

Ruckus Wireless, Inc. SmartZone 104 (SZ-104), SmartZone 124 (SZ-124) and SmartZone 300 (SZ-300) WLAN Controllers

FIPS 140-2 Level 2 Non-Proprietary Security Policy

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1. Module Overview

SmartZone 104 (SZ-104) and SmartZone 124 (SZ-124) are scalable, resilient, and high performing wireless LAN controllers within Ruckus Wireless, Inc. family of WLAN controllers. They manage up to 1,024 ZoneFlex Smart Wi-Fi access points, 2,000 WLANs, and 25,000 clients per device.

The SmartZone 300 (SZ300) Flagship Large Scale WLAN Controller is designed for Service Provider and Large Enterprises, which prefer to use appliances. The Carrier Grade platform supports comprehensive integrated management functionality, high performance operations and flexibility to address many different implementation scenarios. The SZ300 supports up to 10,000 AP and 100,000 Clients per unit.



Figure 1: Encryption between AP and Controller

FIPS 140-2 conformance testing was performed at Security Level 2. The following configurations were tested by the lab.

Table 1: Configurations tested by the lab.

| Module Name and Version | Firmware version |
|-------------------------|------------------|
| SmartZone 104 | 3.6.0.3 |
| SmartZone 124 | 3.6.0.3 |
| SmartZone 300 | 3.6.0.3 |

The Cryptographic Module meets FIPS 140-2 Level 2 requirements.

Table 2: Module Security Level Statement.

| FIPS Security Area | Security Level |
|------------------------------------|----------------|
| | |
| Cryptographic Module Specification | 2 |
| Module Ports and Interfaces | 2 |
| Roles, Services and Authentication | 2 |
| Finite State Model | 2 |
| Physical Security | 2 |
| Operational Environment | N/A |
| Cryptographic Key Management | 2 |
| EMI/EMC | 2 |
| Self-tests | 2 |
| Design Assurance | 2 |
| Mitigation of Other Attacks | N/A |

The cryptographic boundary of the module is the enclosure that contains components of the module. The enclosure of the cryptographic module is opaque within the visible spectrum. The module uses tamper evident labels to provide the evidence of tampering.

Figure 2: SmartZone 104



Figure 3: SmartZone 124



Figure 4: SmartZone 300



2. Modes of Operation

The module is intended to always operate in the FIPS approved mode. However, a provision is made to disable/enable FIPS mode via configuration. Refer to the Ruckus Wireless, Inc. FIPS Configuration Guide for more information.

The Crypto Officer must invoke the user interface using default password. The following command must be executed prior to operating the module in the FIPS mode: fips enable

Crypto Officer must change the default password during the installation.

2.1 Approved Cryptographic Functions

The following approved cryptographic algorithms are used in FIPS approved mode of operation.

Table 3: Approved Cryptographic Functions

| CAVP Cert | Library | Algorithm | Standard | Model/Method | Key Lengths, Curves or | Use |
|-----------|---|------------|--|---|---------------------------|--|
| | | | | | Moduli | |
| 5471 | Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library | AES | FIPS 197 SP 800-38F, SP 800-38C, SP 800-38D | CBC Decrypt/Encrypt | 128, 256 | Data Encryption/ Decryption KTS (AES Cert. #5097 and |
| 5097 | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto Library | | | ECB, CBC, CTR, GCM ¹ Decrypt/Encrypt | 128, 192, 256 | HMAC Cert. #3399; key establishment methodology provides between 128 and 256 bits of encryption strength) |
| 2624 | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto Library | Triple-DES | SP 800-67 | TECB, TCBC | 192 | Data Encryption/ Decryption ² KTS (Triple-DES Cert. #2624 and HMAC Cert. #3399; key establishment methodology provides 112 bits of encryption strength) |
| 4390 | Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library | SHA | FIPS 180-4 | SHA1 SHA224 SHA256 SHA384 SHA512 | | Message Digest |
| 4351 | Ruckus SmartZone Controller DRBG SHA Java Crypto Library | | | | | |
| 4145 | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto Library | | | | | |
| 3627 | Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library | НМАС | FIPS 198-1 | HMAC-SHA256 HMAC-SHA384 | | Message Authentication KTS |

