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1. Introduction and Purpose

The purpose of this document is to establish a **WEB SERVICES SERVICE INTERACTION PROFILE (WS SIP)** based on the Web services (WS) family of technology standards.

A **SERVICE INTERACTION PROFILE**[†] (SIP) is a concept identified in the Global Justice Reference Architecture (**JRA**). This concept defines an approach to meeting the basic requirements necessary for interaction between **SERVICE CONSUMERS** and **SERVICES**. The approach utilizes a cohesive or natural grouping of technologies, standards, or techniques in meeting those basic interaction requirements. A profile establishes a basis for interoperability between service consumer systems and services that agree to utilize that profile for interaction.

A service interaction profile guides the definition of **SERVICE INTERFACES**. In an SOA environment, every service interface shared between two or more information systems should conform to exactly one service interaction profile. Service consumers that interact with an interface should likewise conform to that interface's profile.

The Web Services Service Interaction Profile (WS SIP) discussed in this document is based on the Web services family of technology standards, defined as follows:

- The Web Services Interoperability (WS-I) Organization Basic Profile (**[WS-I BP]**),[‡] Version 1.1, and all standards that it references (dated April 10, 2006).
- The WS-I Attachments Profile (**[WS-I AP]**), Version 1.0, and all standards that it references.
- The WS-I Basic Security Profile (**[WS-I BSP]**) current Working Group Draft, Version 1.0 (dated March 30, 2007), and all Token Profiles and related standards adopted by reference.
- Other standards explicitly identified in this document developed by the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) or the Organization for the Advancement of Structured Information Standards (OASIS).
- If no standard is available from WS-I, W3C, or OASIS to meet an identified requirement, then specifications developed by and issued under the copyright of a group of two or more companies will be referenced.

1.1. Profile Selection Guidance

The following table provides guidance on the selection of service interaction profiles (SIP).

[†] Words or phrases formatted in this **STYLE** are defined in the Glossary.

[‡] Abbreviations formatted in this **[style]** represent citations defined in the References section below.

Select this Profile...	If your technology stack for information sharing includes:
Web Services SIP	SOAP, WS-I, WS-*
ebXML SIP	ebXML technologies ([ebXML])

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35 1.2. Usage

36 This document is intended to serve as a guideline for exchanging information among
37 consumer systems and provider systems by satisfying the service interaction
38 requirements identified in the JRA Specification document¹ ([**JRA**]) on pages 35
39 and 36. This profile does not guide interaction between humans and services, even
40 though such interaction is within the scope of the OASIS Reference Model for
41 Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA-RM), Version 1.0. However, in demonstrating
42 satisfaction of the “Identity and Attribute Assertion Transmission” service interaction
43 requirement, this profile defines how a consumer system should send identity and
44 other information about a human to a service.

45 This document may serve as a reference or starting point for implementers to use in
46 defining their own Web Services Service Interaction Profile (WS SIP). However, to
47 remain valid and consistent with the JRA, an implementer may only further specify
48 or constrain this profile and may not introduce techniques or mechanisms that
49 conflict with this profile’s guidance.

50 This document assumes that the reader is familiar with the JRA Specification and
51 that the reader interprets this document as a service interaction profile defined in the
52 context of that architecture.

53 1.3. Namespace References

54 This document associates the following namespace abbreviations and namespace
55 identifiers:

- 56 • xsd: <http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema>
- 57 • wsdl: <http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/>

58 2. Conformance Requirements

59 This section describes what it means to “conform to” this service interaction profile.

¹ Global Justice Reference Architecture Specification, Working Draft, Version 1.4, <http://it.ojp.gov/globaljra>.

2.1. Conformance Targets

A conformance target is any element or aspect of an information sharing architecture whose implementation or behavior is constrained by this service interaction profile. This profile places such constraints on concepts in order to ensure interoperable implementations of those concepts.

This profile identifies the following conformance targets, which are concepts from the **[JRA]**:

- **SERVICE INTERFACE**
- **SERVICE CONSUMER**
- **MESSAGE**

That is, this service interaction profile only addresses, specifies, or constrains these three conformance targets. Other elements of an information sharing architecture are not addressed, specified, or constrained by this profile.

To conform to this service interaction profile, an approach to integrating two or more information systems must:

- Identify and implement all of the conformance targets listed above in a way consistent with their definitions in the **[JRA]**.
- Meet all the requirements for each of the targets established in this service interaction profile.

