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cards —**

Part 12:
**Cards with contacts — USB electrical
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Foreword

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ISO/IEC 7816 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Identification cards — Integrated circuit cards*:

- *Part 1: Cards with contacts — Physical characteristics*
- *Part 2: Cards with contacts — Dimensions and location of the contacts*
- *Part 3: Cards with contacts — Electrical interface and transmission protocols*
- *Part 4: Organization, security and commands for interchange*
- *Part 5: Registration of application providers*
- *Part 6: Interindustry data elements for interchange*
- *Part 7: Interindustry commands for Structured Card Query Language (SCQL)*
- *Part 8: Commands for security operations*
- *Part 9: Commands for card management*
- *Part 10: Cards with contacts — Electronic signals and answer to reset for synchronous cards*
- *Part 11: Personal verification through biometric methods*
- *Part 12: Cards with contacts — USB electrical interface and operating procedures*
- *Part 15: Cryptographic information application*

ISO/IEC 10536^[2] specifies access by close coupling. ISO/IEC 14443^[3] and 15693^[4] specify access by radio frequency. Such cards are also known as contactless cards.

Introduction

ISO/IEC 7816 is a series of documents specifying integrated circuit cards and the use of such cards for interchange. These cards are identification cards intended for information exchange negotiated between the outside world and the integrated circuit in the card. As a result of an information exchange, the card delivers information (computation result, stored data), and / or modifies its content (data storage, event memorization).

- Five parts are specific to cards with galvanic contacts and three of them specify electrical interfaces.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-1 specifies physical characteristics for cards with contacts.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-2 specifies dimensions and location of the contacts.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-3 specifies electrical interface and transmission protocols for asynchronous cards.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-10 specifies electrical interface and answer to reset for synchronous cards.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-12 specifies electrical interface and operating procedures for USB cards.
- All the other parts are independent from the physical interface technology. They apply to cards accessed by contacts and / or by radio frequency.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-4 specifies organization, security and commands for interchange.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-5 specifies registration of application providers.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-6 specifies interindustry data elements for interchange.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-7 specifies commands for structured card query language.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-8 specifies commands for security operations.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-9 specifies commands for card management.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-11 specifies personal verification through biometric methods.
 - ISO/IEC 7816-15 specifies cryptographic information application.

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WO 01/57684 A1, *Conveying protocol units for portable electronic objects via a protocol for microcomputer peripherals*, 9 August 2001

0001399 / France, *Transport d'unités de protocole d'objet électronique portable par protocole pour périphériques de micro-ordinateur*

09/775668 / USA, *Conveying protocol units for portable electronic objects via a protocol for microcomputer peripherals*

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1804474 / China, *Conveying protocol units for portable electronic objects via a protocol for microcomputer peripherals*

PCT / FR01 / 00326, *Transport d'unités de protocole d'objet électronique portable par protocole pour périphériques de micro-ordinateur*

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Part 12:

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1 Scope

This part of ISO/IEC 7816 specifies the operating conditions of an integrated circuit card that provides a USB interface. Figure 1 shows the assignment of the contact fields for a USB interface and – to illustrate interoperability – the assignment as used in ISO/IEC 7816-3.

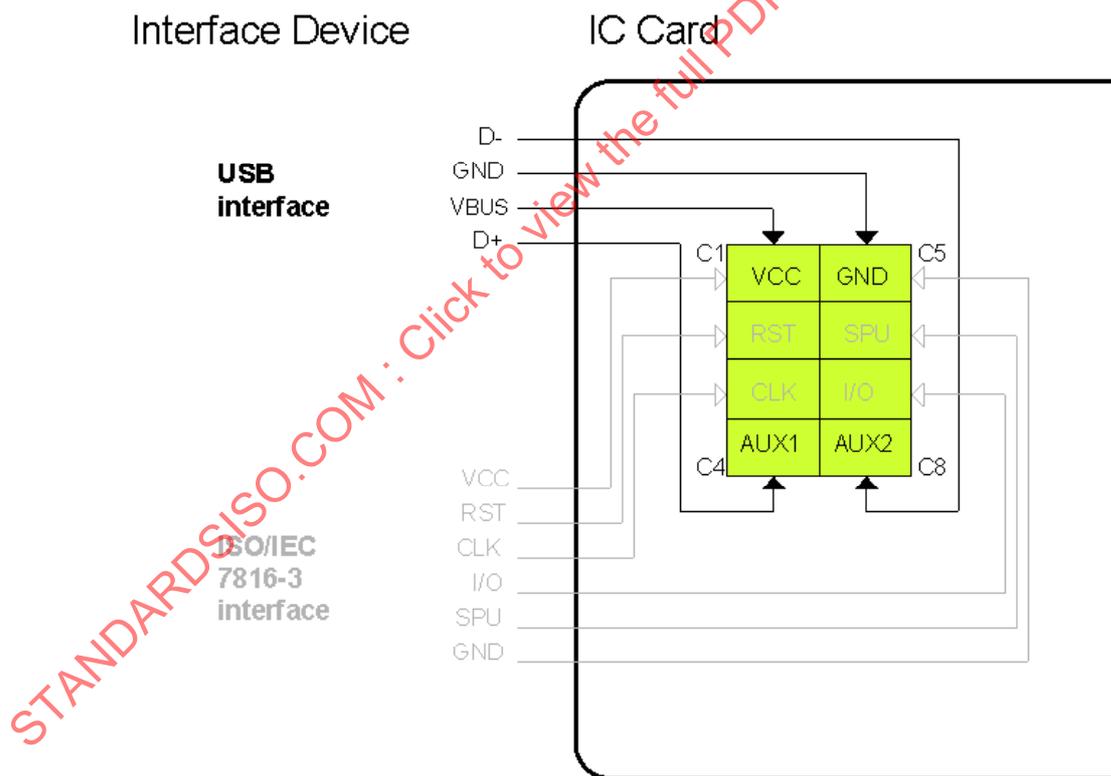


Figure 1 — Assignment of contacts for a USB integrated circuit card

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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/IEC 7816-2:1999/Amd.1:2004, *Identification cards — Integrated circuit cards — Part 2: Cards with contacts — Dimensions and location of the contacts — Amendment 1: Assignment of contacts C4 and C8*

ISO/IEC 7816-3, *Identification cards — Integrated circuit cards — Part 3: Cards with contacts — Electrical interface and transmission protocols*

Universal Serial Bus Specification Revision 2.0, April 27, 2000
USB Implementers Forum
Available at <<http://www.usb.org/developers/docs>>

Universal Serial Bus, Device Class Specification for
USB Chip/Smart Card Interface Devices, Revision 1.00, March 20, 2001
USB Implementers Forum, Device Working Group: Smart Card
Available at <http://www.usb.org/developers/devclass_docs>

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1 Device

3.1.1

interface device

terminal communication device or machine to which the card is electrically connected during operation [ISO/IEC 7816-3]

3.1.2

USB connection device

device providing an electrical connection path between a USB-ICC and a USB host or hub

3.2 Terms and definitions used in other specifications

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in the USB specification and the CCID specification (see Clause 4) apply.

NOTE The relevant terms used in this document are listed in informative Annexes C and D.

4 Abbreviations and notation

For the purposes of this document, the following abbreviations apply.

Protocol T=0, Protocol T=1 [ISO/IEC 7816-3]
D+, D- [Universal Serial Bus Specification Revision 2.0]

USB specification

Referencing to Universal Serial Bus Specification Revision 2.0 (see clause 2).

CCID

Chip Card Interface Device. Designates an interface device controlled via USB.

CCID specification

Reference to the Device Class Specification for USB Chip/Smart Card Interface Devices (see clause 2).

USB-ICC

USB Integrated Circuit Card. An integrated circuit card providing a USB interface.

5 Electrical characteristics of the contacts

The assignment of the contacts for USB operating conditions is given in ISO/IEC 7816-2:1999 and ISO/IEC 7816-2:1999/Amd.1:2004.

An interface device will provide a USB connection to a USB-ICC through VCC, GND, AUX1 and AUX2 respectively VBUS, GND, D+ and D- defined by the USB specification.

Cards designed for ISO/IEC 7816-3 operating conditions shall not be damaged when activated under USB conditions. Conversely, cards designed for USB operation shall not be damaged when activated under ISO/IEC 7816-3 operating conditions (by definition, a damaged card no longer operates as specified or contains corrupt data).

6 USB-ICC operated by an interface device

A USB-ICC that only provides a USB interface shall have electrically connected C1, C5, C4 and C8. All other contact fields shall be electrically isolated. This type of USB-ICC can be operated by a USB connection device. The USB connection device shall establish an electrical connection to C1, C5, C4 and C8 only, following the electrical characteristics and protocol given in the USB specification.

An interface device that does not support a USB interface shall have AUX1 and AUX2 electrically isolated or ensure that the voltage applied at these contact fields shall remain between $-0,3V$ and $V_{cc} + 0,3V$.

7 USB Descriptors

7.1 Standard Descriptors

The standard descriptors described in the USB specification constitute a way for the host software to identify a new USB device attached, and to load one or more appropriate drivers for this new USB device. The standard descriptors are read by the host software during the enumeration process. In addition, the descriptors can also be retrieved by the host software using standard USB requests.

NOTE This document uses for hexadecimal values the notation xxh as used in the USB specification. This is different from the notation 'xx' which is used in other parts of this standard series. The notation xxh is used here to avoid possible confusion when reading this document and the related USB documents.

In the following tables of standard descriptors the character asteriks (*) in the column **Value** indicates that this value(s) is defined by ISO/IEC, taken from the set of possible values given in the USB specification. All other values are standard USB entries.

The transmission direction from the host to the USB-ICC is designated as OUT. The transmission direction from the USB-ICC to the host is designated as IN.