| | | | · | Curves or Moduli | |
|--|---|--|--|---|--|
| Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto Library | | | HMAC-SHA1 HMAC-SHA224 HMAC-SHA256 HMAC-SHA384 HMAC-SHA512 | | |
| Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library | DRBG | SP 800-90A | Hash based | | Deterministic Random Bit Generation ³ |
| Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto Library | | | Counter Hash based HMAC based | | |
| Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto Library | ECDSA | FIPS 186-4 | | SigGen: B-233, B-283, B-409, B-571, K-233, K-283, K-409, K-571, P-224, P-256, P-384, P-521 SigVer: B-163, B-233, B-283, B-409, B-571, K-163, K-233, K-283, K-409, K-571, P-192, P-224, P-256 | Digital Signature Generation and Verification |
| HSO HSOHSO | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Drypto Library Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Drypto Library Ruckus Smartzone SSL Drypto Library Ruckus Smartzone SSL Drypto Library | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Drypto Library Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java DRBG Smartzone SSL Drypto Library Ruckus Smartzone SSL Drypto Library Ruckus Smartzone SSL Drypto Library | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto LibraryDRBGSP 800-90ARuckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto LibraryFIPS 186-4Smartzone SSL Crypto LibraryECDSAFIPS 186-4 | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto LibraryDRBGSP 800-90AHMAC-SHA1 HMAC-SHA224 HMAC-SHA384 HMAC-SHA384 HMAC-SHA512Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto LibraryDRBGSP 800-90AHash basedECDSAFIPS 186-4Counter Hash basedSmartzone SSL Crypto LibraryECDSAFIPS 186-4 | Auckus Smartzone SSL Crypto LibraryDRBGSP 800-90AHMAC-SHA1 HMAC-SHA384 HMAC-SHA312Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library Ruckus Smartzone SSL Drypto LibraryDRBGSP 800-90AHash basedCounter Hash based HMAC basedCounter Hash based HMAC basedSigGen: B-233, B-283, B-409, B-571, K-233, K-283, K-409, K-571, P-224, P-521SigVer: B-163, B-283, B-409, B-571, K-233, K-283, B-409, B-571, F-192, P-256, P-384, P-521 |

| CAVP Cert | Library | Algorithm | Standard | Model/Method | Key Lengths, | Use |
|-----------|--|---------------|--------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | | Curves or Moduli | |
| 2938 | Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library | RSA | FIPS 186-2 FIPS 186-4 | SHA224, SHA256, SHA384 SHA512 PKCS1 v1.5 | RSA SigGen (186-4) 2048, 3072 RSA SigVer (186-2) 1024, 1536, 2048, 3072, 4096 RSA SigVer (186-4)) 1024, 2048, 3072 RSA SigGen (186-4) 4096 | Key Generation Digital Signature Generation and Verification |
| 2759 | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto Library | | | SHA-224 SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512 PKCS1 v1.5 ANSI X9.31 PKCSPSS | RSA KeyGen (186-4) 2048, 3072 RSA SigGen (186-2) 4096 RSA SigGen (186-4) 2048, 3072 RSA SigGen (186-2) 1024, 1536, 2048, 3072, 4096 | |
| 1923 | Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library | CVL RSASP1 | FIPS 186-4 | PKCS 1.5 | 2048 | RSA Signature Primitive |
| 1922 | Ruckus Smartzone Controller Java Crypto Library | TLS 1.2 | SP 800-135 | | | Key Derivation ⁴ |
| 1778 | Ruckus Smartzone SNMP Crypto Library | SNMP | | | | |

| CAVP Cert | Library | Algorithm | Standard | Model/Method | Key Lengths, Curves or Moduli | Use |
|-----------------------------|---|------------------------------------|------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1647 | Ruckus Smartzone SSL Crypto Library | TLS 1.2 SSH | | | | |
| CKG (vendor affirmed) | | Cryptographic Key Generation | SP 800-133 | | | Key Generation ⁵ |

Note 1: not all CAVS tested modes of the algorithms are used in this module.