Conformance to this service interaction profile does not require a service interface to enforce every service interaction requirement identified in the JRA. If an interface enforces a particular service interaction requirement, conformance to this profile requires that it do so as directed by the guidance specified here.

84 **2.2. General Conformance Requirements (Normative)**

85 A service interface conforms to this service interaction profile if:

- 86 • The interface's description meets all requirements of the **DESCRIPTION**
87 conformance target in **[WS-I BP]**.
- 88 • The interface meets all requirements of the **INSTANCE** and **RECEIVER**
89 conformance targets in **[WS-I BP]**.

90 A service consumer conforms to this service interaction profile if:

- 91 • The consumer meets all requirements of the **CONSUMER** and **SENDER**
92 conformance targets in **[WS-I BP]**.

93 A **MESSAGE** conforms to this service interaction profile if:

- 94 • The message meets all requirements of the **MESSAGE** and **ENVELOPE**
95 conformance targets in **[WS-I BP]**.
- 96 • The message conforms to the National Information Exchange Model
97 (**[NIEM]**), Version 1.0; Global Justice XML Data Model (**[GJXDM]**), Version
98 3.0.3; or other published standard **DOMAIN VOCABULARIES** in which the
99 semantics of the service's information model match components in those
100 vocabularies.

101 **2.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

102 Global intends to monitor progress on the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C)
103 Message Transmission Optimization Mechanism (**[MTOM]**) and XML-Binary
104 Optimized Packaging (**[XOP]**) standards, as well as emerging WS-I Basic Profile
105 versions that reference these standards, to assess these standards' appropriateness
106 for inclusion in this Web Services Service Interaction Profile. Implementers should
107 be aware that not all product and infrastructure vendors are supporting WS-I
108 Attachments Profile, due to its reliance on the Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions
109 (MIME) standard for encoding attachments.

110

111 **3. Service Interaction Requirements**

112 Conformance to this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that if an
113 approach to integrating two systems has any of the following requirements, each
114 such requirement be implemented as indicated in each section below.

115 **3.1. Service Consumer Authentication**

116 **3.1.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

117 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
118 provided with messages transmitted from service consumer to service to verify the
119 identity of the consumer.

120 **3.1.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

121 Conformance with this service interaction profile requires that message(s) sent to the
122 service interface by a service consumer must assert the consumer's identity by
123 including a security token that conforms to **[WS-I BSP]**.

124 If the chosen security token relies on a digital signature, then conformance with this
125 service interaction profile requires that the **EXECUTION CONTEXT** supporting the
126 service interaction include appropriate public key infrastructure (PKI).

127 **3.1.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

128 This service interaction profile assumes that implementers will utilize features of their
129 data networks (including but not limited to HTTPS, firewalls, and virtual private
130 networks **[VPNs]**) to satisfy consumer authentication requirements. Conformance to
131 the guidance above is necessary only when network features are inadequate to
132 authenticate the consumer (for instance, when the message must transit an
133 intermediary service or when persistent message-level authentication is required by
134 the service).

135 **3.2. Service Consumer Authorization**

136 **3.2.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

137 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
138 provided with messages transmitted from service consumer to service to document or
139 assert the consumer's authorization to perform certain actions on and/or access
140 certain information via the service.

141 **3.2.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

142 Conformance with this service interaction profile requires that message(s) sent to the
143 service interface by a service consumer must assert the consumer's authorization to
144 perform the requested action by including a security assertion containing an attribute
145 statement, such that the assertion and attribute statement conform to the Security
146 Assertion Markup Language ([SAML]), Version 2.0, specification set.

147 **3.2.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

148 Implementers are encouraged to monitor the development of the Global Federated
149 Identity and Privilege Management ([GFIPM]) metadata initiative and reflect the
150 guidance of that initiative and its message definitions. Future versions of this service
151 interaction profile may require conformance with GFIPM metadata structures and
152 encoding, once they have been finalized and endorsed by the appropriate Global
153 committees and working groups.

154 Additionally, future conformance with this service interaction profile may require that
155 the execution context supporting the service interaction include a valid GFIPM
156 identity provider that shall have generated the SAML assertion.

157 Global will continue to monitor the SAML standard to assess the appropriateness of
158 SAML updates for inclusion in this Web Services Service Interaction Profile.

