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- the ASN.1 module has been updated to support minor version changes;
- the ASN.1 module has been aligned with the latest developments of other ASN.1 modules (this alignment does not introduce technical changes in the module);
- the references have been updated.

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## Introduction

An essential property of cooperative intelligent transport systems (C-ITS; see ISO/TR 17465-1) is the sharing of data between different ITS applications providing different ITS services to users. This approach replaces the traditional approach, where each application is operated in an isolated environment, referred to as a "silo-approach". The C-ITS approach enables synergies in components of an ITS station unit (e.g. sharing of communication tools), improves overall performance and reliability, and reduces overall cost. In order to protect the interests of the various ITS applications, C-ITS implements the concept of an ITS station operated as a bounded secured managed domain.

The sharing of data between applications is achieved by subscribe/publish mechanisms, where at least two mechanisms are distinguished, i.e. one allowing ITS-S application processes to subscribe to standardized messages from ITS message sets (direct forwarding upon reception of such messages in an ITS station unit), and one using a local dynamic map (LDM) as a repository of standardized data objects. Such data objects stored in an LDM are named LDM Data Objects (LDM-DOs). LDM-DOs provide self-consistent information on real objects existing at a given geo-location during a given lifetime-interval. Authorized ITS-S application processes may add LDM-DOs to an LDM, and may retrieve LDM-DOs from an LDM. Retrieval of LDM-DOs may be performed in queries and by means of subscription. A subscription will result in automatic notifications of selected LDM-DOs, either in defined time intervals, or event driven.

This document introduces the usage of LDMs, and specifies the LDM for global usage in C-ITS.

Initial implementations of LDMs were included in the EU research projects CVIS<sup>[38]</sup> and Safespot.<sup>[40]</sup>

# Intelligent transport systems — Local dynamic map

## 1 Scope

This document:

- describes the functionality of a "local dynamic map" (LDM) in the context of the "bounded secured managed domain" (BSMD);
- specifies:
  - general characteristics of LDM Data Objects (LDM-DOs) that can be stored in an LDM, i.e. information on real objects such as vehicles, road works sections, slow traffic sections, special weather condition sections, which are as a minimum requirement location-referenced and time-referenced;
  - service access point functions providing interfaces in an ITS station (ITS-S) to access an LDM for:
    - secure add, update and delete access for ITS-S application processes;
    - secure read access (query) for ITS-S application processes;
    - secure notifications (upon subscription) to ITS-S application processes;
    - management access:
      - secure registration, de-registration and revocation of ITS-S application processes at LDM;
      - secure subscription and cancellation of subscriptions of ITS-S application processes;
  - procedures in an LDM considering:
    - means for maintaining the content and integrity of the data store;
  - mechanisms supporting several LDMs in a single ITS station unit.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 21217, *Intelligent transport systems — Station and communication architecture*

ISO 24534-5, *Intelligent transport systems — Automatic vehicle and equipment identification — Electronic Registration Identification (ERI) for vehicles — Part 5: Secure communications using symmetrical techniques*

## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 21217 and ISO 24534-5, and the following apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminology databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <https://www.electropedia.org/>

### 3.1

#### **International Atomic Time**

time since 00:00:00 UTC, 1 January, 2004

Note 1 to entry: International Atomic Time is identical to Coordinated Universal Time (UTC) except that no leap seconds need to be added.

### 3.2

#### **LDM Area of Interest**

location requirement used in the filter process of queries and automatic notifications

### 3.3

#### **LDM Area of Maintenance**

information on the operational location area of an LDM used by LDM maintenance

Note 1 to entry: ETSI EN 302 895<sup>[27]</sup> restricts the LDM Area of Maintenance to "geographical area specified by the LDM for LDM maintenance".

### 3.4

#### **LDM Permissions**

information on how a specific ITS-S application process may use an LDM

### 3.5

#### **LDM Data Object**

location-referenced and time-referenced representation of a real object that is self-explanatory without any further context information

### 3.6

#### **LDM Data Dictionary**

dictionary of LDM Data Object Types

### 3.7

#### **LDM Data Object Type**

identifier of the type of information contained in an LDM Data Record

### 3.8

#### **Location Validity**

information indicating a location at which an LDM Data Object is valid

### 3.9

#### **Time Validity**

information indicating a time interval during which an LDM Data Object is valid

### 3.10

#### **LDM Time of Interest**

time requirement used in the filter process of queries and automatic notifications

### 3.11

#### **local dynamic map**

entity consisting of LDM Data Objects, services and interfaces for manipulating these LDM Data Objects

### 3.12

#### **location reference**

uniquely identifiable description of position or area in the real world

Note 1 to entry: ISO/TS 14812 provides the definition "description of a spatial location in the real world according to a defined reference system" for the terms "spatial reference" and "ITS spatial reference", and has also assigned this definition to the term "location reference". The definition from ISO/TS 14812 is not appropriate for this document.

### 3.13

#### **metadata**

data about data

Note 1 to entry: The term "metadata" is ambiguous as it can be used to refer to fundamentally different concepts. Structural metadata is information related to the design and specification of data structures; it is also referred to as "data about the containers of data". Descriptive metadata is information on instances of data, i.e. the data content; it is also referred to as "data about data content".

### 3.14

#### **Time of Creation**

time at which an LDM Data Record was created and updated

### 3.15

#### **Time of Deletion**

time at which an LDM Data Record may be deleted and will no longer be considered by the LDM search functionality

### 3.16

#### **Time of Generation**

time at which the content of the LDM Data Object information field was created

Note 1 to entry: This is different to the time at which the LDM Data Object was written into an LDM.

