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The document lists the 3GPP specific Diameter protocol codes, including the AVP codes and Experimental result codes. The document lists also the application identifiers assigned to 3GPP specific Diameter applications by IANA and the Diameter command code range which is assigned to 3GPP by IANA.

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- Completed work: This version of the TS contains detailed listing of codes and identifiers used in 3GPP technical specifications 29.228, 29.229, 29.332, 29.329 and 32.225. Code ranges for 3GPP technical specifications 29.109, 29.209 and 29.234 are pre-allocated.
- Remaining topics: Main remaining work is on to add detailed listing of codes and identifiers used in 3GPP technical specifications 29.109, 29.209 and 29.234 when they will be approved by CN plenary.

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Foreword

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1 Scope

The present document lists the 3GPP specific Diameter protocol codes, including the AVP codes and Experimental result codes.

This document lists also the application identifiers assigned to 3GPP specific Diameter applications by IANA and the Diameter command code range which is assigned to 3GPP by IANA.

2 References

The following documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of the present document.

- References are either specific (identified by date of publication, edition number, version number, etc.) or non-specific.
- For a specific reference, subsequent revisions do not apply.
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[1]	3GPP TS 29.228: " IP Multimedia (IM) Subsystem Cx and Dx interfaces; Signalling flows and message contents"
[2]	3GPP TS 29.229: " Cx and Dx interfaces based on the Diameter protocol; Protocol details"
[3]	3GPP TS 29.328: " IP Multimedia (IM) Subsystem Sh interface; Signalling flows and message contents"
[4]	3GPP TS 29.329: " Sh Interface based on the Diameter protocol; Protocol details"
[5]	3GPP TS 32.225: "Telecommunication management; Charging management; Charging data description for the IP Multimedia Subsystem (IMS)"
[6]	3GPP TS 29.234: "3GPP System to WLAN Interworking; Stage 3 Description"
[7]	3GPP TS 29.109: " Generic Authentication Architecture (GAA); Zh and Zn Interfaces based on the Diameter protocol; Protocol details "
[8]	3GPP TS 29.209: "Technical Specification Group Core Network; Policy control over Gq interface"
[9]	IETF RFC 3588: "Diameter Base Protocol"
[10]	IETF RFC 3589: "Diameter Command Codes for Third Generation Partnership Project (3GPP) Release 5"
[11]	IANA's Enterprise-Numbers: http://www.iana.org/assignments/enterprise-numbers
[12]	IANA's AAA parameters register: ftp://ftp.iana.org/assignments/aaa-parameters/

3 Definitions and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

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

3GPP specific: A definition which is used in conjunction with the 3GPP's vendor identifier.

3.2 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the following abbreviations apply:

AVP Attribute-Value-Pair

IANA Internet Assigned Numbers Authority

4 Application identifiers

The Diameter applications are identified with the application identifiers as specified in the RFC 3588 [9]. There are two kind of applications: IETF standards track applications and vendor specific applications. All application identifiers are assigned by IANA [12]. This chapter lists the application identifiers asigned by IANA to all 3GPP Diameter applications.

The application identifiers are transferred in Diameter command's header in the Application-ID field.

4.1 3GPP specific application identifiers

The 3GPP specific application identifiers allocated by IANA are listed in the following table.

Table 4.1: 3GPP specific application identifiers

Application identifier	Application	3GPP TS
167772151	3GPP Cx/Px	29.228 [1] and 29.229 [2]
167772152	3GPP Sh/Ph	29.328 [3] and 29.329 [4]
167772153	3GPP Rf/Ro	32.225 [5]

Editors note: The following applications are under development and they don't have the application id yet.

3GPP Wx	29.234 [6]
3GPP Zn	29.109 [7]
3GPP Zh	29.109 [7]
3GPP Gq	29.209 [8]

5 Command codes

The command codes are used for communicating the command associated with the Diameter message. The command code is carried in the Diameter header's Command-Code field. The command codes can be divided into standard command codes allocated by IANA and experimental command codes for testing purposes only.

5.1 Command codes allocated for 3GPP

Based on the IETF RFC 3589 [10] the IANA has allocated a standard command code range 300-313 for 3GPP. The command codes are presented in the following table.

Table 5.1: Command codes allocated for 3GPP

Command code	Command name	Abbreviation	Specified in the TS
300	User-Authorization-Request/-Answer	UAR/UAA	
301	Server-Assignment-Request/-Answer	SAR/SAA	
302	Location-Info-Request/-Answer	LIR/LIA	
303	Multimedia-Auth-Request/-Answer	MAR/MAA	29.229 [2]
304	Registration-Termination-Request/-	RTR/RTA	
	Answer		
305	Push-Profile-Request/-Answer	PPR/PPA	
306	User-Data-Request/-Answer	UDR/UDA	
307	Profile-Update-Request/-Answer	PUR/PUA	29.329 [4]
308	Subscribe-Notifications-Request/-Answer	SNR/SNA	29.329 [4]
309	Push-Notification-Request/-Answer	PNR/PNA]

Editors note: The following command codes have been allocated to 3GPP, but they haven't been used yet...

310		
311		
312		
313		

6 Vendor identifier

The vendor identifier (a.k.a Enterprise number) indicates the vendor specific attributes, result codes and application identifiers in Diameter commands. The vendor identifier is used in the Vendor-ID field of the AVP header and in the Vendor-Id AVP. The Vendor-Id AVP is used to identify the vendor in the Vendor-Specific-Application-Id and Experimental-Result-Code grouped AVPs.

