Count)	Used	Used
Ping	3 (Count)	Used	Used
Reset	0x8000 (No Loop Control)		
Self	0x8000 (No Loop Control)		
Status	0x8000 (No Loop Control)		

467 An asterisk (*) indicates that the property is inherited from the parent class CIM_DiagnosticServiceCapabilities.

468 **7.4.1 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities.SupportedLoopControl**

469 This array property is used by a provider for the tests shown in Table 8 to specify whether the test
 470 supports loop control. If loop control is not supported, the value of this property is 0x8000 (No Loop
 471 Control). If the test can be run a specified number of iterations, this array property shall contain the value
 472 3 (Count). If the test can be run in a continuous manner, this array property shall contain the value 2
 473 (Continuous).

474 **7.4.2 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities.BufferSizesSupported**

475 This array property is used by a provider for those tests shown in Table 8 to specify the buffer sizes
 476 supported by the test.

477 7.4.3 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities.MaxPatternSizeSupported

478 This property is used by a provider for those tests shown in Table 8 to specify the size of the largest
479 pattern a client may specify in octets (8 bits). If the buffer pattern is smaller than the size of the data
480 buffer, the pattern will be repeated as necessary to fill the buffer. If the buffer pattern is larger than the
481 data buffer size, the pattern will be truncated.

482 8 Methods

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

485 8.1 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.RunDiagnosticService()

486 The RunDiagnosticService() method shall return one of the return code values defined in the [Diagnostics](#)
487 [Profile](#), Table 2 – RunDiagnosticsService() Method: Return Code Values.

488 When failures occur during the execution of a diagnostic test, the failure shall be recorded in the instance
489 of CIM_DiagnosticServiceRecord associated with the test. The reason for the failure shall be recorded in
490 CIM_DiagnosticServiceRecord.ErrorCode[], and the corresponding
491 CIM_DiagnosticServiceRecord.ErrorCount[] shall be incremented. Other occurrences of the same failure
492 during the same test shall not create additional entries in CIM_DiagnosticServiceRecord.ErrorCode[], but
493 they shall cause the corresponding CIM_DiagnosticServiceRecord.ErrorCount[] to be incremented.

494 8.2 Profile conventions for operations

495 Support for operations for each profile class (including associations) shall be as mandated in the
496 [Diagnostics Profile](#), clauses 8.5 through 8.29.

497 9 Use cases

498 9.1 Overview

499 This clause contains use cases for the *Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile*.

500 How to discover, configure, and run the individual diagnostic tests is detailed in the [Diagnostics Profile](#).
501 This clause focuses on how to use the FC HBA diagnostic tests to diagnose common SAN issues.

502 9.2 Use case summary

503 Table 9 summarizes the use cases that are described in this clause. The use cases are categorized and
504 named, and references are provided to the subclause that describes the use case.

505 NOTE Although use case names follow the convention for naming classes, properties and methods in the
506 schema, this naming was done for readability only and does not imply any functionality attached to the name.

507 The CIM_ prefix has been omitted from the class names in the use cases for readability.

508

Table 9 – Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile use cases

Category	Use case name	Description
Verifying FC HBA Health See 9.3.	Verify Health	Verify the health of an FC HBA without impacting host system access to the SAN. See 9.3.1.
	Verify Hardware	Examine an FC HBA to discover any hardware issues. See 9.3.2.
	Identify HBA	Make a particular FC HBA easy to physically identify. See 9.3.3.
Troubleshooting SAN Issues See 9.4.	Verify Device Accessibility	Verify that a particular device on the SAN is accessible. See 9.4.1
	Stress Test	Create a high volume of traffic to a particular SAN device to help uncover SAN issues. See 9.4.2.
	Troubleshoot an Existing Connection	Discover why a previously accessible device can no longer be accessed. See 9.4.3.
	Troubleshoot a New Connection	Discover why a new SAN device cannot be accessed. See 9.4.4.