7.1.1 The Standard Device Descriptor

Table 1 — Standard device descriptor for a USB-ICC

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bLength</i>	1	12h	Size of this descriptor in bytes.
1	<i>bDescriptorType</i>	1	01h	DEVICE Descriptor Type.
2	<i>bcdUSB</i>	2	0200h	USB Specification Release Number.
4	<i>bDeviceClass</i>	1	00h*	Indicates that the device class is specified in the interface descriptor of the device.
5	<i>bDeviceSubClass</i>	1	00h	Reset to zero as <i>bDeviceClass</i> is reset to zero.
6	<i>bDeviceProtocol</i>	1	00h*	The device does not use class-specific protocols on the device basis. Instead, it uses class-specific protocols on the interface level.
7	<i>bMaxPacketSize0</i>	1		Maximum packet size for endpoint zero. The size may be 8,16,32,64. For low speed functions the value shall be 8.
8	<i>idVendor</i>	2		Vendor ID, (assigned by the USB-IF).
10	<i>idProduct</i>	2		Product ID, (assigned by the manufacturer). Definition of the value of this field is out of the scope of this document.
12	<i>bcdDevice</i>	2		Device release number in binary coded decimal. Definition of the value of this field is out of the scope of this document.
14	<i>iManufacturer</i>	1		Index of string descriptor describing manufacturer. Definition of the content of this string is out of the scope of this document.
15	<i>iProduct</i>	1		Index of string descriptor describing the product. Definition of the content of this string is out of the scope of this document.
16	<i>iSerialNumber</i>	1		Index of string descriptor describing the devices serial number.
17	<i>bNumConfigurations</i>	1		Number of possible configurations.

7.1.2 The Standard Configuration Descriptor

Table 2 — Standard configuration descriptor for a USB-ICC

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bLength</i>	1	09h	Size of this descriptor in bytes.
1	<i>bDescriptorType</i>	1	02h	CONFIGURATION Descriptor Type.
2	<i>wTotalLength</i>	2		Total length of data returned for this configuration. includes the combined length of all descriptors (configuration, interface, endpoint, and class-specific) returned by this configuration.
4	<i>bNumInterfaces</i>	1		The number of interfaces supported by this configuration.
5	<i>bConfigurationValue</i>	1		Value to use as an argument to the SetConfiguration() request to select this configuration. This value shall be non-zero.
6	<i>iConfiguration</i>	1		Index of string descriptor describing this configuration. Definition of the content of this string is out of the scope of this document.
7	<i>bmAttributes</i>	1		Configuration characteristics for the USB-ICC: Bit 4...0: Reserved (reset to zero) Bit 5 Remote Wakeup Bit 6. Self-powered Bit 7 Reserved (set to one) For a bus-powered USB-ICC that does not support remote wake-up, <i>bmAttributes</i> shall have the value 80h
8	<i>MaxPower</i>	1		Maximum power consumption of the USB-ICC from the bus when the device is fully operational. Expressed in 2mA units.

7.1.3 The Standard Interface Descriptor

Table 3 — Standard interface descriptor for a USB-ICC

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bLength</i>	1	09h	Size of this descriptor in bytes.
1	<i>bDescriptorType</i>	1	04h	INTERFACE Descriptor Type.
2	<i>bInterfaceNumber</i>	1		Number of the interface. Zero-based value identifying the index in the array of concurrent interfaces supported by this configuration.
3	<i>bAlternateSetting</i>	1	00h*	Value used to select alternate setting for the interface identified in the prior field. Alternate settings are not supported.
4	<i>bNumEndpoints</i>	1	00h* 01h* 02h* 03h*	Number of endpoints for a USB-ICC used by this interface (excluding endpoint zero). 00h does not use further endpoints 01h uses interrupt-IN 02h uses bulk-IN and bulk-OUT 03h uses bulk-IN, bulk-OUT and interrupt-IN NOTE 01h indicates that the control endpoints are used for data transmission and interrupt-IN for notification of card specific events sent from the USB-ICC to the host.
5	<i>bInterfaceClass</i>	1	0Bh FFh	Class code for the Smart Card device class (0Bh) or the interface class is vendor specific (FFh). NOTE A product not using a class specific driver can be ISO 7816-12 compliant. In this case, the driver will be chosen using the information given by the vendor, the manufacturer and the product ID (see Table 1).
6	<i>bInterfaceSubClass</i>	1	00h	Subclass code.
7	<i>bInterfaceProtocol</i>	1	00h 01h 02h	Protocol code. The Smart Card device class offers the following interface protocols for a USB-ICC: - 00h USB-ICC messages using bulk (optional interrupt) - 01h USB-ICC specific requests using control transfer Version A (no interrupt) - 02h USB-ICC specific requests using control transfer Version B (optional interrupt) The given value indicates the transfer mode which is used for the communication between host and USB-ICC
8	<i>iInterface</i>	1		Index of string descriptor describing this interface. Definition of the content of this string is out of the scope of this document.

7.1.4 The Standard Endpoint Descriptors

A USB-ICC may either communicate with the host using the default control pipe only or it may communicate over message pipes using bulk-IN and bulk-OUT. Optionally, a USB-ICC may provide an interrupt-IN endpoint which allows the USB-ICC to indicate specific events to the host. A USB-ICC may have one of the following configurations:

Table 4 — Configuration of endpoints for a USB-ICC

Endpoints for data transmission	Using control transfers		Using bulk transfers
	Version A	Version B	
Default control pipe	yes	yes	yes
Bulk-IN	no	no	yes
Bulk-OUT	no	no	yes
Interrupt-IN	no	optional	optional

The following tables describe the endpoint descriptors:

Table 5 — Endpoint descriptor bulk-OUT

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bLength</i>	1	07h	Size of this descriptor in bytes.
1	<i>bDescriptorType</i>	1	05h	ENDPOINT descriptor type.
2	<i>bEndpointAddress</i>	1	01-0Fh	The address of this endpoint on the USB-ICC. This address is an endpoint number between 1 and 15. Bit 3...0 Endpoint number Bit 6...4 Reserved, must be 0 Bit 7 0 = OUT
3	<i>bmAttributes</i>	1	02h	This is a bulk endpoint.
4	<i>wMaxPacketSize</i>	2	00xxh	Maximum data transfer size. May be 8, 16, 32, 64.
6	<i>bInterval</i>	1	00h	Does not apply to bulk endpoints.

Table 6 — Endpoint descriptor bulk-IN

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bLength</i>	1	07h	Size of this descriptor in bytes.
1	<i>bDescriptorType</i>	1	05h	ENDPOINT descriptor type.
2	<i>bEndpointAddress</i>	1	81-8Fh	The address of this endpoint on the USB-ICC. This address is an endpoint number between 1 and 15. Bit 3...0 Endpoint number Bit 6...4 Reserved, must be 0 Bit 7 1 = IN
3	<i>bmAttributes</i>	1	02h	This is a bulk endpoint.
4	<i>wMaxPacketSize</i>	2	00xxh	Maximum data transfer size. May be 8, 16, 32, 64.
6	<i>bInterval</i>	1	00h	Does not apply to bulk endpoints.

Table 7 — Endpoint descriptor interrupt-IN

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bLength</i>	1	07h	Size of this descriptor in bytes.
1	<i>bDescriptorType</i>	1	05h	ENDPOINT descriptor type.
2	<i>bEndpointAddress</i>	1	81-8Fh	The address of this endpoint on the USB-ICC. This address is an endpoint number between 1 and 15. It shall be different from the bulk-IN endpoint address. Bit 3...0 Endpoint number Bit 6...4 Reserved, must be 0 Bit 7 1 = IN
3	<i>bmAttributes</i>	1	03h	This is an interrupt endpoint.
4	<i>wMaxPacketSize</i>	2	00xyh	Packet size for USB-ICC. The minimum value shall be 02h.
6	<i>bInterval</i>	1	xyh	Interval for polling endpoint data transfers. Expressed in milliseconds. The value shall be in the range from 1 to 255. In order to save bandwidth, the recommended value is 255.

7.2 The Class Specific Descriptor

The Smart Card device class uses the class specific descriptor as described in the CCID specification (see Annex D (informative)). In the context of a chip card interface device, a USB-ICC represents a configuration of a single slot interface device with a permanently inserted card. The possible values for the class specific descriptor reflect this device configuration. Fields containing *bReserved* or *dwReserved* signify parameters that are not relevant for a USB-ICC. Although not relevant, it is mandatory that a USB-ICC uses exactly these values for *bReserved* and *dwReserved* in order to maintain compatibility with the CCID specification.

Table 8 — Class specific descriptor for a USB-ICC

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bLength</i>	1	36h	Size of this descriptor, in bytes.
1	<i>bDescriptorType</i>	1	21h	CCID Functional Descriptor type.
2	<i>bcdCCID</i>	2		CCID Specification Release Number in binary coded decimal. The current version 1.0 is 0100h. CCID Specification Release Number 1.0 will be updated by the USB-DWG Smart Card.
4	<i>bMaxSlotIndex</i>	1	00h	Index of the highest available slot. A USB-ICC is regarded as single slot.
5	<i>bReserved</i>	1	01h	This value shall be 01h.
6	<i>dwProtocols</i>	4	0000 0001h 0000 0002h	Indicates the supported protocol types: 00000001h = Protocol T=0 00000002h = Protocol T=1 NOTE The USB-ICC supports APDU level exchanges for T=1 or character level exchanges for T=0. Other combinations of <i>dwProtocols</i> and <i>dwFeatures</i> are not supported by the USB-ICC. This applies for bulk transfer mode and for control transfer mode.