## 4 Abbreviated terms

|           |                                                  |
|-----------|--------------------------------------------------|
| BSMD      | bounded secured managed domain                   |
| BSME      | bounded secured managed entity                   |
| DENM      | decentralized environmental notification message |
| IAT       | International Atomic Time                        |
| ICS       | implementation conformance statement             |
| ITS       | intelligent transport systems                    |
| ITS-SCU   | ITS station communication unit                   |
| ITS-SU    | ITS station unit                                 |
| IUT       | implementation under test                        |
| LDM       | local dynamic map                                |
| LDM-DD    | LDM Data Dictionary                              |
| LDM-DO    | LDM Data Object                                  |
| LDM-DT    | LDM Data Type                                    |
| LDM-DAT   | LDM Data Attribute Type                          |
| LDM-DATID | LDM-DAT Identifier                               |
| LDM-DTID  | LDM-DT Identifier                                |
| NoO       | notification of obligations                      |
| OoT       | obligation of trust                              |

|      |                                     |
|------|-------------------------------------|
| PDP  | policy decision point               |
| PEP  | policy enforcement point            |
| PMI  | privilege management infrastructure |
| SAO  | signed acceptance of obligations    |
| SUT  | system under test                   |
| TPEG | transport protocol experts group    |
| UTC  | Coordinated Universal Time          |

## 5 Architectural environment

### 5.1 General

This clause contains informative descriptions of the architectural environment of an LDM.

### 5.2 Local dynamic map

A local dynamic map (LDM) is an entity consisting of LDM Data Objects, services and interfaces for manipulating these LDM Data Objects (LDM-DO). LDM-DOs are distinguished by means of their LDM Data object Type (LDM-DT). LDM-DTs are specified by registration in an LDM Data Dictionary (LDM-DD). The concept of the LDM-DD is specified in [Annex B](#). Examples of LDM-DOs are presented in [Annex C](#).

NOTE In ISO/TR 17424, LDM-DOs are classified into Type 1 (static permanent data objects, e.g. cartographic data),<sup>[2]</sup> Type 2 (static transitory data objects, e.g. temporary parking lot on the road), Type 3 (dynamic transitory data objects, e.g. works location), and Type 4 (highly dynamic data objects, e.g. location, orientation and speed of surrounding vehicles). This classification is not used in this document.

An LDM-DO provides information on real objects (cars, road events, etc.) that exist at a defined location, (e.g. in a defined geo-area) and within a defined time interval. In the uppermost simple case, the information provided by an LDM-DO is just its type, its geo-location and its time interval of validity. Such information may be received in an ITS-SU via different channels, such as:

- DATEX II,<sup>[31]</sup> TPEG,<sup>[35]</sup> RDS-TMC (legacy systems);
- CEN/ETSI/ISO/SAE ITS Message sets EN/ISO 19091,<sup>[19]</sup> ISO/TS 19321,<sup>[20]</sup> ETSI EN 302 637-2,<sup>[25]</sup> ETSI EN 302 637-3,<sup>[29]</sup> SAE J2735.<sup>[36]</sup>

The information is composed of different sets of attributes, and presented in different formats (encodings). ITS-S application processes capable of receiving this information perform a mapping on LDM-DOs and a translation of attribute formats into the common format given by the LDM-DTs.

### 5.3 LDM in an ITS-S

The LDM specification provided in this document is designed for the architectural environment of an ITS station operated as a bounded secured managed domain (BSMD) specified in ISO 21217 and illustrated in [Figure 1](#).

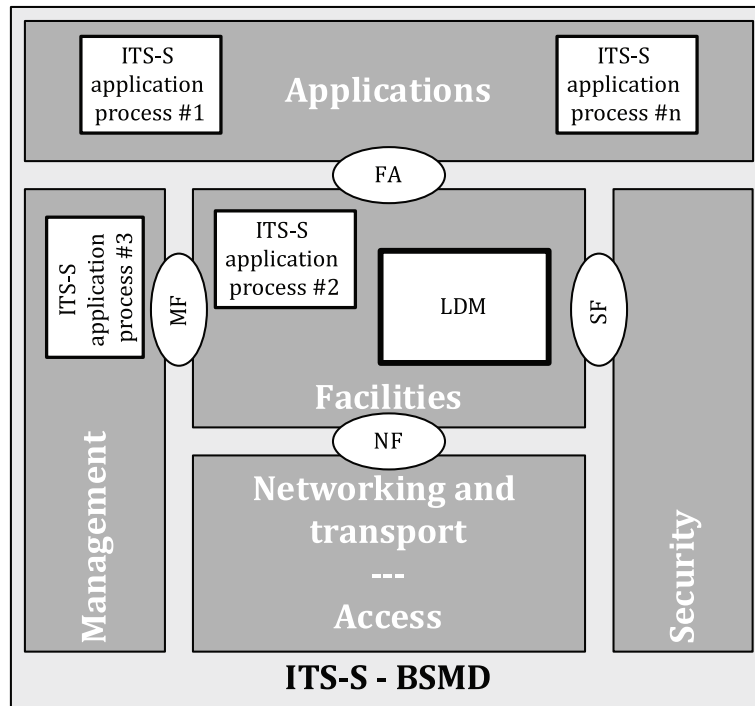


**Figure 1 — LDM in an ITS-S operated as a bounded secured managed domain (BSMD)**

The LDM functionality specified in [Clause 6](#) is located in the ITS-S facilities layer. An LDM provides interfaces with ITS-S application processes specified in ISO 21217. The interface functionality is specified in [6.7.2](#) by means of functions of services of the FA-SAP and the MF-SAP; both Service Access Points (SAPs) offer identical functions for this purpose. The generic services of FA-SAP and MF-SAP are specified in ISO 24102-3.<sup>[11]</sup>

## 5.4 LDM in an ITS-SU

Various examples of supported implementation configurations are illustrated in [Figure 2](#), [Figure 3](#), [Figure 4](#) and [Figure 5](#).