Note 2: any firmware loaded into this module that is not shown on the module certificate, is out of the scope of this validation and requires a separate FIPS 140-2 validation.

¹The module's AES-GCM implementation complies with IG A.5 scenario 1 and RFC 5288. AES-GCM is only used in TLS version 1.2.

²Operators are responsible for ensuring that the same Triple-DES key is not used to encrypt more than 2^16 64-bit data blocks.

³The minimum number of bits of entropy generated by the module is 367 bits.

⁴No parts of these protocols, other than the KDF, have been tested by the CAVP and CMVP.

⁵The module directly uses the output of the DRBG

2.2 Non-FIPS Approved But Allowed Cryptographic Functions.

Table 4: Non-FIPS Approved But Allowed Cryptographic Functions

| Algorithm | Caveat | Use |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | |
| | | |
| RSA Key Wrapping using 2048 bits key | Provides 112 bits of encryption | Used during TLS handshake |
| | strength. | |
| EC DH using 224 / 256 / 384 / 521 bits key | Provides between 112 and 256 | Used during SSH handshake and |
| | bits of encryption strength | TLS handshake |
| DH using 2048 bits key | Provides 112 bits of encryption | Used during TLS handshake and |
| | strength. | SSH session establishment. |
| MD5 | | RADIUS |
| | | |

| Algorithm | Caveat | Use |
|-----------|--------|---|
| | | Note: RADIUS is available in the FIPS approved mode. It is secured using TLS. |
| NDRNG | | Used to seed SP 800-90A DRBG. |

2.3 All other algorithms

Table 5: All other algorithms

| Algorithm | Use |
|--|---|
| MD5 | RADIUS in non-approved mode |
| Elliptic Curves secp256k1, sect239k1, secp224k1, sect193r1, sect193r2, secp192k1, secp192r1, sect163k1, sect163r1, sect163r2, secp160k1, secp160r1, and secp160r2 | Elliptic Curve Cryptography in non-approved mode. |

3. Ports and interfaces

The following table describes physical ports and logical interfaces of the module.

Table 6.1: Ports and Interfaces of SmartZone 104 / 124

| Port Name | Count | Interface(s) |
|--|----------------------------|--|
| Ethernet Ports: 4- 1GbE 2- 10GbE (SZ-124 only) | 6 (SZ-124) 4 (SZ-104) | Data Input, Data Output, Control Input, Status Output |
| USB Port | 2 | Not used |
| Power Receptacle | 1 | Power Input |
| Reset Button | 1 | Control Input |
| F/D Button | 1 | Control Input |
| LEDs | 15 (SZ-124) 11 (SZ-104) | Status Output |
| Console Port | 1 | Data Input, Data Output, Control Input, Status Output |

Table 6.2: Ports and Interfaces of SmartZone 300

| Port Name | Count | Interface(s) |
|---------------------------------|-------|--|
| Ethernet Ports: | 10 | Data Input, Data Output, Control Input, Status Output |
| 6x 1GbE ports 4x 10GbE ports | | Status Output |
| USB Port | 4 | Not used |
| Power Receptacle | 2 | Power Input |
| Reset Button | 1 | Control Input |
| LEDs | 28 | Status Output |
| VGA Port | 1 | Data Output, Status Output |
| Alarm Port | 1 | Not Used |
| Console Ports | 2 | Data Input, Data Output, Control Input, Status Output |

4. Roles, Services and Authentication

The module supports role-based authentication. The module supports a Crypto Officer role, a User Role, and AP Role. The Crypto Officer installs and administers the module. The Users and APs use the cryptographic services provided by the module. The module supports concurrent operators. The module provides the following services.