159 The current GFIPM metadata and SAML encoding specifications referenced are an
160 early version and will undergo substantive changes. Specifically, the current GFIPM
161 specification will be reconciled with NIEM 2.0 and incorporate feedback resulting
162 from the ongoing GFIPM pilot project.

163 **3.3. Identity and Attribute Assertion Transmission**

164 **3.3.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

165 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
166 provided with messages transmitted from service consumer to service to assert the
167 validity of information about a human or machine, including its identity.

168 **3.3.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

169 Conformance with this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that
170 message(s) sent to the service interface by a service consumer must assert the
171 consumer's authorization to perform the requested action by including an assertion
172 containing an attribute statement, such that the assertion and attribute statement
173 conform to the Security Assertion Markup Language ([SAML]), Version 2.0.

174 **3.3.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

175 Implementers are encouraged to monitor the development of the Global Federated
176 Identity and Privilege Management (**[GFIPM]**) metadata initiative and reflect the
177 guidance of that initiative and its message definitions. Future versions of this service
178 interaction profile may require conformance with GFIPM metadata structures and
179 encoding, once they have been finalized and endorsed by the appropriate Global
180 committees and working groups.

181 Additionally, future conformance with this service interaction profile may require that
182 the execution context supporting the service interaction include a valid GFIPM
183 identity provider that shall have generated the SAML assertion.

184 The current GFIPM metadata and SAML encoding specifications referenced are an
185 early version and will undergo substantive changes. Specifically, the current GFIPM
186 specification will be reconciled with NIEM 2.0 and incorporate feedback resulting
187 from the ongoing GFIPM initiative.

188 **3.4. Service Authentication**

189 **3.4.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

190 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how a service provides
191 information to a consumer that demonstrates the service's identity to the consumer's
192 satisfaction.

193 **3.4.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

194 Conformance with this service interaction profile requires that message(s) sent to the
195 service interface by a **SERVICE PROVIDER** must assert the provider's identity by
196 including a security token that conforms to **[WS-I BSP]**.

197 If the chosen security token relies on a digital signature, then conformance with this
198 service interaction profile requires that the execution context supporting the service
199 interaction include appropriate public key infrastructure (PKI).

200 **3.4.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

201 This service interaction profile assumes that implementers will utilize features of their
202 data networks (including but not limited to HTTPS, firewalls, and virtual private
203 networks **[VPNs]**) to satisfy consumer authentication requirements. Conformance to
204 the guidance above is necessary only when network features are inadequate to
205 authenticate the provider (for instance, when the message must transit an
206 intermediary service or when persistent message-level authentication is required by
207 the service).

208 **3.5. Message Non-Repudiation**

209 **3.5.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

210 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
211 provided in a message to allow the recipient to prove that a particular authorized
212 sender in fact sent the message.

213 **3.5.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

214 Conformance with this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that the
215 sender of the message must:

- 216 • Include a creation timestamp in the manner prescribed in Section 10,
217 “Security Timestamps,” of **[WS-Security]**.
- 218 • Create a digital signature of the creation timestamp and the part of the
219 message requiring non-repudiation (which may be the entire message). This
220 signature must conform to the requirements of **[WS-I BSP]** Section 8, “XML-
221 Signature.”

222 Conformance with this service interaction profile requires that the execution context
223 supporting the service interaction include appropriate PKI.

224 **3.5.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

225 By itself, this method does not provide for absolute non-repudiation. The business
226 parties (e.g., agencies) involved in the service interaction should supplement the
227 technical approach with a written agreement that establishes whether—and under
228 what circumstances—they permit repudiation.

229 Note that **[WS-Security]** provides an example of this technical approach in
230 Section 11, “Extend Example.”

231 **3.6. Message Integrity**

232 **3.6.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

233 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
234 provided in a message to allow the recipient to verify that the message has not
235 changed since it left control of the sender.

236 **3.6.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

237 Conformance with this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that the
238 sender of the message must sign all or part of a message using **[XML Signature]**.
239 The message must meet all requirements of **[WS-I BSP]** Section 8, “XML-
240 Signature.”

241 Conformance with this service interaction profile requires that the execution context
242 supporting the service interaction include appropriate PKI.