[Figure 2](#) illustrates a "single-box" configuration of an ITS station unit (ITS-SU) with a single LDM.

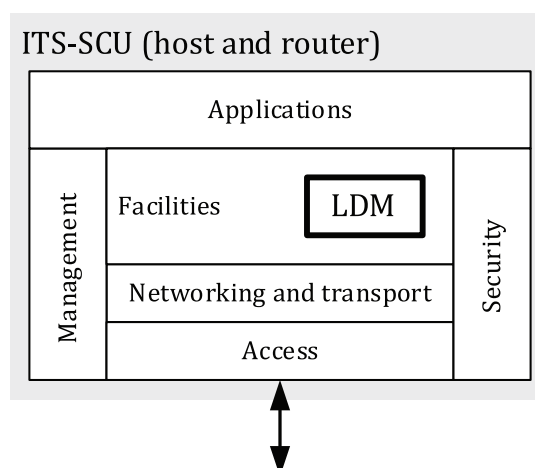


**Figure 2 — Implementation configuration, example a)**

[Figure 3](#) illustrates a "single-box" configuration of an ITS-SU with two LDMs.

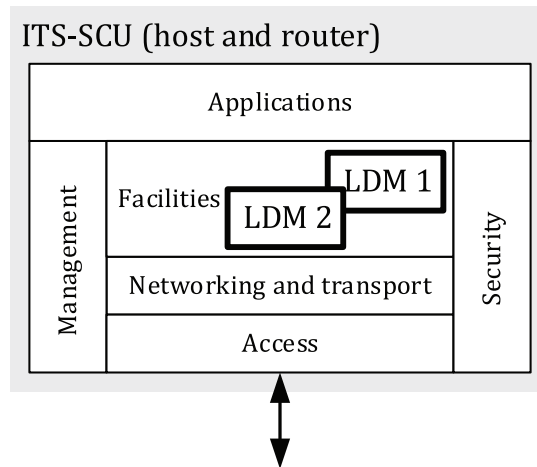


Figure 3 — Implementation configuration, example b)

Figure 4 illustrates a configuration of an ITS-SU with two ITS station communication units (ITS-SCU). One of these ITS-SCUs has a host-only role specified in ISO 21217 and contains a single LDM. The other ITS-SCU has a router-only role specified in ISO 21217 and does not contain an LDM.

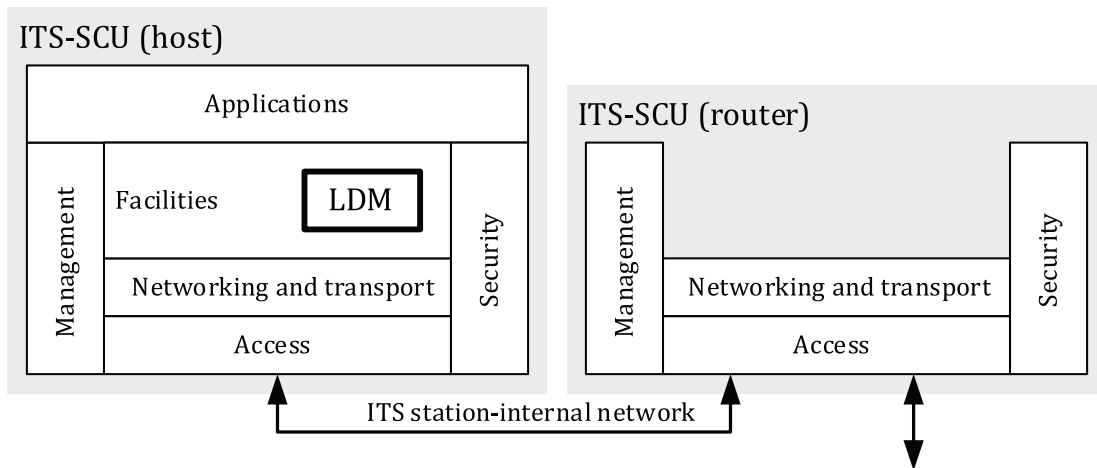


Figure 4 — Implementation configuration, example c)

Figure 5 illustrates a configuration of an ITS-SU with two ITS station communication units (ITS-SCU). One of these ITS-SCUs has a host-only role specified in ISO 21217 and contains a single LDM. The other ITS-SCU has a host-and-router role specified in ISO 21217 and contains also an LDM.