509 **9.3 Verifying FC HBA health**

510 The use cases in this clause describe how the client can use the diagnostic tests to verify the health of
511 FC HBAs and to locate them.

512 **9.3.1 Verify health**

513 To substantiate that an FC HBA is healthy and not developing problems, without disrupting the
514 functioning of the host system, the client can use StatusTest.

515 **9.3.2 Verify hardware**

516 The client can confirm that the FC HBA hardware is functioning properly with the following procedure:

- 517 1) If available, use the Host Bus Loopback Test to prove that the data path between the host
518 system and the FC HBA is functioning properly.
- 519 2) Use the Self-Test to verify the functionality of the FC HBA hardware components. This covers
520 all components except for the Fibre Channel optics.
- 521 3) If the FC HBA is connected to the SAN, Ping or Echo may be used to verify that the FC optics
522 are working properly. However, if there is a problem on the SAN itself, these tests will fail. Thus,
523 while passing these tests proves that the FC HBA is functioning, failing these tests does not
524 prove that the FC HBA is defective.

- 525 4) If the FC HBA is not connected to the SAN, or if Ping or Echo fails, the client should use the
526 External Loopback Test to verify that the FC optics are functional.

527 9.3.3 Identify HBA

528 When it has been determined that a particular FC HBA has to be replaced, the client can use the Beacon
529 Test to cause the FC HBA's LEDs to flash. This makes it easy to visually identify the defective FC HBA in
530 a host system with multiple FC HBAs.

531 9.4 Troubleshooting SAN issues

532 The use cases in this clause describe how the client can use the diagnostic tests to isolate problems
533 occurring on the SAN.

534 9.4.1 Verify device accessibility

535 The client can use Ping to verify that a particular FC device can be physically accessed. Echo can also be
536 used, but it generates much more SAN traffic than is necessary for verifying accessibility.

537 9.4.2 Stress test

538 Some problems only occur when there are high levels of traffic on the SAN. To help reproduce traffic
539 problems, clients can use Echo. By configuring it with large buffer sizes and high loop counts, large
540 amounts of traffic can be generated.

541 9.4.3 Troubleshoot an existing connection

542 There are many reasons why an FC HBA could lose the ability to communicate with a device on the SAN:
543 a cable could be pulled out or broken, a switch could be broken or could lose configuration information,
544 the device itself may be broken, or the device itself could have lost configuration information. Clients can
545 use the following procedure to discover where the problem lies:

- 546 1) Use Status Test to verify that the FC HBA believes itself to be healthy. If an FC HBA issue is
547 suspected, use the procedure in 9.3.2 to validate the hardware. If loss of link is reported, inspect
548 the cabling.
- 549 2) Perform an Internal Loopback Test to verify that data can pass between the host system and
550 the FC HBA properly. If the loopback fails, replace the FC HBA.
- 551 3) Use Ping to verify whether the physical connection to the device has been lost. If the physical
552 connection to the device is still present, the configuration of the device itself should be
553 investigated.
- 554 4) Use Echo to verify that the FC HBA can communicate with all devices in its communication
555 path. If the Echo fails, investigate the cabling between the device and the switch. A broken
556 cable usually results in the link being lost at one end. If the cabling appears intact, investigate
557 the device itself. Repeat this step for each device in the communications path until a cabling
558 problem is found or the faulty device is found.

559 9.4.4 Troubleshoot a new connection

560 When a new device is added to a SAN and a host that should be able to access the SAN cannot access
561 it, the issue is usually caused by a configuration error in either the device or the switch. If a configuration
562 error cannot be found, the client can use the following procedure to isolate the problem:

- 563 1) Use Echo to verify that the FC HBA can communicate with all devices in its communication
564 path. If the Echo fails, investigate the cabling between the device and the switch. A broken
565 cable usually results in the link being lost at one end. If the cabling appears intact, investigate

566 the device itself. Repeat this step for each device in the communications path until a cabling
 567 problem is found or the faulty device is found.