| Table 7 | 7.1: | Roles | and | Services |
|---------|------|-------|-----|----------|
|---------|------|-------|-----|----------|

| Service | Corresponding Roles | Types of Access to Cryptographic Keys and CSPs R – Read E - Execute W – Write or Create Z – Zeroize |
|-----------------|------------------------------|---|
| Self-test | Crypto Officer User | N/A |
| Reboot | Crypto Officer User | N/A |
| Zeroization | Crypto Officer | All: Z |
| Firmware update | Crypto Officer | Firmware update key: R, E |
| Show status | Crypto Officer User AP | N/A |

| Service | Corresponding Roles | Types of Access to Cryptographic Keys and CSPs R – Read E - Execute W – Write or Create |
|--------------------------|------------------------|--|
| | | Z – Zeroize |
| Login | Crypto Officer | Password: R, W |
| | User | SSH Keys: R, W, E |
| | | TLS Keys: R,W, E |
| | | DRBG seed: R, W |
| SSH Tunnel | Crypto Officer | Password: R, W |
| | User | SSH Keys: R,W, E |
| | AP | DRBG seed: R, W |
| Configuration | Crypto Officer | Password: R, W |
| | | SSH Keys: R,W, E |
| | | TLS Keys: R,W, E |
| | | DRBG seed: R, W |
| RadSec | AP | TLS Keys: R,W, E |
| | | DRBG seed: R, W |
| GRE Tunnel | AP | RGRE packets AES key: R,W, E |
| HTTPS/TLS | Crypto Officer | TLS Keys: R,W,E |
| | User | DRBG seed: R, W |
| | AP | |
| EAP authenticator | AP | SSH Keys: R,W,E |
| | | DRBG seed: R, W |
| SNMPv3 | Crypto Officer | Password: R, W |
| | User | SNMP Keys: R,W,E |
| FIPS mode enable/disable | Crypto Officer | All: Z |

The module supports the following authentication mechanisms.

Table 7.2: Authentication Mechanisms

| Role | Authentication Mechanisms |
|------------------------------|--|
| User Role (Monitoring user) | Passwords (Minimum 8 characters) |
| | The module uses passwords of at least 8 printable characters. Total number of password permutations with eight characters is 95^8 = 6,634,204,312,890,625. Therefore the probability is less than one in 1,000,000 that a random attempt will succeed or a false acceptance will occur. |
| | For multiple attempts to use the authentication mechanism during a one-minute period, the probability is less than one in 100,000 that a random attempt will succeed or a false acceptance will occur due to the authentication process performance limitation. The number of attempts that are required to reach 1/100,000 far exceeds the capabilities of the equipment since billions of attempts per second would be required. |
| CO Role (Configuration user) | Passwords (Minimum 8 characters) |
| | The module uses passwords of at least 8 printable characters. Total number of password permutations with eight characters is 95^8 = 6,634,204,312,890,625. Therefore the probability is less than one in 1,000,000 that a random attempt will succeed or a false acceptance will occur. |
| | For multiple attempts to use the authentication mechanism during a one-minute period, the probability is less than one in 100,000 that a random attempt will succeed or a false acceptance will occur due to the authentication process performance limitation. The number of attempts that are required to reach 1/100,000 far exceeds the capabilities of the equipment since billions of attempts per second would be required. |

| AP Role | RSA key (2048 bits) |
|---------|--|
| | The module uses 2048 bits RSA key, which corresponds to 112 bits of security. 2^-112 is significantly less than 1/1,000,000. Therefore the probability is less than one in 1,000,000 that a random attempt will succeed or a false acceptance will occur. |
| | For multiple attempts to use the authentication mechanism during a one-minute period, the probability is less than one in 100,000 that a random attempt will succeed or a false acceptance will occur due to the authentication process performance limitation. The number of attempts that are required to reach 1/100,000 far exceeds the capabilities of the equipment since more than billions of attempts per second would be required. |

5. Cryptographic Keys and CSPs

The table below describes cryptographic keys and CSPs used by the module.