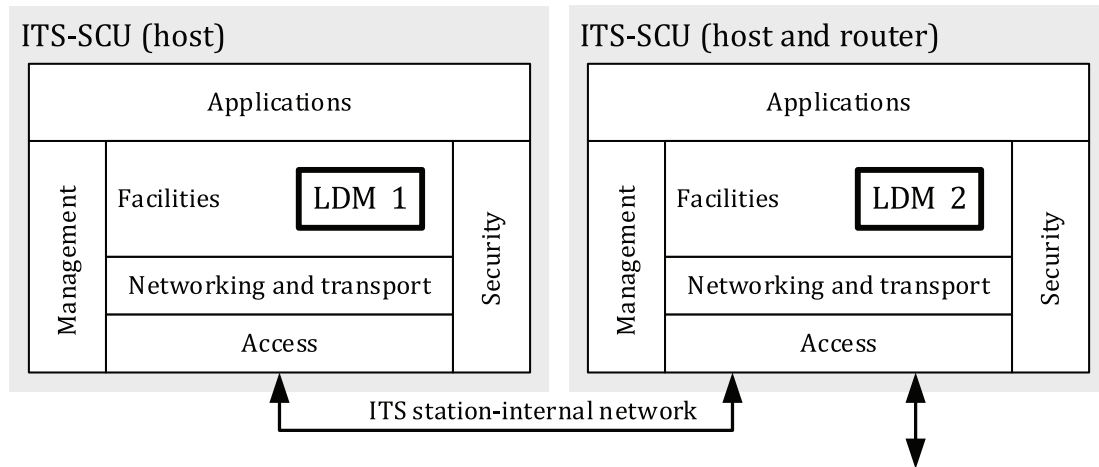


Figure 5 — Implementation configuration, example d)

Many other implementation configurations are feasible.

NOTE In ITS-SUs composed of several ITS-SCUs, the ITS station management can use the "ITS station-internal management communications protocol" (IICP) specified in ISO 24102-4 to support overall station management.

## 5.5 LDM related processes

### 5.5.1 Synchronization of LDMs

The concept of synchronization of LDMs is introduced in ISO/TR 17424, distinguishing:

- synchronization of LDMs operated in ITS station units of different vehicles;
- synchronization of LDMs operated in ITS station units at the roadside, in central offices and in vehicles.

Reference is made to means which are already in use for TPEG and DATEX.

Such synchronization means updating of an LDM by an authorized "master" LDM. As only ITS-S application processes can access LDM-DOs, any synchronization is to be realized by ITS applications. Details are outside the scope of this document.

NOTE Updates of information in an ITS-SU can be performed using remote management, standardized in ISO 24102-2.<sup>[10]</sup>

### 5.5.2 Archiving of LDM Data Objects

Archiving of LDM Data Objects is a feature that produces a kind of log-file of an LDM. Such log-file information can be of interest for different purposes, but can also be subject to privacy considerations.

This document specifies neither an archiving functionality nor related interfaces. Archiving can be implemented in a non-standardized way.

## 5.6 LDM for road safety and vehicle-to-vehicle applications

An LDM dedicated to usage for road safety and vehicle-to-vehicle applications (electronic horizon) is specified by ETSI in EN 302 895.<sup>[27]</sup> This ETSI LDM specification constitutes a functional sub-set of the specification provided in this document.

## 5.7 Security perspective

### 5.7.1 Authorized access to LDM

The architecture of an LDM in the context of BSMD from a security perspective is to ensure that access is restricted to identified and authorized ITS-S application processes. Application processes not certified for operation in a BSMD may access an LDM via a secure gateway described in ISO 21217, where the firewall ITS-S application process of this gateway is authorized for read-access to the LDM.

All the core assets are to be considered as vulnerable and therefore subject to protection, where protection takes the form of specific guards. The guard mechanism used in protecting the LDM is a policy-based access control scheme where ITS-S application processes will pre-register their policy with the ITS-S and if that policy is agreed, all future access by the ITS-S application process will be verified as being consistent with the policy.

### 5.7.2 Initialisation and installation of applications to the BSMD

The kernel of an ITS-SCU forms a trust centre of the BSME and is identifiable to third party ITS-S application processes as such. Any ITS-S application process to be added to an ITS-SCU within the BSME verifies the identity and capability of the ITS-SCU prior to installation. If installation is allowed, an ITS-SCU verifies the credentials offered by the ITS-S application process. Prior to distribution, each ITS-S application process is functionally verified and tested and assertions of required functionality, of developer identity, and of the tester, are validated prior to installation; see ISO 17419.

The core model follows that developed in the i-Tour project<sup>[39]</sup> as an extension of an "obligation of trust" (OoT) protocol, extending the models used for Java midlet distribution used in many common application stores; see ISO 17419. The protection framework is a form of a privilege management infrastructure (PMI) based on common cryptographic modules and processing, where authorization is viewed as a set of mutually agreed actions through the assignment of permissions to the parties, i.e. the LDM and the LDM user. In the OoT protocol the participating parties exchange difficult-to-repudiate digitally signed obligating constraints, also referred to as "notification of obligations" (NoO), which detail their requirements for sending their sensitive information to the other party, and proof of acceptances, also referred to as "signed acceptance of obligations" (SAO), which acknowledge the conditions they have accepted for receiving the other party's sensitive information. The required capabilities of the LDM user, i.e. an ITS-S application process to be installed, will be declared and the application will be restricted to use only those capabilities by means of a policy enforcement engine acting in the role of a policy enforcement point in the LDM itself.

For protection of data, LDM data objects capture the primary policy elements PrivacyPolicyDirective, SecurityPolicyDirective, SignedPrivacyPolicy, SignedSecurityPolicy, CounterSignedPrivacyPolicy, and CounterSignedSecurityPolicy.

The privacy policy directive is a set of policy statements that identify the identity of the data controller. The privacy enforcement point agrees to implement the policy and to indicate that in the signed privacy policy where the signature is of the data processor (acting as policy enforcement point).

Acceptance of the privacy policy is notified by the client in the countersigned privacy policy where the signature is given by the client using the pseudonymous identity agreed during registration. The retention of the countersigned policy agreement provides the basis of non-repudiation of consent.