568 **10 CIM elements**

569 Table 10 shows the instances of CIM elements for this profile. Instances of the CIM elements shall be
 570 implemented as described in Table 10. Clause 7 (“Implementation”) and Clause 8 (“Methods”) may
 571 impose additional requirements on these elements.

572 **Table 10 – CIM elements: Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter Diagnostics Profile**

Element name	Requirement	Description
Classes		
CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest	Mandatory	See 10.1.
CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData	Optional	See 10.2.
CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities	Optional	See 10.3.
CIM_RegisteredProfile	Mandatory	See 10.4.
CIM_AffectedJobElement	Optional	See 10.5.
CIM_AvailableDiagnosticService	Mandatory	See 10.6.
CIM_ElementCapabilities	Optional	See 10.7.
CIM_ElementSettingData (DiagnosticSettingData)	Optional	See 10.8.
CIM_ElementSettingData (JobSettingData)	Optional	See 10.9.
CIM_ElementSoftwareIdentity	Mandatory	See 10.10.
CIM_HostedService	Mandatory	See 10.11.
CIM_OwningJobElement	Mandatory	See 10.12.
CIM_RecordAppliesToElement	Optional	See 10.13.
CIM_ServiceAffectsElement	Mandatory	See 10.14.
CIM_ServiceAvailableToElement	Optional	See 10.15.
CIM_ServiceComponent	Optional	See 10.16.
CIM_UseOfLog	Mandatory	See 10.17.
Indications		
None defined in this profile		

573 **10.1 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest**

574 The CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest class is used to represent the Diagnostic Testing for an FC HBA. This
 575 class specializes CIM_DiagnosticTest as defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#). The constraints listed in Table
 576 11 are in addition to those specified in the [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other
 577 mandatory elements that must be implemented.

578

Table 11 – Class: CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest

Elements	Requirement	Notes
ElementName	Mandatory	See 7.2.
Characteristics	Mandatory	See 7.2.
OtherCharacteristicsDescriptions	Conditional	If Characteristics includes the value of 1 (Other), this property is Mandatory.
FCHBATestType	Mandatory	See 7.2.
OtherFCHBATestTypeDescription	Conditional	If FCHBATestType has a value of 1 (Other), this property is Mandatory.
TestType	Optional	See 7.2.

579 **10.2 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData**

580 The CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData class is used to pass in test parameters and to specify other test
 581 control parameters. This class specializes CIM_DiagnosticSettingData as defined in the [Diagnostics](#)
 582 [Profile](#). The constraints listed in Table 12 are in addition to those specified in the [Diagnostics Profile](#). See
 583 the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory elements that must be implemented.

584

Table 12 – Class: CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData

Elements	Requirement	Notes
ElementName	Mandatory	See 7.3.
TargetDevice	Optional	See 7.3.1.
TargetDeviceFormat	Optional	See 7.3.2.
EchoMechanism	Optional	See 7.3.3.
OtherEchoMechanism	Conditional	If EchoMechanism has a value of 1 (Other), this property is Mandatory.
LUN	Optional	See 7.3.4.
BufferSizes	Optional	See 7.3.5.
BufferPattern	Optional	See 7.3.6.
PingMechanism	Optional	See 7.3.7.
OtherPingMechanism	Conditional	If PingMechanism has a value of 1 (Other), this property is Mandatory.

585 **10.3 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities**

586 The CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities class is used to provide information on the capabilities for
 587 the FC HBA Diagnostic Service. This class specializes CIM_DiagnosticServiceCapabilities as defined in
 588 the [Diagnostics Profile](#). The constraints listed in Table 13 are in addition to those specified in the
 589 [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory elements that must be implemented.

590

Table 13 – Class: CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities

Elements	Requirement	Notes
ElementName	Mandatory	See 7.4.
SupportedLoopControl	Optional	See 7.4.1.
BufferSizesSupported	Optional	See 7.4.2.
MaxPatternSizeSupported	Optional	See 7.4.3.