243 **3.6.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

244 This Web Services Service Interaction Profile assumes that implementers will utilize
245 features of their data networks (including but not limited to HTTPS, firewalls, and
246 virtual private networks) to satisfy integrity requirements. Conformance to the
247 guidance above is necessary only when network features are inadequate to provide
248 integrity (for instance, when the message must transit an intermediary service or
249 when persistent message-level integrity is required by the service).

250 **3.7. Message Confidentiality**

251 **3.7.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

252 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
253 provided in a message to protect anyone except an authorized recipient from reading
254 the message or parts of the message.

255 **3.7.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

256 Conformance with this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that the
257 sender of the message must encrypt all or part of a message using **[XML**
258 **Encryption]** as further specified and constrained in **[WS-I BSP]**. The encryption
259 must result from application of an encryption algorithm approved by **[FIPS 140-2]**.

260 Confidential elements or sections of a message must meet the requirements
261 associated with ENCRYPTED_DATA in **[WS-I BSP]** Section 9, "XML Encryption."

262 Conformance with this service interaction profile requires that the execution context
263 supporting the service interaction include appropriate PKI.

264 **3.7.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

265 None.

266 **3.8. Message Addressing**

267 **3.8.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

268 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
269 provided in a message to indicate:

- 270 • Where a message originated.
- 271 • The ultimate destination of the message beyond physical endpoint.

- 272 • A specific recipient to whom the message should be delivered (this includes
273 sophisticated metadata designed specifically to support routing).
- 274 • A specific address or entity to which reply messages (if any) should be sent.

275 **3.8.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

276 Conformance with this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that every
277 message must conform to the WS-Addressing 1.0 Core (**[WS-Addressing Core]**)
278 and SOAP Binding (**[WS-Addressing SOAP Binding]**) specifications, as
279 described in Section 8 of **[WS-Addressing SOAP Binding]**. Conformance of
280 messages with the WS-Addressing 1.0 WSDL Binding (**[WS-Addressing WSDL**
281 **Binding]**) is recommended but not required.

282 If the addressing requirements of a specific interaction are satisfied by the
283 components within the XML namespace defined by the OASIS Emergency
284 Management Technical Committee and whose identifier is
285 urn:oasis:names:tc:emergency:EDXL:DE:1.0 (or later version), then conformance
286 with this service interaction profile requires that:

- 287 1. The message include a SOAP header that conforms to **[WS-Addressing**
288 **Core]** and identifies, with an endpoint reference, the logical or physical
289 address of an intermediary service responsible for implementing the
290 addressing requirements; and
- 291 2. The endpoint reference include, as a reference property, an XML structure
292 conformant to and valid against the components in the namespace whose
293 identifier is urn:oasis:names:tc:emergency:EDXL:DE:1.0.

294 In this section, the terms “endpoint reference” and “reference property” are to be
295 interpreted as they are defined in **[WS-Addressing Core]**.

296 **3.8.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

297 Note that the EDXL Distribution Element is included in the current production
298 release of NIEM, Version 1.0, as an external standard.

299 **3.9. Reliability**

300 **3.9.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

301 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
302 provided with messages to permit message senders to receive notification of the
303 success or failure of message transmissions and to permit messages sent with specific
304 sequence-related rules either to arrive as intended or fail as a group.

305 **3.9.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

306 Conformance with this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that
307 message(s) must contain SOAP headers that conform to the requirements of the
308 OASIS WS-ReliableMessaging standard (**[WS-RM]**).

309 Conformance with this service interaction profile requires that the execution context
310 supporting the interaction include components that implement the RM-Source and
311 RM-Destination components defined in the **[WS-RM]** standard.

312 **3.9.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

313 Global will continue monitoring the emerging WS-I Reliable Secure Profile (**[WS-I**
314 **RSP]**) as to appropriateness for inclusion in this Web Services Service Interaction
315 Profile.

316 **3.10. Transaction Support**

317 **3.10.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

318 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how information is
319 provided with messages to permit a sequence of messages to be treated as an atomic
320 transaction by the recipient.