**NOTE** The data privacy legislation in Europe assumes the presence of a number of entities in a system dealing with private data. These are the data controller, data processor and data subject, and a contract of consent. In an all-informed C-ITS there is no a priori consent establishment between the transmitting ITS-SU and any of the receiving ITS-SUs, thus the security model attempts to minimize the possibility of any personal data being made known to a receiving ITS-SU. The model therefore virtualizes the functionality of data controller, data processor and consent by use of verifiable proofs of authority to act on data.

Permissions resulting from policy are of type "Permit" and "Deny" based on authorization, i.e. after application of the policy the request is either permitted or denied. Requests themselves may contain specific access requests, e.g. read data from the LDM, write data to the LDM.

Every incoming command to the LDM is associated with a set of claims that are checked against the local policy at the policy enforcement point (PEP) in the LDM. If any data access attempt from an application is made post-registration and post-acceptance of the policy does not comply with the policy, it is denied.

### 5.7.3 Privacy

The C-ITS enforces pseudonymity capabilities through the security functions described (e.g. in ETSI TS 102 940<sup>[29]</sup> and ETSI TS 102 941<sup>[30]</sup>) which maintains privacy control of data entered into the LDM.

## 5.8 An LDM versus other similar functionalities in an ITS-SU

The sharing of data between ITS-S application processes in an ITS-SU can be achieved by subscribe/publish mechanisms, where at least two mechanisms are distinguished, i.e.:

- a) one allowing ITS-S application processes to subscribe at the ITS-S facilities layer to standardized messages from ITS message sets as specified in ISO/TS 17429 without using an LDM, and
- b) one using an LDM as repository of standardized data objects.

Approach a), specified in ISO/TS 17429, standardizes an ITS-S facility layer message handler which can:

- directly forward complete received messages to subscribed ITS-S application processes without storing these messages, and
- present LDM Data Objects to an LDM if these LDM Data Objects are contained in messages that follow the message format convention of this message handler.

There may be also other data storages, which are basically different to an LDM, i.e. which may store data objects that do not follow the definition of an LDM-DO.

## 6 Functionality

### 6.1 General

This clause contains informative descriptions of the functionality of an LDM.

### 6.2 Terms and conventions

As explained in 5.2, an LDM deals with information on real objects that are existent at a defined location (geo-area) and within a defined time interval. Such information on a real object is identified in an LDM Data Record, see Figure 7. Every LDM Data Record is identified with a unique LDM Data Record ID; the value zero indicates an "unknown record".

Different location and time definitions are used to define the functionality of an LDM.

- Definitions related to the information on the real object:
  - Location Validity: information on which geo-location or in which geo-area the LDM-DO applies.
  - Time Validity: information on which time interval(s) the LDM-DO applies.
  - Time of Generation: information on the time at which the LDM-DO information was generated, e.g. time at which a perception system (e.g. a sensor) detected the event "slippery road".
  - Time of Mandatory Deletion: information on time after which the LDM record will no longer be returned in a query.
- Definitions used in queries:
  - LDM Area of Interest: geo-location(s) or geo-area(s) that are of interest for the querying ITS-S application process.

- LDM Time of Interest: time instant or time interval(s) that are of interest for the querying ITS-S application process.
- Age of Interest: age of LDM record as required by the querying ITS-S application process. The age is calculated with a numerical operator presented by the ITS-S application process against the time of generation of an LDM-DO, if available, or alternatively against the time of last update of an LDM-DO.
- Definitions used for maintenance purposes:
  - LDM Area of Maintenance: geo-area(s) considered by the LDM search functionality and defined by the LDM in an implementation-specific way. Without overlap of the LDM Area of Interest with the LDM Area of Maintenance, a query will not result in a hit. Note that the area of maintenance can be defined relative to the momentary location of the host ITS-S.
  - LDM Inactive Area: geo-area(s) considered by the LDM to store LDM records with are not considered by the search functionality; there is no overlap between the LDM Area of Maintenance and the LDM Inactive Area. Details on the usage of the LDM Inactive Area are not specified in this document.
  - Time of Creation: time at which the LDM record was created in the LDM Data Storage.
  - Time of Deletion: time after which an LDM record may be deleted and will no longer be considered by the LDM search functionality.

Several location reference systems and time reference systems are known; examples are presented in [Annex D](#) and [Annex E](#). This document supports any kind of reference system by defining time reference and location reference with the ASN.1 type CLASS which allows the definition of specific instantiations at a later time according to the needs of C-ITS services. The generic approach for location is given in the ASN.1 type `LDMarea`. The generic approach for time is given in the ASN.1 type `TimeInformation`.

In order to manage time, an LDM needs to maintain or access a time reference system (clock). This document assumes that there is a trusted time service available in an ITS-SU which can be used in an implementation-specific way. Time synchronization with an external clock to ensure unique time information in all ITS-SUs will be a task of the ITS-S management of an ITS-S facility, e.g. as specified in ISO 21176.

Similarly, it is assumed that an LDM has access to a service continuously providing the kinematic state of the ITS-SU in which it resides; thus no explicit interface to such a service is specified in this document.

As this document supports various implementation architectures illustrated in [5.4](#), ITS-S application processes need to be enabled to select appropriate LDMs. For this purpose;

- a) LDMs are identified by an LDM ID that is unique in an ITS-SU;
- b) LDMs register at the ITS-S management entity reporting about their capabilities in terms of supported LDM-DOs; and
- c) ITS-S application processes register at the ITS-S management entity reporting their LDM requirements in terms of required LDM-DOs, which is acknowledged by providing the address information of the best suited LDMs.

The LDM performs the following procedures to maintain integrity of the LDM Data Storage:

- Removal of LDM Data Records that are out of date;
- Removal of LDM Data Records which are out of the LDM Area of Maintenance.