591 **10.4 CIM_RegisteredProfile**

592 The CIM_RegisteredProfile class is defined by the [Profile Registration Profile](#). The requirements denoted
 593 in Table 14 are in addition to those mandated by the [Profile Registration Profile](#). See the [Profile](#)
 594 [Registration Profile](#) for the other mandatory elements that must be implemented.

595

Table 14 – Class: CIM_RegisteredProfile

Elements	Requirement	Notes
RegisteredName	Mandatory	The value of this property shall be “FC HBA Diagnostics”.
RegisteredVersion	Mandatory	The value of this property shall be “1.0.0”.
RegisteredOrganization	Mandatory	The value of this property shall be 2 (DMTF).

596 **10.5 CIM_AffectedJobElement**

597 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_AffectedJobElement class is listed here because the
 598 AffectedElement reference is scoped down to CIM_PortController, which is a subclass of
 599 CIM_ManagedElement. The constraints listed in Table 15 are in addition to those specified in the
 600 [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of
 601 CIM_AffectedJobElement that must be implemented.

602

Table 15 – Class: CIM_AffectedJobElement

Properties	Requirement	Notes
AffectedElement (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_PortController.
AffectingElement	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_ConcreteJob.

603 **10.6 CIM_AvailableDiagnosticService**

604 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_AvailableDiagnosticService class is listed here
 605 because the ServiceProvided reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a
 606 subclass of CIM_DiagnosticTest, and the UserOfService reference is scoped down to
 607 CIM_PortController, which is a subclass of CIM_ManagedElement. The constraints listed in Table 16 are
 608 in addition to those specified in the [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory
 609 properties of CIM_AvailableDiagnosticService that must be implemented.

610

Table 16 – Class: CIM_AvailableDiagnosticService

Properties	Requirement	Notes
ServiceProvided (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.
UserOfService (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_PortController.

611 **10.7 CIM_ElementCapabilities**

612 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_ElementCapabilities class is listed here because the
 613 ManagedElement reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 614 CIM_DiagnosticTest, and the Capabilities reference is scoped down to
 615 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities, which is a subclass of CIM_DiagnosticServiceCapabilities.
 616 The constraints listed in Table 17 are in addition to those specified in the [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the
 617 [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of CIM_ElementCapabilities that must be implemented.

618

Table 17 – Class: CIM_ElementCapabilities

Properties	Requirement	Notes
ManagedElement (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.
Capabilities (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticServiceCapabilities.

619 **10.8 CIM_ElementSettingData (DiagnosticSettingData)**

620 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_ElementSettingData class is listed here because the
 621 ManagedElement reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 622 CIM_DiagnosticTest, and the SettingData reference is scoped down to
 623 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData, which is a subclass of CIM_DiagnosticSettingData. The constraints
 624 listed in Table 18 are in addition to those specified in the [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#)
 625 for other mandatory properties of CIM_ElementSettingData that must be implemented.

626

Table 18 – Class: CIM_ElementSettingData

Properties	Requirement	Notes
ManagedElement (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.
SettingData (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData.
IsDefault	Mandatory	If the instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticSettingData is the default setting, this property shall have the value of TRUE.

627 **10.9 CIM_ElementSettingData (JobSettingData)**

628 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_ElementSettingData class is listed here because the
 629 Dependent reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 630 CIM_DiagnosticTest, and the SettingData reference is scoped down to CIM_JobSettingData, which is a
 631 subclass of CIM_SettingData. The constraints listed in Table 19 are in addition to those specified in the

632 [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of
 633 CIM_ElementSettingData that must be implemented.

634 **Table 19 – Class: CIM_ElementSettingData**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
ManagedElement (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.
SettingData (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_JobSettingData.
IsDefault	Mandatory	If the instance of CIM_JobSettingData is the default setting, this property shall have the value of TRUE.