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
10	<i>dwReserved</i>	4	0000 0DFCh	This value shall be 0000 0DFCh.
14	<i>dwReserved</i>	4	0000 0DFCh	This value shall be 0000 0DFCh.
18	<i>bReserved</i>	1	00h	This value shall be 00h.
19	<i>dwReserved</i>	4	0000 2580h	This value shall be 0000 2580h.
23	<i>dwReserved</i>	4	0000 2580h	This value shall be 0000 2580h.
27	<i>bReserved</i>	1	00h	This value shall be 00h.
28	<i>dwMaxIFSD</i>	4		Indicates the maximum IFSD supported by the USB-ICC for protocol T=1. For T=0 any value may be given. For T=1: 00000FEh For T=0: any value
32	<i>dwReserved</i>	4	0000 0000h	This value shall be 0000 0000h
36	<i>dwMechanical</i>	4	0000 0000h	Indicates that a USB-ICC has no special characteristics.
40	<i>dwFeatures</i>	4	0000 0840h 0002 0840h 0004 0840h	The value of the lower word (=0840) indicates that the host will only send requests that are valid for the USB-ICC. The value of the upper word is the level of data exchange with the USB-ICC: 0000h Character level exchanges 0002h Short APDU level exchanges 0004h Short and extended APDU level exchanges NOTE see also <i>dwProtocols</i>
44	<i>dwMaxCCIDMessageLength</i>	4		For bulk transfers, the value shall be between: 261 + 10 and 65544 + 10. NOTE The value 10 is the size of the header For control transfers, the value shall be between: 261 and 65544.
48	<i>bReserved</i>	1	FFh	This value shall be FFh.
49	<i>bReserved</i>	1	FFh	This value shall be FFh.
50	<i>wRFU</i>	2	0000h	All other values are reserved for future use
52	<i>bRFU</i>	1	00h	All other values are reserved for future use.
53	<i>bMaxCCIDBusySlots</i>	1	01h	The USB-ICC is regarded as a single slot.

8 Data transfer between host and USB-ICC

The exchange of data between host and USB-ICC may be done using bulk transfers or control transfers. For control transfer, two implementations are possible. They are named Version A and Version B. Bulk transfer mode is compliant to the CCID specification, e.g. it uses a subset of the messages/requests as defined in this specification.

The notation for the state diagrams is given in the (informative) Annex A.

8.1 Bulk transfers

To transmit commands, responses and corresponding data between host and USB-ICC, the following messages shall apply:

Table 9 — Bulk-IN and bulk-OUT messages

Bulk-OUT message name	Bulk-IN response message name	Description
PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOn	RDR_to_PC_DataBlock	Exits the initial state of a USB-ICC and returns the ATR in the response message.
PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOff	RDR_to_PC_SlotStatus	Sets the USB-ICC to initial conditions.
PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock	RDR_to_PC_DataBlock	Messages to transmit data between host and USB-ICC.

8.1.1 Bulk messages

All messages transmitted over bulk endpoints start with a 10 byte header, optionally followed by data.

The purpose of the header is to exchange control and status information between host and USB-ICC. In addition, sequence numbering assigns command messages with their corresponding response messages. The USB-ICC returns its status and error information in the fields *bStatus* and *bError*.

8.1.1.1 PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOn and RDR_to_PC_DataBlock

Table 10 — PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOn message

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bMessageType</i>	1	62h	Indicates PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOn.
1	<i>dwLength</i>	4	00000000h	There are no extra bytes of this message.
5	<i>bSlot</i>	1	00h	Slot number for the USB-ICC.
6	<i>bSeq</i>	1	00h – FFh	Sequence number for the command.
7	<i>bReserved</i>	1	01h	This value shall be 01h.
8	<i>abRFU</i>	2	0000h	All other values are reserved for future use.

The response to this message is the RDR_to_PC_DataBlock message.

Table 11 — RDR_to_PC_DataBlock message containing the ATR

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bMessageType</i>	1	80h	Indicates RDR_to_PC_DataBlock.
1	<i>dwLength</i>	4		Size of bytes for the ATR.
5	<i>bSlot</i>	1	00h	Slot number for a USB-ICC.
6	<i>bSeq</i>	1	Same value as corresponding bulk-OUT message	Sequence number for the corresponding command message.
7	<i>bStatus</i>	1		USB-ICC status information.
8	<i>bError</i>	1		Error code in case of failure.
9	<i>bChainParameter</i>	1	00h	Indicates that this message contains the complete ATR.
10	<i>abData</i>			ATR.

8.1.1.2 PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOff and RDR_to_PC_SlotStatus

Table 12 — PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOff message

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bMessageType</i>	1	63h	Indicates PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOff.
1	<i>dwLength</i>	4	00000000h	There are no extra bytes of this message.
5	<i>bSlot</i>	1	00h	Slot number for a USB-ICC.
6	<i>bSeq</i>	1	00h – FFh	Sequence number for command.
7	<i>abRFU</i>	3	000000h	All other values are reserved for future use.

The response to this message is the RDR_to_PC_SlotStatus message.

Table 13 — RDR_to_PC_SlotStatus message

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bMessageType</i>	1	81h	Indicates RDR_to_PC_SlotStatus.
1	<i>dwLength</i>	4	00000000h	There are no extra bytes of this message.
5	<i>bSlot</i>	1	00h	Slot number for a USB-ICC.
6	<i>bSeq</i>	1	Same value as corresponding bulk-OUT message	Sequence number for the corresponding command message.
7	<i>bStatus</i>	1		USB-ICC status information.
8	<i>bError</i>	1		Error code in case of failure.
9	<i>bReserved</i>	1	00h	This value shall be 00h

8.1.1.3 PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock and RDR_to_PC_DataBlock

The PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock command is used to transmit command APDUs.

Table 14 — PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock message

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bMessageType</i>	1	6Fh	Indicates PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock message.
1	<i>dwLength</i>	4		Size of <i>abData</i> field of this message.
5	<i>bSlot</i>	1	00h	Slot number for a USB-ICC.
6	<i>bSeq</i>	1	00h – FFh	Sequence number for command.
7	<i>bReserved</i>	1	00h	Shall be set to 00h
8	<i>wLevelParameter</i>	2		<p>Depends on the exchange level reported by the class specific descriptor in the <i>dwFeatures</i> field:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Character level: size of expected data to be returned by the bulk-IN endpoint. - Short APDU level: 00h - Extended APDU level: Indicates if APDU begins or ends in this command: <p>0000h: the command APDU begins and ends with this command, 0001h: the command APDU begins with this command, and continues in next PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock, 0002h: this <i>abData</i> field continues a command APDU and ends the command APDU, 0003h: the <i>abData</i> field continues a command APDU and another block is to follow, 0010h: empty <i>abData</i> field, continuation of response APDU is expected in the next RDR_to_PC_DataBlock</p>
10	<i>abData</i>			Data block sent from host to the USB-ICC.

The response to this message is the RDR_to_PC_DataBlock message.

Table 15 — RDR_to_PC_DataBlock message containing a data block

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bMessageType</i>	1	80h	Indicates RDR_to_PC_DataBlock.
1	<i>dwLength</i>	4		Size of bytes for the received data block.
5	<i>bSlot</i>	1	00h	Slot number for a USB-ICC.
6	<i>bSeq</i>	1	Same value as bulk-OUT message	Sequence number for the corresponding command message.

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
7	<i>bStatus</i>	1		USB-ICC status information.
8	<i>bError</i>	1		Error code in case of failure.
9	<i>bChainParameter</i>	1		Depends on the exchange level reported by the class specific descriptor in the <i>dwFeatures</i> field: - Character level: 00h - Short APDU: 00h - Extended APDU level: Indicates if the response is complete, to be continued or if the command APDU can continue: 00h: the response APDU begins and ends in this command, 01h: the response APDU begins with this command and is to continue, 02h: this <i>abData</i> field continues the response APDU and ends the response APDU, 03h: this <i>abData</i> field continues the response APDU and another block is to follow, 10h: empty <i>abData</i> field, continuation of the command APDU is expected in the next PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock command.
10	<i>abData</i>			Data sent from USB-ICC to the host.

8.1.2 ATR and transmission of data

When a USB device is attached to the bus and thereafter has obtained a state where the host may use the functions provided by the device, the device is designated as "Configured". The messages to be transmitted in order to set the USB-ICC to initial state, to obtain the ATR and to transmit data are given in the state diagram Figure 2. The transmission uses APDU level exchanges. Figure 2 comprises the transmission of short APDUs and extended APDUs.

For the correct transmission of data, the following general rules shall apply:

- If the USB-ICC receives a PC_to_RDR_PowerOn when it is not in the state "Initial", the USB-ICC shall respond with a STALL. The USB-ICC shall remain in its current state.
- If the USB-ICC requests a time extension (see Table 16), the value of *bSeq* (see clause 8.1.1) shall remain unchanged.
- If the USB-ICC returns RDR_to_PC_DataBlock indicating the errors ICC_MUTE or HW_ERROR, the host should preferably submit a PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOff message.

IMPORTANT — The state of the current execution shall not be affected by the state of the USB interface engine. For example, a bus enumeration shall not cause any transitions.