Further integrity checking is supposed to be performed by ITS-S application processes.

### 6.3 Structure of an LDM

An LDM is composed of functional blocks as presented in [Figure 6](#).

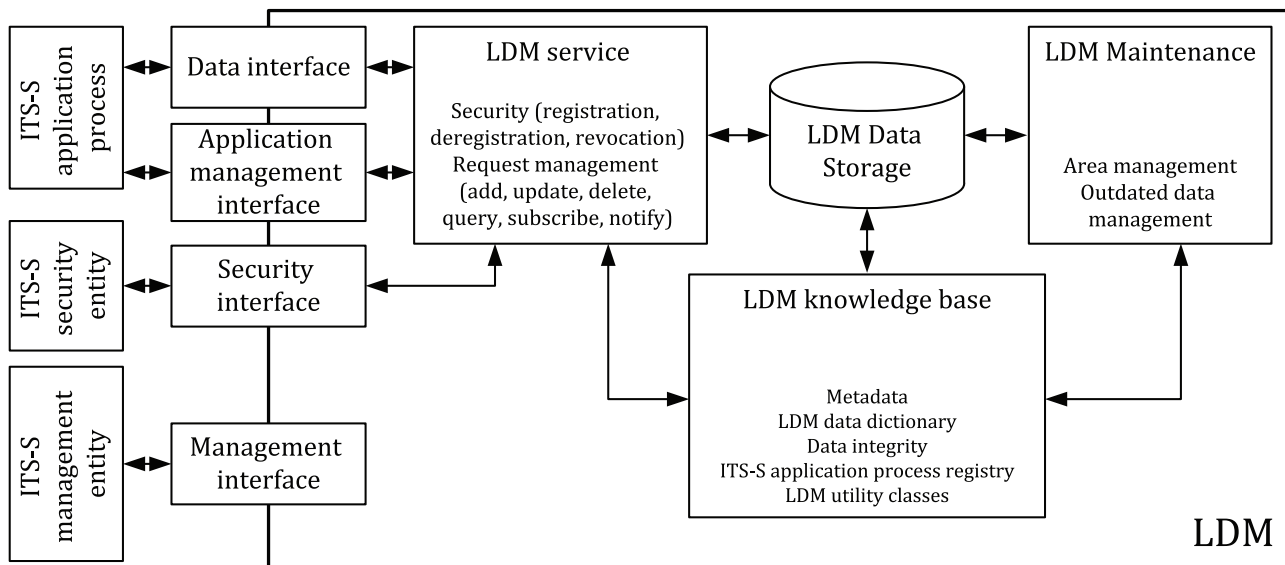


Figure 6 — Structure of an LDM

- LDM Data Storage: This is the entity in an LDM that stores LDM-DOs as described in [6.4](#).
- LDM Service: This functional block provides means for:
  - managing registration, deregistration requests and revocation of ITS-S application processes;
  - security checking in access requests;
  - managing access requests (add, update, delete, subscribe, query, notify) from ITS-S application processes;
 as described in [6.5](#).
- LDM Maintenance: This functional block provides means for:
  - updating the LDM Area of Maintenance;
  - removing LDM-Data Records;
 as described in [6.6](#).
- LDM Knowledge Base: This provides the knowledge that is required in the LDM for internal processing as described in [6.7](#). This functional block includes:
  - Metadata;
  - the LDM Data Dictionary;
  - information on ITS-S application processes' registrations and subscriptions to the LDM;
  - LDM utility functions.
- Interfaces: The interfaces used and offered by an LDM are:
  - Data interface towards ITS-S application processes for:
    - add, update and delete access;
    - query access;
    - subscription access;

- notifications upon subscription.
- Management and security interfaces for:
  - registration, deregistration and revocation of ITS-S applications;
  - validation of access rights claimed by ITS-S applications at time of registration;
  - LDM management (e.g. registration of LDM at the ITS-S management);

as described in [6.7](#).

- LDM Management: This functional block provides means for:
  - registration of an LDM at the ITS-S management.

## 6.4 LDM Data Storage

An LDM Data Storage logically contains LDM data records presented in [Figure 7](#).

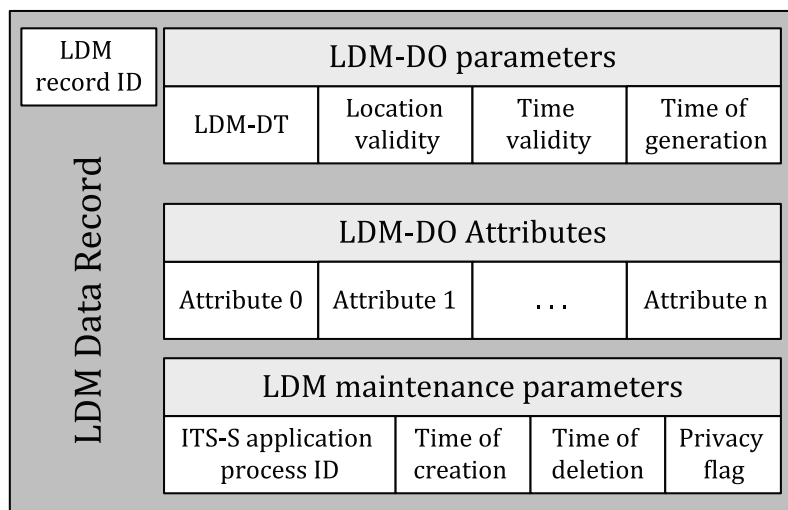


**Figure 7 — Elements of LDM Data Record**

An LDM data record is uniquely identified by its LDM record ID. An LDM data record consists of:

- LDM-DO Parameters:
  - the LDM-DO Type (LDM-DT);
  - the Location Validity of the real object;
  - the Time Validity of the real object;
  - Time of Generation of information contained in the LDM-DO (set to the value zero if the time is unknown);
  - Time of Mandatory Deletion of an LDM Data Record;

**NOTE 1** Updates of an LDM Data Record can only be provided by the same ITS-S application process that originally generated the LDM Data Record.