| Table 8: Cryptographic Keys and | CSPs |
|--|------|
|--|------|

| Кеу | Description/Usage | Storage |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| TLS master secret | Used to derive TLS encryption | RAM in plaintext |
| | key and TLS HMAC Key | |
| TLS pre-master secret | Used to derive TLS master | RAM in plaintext |
| | secret | |
| TLS AES or Triple-DES | Used during encryption and | RAM in plaintext |
| key | decryption of data within the | |
| | TLS protocol | |
| TLS HMAC key | Used to protect integrity of | RAM in plaintext |
| | data within the TLS protocol | |
| TLS RSA keys public | Used during the TLS | RAM in plaintext |
| and private keys | handshake | Hard drive in plaintext |
| | | |
| TLS ECDSA keys public | Used during the TLS | RAM in plaintext |
| keys | handshake | |
| | | |
| TLS Diffie-Hellman | Used during the TLS | RAM in plaintext |
| public and private | handshake to establish the | |
| keys | shared secret | |

| Кеу | Description/Usage | Storage |
|---|---|-------------------------|
| TLS EC Diffie-Hellman public and private keys | Used during the TLS handshake to establish the shared secret | RAM in plaintext |
| CTR_DRBG CSPs: entropy input, V and Key | Used during generation of random numbers | RAM in plaintext |
| Hash_DRBG CSPs: entropy input, V and C | | |
| HMAC_DRBG CSPs: entropy input, V and Key | | |
| Passwords | Used for operator | RAM in plaintext |
| | authentication | Hard drive in plaintext |
| Firmware update RSA | Used to protect integrity | RAM in plaintext |
| key | during firmware update | Hard drive in plaintext |
| RGRE packets AES key | Used for establishing RGRE tunnel | RAM in plaintext |
| SNMP Secret | Used to establish SNMP | RAM in plaintext |
| | sessions | Hard drive in plaintext |
| SSH AES key | Used during encryption and decryption of data within the SSH protocol | RAM in plaintext |
| SSH HMAC key | Used to protect integrity of data within the SSH protocol | RAM in plaintext |
| SSH RSA public and | Used to authenticate the SSH | RAM in plaintext |
| private keys | handshake and AP | Hard drive in plaintext |
| SSH ECDSA public keys | Used to authenticate the SSH | RAM in plaintext |
| SSH Diffie-Hellman | Used during the SSH | RAM in plaintext |
| public and private | handshake to establish the | |
| keys | shared secret | |
| SSH EC Diffie-Hellman | Used during the SSH | RAM in plaintext |
| public and private | handshake to establish the | |
| keys | shared secret | |

Note: Zeroization is achieved by changing the FIPS mode from Enable to Disable OR from Disable to Enable using the fips enable or the fips disable command.

6. Self-tests

The module performs the following power-up and conditional self-tests. Upon failure or a power-up or conditional self-test the module halts its operation.

The following table describes self-tests implemented by the module.

Table 9: Self-Tests

| Algorithm | Test |
|--------------------|--|
| AES | KAT using ECB and CBC modes |
| | (encryption/decryption) |
| Triple-DES | KAT using ECB mode (encryption/decryption) |
| SHS | KAT using SHA1, SHA224, SHA256, SHA384, and SHA512 |
| НМАС | KAT using SHA1, SHA224, SHA256, SHA384 and SHA512 |
| SP800-90A DRBG | KAT: |
| | CTR DRBG |
| | HASH_DRBG |
| | HMAC_DRBG |
| | Continuous Random Number Generator test |
| NDRNG | Continuous Random Number Generator test |
| RSA | KAT using 2048 bit key, SHA-256 |
| | Pairwise Consistency Test |
| Firmware integrity | MD5 checksum during bootup |
| Firmware load | RSA using 4096 bit key |
| ECDSA | Pairwise Consistency Test (sign/verify) |
| | using P-224, K-233 and SHA512 |
| ECC CDH | Shared secret computation |

7. Physical Security

The cryptographic module consists of production-grade components. The enclosure of the cryptographic module is opaque within the visible spectrum. The removable covers are protected with tamper-evident seals. The tamper-evident seals must be checked periodically by the Crypto Officer. If the tamper-evident seals are broken or missing, the Crypto Officer must halt the operation of the module.