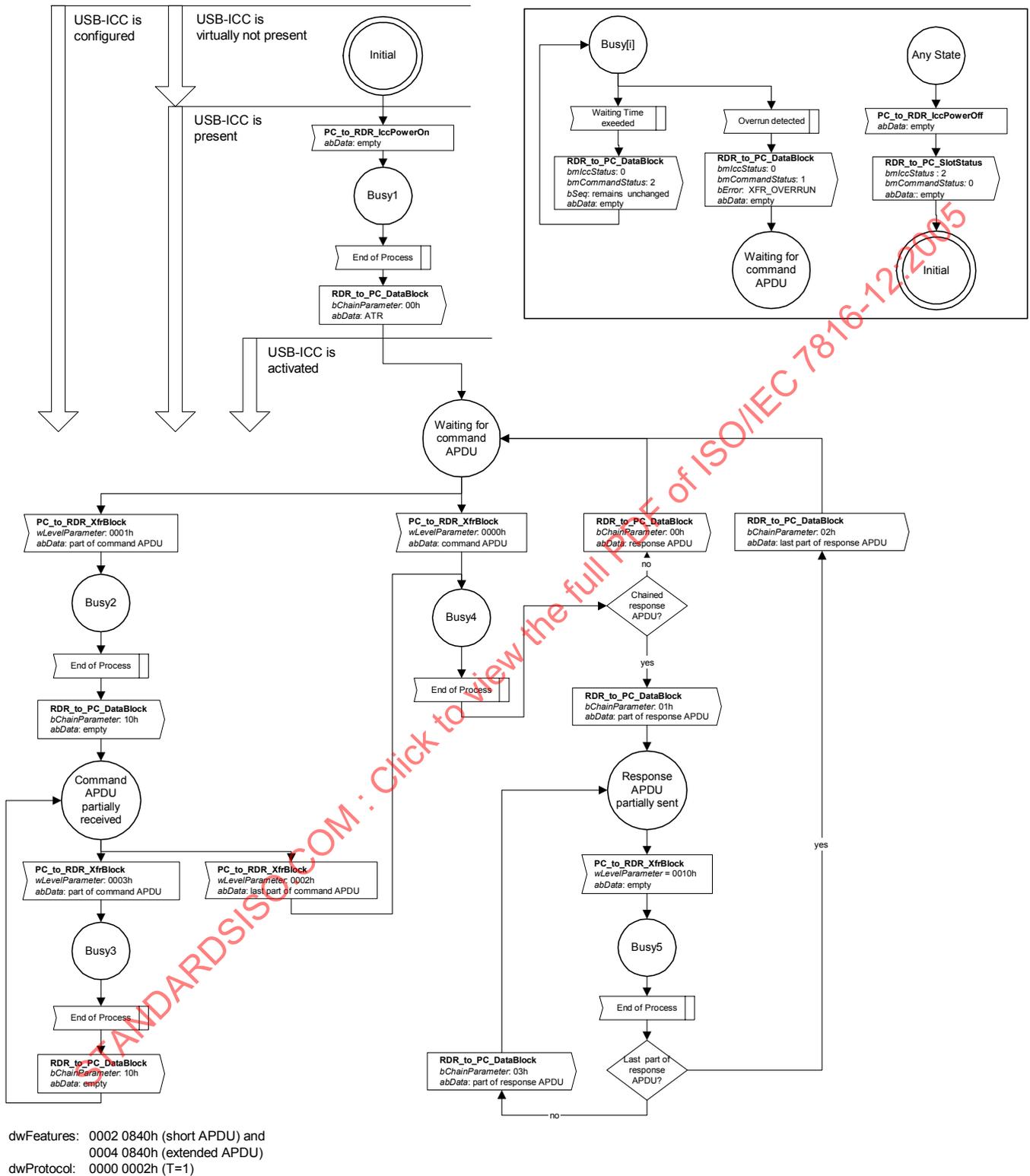


Figure 2 — State diagram of the USB-ICC using bulk transfer APDU level transfer for short APDU and extended APDU

8.1.3 Status and error conditions

The bulk-IN messages RDR_to_PC_SlotStatus and RDR_to_PC_DataBlock contain status information about the USB-ICC and if the processed commands completed successfully. In case of a failure, an error code will be returned.

The *bStatus* field consists of two bitmap fields that contain information about the USB-ICC status (*bmIccStatus*) and the processed command (*bmCommandStatus*). The following two tables give the values for the status and the error codes.

Table 16 — Bitmap for bStatus field

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bmIccStatus</i>	1 (2 bits)	0, 1, 2	0 = The USB-ICC is present and activated. 1 = The USB-ICC is present but not activated 2 = The USB-ICC is virtually not present 3 = RFU
(2 bits)		(4 bits)		RFU
(6 bits)	<i>bmCommandStatus</i>	(2 bits)	0, 1, 2	0 = Processed without error. 1 = Failed, error condition given by <i>bError</i> . 2 = Time extension is requested 3 = RFU
1	<i>bError</i>	1		Error codes

Table 17 — Error codes for bError

Error name	Error code	Possible causes
ICC_MUTE	-2 (FEh)	The applications of the USB-ICC did not respond or the ATR could not be sent by the USB-ICC.
XFR_OVERRUN	-4 (FCh)	The USB-ICC detected a buffer overflow when receiving a data block.
HW_ERROR	-5 (FBh)	The USB-ICC detected a hardware error.
	-64 to -127 (C0h – 81h)	User defined
	-3 (FDh) -8 to -14 (F8h – F2h) -16 (F0h) -17 (EFh) -32 (E0h)	These values shall not be used by the USB-ICC
	all others (80h and those filling the gaps)	Reserved for future use

For the usage of error codes, the following rules shall apply:

- if the value of *bmCommandStatus* equals 0 or RFU, the value of *bError* shall be 0.
- if the value of *bmCommandStatus* equals 1, the value of *bError* shall be:
 - error code = error conditions as described in Table 17.
 - offset = if the USB-ICC can not parse one field in the (10 byte) header or is not supporting one of these fields, then *bError* contains the offset of the first bad value as a positive number (e.g. if the host sets *bSlot* to 01h, the USB-ICC will return *bError* = 05h). A USB-ICC receiving a command that is not supported, shall set the offset value to zero.

8.2 Control transfers

This transfer mode can be employed for USB-ICCs that offer low speed functions. The default control pipe is used to exchange data between host and USB-ICC.

This paragraph defines the class specific requests for control transfer. These requests provide the same services to the application layer as for bulk transfers.

There are two implementations for control transfers, named hereafter as Version A and Version B.

8.2.1 Version A

8.2.1.1 Specific requests

The following table defines valid values of *bRequest*:

Table 18 — Class specific requests, Version A

bRequest	Value	Direction data stage	Description
ICC_POWER_ON	62h	IN	Exits the initial state of a USB-ICC. Returns the ATR in the data stage.
ICC_POWER_OFF	63h	OUT	Sets the USB-ICC to initial conditions.
XFR_BLOCK	65h	OUT	Data transfer from the host to the USB-ICC
DATA_BLOCK	6Fh	IN	Data transfer from the USB-ICC to the host
GET_ICC_STATUS	A0h	IN	Returns the status of the command execution.

8.2.1.2 Setup Stage

The setup stage contains the class specific request and corresponding parameters. The following tables give the values and the parameters for each of the class specific requests and describe the data that is transferred between host and USB-ICC.

For the parameters, the following general rules shall apply:

- The value of *bInterface* is the same value as *bInterfaceNumber* given in Table 3.
- Reserved parameter values for class specific requests used in the fields *wValue* and *wIndex* are designated as *bRFU* and *wRFU*. The value of *bRFU* shall be set to 00h and the value of *wRFU* shall be set to 0000h.

- If the USB-ICC receives an invalid request or if a valid request contains an invalid parameter value (*wValue*, *wIndex*, *wLength*), the USB-ICC shall respond with a STALL.
- On an input request, the USB-ICC shall not return more data than is indicated by *wLength* value. It may return less. On an output request, *wLength* shall always indicate the exact amount of data to be sent by the host. The USB-ICC shall return a STALL if the host should not send the amount of data than is specified in *wLength*.
- For ICC_POWER_OFF and GET_ICC_STATUS, the host shall send the values for *wLength* as specified in the corresponding tables. If not, the USB-ICC shall respond with STALL

Table 19 — ICC_POWER_ON request, Version A

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
10100001B	ICC_POWER_ON	wRFU	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	Length of ATR	ATR

The *wIndex* field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte.

Table 20 — ICC_POWER_OFF request, Version A

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
00100001B	ICC_POWER_OFF	wRFU	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	0000h	Empty

The *wIndex* field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte.

Table 21 — XFR_BLOCK request, Version A

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
00100001B	XFR_BLOCK	<i>bLevelParameter</i> bRFU	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	Length of data	Command APDU.

The *wIndex* field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte. The *wValue* field specifies *bLevelParameter* in the high byte and bRFU in the low byte.

Table 22 — DATA_BLOCK request, Version A

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
10100001B	DATA_BLOCK	wRFU	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	Length of data	Response APDU

The *wIndex* field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte.

Table 23 — GET_ICC_STATUS request

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
10100001B	GET_ICC_STATUS	wRFU	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	0001h	Polls the status of the USB-ICC

The *wIndex* field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte.

NOTE A product not using a class specific driver can be 7816-12 compliant. In this case, the coding of bit 5,6 of *bmRequestType* changes from 01B to 10B; for example *bmRequestType* for GET_ICC_STATUS will be 11000001B