321 **3.10.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

322 Conformance with this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that the
323 following must be true of the consumers, services, and messages involved in the
324 interaction:

- 325 • The consumers and services must meet the behavioral requirements of
326 “applications” and “participants” as defined in **[WS-Coordination]**, **[WS-**
327 **Atomic Transaction]**, and **[WS-Business Activity]**, as appropriate per
328 nature of the transaction requirements.
- 329 • Messages must include the appropriate Coordination Context SOAP header
330 to identify the transactional activity, as defined in **[WS-Coordination]** and
331 as further specified in **[WS-Atomic Transaction]** to support synchronous
332 short duration transactions or **[WS-Business Activity]** to support
333 asynchronous long-running transactions, as appropriate per nature of the
334 transaction requirements.

335 The description of the service interface for each service involved in the interaction
336 must conform to the policy assertion requirements identified in Section 5 of **[WS-**
337 **Atomic Transaction]** and Section 4 of **[WS-Business Activity]**, as appropriate
338 per nature of the transaction requirements.

339 Conformance with this service interaction profile requires that the execution context
340 supporting the interaction include components that implement the Activation and
341 Registration services defined in **[WS-Coordination]**.

342 **3.10.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

343 None.

344 **3.11. Service Metadata Availability**

345 **3.11.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

346 The JRA requires that each service interaction profile define how the service captures
347 and makes available (via query) metadata about the service. Metadata is
348 information that describes or categorizes the service and often assists consumers in
349 interacting with the service in some way.

350 **3.11.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

351 Conformance to this Web Services Service Interaction Profile requires that service
352 interfaces responding to requests for metadata about the interface and underlying
353 service must respond to a service consumer's Get Metadata Request message or Get
354 Request message with a Get Metadata Response message or Get Response message,
355 respectively, where these messages conform to the requirements of the WS-Metadata
356 Exchange specification (**[WS-Metadata Exchange]**).

357 **3.11.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

358 None.

359 **3.12. Interface Description Requirements**

360 **3.12.1. Statement of Requirement From JRA**

361 This section demonstrates how this profile meets the Service Interaction
362 Requirements identified in the **[JRA]**.

363 **3.12.2. Conformance Targets (Normative)**

364 Section 2.2 above indicates that a service interface conforms to this service
365 interaction profile if its description meets all requirements of the description
366 conformance target in **[WS-I BP]**. **[WS-I BP]** requires an interface's description to
367 consist of a Web Services Description Language (WSDL) document that conforms to
368 **[WSDL 1.1]**.

369 The WSDL document must include the following child elements of the
370 wsdl:definitions element:

- 371 • At least one wsdl:message element for each message involved in the
372 interaction with the service.
- 373 • Within the wsdl:portType and wsdl:binding elements, a wsdl:operation
374 element corresponding to each action in the service's behavior model (as
375 defined in the **[JRA]**).

376 The WSDL document should define types only through importing namespaces
377 defined in external XML Schema. Specifically:

- 378 • The WSDL document's wsdl:types element should contain only a single child
379 xsd:schema element.
- 380 • The single xsd:schema element should contain only xsd:import elements,
381 each importing a namespace defined in an external schema.
- 382 • Each xsd:import element should contain exactly two attributes, namespace
383 and schemaLocation, the value of which are non-null and non-empty.

384 **3.12.3. Implementation Notes and Implications (Non-Normative)**

385 These guidelines regarding definition of types outside a WSDL document are
386 intended to improve reusability of message definitions across service interaction
387 profiles and to separate the concerns of interface definition from message definition.

388 Note that many of the standards referenced by this profile require use of particular
389 SOAP headers. The WSDL document that describes a service interface must
390 describe these headers in conformance with the guidance of these standards.

391

392 **4. Message Exchange Patterns**

393 **4.1. Fire-and-Forget Pattern**

394 This section discusses how the message exchange patterns (MEP) identified in the
395 **[JRA]** are supported by this profile.

396 The fire-and-forget message exchange pattern corresponds to a one-way operation
397 as defined in **[WSDL 1.1]**. This service interaction profile supports this pattern by
398 requiring that service consumers and service interfaces conform to **[WS-I BP]**. In
399 particular, Section 4.7.9, “One-Way Operations,” of **[WS-I BP]** requires that a
400 service interface respond to a one-way operation by returning an HTTP response
401 with an empty entity-body. Many composite asynchronous message exchange
402 patterns can be derived from this primitive pattern.

403 **4.2. Request-Response Pattern**

404 The request-response message exchange pattern corresponds to a request-response
405 operation as defined in **[WSDL 1.1]**. This service interaction profile supports this
406 pattern by requiring that service consumers and service interfaces conform to **[WS-I**
407 **BP]**.