635 **10.10 CIM_ElementSoftwareIdentity**

636 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_ElementSoftwareIdentity class is listed here because
 637 the Dependent reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 638 CIM_DiagnosticTest. The constraints listed in Table 20 are in addition to those specified in the
 639 [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of
 640 CIM_ElementSoftwareIdentity that must be implemented.

641 **Table 20 – Class: CIM_ElementSoftwareIdentity**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_SoftwareIdentity.
Dependent (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.

642 **10.11 CIM_HostedService**

643 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_HostedService class is listed here because the
 644 Dependent reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 645 CIM_DiagnosticTest. The constraints listed in Table 21 are in addition to those specified in the
 646 [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of CIM_HostedService that
 647 must be implemented.

648 **Table 21 – Class: CIM_HostedService**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_ComputerSystem.
Dependent (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.

649 **10.12 CIM_OwningJobElement**

650 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_OwningJobElement class is listed here because the
 651 OwningElement reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 652 CIM_DiagnosticTest. The constraints listed in Table 22 are in addition to those specified in the

653 [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of
 654 CIM_OwningJobElement that must be implemented.

655 **Table 22 – Class: CIM_OwningJobElement**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
OwningElement (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.
OwnedElement	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_ConcreteJob.

656 **10.13 CIM_RecordAppliesToElement**

657 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_RecordAppliesToElement class is listed here
 658 because the Dependent reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 659 CIM_DiagnosticTest. The constraints listed in Table 23 are in addition to those specified in the
 660 [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of
 661 CIM_RecordAppliesToElement that must be implemented.

662 **Table 23 – Class: CIM_RecordAppliesToElement**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_RecordForLog.
Dependent (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.

663 **10.14 CIM_ServiceAffectsElement**

664 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_ServiceAffectsElement class is listed here because
 665 the AffectedElement reference is scoped down to CIM_PortController, which is a subclass of
 666 CIM_ManagedElement, and the AffectingElement reference is scoped down to
 667 CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of CIM_DiagnosticTest. The constraints listed in Table
 668 24 are in addition to those specified in the [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other
 669 mandatory properties of CIM_ServiceAffectsElement that must be implemented.

670 **Table 24 – Class: CIM_ServiceAffectsElement**

Properties	Requirement	Notes
AffectedElement (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_PortController.
AffectingElement (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.

671 **10.15 CIM_ServiceAvailableToElement**

672 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_ServiceAvailableToElement class is listed here
 673 because the UsersOfService reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a
 674 subclass of CIM_DiagnosticTest. The constraints listed in Table 25 are in addition to those specified in
 675 the [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of
 676 CIM_ServiceAvailableToElement that must be implemented.

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Table 25 – Class: CIM_ServiceAvailableToElement

Properties	Requirement	Notes
ServiceProvided	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_HelpService.
UsersOfService (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.

678 **10.16 CIM_ServiceComponent**

679 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_ServiceComponent class is listed here because the
 680 GroupComponent reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 681 CIM_DiagnosticTest, and the PartComponent reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest,
 682 which is a subclass of CIM_DiagnosticTest. The constraints listed in Table 26 are in addition to those
 683 specified in the [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of
 684 CIM_ServiceComponent that must be implemented.

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Table 26 – Class: CIM_ServiceComponent

Properties	Requirement	Notes
GroupComponent (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.
PartComponent (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.

686 **10.17 CIM_UseOfLog**

687 Although defined in the [Diagnostics Profile](#), the CIM_UseOfLog class is listed here because the
 688 Dependent reference is scoped down to CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest, which is a subclass of
 689 CIM_DiagnosticTest. The constraints listed in Table 27 are in addition to those specified in the
 690 [Diagnostics Profile](#). See the [Diagnostics Profile](#) for other mandatory properties of CIM_UseOfLog that
 691 must be implemented.

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Table 27 – Class: CIM_UseOfLog

Properties	Requirement	Notes
Antecedent	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_DiagnosticLog.
Dependent (overridden)	Mandatory	The property shall be a reference to an instance of CIM_FCHBADiagnosticTest.

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