8.2.1.3 ATR and data transmission

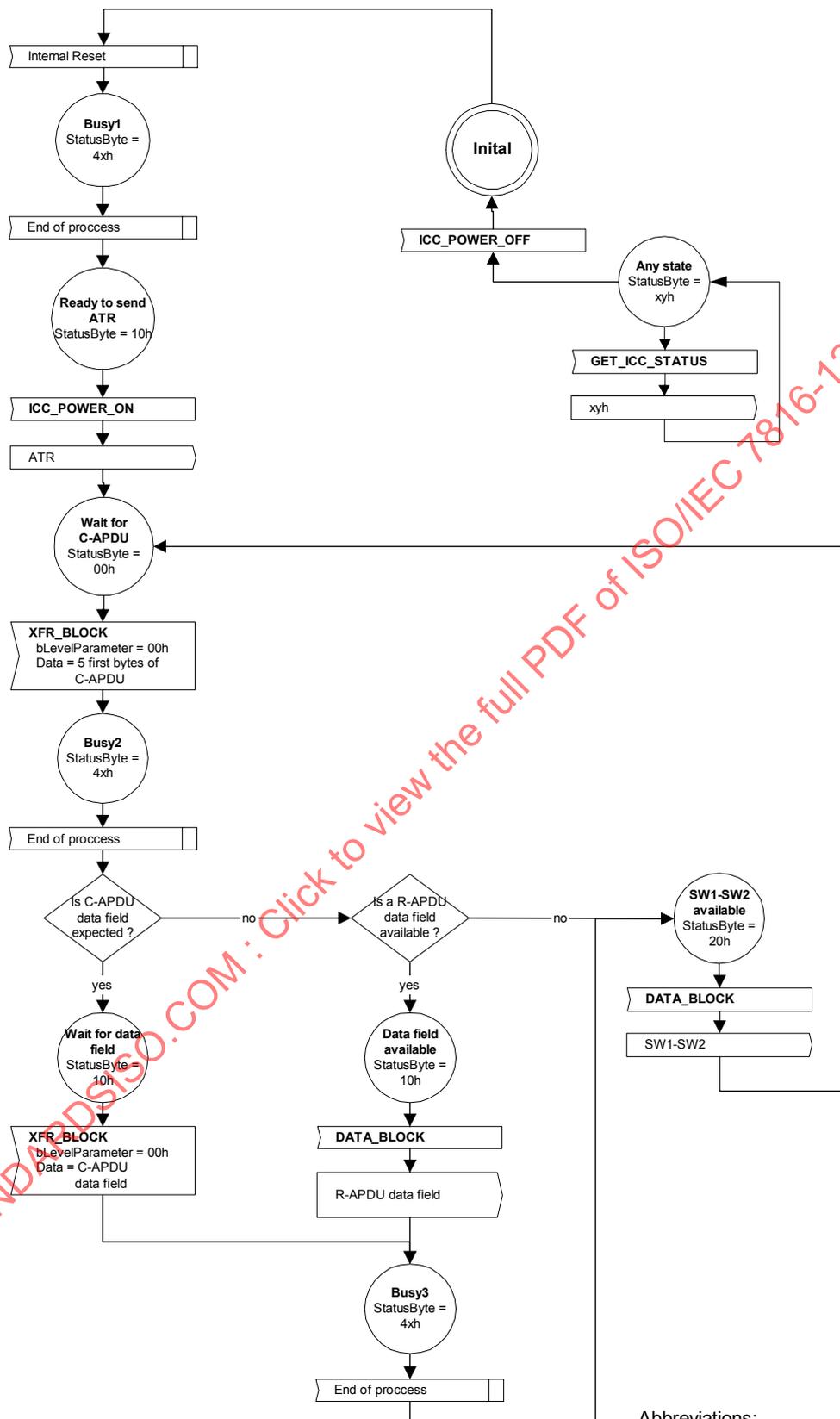
When a USB device is attached to the bus and thereafter has obtained a state where the host may use the functions provided by the device, the device is designated as "Configured". The messages to be transmitted in order to set the USB-ICC to initial state, to obtain the ATR and to transmit data are given in the following state diagrams (Figure 3,4,5).

For the correct transmission of data, the following general rules shall apply:

- If the USB-ICC receives a request that is not assigned to the current state as defined in the state diagram, the USB-ICC shall return a STALL and remain in its current state.
- If the StatusByte indicates that the card is not responsive (see Table 24), the host should preferably submit ICC_POWER_OFF.

IMPORTANT — The state of the current execution shall not be affected by the state of the USB interface engine. For example, a bus enumeration shall not cause any transitions.

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dwFeatures = 0000 0840h
 dwProtocols = 0000 0001h (T=0)

Abbreviations:
 C-APDU... Command APDU
 R-APDU... Response APDU

Figure 3 — State diagram of the USB-ICC for control transfer (Version A) using character level transfer

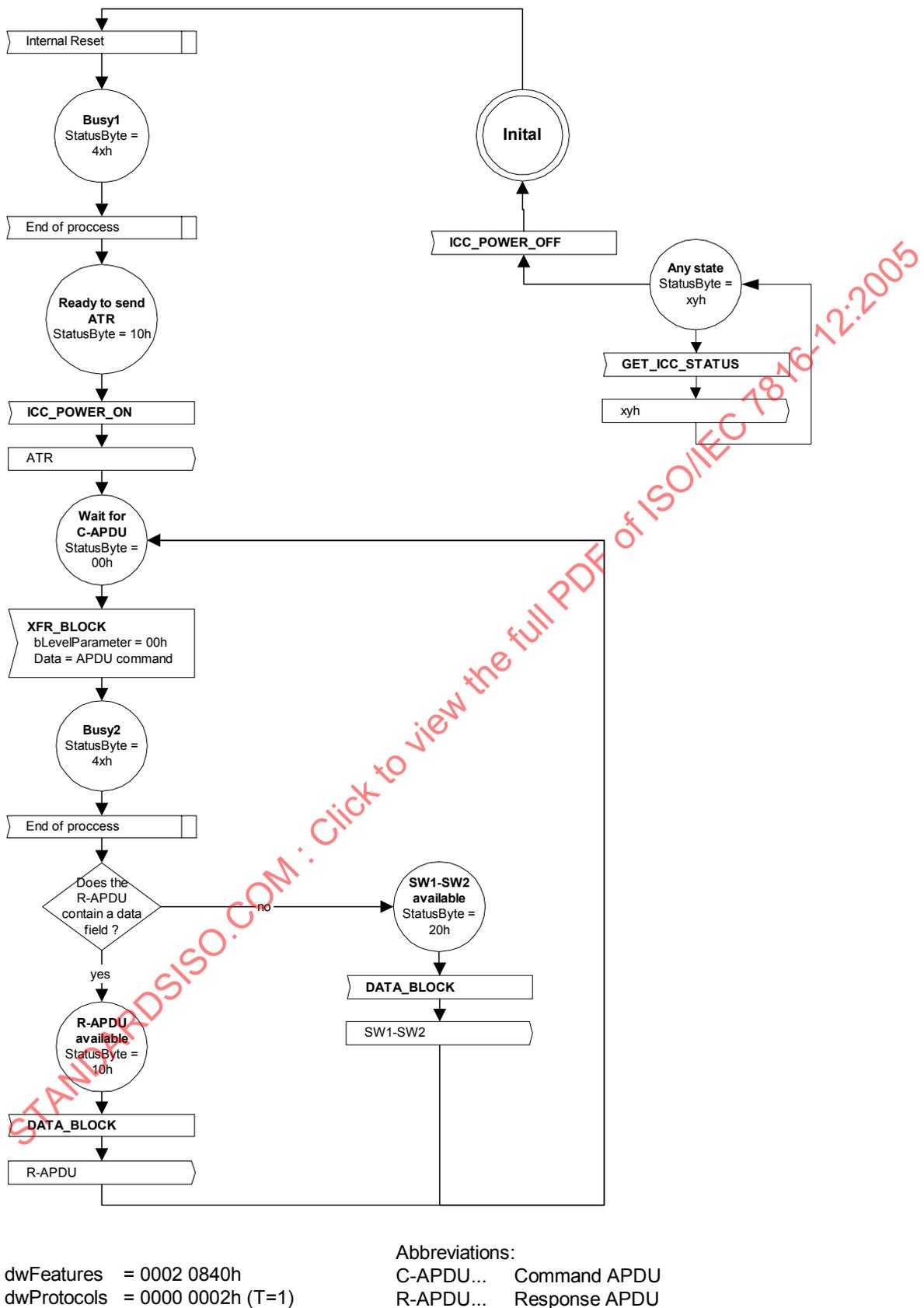


Figure 4 — State diagram of the USB-ICC for control transfer (Version A) using short APDUs

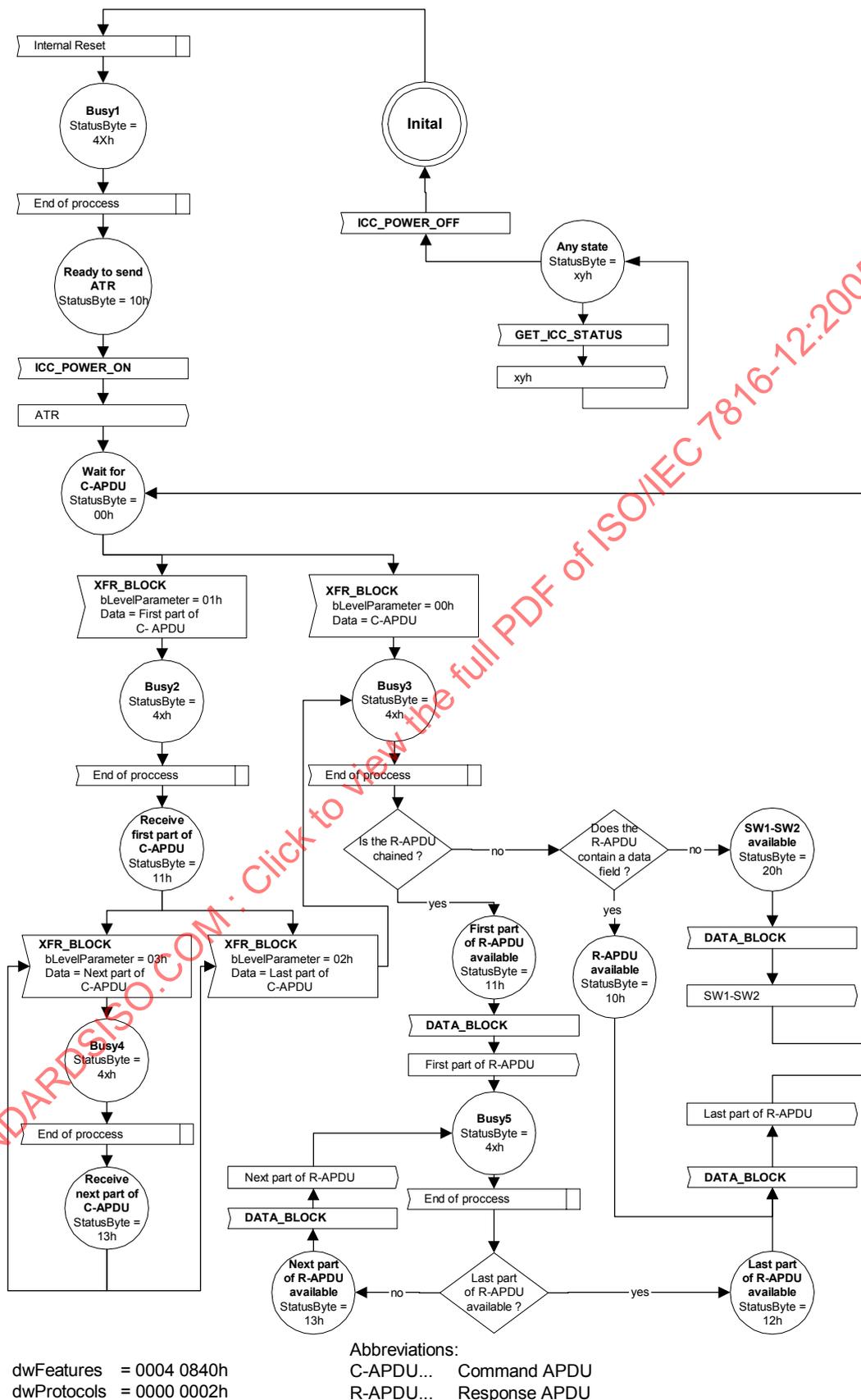


Figure 5 — State diagram of the USB-ICC for control transfer (Version A) using extended APDUs