**NOTE 2** The Location Validity and Time Validity fields basically consist each of two parts, one containing the values of the original reference system, and the other one containing the values of the reference system used in the LDM.

- the LDM-DO Attributes as specified in the LDM Data Dictionary (LDM-DD);

- LDM Maintenance Parameters which cannot be set explicitly by an ITS-S application process, and which cannot be retrieved by an ITS-S application process:
  - identifier of the ITS-S application process that presented this instantiation of an LDM-DO for storing in the LDM;
  - Time of Creation of the LDM Data Record which is different to the time of generation of the information contained in the attributes of the LDM-DO;
  - Time of Deletion of the LDM Data Record from the LDM;
  - Privacy flag.

[Table 1](#) explains and specifies the elements of an LDM Data Record in [Figure 7](#); it refers to the ASN.1 type definition specified in [Annex A](#).

**Table 1 — LDM Data Record elements**

| Element                      | Specification and explanation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| LDM record ID                | This element uniquely identifies a specific record in the LDM. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>LDMrecordID</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> . The value zero points to the "non-existent" LDM Data Record.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| LDM-DO type                  | This element uniquely identifies the type of the LDM-DO. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>LDMdataObjectTypeID</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Location Validity            | This element uniquely identifies the position or area at which the information given by the LDM-DO applies. Several location reference systems are allowed in the interface functions. This field basically consist of two parts, one containing the values of the original reference system, and the other one containing the values of the reference system used in the LDM. The format of location reference systems shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>LDMarea</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> .                     |
| Time Validity                | This element uniquely identifies the time period during which the information given by the LDM-DO applies. Several time formats to present a time period are allowed in the interface functions. Thus, this field basically consist of two parts, one containing the values of the original reference system, and the other one containing the values of the reference system used in the LDM. The format of time reference systems shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>TimeInformation</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> . |
| Time of Generation           | This element uniquely identifies the time at which the data contained in the LDM-DO was generated. Note that this is different to the time of creation when the LDM Data Record was stored in the LDM. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>TimeOfGeneration</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Time of Mandatory Deletion   | This element is used to indicate up to which time the LDM Data Record may be maintained in the LDM. After this time, the LDM Data Record has to be removed from the LDM. This allows ITS-S applications to request timely deletion of LDM Data Records due to privacy regulations or privacy policies, for example. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>TimeOfDeletion</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> .                                                                                       |
| LDM Data Object              | This element is an instance of the LDM-DT as specified in the LDM-DD. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>LDMdataObject</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| ITS-S application process ID | This is the identifier of the instance of the the ITS-S application process specified in <a href="#">Table 2</a> that presented the LDM-DO to the LDM. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>ITSsapiid</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

Table 1 (continued)

| Element          | Specification and explanation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Time of Creation | This element identifies two time events, i.e. the time at which the LDM Data Record was added to the LDM, and the time at which an existing record was updated. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>TimeOfCreation</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Time of Deletion | Time of Deletion of an LDM Data Record from an LDM is identical with Time of Mandatory Deletion, if set by an ITS-S application process, or may be derived from the element Time Validity. This time information indicates the time from which the LDM Data Record will no longer be disclosed to ITS-S application processes, and may be archived and deleted from the data store. If Time of Mandatory Deletion is set, archiving is prohibited. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>TimeOfDeletion</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> . |
| Privacy flag     | This element is a Boolean flag indicating with the true-value that the LDM Data Record has to be deleted once Time of Deletion has passed. The privacy flag may be set by different means. If Time of Mandatory Deletion is presented with a valid value, the privacy flag is set to true. Default value is false. The format of this element shall be given by the ASN.1 element <code>PrivacyFlag</code> specified in <a href="#">Annex A</a> .                                                                                                                                    |

## 6.5 LDM services

### 6.5.1 Registration, deregistration, and revocation of ITS-S application processes

An ITS-S application process, see [5.7](#), presents security credentials including a list of permissions at the time of registration at an LDM. An LDM uses services of the ITS-S security entity to check the validity of claimed permissions through the registration and verification of the access control policy for the application.

Security services in the ITS-S security entity continuously check whether an authorization of an ITS-S application process needs to be revoked completely or in parts.

An ITS-S application process may also deregister from an LDM, which disables subsequent attempts to use the LDM.

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.1](#).

### 6.5.2 Security checking in access requests

Every access request to the LDM (see [6.5.3](#)) is associated with a set of claims that are checked against the local policy at the PEP in the LDM. If any data access attempt from an application is made post-registration and post-acceptance of the policy does not comply with the policy, it is denied.

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.2](#).

### 6.5.3 Access request management

#### 6.5.3.1 Overview

Request management includes:

- add an LDM Data Record as described in [6.5.3.2](#);
- update an LDM Data Record as described in [6.5.3.3](#);
- delete an LDM Data Record as described in [6.5.3.4](#);
- query LDM-DOs as described in [6.5.3.5](#);
- subscribe and unsubscribe for updates of LDM-DOs as described in [6.5.3.6](#);
- notify updates of LDM-DOs as described in [6.5.3.8](#).