408 This MEP is synchronous and can be combined with fire-and-forget MEPs to form
409 more sophisticated composite MEPs.

410 An asynchronous request-response pattern is supported through a composite MEP.
411 It is implemented using two one-way fire-and-forget MEPs.

412 **4.3. Publish-Subscribe Pattern**

413 The publish-subscribe message exchange pattern is an asynchronous MEP.
414 Normally, the publisher and the subscriber are decoupled by an intermediary.

415 The publish-subscribe MEP could be constructed as a composite MEP by using
416 primitive MEPs as defined in this document:

- 417 1. A subscriber sends a subscription message to the intermediary using the fire-
418 and-forget primitive MEP.
- 419 2. A publisher sends an event message to the intermediary using the fire-and-
420 forget primitive MEP.
- 421 3. There are two ways to deliver the event to the subscriber:
 - 422 a. The intermediary sends the event notification to the subscriber using
423 the fire-and-forget primitive MEP, or
 - 424 b. The subscriber pulls event notification messages periodically from the
425 intermediary using the request-response primitive MEP.

426 The publish-subscribe MEP is increasingly being used in a Web services context. An
427 emerging family of standards, **[WS-Notification]**, defines a standard-based Web
428 services approach to notification using a publish-subscribe message exchange
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5. Message Definition Mechanisms

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This section demonstrates how this profile supports the **MESSAGE DEFINITION MECHANISMS** identified in the **[JRA]**.

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This service interaction profile requires that each message consist of one, but not both, of the following:

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- A single SOAP message (defined as the message conformance target in **[WS-I BP]**) that meets all requirements of this profile.

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- A SOAP message package (as defined in SOAP messages with attachments **[SwA]** and as constrained by **[WS-I AP]** and **[WSS SwA]**).

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Note that **[WS-I BP]** and **[WS-I AP]** require that the single SOAP message (in the first case above) or the “root part” of the SOAP message package (in the second case) be well-formed XML. This XML must be valid against an XML Schema (as defined in **[XML Schema]**) that defines the message structure.

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The names of all elements in this XML Schema must conform to the guidelines documented in Service Description Guidelines (**[SDG]**).

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447 **6. Glossary**

448 **DOMAIN VOCABULARIES**

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Includes canonical data models, data dictionaries, and markup languages that standardize the meaning and structure of information for a domain. Domain vocabularies can improve the interoperability between consumer and provider systems by providing a neutral, common basis for structuring and assigning semantic meaning to information exchanged as part of service interaction. Domain vocabularies can usually be extended to address information needs specific to the service interaction or to the business partners integrating their systems.

461 **EXECUTION CONTEXT**

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The set of technical and business elements that form a path between those with needs and those with capabilities and that permit service providers and consumers to interact.

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The entire “package” of information sent between service consumer and service (or vice versa), including any logical partitioning of the message into segments or sections.

469 **MESSAGE DEFINITION MECHANISM**

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Establishes a standard way of defining the structure and contents of a message; for example, GJXDM- or NIEM-conformant schema sets. Note that since a message includes the concept of an “attachment,” the message definition mechanism must identify how different sections of a message (for example, the main section and any “attachment” sections) are separated and identified and how attachment sections are structured and formatted.

480 **SERVICE**

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The means by which the needs of a consumer are brought together with the capabilities of a provider. A service is the way in which one partner gains access to a capability offered by another partner.

485	SERVICE CONSUMER	An entity that seeks to satisfy a particular need
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487		a service.
488	SERVICE INTERACTION PROFILE	A family of standards or other technologies or
489		techniques that together demonstrate
490		implementation or satisfaction of all the
491		requirements of interaction with a service. See
492		“Service Interaction Profile” section of [JRA] for
493		details.
494	SERVICE INTERFACE	The means by which the underlying capabilities
495		of a service are accessed. A service interface is
496		the means for interacting with a service. It
497		includes the specific protocols, commands, and
498		information exchange by which actions are
499		initiated on the service. A service interface is
500		what a system designer or implementer
501		(programmer) uses to design or build executable
502		software that interacts with the service.
503	SERVICE PROVIDER	An entity (person or organization) that offers the
504		use of capabilities by means of a service.
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- IETF: Internet Engineering Task Force
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