The request GET_ICC_STATUS polls the status of execution of a command APDU. Upon this request, the USB-ICC returns the StatusByte to indicate the status of execution. It may have the following values:

Table 24 — Description of the StatusByte

StatusByte	Description
4xh	<p>busy where x shall be cyclically incremented.</p> <p>When receiving a busy indication, the host shall subsequently submit GET_ICC_STATUS until the USB-ICC indicates another value. The time interval is driver dependent. In order to save bandwidth, the time interval should not be less than 10ms.</p> <p>NOTE When the host detects that the four least significant bits did not change after a certain period, the host might time-out the device. The period, which is considered as time-out, is driver dependent and should not be less than 1 second.</p>
20h	<p>ready to send status words only</p> <p>Indicates that the data stage of the subsequent DATA_BLOCK will convey SW1-SW2 only.</p>
1yh	<p>if <i>dwProtocols</i>=00000001h and <i>dwFeatures</i>=00000840h</p> <p>10h: ready to send data or 10h: ready to receive data</p> <p>The status words are not returned when the value is 10. When GET_ICC_STATUS returns StatusByte=20h, a subsequent DATA_BLOCK request shall be submitted to obtain the status words.</p> <p>if <i>dwProtocols</i>=00000002h and <i>dwFeatures</i>=000z0840h (with z=2 or z=4) the StatusByte has two different functions.</p> <p>When <i>bLevelParameter</i> is 01h or 03h in the previous XFR_BLOCK request (chained command APDU), the StatusByte is used to acknowledge the chaining of the command (respectively 11h or 13h) and to regulate the data flow (StatusByte = 4xh).</p> <p>When <i>bLevelParameter</i> in the previous XFR_BLOCK request is 00h or 02h (end of command APDU), the StatusByte is used to indicate the chaining of the response APDU and to regulate the data flow (StatusByte = 4xh):</p> <p>10h the APDU response begins and ends with the next DATA_BLOCK request 11h the APDU response begins with the next DATA_BLOCK request and is to continue 12h the APDU response continues and ends with the next DATA_BLOCK request 13h the APDU response continues with the next DATA_BLOCK request and another block is to follow 20h the APDU response contains only the status word and ends with the next DATA_BLOCK request.</p>
80h	<p>mute the card is not responsive</p>
00h	<p>The USB-ICC is ready to receive a command APDU</p>

8.2.1.4 APDU level message exchange

In case that the length of the response APDU exceeds the value of wLength in the status stage of the DATA_BLOCK request, the response APDU has to be transmitted in subsequent blocks. In this case, the USB-ICC shall use the same mechanism as for an extended response APDU.

8.2.1.5 Error conditions

Error conditions are returned in the StatusByte. If the card is not responsive, the value 80h will be returned.

8.2.1.6 Interrupt Transfers

Version A does not use interrupt transfers.

8.2.2 Version B

Control requests under Version B are similar to the exchange of information when using message pipes in bulk mode. This is achieved by the fact that each OUT-requests are to be followed by IN-requests. This pair wise use of requests reflects the structure of OUT-messages and IN-messages for bulk mode.

8.2.2.1 Specific requests

The following table defines valid values of *bRequest*:

Table 25 — Class specific requests, Version B

bRequest	Value	Direction data stage	Description
ICC_POWER_ON	62h	OUT	Exits the initial state of a USB-ICC. The ATR is returned in the data stage of the subsequent DATA_BLOCK request.
ICC_POWER_OFF	63h	OUT	Sets the USB-ICC to initial conditions.
XFR_BLOCK	65h	OUT	Data transferred from the host to the USB-ICC
DATA_BLOCK	6Fh	IN	Data transferred from the USB-ICC to the host. Also returns information created by the preceding request.
SLOT_STATUS	81h	IN	The data stage of this command contains <i>bStatus</i> , <i>bError</i> and <i>bReserved</i> . The value for <i>bReserved</i> shall be 00h.

8.2.2.2 Setup Stage

The setup stage contains the class specific request and corresponding parameters. The following clauses give the values and the parameters for each of the class specific requests and describe the data that is transferred between host and USB-ICC.

The parameters of the class specific request shall be set as follows:

- The value of *bInterface* is the same value as *bInterfaceNumber* given in Table 3.
- Reserved parameter values for class specific requests used in the fields *wValue* and *wIndex* are designated as *bRFU*, *wRFU* and *bReserved*. The value of *bRFU* shall be set to 00h and the value of *wRFU* shall be set to 0000h. The value for *bReserved* is given in the tables.
- If the USB-ICC receives an invalid request or if a valid request contains an invalid parameter value (*wValue*, *wIndex*, *wLength*), the USB-ICC shall respond with a STALL.
- On an input request, the USB-ICC shall not return more data than is indicated by *wLength* value. It may return less.
- On an output request, *wLength* shall always indicate the exact amount of data to be sent from the host to the USB-ICC. When the USB-ICC receives more data as indicated in the setup stage, it shall respond with STALL. The host may abort any transfer by sending an IN-token prematurely. In this case the USB-ICC shall confirm the IN-token with ACK. If the number of received data is not equal to *wLength*, the USB-ICC shall discard these data.
- For ICC_POWER_ON, ICC_POWER_OFF and SLOT_STATUS, the host shall send the values for *wLength* as specified in the corresponding tables. If not, the USB-ICC shall respond with STALL.

Table 26 — ICC_POWER_ON request, Version B

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
00100001B	ICC_POWER_ON	bRFU <i>bReserved</i> =01h	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	0000h	Empty

The wIndex field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte. The wValue field specifies *bRFU* in the high byte and *bReserved* in the low byte.

Table 27 — ICC_POWER_OFF request, Version B

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
00100001B	ICC_POWER_OFF	wRFU	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	0000h	Empty

The wIndex field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte.

Table 28 — XFR_BLOCK request, Version B

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
00100001B	XFR_BLOCK	<i>bLevelParameter</i> <i>bReserved</i> =00h	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	Length data	Command APDU

The wIndex field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte. The wValue field specifies *bLevelParameter* in the high byte and *bReserved* in the low byte.

The use of *bLevelParameter* is explained in Table 14.

Table 29 — DATA_BLOCK request, Version B

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
10100001B	DATA_BLOCK	wRFU	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	Length of data + 1 The value of wLength shall be greater than or equal to 4. This allows the USB-ICC to return at minimum the complete status information (see also Table 31).	Response APDU or information created by ICC_POWER_ON. NOTE The DATA_BLOCK request always returns in its data stage first one byte (<i>bResponseType</i> , see Table 31) followed by the data being processed.

The wIndex field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte.

Table 30 — SLOT_STATUS request

bmRequestType	bRequest	wValue	wIndex	wLength	Data
10100001B	SLOT_STATUS	wRFU	bRFU <i>bInterface</i>	0003h	Contains status/error information: <i>bStatus</i> , <i>bError</i> , <i>bReserved</i> The value for <i>bReserved</i> shall be 00h

The wIndex field specifies bRFU in the high byte and *bInterface* in the low byte.

NOTE A product not using a class specific driver can be 7816-12 compliant. In this case, the coding of bit 5,6 of bmRequestType changes from 01B to 10B; for example bmRequestType for SLOT_STATUS will be 11000001B

8.2.2.3 ATR and data transmission

When a USB device is attached to the bus and thereafter has obtained a state where the host may use the functions provided by the device, the device is designated as "Configured". The messages to be transmitted in order to set the USB-ICC to initial state, to obtain the ATR and to transmit data are given in the state diagram Figure 6. The transmission uses APDU level exchanges. Figure 6 comprises the transmission of short APDUs and extended APDUs.

For the correct transmission of data, the following general rules shall apply to the state diagram:

- If the USB-ICC receives a request that is not assigned to the current state as defined in the state diagram, the USB-ICC shall return a STALL and remain in its current state.
- If the interface device sends DATA_BLOCK and the USB-ICC returns in the data stage the errors ICC_MUTE or HW_ERROR, the host should preferably submit ICC_POWER_OFF.

IMPORTANT — The state of the current execution shall not be affected by the state of the USB interface engine. For example, a bus enumeration shall not cause any transitions.