As part of the request management, filtering is applied in queries and in subscriptions. ITS-S application processes present the properties upon which queries and subscriptions are performed. First level filtering uses the following parameters presented in [Figure 7](#):

- LDM-DO ID, record ID;
- LDM-DT;
- LDM Area of Interest, e.g. absolute area or area relative to position and movement of ITS-SU;
- LDM Time of Interest;
- Age of Interest;
- any combination of the above listed properties applying simultaneously (logical AND).

A second level filter process selects those pre-filtered LDM-DOs with attribute values that meet requested conditions as described in [6.5.3.9](#).

NOTE For some applications, e.g. crash avoidance, it is necessary to track the movement of a real object. Such trajectories can be produced by ITS-S application processes based on LDM-DOs related to this real object.

### 6.5.3.2 Add LDM data record

Upon successful registration at an LDM (see [6.5.1](#)) an ITS-S application process may request adding an LDM data record to the LDM using the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMaddRequest` specified in [6.8.4.1](#). If the ITS-S application process is permitted to add an LDM-DO of a specific LDM-DT, the request is granted and the LDM Data Record is created. This request is acknowledged with the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMaddConfirm` specified in [6.8.4.1](#), returning the LDM record identifier of ASN.1 type `LDMrecordID`.

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.3.1](#).

### 6.5.3.3 Update LDM data record

An ITS-S application process that successfully requested adding an LDM data record to the LDM (see [6.5.3.2](#)) may subsequently update the LDM data record identified by the LDM record identifier using the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMupdateRequest` specified in [6.8.4.2](#). This request is acknowledged with the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMupdateConfirm` specified in [6.8.4.2](#).

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.3.3](#).

### 6.5.3.4 Delete LDM data record

An ITS-S application process that successfully requested adding an LDM data record to the LDM (see [6.5.3.2](#)) may subsequently delete the LDM data record identified by the LDM record identifier using the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMdeleteRequest` specified in [6.8.4.3](#). This request is acknowledged with the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMdeleteConfirm` specified in [6.8.4.3](#).

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.3.4](#).

### 6.5.3.5 Query LDM-DO

Upon successful registration at an LDM (see [6.5.1](#)) an ITS-S application process may request retrieval of LDM-DOs from the LDM using the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMqueryRequest` specified in [6.8.4.6](#). If the ITS-S application process is permitted to query LDM-DOs of the specific LDM-DT, the request is granted and LDM-DOs of the requested LDM-DT are retrieved with the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMqueryConfirm` specified in [6.8.4.6](#) considering the filter parameters presented in the request.

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.3.5](#).

### 6.5.3.6 Subscribe for updates of LDM-DOs

Upon successful registration at an LDM (see [6.5.1](#)) an ITS-S application process may request subscription to updates of LDM-DOs from the LDM using the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMsubscribeRequest` specified in [6.8.4.4](#). If the ITS-S application process is permitted to subscribe to automatic notifications of updates of LDM-DOs of the specific LDM-DT, the request is granted and acknowledged with the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMsubscribeConfirm` specified in [6.8.4.5](#). Upon updates of LDM-DOs subject to a subscription, these updates will be notified automatically to the ITS-S application process.

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.3.6](#).

### 6.5.3.7 Unsubscribe for updates of LDM-DOs

Upon successful subscription for updates of LDM-DOs, an ITS-S application process can unsubscribe from the subscription using the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMunsubscribeRequest` specified in [6.8.4.5](#). This request is acknowledged with the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMunsubscribeConfirm`.

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.3.7](#).

### 6.5.3.8 Notify updates of LDM-DOs

Upon successful subscription for updates of LDM-DOs (see [6.5.3.6](#)) an ITS-S application process will be notified about updates of LDM-DOs with the interface function of ASN.1 type `LDMnotifyRequest` specified in [6.8.4.7](#). This notification is not acknowledged by the ITS-S application process.

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.3.8](#).

### 6.5.3.9 Second level filtering

Second level filtering is applied to values of attributes of LDM-DOs resulting from first level filtering performed in queries and notifications of updates, see [6.5.3.5](#) and [6.5.3.8](#). The return set from the first level filtering is further reduced to only those LDM-DOs that match the second level attribute filter. The filtered result will be returned in the interface functions of ASN.1 types `LDMqueryConfirm` and `LDMnotifyRequest` specified in [6.8.4.6](#) and [6.8.4.7](#), respectively.

The second level filter is a logical combination of one or more filter statements. A filter statement is a comparison statement in which an attribute from the LDM-DO is tested against a reference value. The test is defined by a comparison operator. The reference value is an absolute value of the data type of the attribute. A filter statement logically evaluates to true or false; i.e. the filter statement is true if the LDM-DO attribute matches the test, and false if it fails the test. A compound filter statement is a logical operation on two filter statements. The logical operator is an AND or an OR operator. The compound statement also logically evaluates to true or false. More complex filter expressions can be constructed and presented in the filter parameter of ASN.1 type `FilterSecondLevel`.

The filter parameter of ASN.1 type `FilterSecondLevel` allows the indication of a sequence of logical operations that are combined with a logical AND (ASN.1 type `ANDsequence`), where each of these logical operations is a sequence of basic logical operations that are combined with a logical OR (ASN.1 type `ORsequence`). A basic logical operation (ASN.1 type `FilterPrimitive`) allows presentation of:

- the unique attribute ID of the given LDM-DT;
- the numerical operation (ASN.1 type `Operators`);
- the reference value presented as an OCTET STRING to be converted in the appropriate format.

A normative specification of the related procedure is presented in [7.2.4](#).