The tamper evident seals shall be installed by either the manufacturer or the Crypto Officer for the module to operate in the approved mode of operation.

FIPS security seal application instructions

For all seal applications, Crypto Officer ensures that the following instructions are observed:

• All surfaces to which the seals will be applied must be clean and dry. Use alcohol to clean the surfaces. Do not use other solvents.

• Do not cut, trim, punch, or otherwise alter the TEL.

• Do not use bare fingers to handle the labels. Slowly peel the backing from each seal, taking care not to touch the adhesive.

- Use very firm pressure across the entire seal surface to ensure maximum adhesion.
- Allow a minimum of 24 hours for the adhesive to cure. Tamper evidence might not be apparent until the adhesive cures.

Order for seals is placed to Ruckus Wireless, Inc. through a partner/distributor and Ruckus Wireless, Inc. processes the order. The part number for the seals is XBR-000195.

Number of seals per model: SZ-104/SZ-124 has four tamper evident seals and SZ-300 has eight tamper evident seals.

During the installation the Crypto Officer must check that the product was not damaged.

Figure 5: Tamper-evident seals on SmartZone 104 /124









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Figure 6: Tamper-evident seals on SmartZone 300



8. References

Table 8: References

| Reference | Specification |
|----------------|---|
| [ANS X9.31] | Digital Signatures Using Reversible Public Key Cryptography for the Financial Services Industry (rDSA) |
| [FIPS 140-2] | Security Requirements for Cryptographic modules, May 25, 2001 |
| [FIPS 180-4] | Secure Hash Standard (SHS) |
| [FIPS 186-2/4] | Digital Signature Standard |
| [FIPS 197] | Advanced Encryption Standard |
| [FIPS 198-1] | The Keyed-Hash Message Authentication Code (HMAC) |
| [FIPS 202] | SHA-3 Standard: Permutation-Based Hash and Extendable-Output Functions |
| [PKCS#1 v2.1] | RSA Cryptography Standard |
| [PKCS#5] | Password-Based Cryptography Standard |
| [PKCS#12] | Personal Information Exchange Syntax Standard |
| [SP 800-38A] | Recommendation for Block Cipher Modes of Operation: Three Variants of Ciphertext Stealing for CBC Mode |
| [SP 800-38B] | Recommendation for Block Cipher Modes of Operation: The CMAC Mode for Authentication |
| [SP 800-38C] | Recommendation for Block Cipher Modes of Operation: The CCM Mode for Authentication and Confidentiality |
| [SP 800-38D] | Recommendation for Block Cipher Modes of Operation: Galois/Counter Mode (GCM) and GMAC |
| [SP 800-38F] | Recommendation for Block Cipher Modes of Operation: Methods for Key Wrapping |
| [SP 800-56A] | Recommendation for Pair-Wise Key Establishment Schemes Using Discrete Logarithm Cryptography |
| [SP 800-56B] | Recommendation for Pair-Wise Key Establishment Schemes Using Integer Factorization Cryptography |
| [SP 800-56C] | Recommendation for Key Derivation through Extraction-then-Expansion |

| Reference | Specification |
|---------------|---|
| [SP 800-67R1] | Recommendation for the Triple Data Encryption Algorithm (TDEA) Block Cipher |
| [SP 800-89] | Recommendation for Obtaining Assurances for Digital Signature Applications |
| [SP 800-90A] | Recommendation for Random Number Generation Using Deterministic Random Bit |
| | Generators |
| [SP 800-108] | Recommendation for Key Derivation Using Pseudorandom Functions |
| [SP 800-132] | Recommendation for Password-Based Key Derivation |
| [SP 800-135] | Recommendation for Existing Application – Specific Key Derivation Functions |