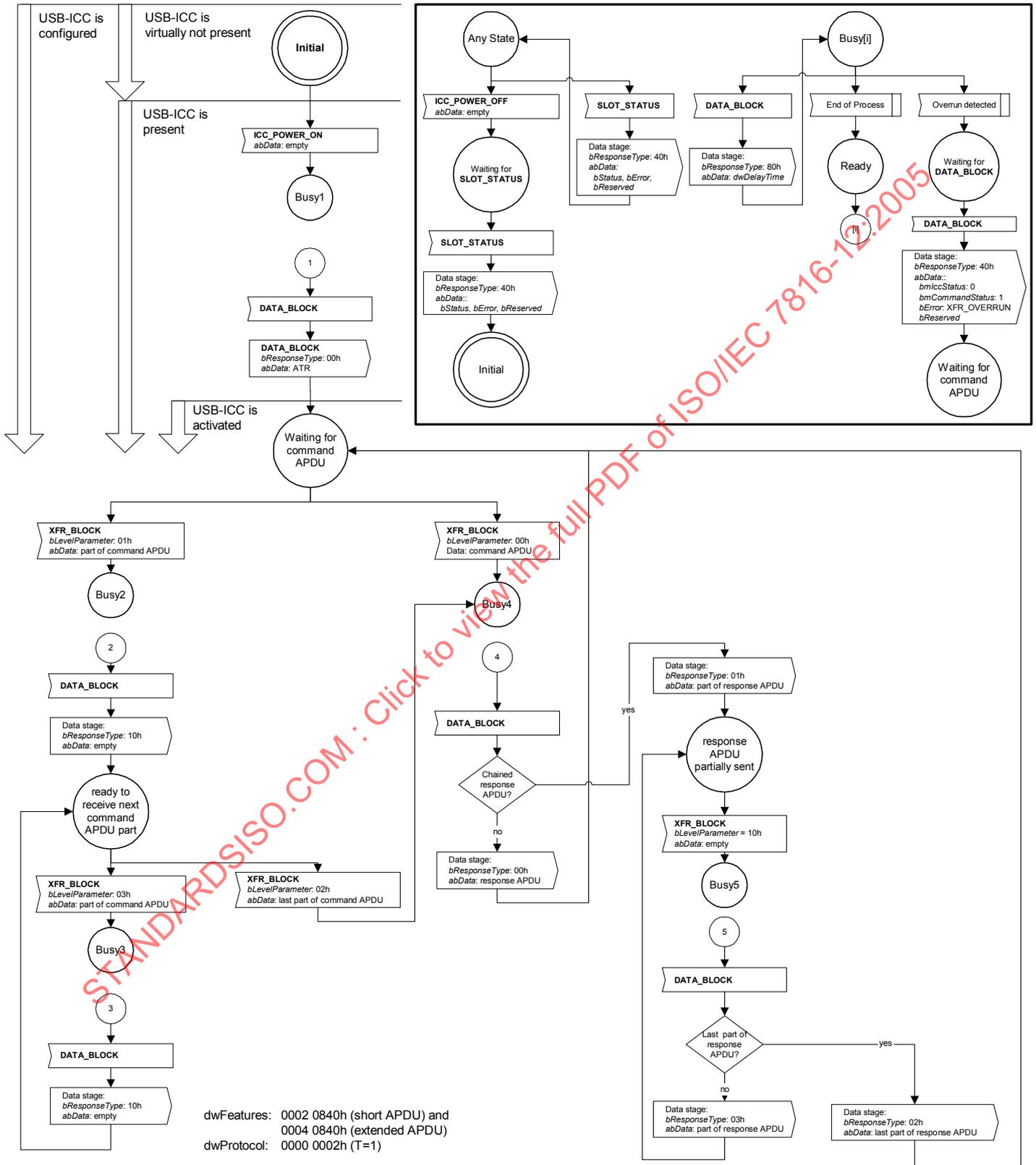


Figure 6 — State diagram of the USB-ICC for control transfer (Version B)

NOTE When the host has sent ICC_POWER_OFF, the USB-ICC enters the state "virtually not present". The use of interrupt-IN messages for this case is described in clause 9.3

The USB-ICC returns on the DATA_BLOCK request the following values in the data stage:

Table 31 — Data stage of DATA_BLOCK

Offset	Field	Description
0	<i>bResponseType</i>	<p>Indicates the type of information <i>abData</i> field contain:</p> <p>00h: the <i>abData</i> field contains the information created by the preceding request.</p> <p>40h: Status information the <i>abData</i> field contains <i>bStatus</i>, <i>bError</i> and <i>bReserved=00h</i>.</p> <p>80h: Polling the <i>abData</i> field contains the delay time (<i>wDelayTime</i>) until the host waits to send out the next request. The value is given in units of 10ms (e.g. 0078h = 1,2s). If <i>wDelayTime</i> equals 0000h, the host shall set the polling interval at its own discretion. For all other values, the host shall use the given value at best effort.</p> <p>For extended response APDUs:</p> <p>00h: the response APDU begins and ends in this command, 01h: the response APDU begins with this command and is to continue, 02h: this <i>abData</i> field continues the response APDU and ends the response APDU, 03h: this <i>abData</i> field continues the response APDU and another block is to follow. 10h: empty <i>abData</i> field, continuation of the command APDU is expected in the next XFR_BLOCK. See also the state diagram in Figure 6.</p>
1	<i>abData</i>	Data sent from the USB-ICC to the host

The information that is transmitted in *abData* field of DATA_BLOCK, depends on the preceding request.

8.2.2.4 Coding of *bLevelParameter* for XFR_BLOCK

The value of *bLevelParameter* designates the position (first block, middle, last) of the subsequently transmitted blocks of a command APDU. The following values are assigned:

- 00h the command APDU begins and ends with this command
- 01h the command APDU begins with this command and is to continue
- 02h the command APDU continues and ends the command APDU
- 03h the command APDU continues and another block is to follow
- 10h the data stage is empty, continuation of response APDU is expected in the next DATA_BLOCK request

See also the state diagram in Figure 6.

8.2.2.5 APDU level message exchange

In case that the length of the response APDU exceeds the value of *wLength* in the setup stage of the DATA_BLOCK request, the response APDU has to be transmitted in subsequent blocks. For this block wise transmission, the USB-ICC shall use the same mechanism as for extended response APDUs.

8.2.2.6 Status and error conditions reported by USB requests

Version B returns status and error conditions in the data stage of DATA_BLOCK. This condition is indicated by *bResponseType*=40h. In addition, the USB-ICC will respond with a STALL handshake when it receives an invalid request or if a valid request contains an invalid parameter value (*wValue*, *wIndex*, *wLength*).

If *bResponseType*=40h, *abData* field contains status and error information.

The *bStatus* field consists of two bitmap fields that contain information about the USB-ICC status (*bmICCStatus*) and the processed command (*bmCommandStatus*). The following two tables give the values for the status and the error codes.

Table 32 — Bitmap for *bStatus* field

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bmIccStatus</i>	1 (2 bits)	0, 1, 2	0 = The USB-ICC is present and activated. 1 = The USB-ICC is present but not activated 2 = The USB-ICC is virtually not present 3 = RFU
(2 bits)		(4 bits)		RFU
(6 bits)	<i>bmCommandStatus</i>	(2 bits)	0, 1	0 = Processed without error. 1 = Failed, error condition given by <i>bError</i> . 2 = RFU 3 = RFU
1	<i>bError</i>	1		Error codes

Table 33 — Error codes for *bError*

Error name	Error code	Possible causes
ICC_MUTE	-2 (FEh)	The applications of the USB-ICC did not respond or the ATR could not be sent by the USB-ICC.
XFR_OVERRUN	-4 (FCh)	The USB-ICC detected a buffer overflow when receiving a data block.
HW_ERROR	-5 (FBh)	The USB-ICC detected an hardware error.
	-64 to -127 (C0h – 81h)	User defined
	-3 (FDh) -8 to -14 (F8h – F2h) -16 (F0h) -17 (EFh) -32 (E0h)	These values shall not be used by the USB-ICC
	all others (80h and those filling the gaps)	Reserved for future use

If the value of *bmCommandStatus* equals 0 or RFU, the value of *bError* shall be 0.

8.3 Interrupt transfers

Bulk transfer mode and control transfer mode (Version B) optionally provide an interrupt-IN endpoint. This endpoint is used to notify the host of events that may occur asynchronously to the command/response exchange between host and USB-ICC.

The USB-ICC may notify to the host its virtual insertion/removal.

8.3.1 Virtual insertion/removal event

The term "virtual" is used to express that the USB-ICC may be envisaged as removed from the interface device although it is still powered.

Table 34 — Interrupt-IN message

Offset	Field	Size	Value	Description
0	<i>bMessageType</i>	1	50h	Indicates NotifySlotChange.
1	<i>bmSlotIccState</i>	1	000000xyB	<p>The USB-ICC indicates the status (removed or inserted) in two least significant bits. The least significant bit reports:</p> <p>0b= The USB-ICC is virtually not present, 1b= The USB-ICC is present.</p> <p>The other bit reports whether the virtual presence of the USB-ICC has changed since the last NotifySlotChange message was sent:</p> <p>0b= no change 1b= change</p> <p>All other bits shall be set to zero.</p>

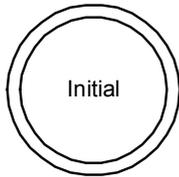
For correct operation of the interrupt request, the following conditions shall apply:

- When the USB-ICC exits from the state "Initial" by PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOn (ICC_POWER_ON), the USB-ICC shall send a NotifySlotChange message with *bmSlotIccState*=00000011B.
- The USB-ICC may enter "virtually not present" at any point in time. The host will receive the NotifySlotChange message with *bmSlotIccState*=00000010B. The USB-ICC shall not send the NotifySlotChange message after it has received a PC_to_RDR_IccPowerOff (ICC_POWER_OFF).

NOTE The first condition allows the host to detect an unresponsive card. The second condition ensures that the interrupt message "virtually not present" is an asynchronous event caused by the USB-ICC. It is not the result of an OUT message or request received from the host.

Annex A (informative)

Notation for the state diagrams



Initial state in the state diagram



State in the state diagram



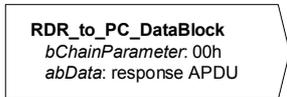
The USB-ICC receives data.

For bulk transfers:

The message type and relevant parameters/values are given.

For control transfers:

The control request and relevant parameters/values are given



The USB-ICC sends data.

For bulk transfers:

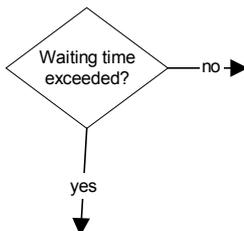
The message type and relevant parameters/values are given. The USB-ICC always initiates the transmission of this message.

For control transfers:

The control request and relevant parameters/values are given. The host always initiates the transmission of this data by sending the DATA_BLOCK or SLOT_STATUS. Therefore, these two requests are always represented by two arrowed boxes: a box with an IN-arrow (request) and a box with an OUT-arrow (data).



The USB-ICC receives data. from an (USB-ICC) internal process



Decision branch

Annex B (informative)

Scenarios for USB transfers

The sequences described in here are not exhaustive of all possible cases. They are meant as examples of possible sequences the USB-ICC must be able to handle. The examples do neither handle error cases (STALL on USB transactions), nor conditions that are handled on the ISO protocol level (for example T=0, case 2, short APDU, N_e not accepted).

Bulk transfer:

APDU level message exchange, case 3 command, short APDU

PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock

dwLength = Lc + 00000005h
bSlot = 00h, *bSeq* = 00h, *bReserved* = 00h,
wLevelParameter = 0000h
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, Lc, Data(Lc)

(1) message →

(2) message ←

RDR_to_PC_DataBlock

dwLength = 00000002h
bSlot = 00h, *bSeq* = 00h
bStatus = 00h, *bError* = 00h
bChainParameter = 00h
abData = SW1, SW2

Bulk transfer:

APDU level message exchange, case 3 command, extended APDU

PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock (1) message →

dwLength = BufferLength
bSlot = 00h, *bSeq* = 00h, *bReserved* = 00h,
wLevelParameter = 0001h
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, Lc,
Data(BufferLength – 7)

(2) message ← **RDR_to_PC_DataBlock**

dwLength = 00000000h
bSlot = 00h, *bSeq* = 00h
bStatus = 00h, *bError* = 00h
bChainParameter = 10h
abData = empty

PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock (3) message →

dwLength = BufferLength
bSlot = 00h, *bSeq* = 01h, *bReserved* = 00h,
wLevelParameter = 0003h
abData = Data(BufferLength)

(4) message ← **RDR_to_PC_DataBlock**

dwLength = 00000000h
bSlot = 00h, *bSeq* = 01h
bStatus = 00h, *bError* = 00h
bChainParameter = 10h
abData = empty

PC_to_RDR_XfrBlock (5) message →

dwLength = remaining part of data
bSlot = 00h, *bSeq* = 00h, *bReserved* = 00h,
wLevelParameter = 0002h
abData = Data(<buffer length)

(5) message ← **RDR_to_PC_DataBlock**

dwLength = 00000002h
bSlot = 00h, *bSeq* = 02h
bStatus = 00h, *bError* = 00h
bChainParameter = 00h
abData = SW1, SW2

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Control transfer, Version A: Case 1 command

dwFeatures = 0000 0840h
dwProtocols= 0000 0001h

XFR_BLOCK

wValue: *bLevelParameter* = 00h; *bRFU* = 00h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h; *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0005h
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, P3=00h

(1) request →

(1) data →

GET_ICC_STATUS

wValue: wRFU = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h; *bInterface* = 00h,
wLength = 0001h

(2) request →

(2) data ← StatusByte: 4xh
 StatusByte: 20h

if (StatusByte=20h)
if (StatusByte=4xh)

Break
(2) Repeat

ready to send status words only

DATA_BLOCK

wValue: wRFU = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h; *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0002h

(3) request →

(3) data ← SW1, SW2

End

**Control transfer, Version A:
Case 2 command, short APDU**

dwFeatures = 0000 0840h
dwProtocols = 0000 0001h

XFR_BLOCK

wValue: *bLevelParameter* = 00h, *bRFU* = 00h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0005h
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, Le

(1) request →

(1) data →

GET_ICC_STATUS

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0001h

(2) request →

(2) data ← StatusByte: 4xh
 StatusByte: 10h

if (StatusByte=10h)
if (StatusByte=4xh)

Break
(2) Repeat

ready to send data

DATA_BLOCK

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = Le

(3) request →

(3) data ← Data(Le)

GET_ICC_STATUS

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0001h

(4) request →

(4) data ← StatusByte: 4xh
 StatusByte: 20h

if (StatusByte=20h)
if (StatusByte=4xh)

Break
(4) Repeat

ready to send status words only

DATA_BLOCK

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0002h

(5) request →

(5) data ← SW1, SW2

End

**Control transfer, Version A:
APDU level message exchange, case 1 command**

dwFeatures = 0002 0840h
dwProtocols= 0000 0002h

XFR_BLOCK	(1) request →	
wValue: <i>bLevelParameter</i> = 00h, <i>bRFU</i> = 00h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = 0004h		
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2	(1) data →	
GET_ICC_STATUS	(2) request →	
wValue: <i>wRFU</i> = 0000h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = 0001h	(2) data ←	StatusByte: 4xh StatusByte: 20h
if (StatusByte=20h)	Break	
if (StatusByte=4xh)	(2) Repeat	
DATA_BLOCK	(3) request →	
wValue: <i>wRFU</i> = 0000h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = 0002h	(3) data ←	SW1, SW2
	End	

**Control transfer, Version A:
APDU level message exchange, case 2 command, short APDU**

dwFeatures = 0002 0840h
dwProtocols= 0000 0002h

XFR_BLOCK	(1) request →	
wValue: <i>bLevelParameter</i> = 00h, <i>bRFU</i> = 00h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = 0005h		
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, Le	(1) data →	
GET_ICC_STATUS	(2) request →	
wValue: <i>wRFU</i> = 0000h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = 0001h	(2) data ←	StatusByte: 4xh StatusByte: 10h
if (StatusByte=10h)	Break	
if (StatusByte=4xh)	(2) Repeat	
DATA_BLOCK	(3) request →	
wValue: <i>wRFU</i> = 0000h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = Le+02h	(3) data ←	Data(Le), SW1, SW2
	End	

**Control transfer, Version A:
APDU level message exchange, case 3 command, short APDU**

dwFeatures = 0002 0840h
dwProtocols= 0000 0002h

XFR_BLOCK	(1) request →	
wValue: <i>bLevelParameter</i> = 00h, <i>bRFU</i> = 00h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = Lc + 0005h		
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, Lc, Data(Lc)	(1) data →	
GET_ICC_STATUS	(2) request →	
wValue: <i>wRFU</i> = 0000h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = 0001h	(2) data ←	StatusByte: 4xh StatusByte: 20h
if (StatusByte=20h)	Break	
if (StatusByte=4xh)	(2) Repeat	
DATA_BLOCK	(3) request →	
wValue: <i>wRFU</i> = 0000h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = 0002h	(3) data ←	SW1, SW2
	End	

**Control transfer, Version A:
APDU level message exchange, case 4 command, short APDU**

dwFeatures = 0002 0840h
dwProtocols= 0000 0002h

XFR_BLOCK	(1) request →	
wValue: <i>bLevelParameter</i> = 00h, <i>bRFU</i> = 00h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = Lc + 0006h		
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, Lc, Data(Lc), Le	(1) data →	
GET_ICC_STATUS	(2) request →	
wValue: <i>wRFU</i> = 0000h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = 0001h	(2) data ←	StatusByte: 4xh StatusByte: 10h
if (StatusByte=10h)	Break	
if (StatusByte=4xh)	(2) Repeat	
DATA_BLOCK	(3) request →	
wValue: <i>wRFU</i> = 0000h		
wIndex: <i>bRFU</i> = 00h, <i>bInterface</i> = 00h		
wLength = Le + 02h	(3) data ←	Data(Le), SW1, SW2
	End	

**Control transfer, Version A:
APDU level message exchange, case 2 command, extended APDU**

dwFeatures = 0004 0840h
dwProtocols = 0000 0002h

XFR_BLOCK

wValue: *bLevelParameter* = 00h, *bRFU* = 00h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0007h
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, P3=00h, Le

(1) request →

(1) data →

GET_ICC_STATUS

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0001h

(2) request →

(2) data ← StatusByte: 4xh
 StatusByte: 10h
 StatusByte: 11h

if (StatusByte=10h OR StatusByte=11h)
if (StatusByte=4xh)

Break
(2) Repeat

if (10h)

Execute the next request

DATA_BLOCK

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = BufferLength

(3) request →

(3) data ← Data(<=BufferLength-2),
 SW1, SW2

End

if (11h)

Loop the next two requests

DATA_BLOCK

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = BufferLength

(n) request →

(n) data ← Data(BufferLength)

GET_ICC_STATUS

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0001h

(n+1) request →

(n+1) data ← StatusByte: 4xh
 StatusByte: 12h
 StatusByte: 13h

if (StatusByte=12h)
if (StatusByte=4xh)
if (StatusByte=13h)

Break
(n+1) Repeat
(n) Repeat

DATA_BLOCK

wValue: wRFU = 0000h

wIndex: bRFU = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h

wLength = BufferLength

(m) request →

(m) data ← Data(≤BufferLength-2),
SW1, SW2

End

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**Control transfer, Version A:
APDU level message exchange, case 3 command, extended APDU**

dwFeatures = 0004 0840h
dwProtocols= 0000 0002h

XFR_BLOCK

wValue: *bLevelParameter* = 00h/01h, *bRFU* = 00h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = BufferLength
abData = CLA, INS, P1, P2, P3=00h, Lc,
Data(BufferLength-7)

(1) request →

(1) data →

GET_ICC_STATUS

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0001h

(2) request →

(2) data ← StatusByte: 4xh
 StatusByte: 20h
 StatusByte: 11h

if (StatusByte=20h OR StatusByte=11h)
if (StatusByte=4xh)

Break
(2) Repeat

if (StatusByte=10h):

execute the next request

DATA_BLOCK

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0002h

(3) request →

(3) data ← SW1, SW2

End

if (StatusByte=11h)

Loop the next two requests

XFR_BLOCK

wValue: *bLevelParameter* = 03h/02h, *bRFU* = 00h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = BufferLength
abData = Data(BufferLength)

(n) request →

(n) data →

GET_ICC_STATUS

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0001h

(n+1) request →

data ← StatusByte: 4xh
 StatusByte: 20h
 StatusByte: 13h

if (StatusByte=20h)
if (StatusByte=13h)
if (StatusByte=4xh)

Break
Repeat(n)
(n+1) Repeat

DATA_BLOCK

wValue: *wRFU* = 0000h
wIndex: *bRFU* = 00h, *bInterface* = 00h
wLength = 0002h

(m) request →

(m) data ← SW1, SW2

End