6.1 3GPP's vendor identifier

The IANA has allocated a vendor identifier value 10415 for 3GPP [11].

7 Attribute-Value-Pair codes

The AVP codes are used together with the vendor identifier to identify each attribute uniquely. There are multiple AVP namespaces. The IETF IANA namespace, that is, the AVPs with vendor identifier zero or without vendor identifier, is controlled by IANA. Each vendor controls the AVP codes within their AVP namespaces.

7.1 3GPP specific AVP codes

The 3GPP specific AVPs have the Vendor-Specific bit ('V' bit) set in the AVP header and they carry the 3GPP's vendor identifier in the Vendor-ID field of the AVP header. The 3GPP specific AVP codes are presented in the following table.

Table 7.1: 3GPP specific AVP codes

AVP Code	Attribute Name	Data Type	Specified in the TS		
1	Visited-Network-Identifier	OctetString			
2	Public-Identity	UTF8String	1		
3	Server-Name	UTF8String	1		
4	Server-Capabilities	Grouped	1		
5	Mandatory-Capability	Unsigned32			
6	Optional-Capability	Unsigned32	1		
7	User-Data	OctetString	1		
8	SIP-Number-Auth-Items	Unsigned32	1		
9	SIP-Authentication-Scheme	UTF8String	1		
10	SIP-Authenticate	OctetString	1		
11	SIP-Authorization	OctetString			
12	SIP-Authentication-Context	OctetString			
13	SIP-Auth-Data-Item	Grouped			
14	SIP-Item-Number	Unsigned32	29.229 [2]		
15	Server-Assignment-Type	Enumerated			
16	Deregistration-Reason	Grouped			
17	Reason-Code	Enumerated			
18	Reason-Info	UTF8String			
19	Charging-Information	Grouped			
20	Primary-Event-Charging-Function-Name	DiameterURI			
21	Secondary-Event-Charging-Function-Name	DiameterURI			
22	Primary-Charging-Collection-Function-Name	DiameterURI	1		
23	Secondary-Charging-Collection-Function-Name	DiameterURI			
24	User-Authorization-Type	Enumerated			
25	User-Data-Request-Type	Enumerated			
26	User-Data-Already-Available	Enumerated			
27	Confidentiality-Key	OctetString			
28	Integrity-Key	OctetString			
Note: The	AVP codes from 29 to 99 are reserved for TS 29.229				
100	User-Identity	Grouped			
101	MSISDN	OctetString	7		
102	User-Data	OctetString	7		
103	Data-Reference	Enumerated	7		
104	Service-Indication	OctetString	29.329 [4]		
105	Subs-Req-Type	Enumerated	1		
106	Requested-Domain	Enumerated	1		
107	Current-Location	Enumerated	1		
108	Identity-Set	Enumerated	1		
	AVP codes from 109 to 199 are reserved for TS 29.3.	29.			
Note: The	AVP codes from 200 to 299 are reserved for TS 32.2	225	32.225 [5]		
TAOLE. THE	1011 200 to 233 are reserved for 13 32.2	-20	29.234 [6]		
Note: The	AVP codes from 300 to 399 are reserved for TS 29.2)3/I	Z3.Z34 [U]		
INUIG. THE	AVI COUCS HOITI 300 to 333 die leselveu tol 13 23.2	. 	29.109 [7]		
Note: The	AVP codes from 400 to 499 are reserved for TS 29.1	00	23.103[1]		
INUIG. THE	AVI COUCS HOITI 400 to 433 are reserved for 13 29.1		29.209 [8]		
	AVP codes from 500 to 599 are reserved for TS 29.2	100	29.209 [0]		

8 Experimental result codes

The Diameter answer messages must carry either Result-Code AVP or Experimental-Result AVP. The values of Result-Code AVP are controlled by IANA. The Experimental-Result AVP is a grouped AVP containing the Vendor-Id AVP and Experimental-Result-Code AVP, thus the experimental result codes are controlled in a vendor-specific manner.

8.1 3GPP specific result codes

The 3GPP specific result codes are always transferred in the Experimental-Result AVP, which has the Vendor-Id with value of 3GPP's vendor identifier. The 3GPP specific result codes shall follow the same classification as defined for the values of Result-Code AVP in IETF RFC 3588 [9]. That means, the result codes are grouped to following ranges:

- 1xxx (Informational)
- 2xxx (Success)
- 4xxx (Transient Failures)
- 5xxx (Permanent Failures)

8.1.1 Informational

The Informational result codes shall use the values from 1001 to 1999 in the Experimental-Result-Code AVP.

Editor's note: No informational result codes have been yet defined in 3GPP.

8.1.2 Success

The Success result codes shall use the values from 2001 to 2999 in the Experimental-Result-Code AVP. The reserved 3GPP specific Success result codes are presented in the following table.

Experimental Result text Specified in the TS **Result Code** 2001 DIAMETER_FIRST_REGISTRATION DIAMETER_SUBSEQUENT_REGISTRATION 2002 2003 DIAMETER_UNREGISTERED_SERVICE 29.229 [2] 2004 DIAMETER_SUCCESS_SERVER_NAME_NOT_STORED 2005 DIAMETER_SERVER_SELECTION Note: The Experimental Result Codes from 2006 to 2020 are reserved for the TS 29.229 29.109 [7] Note: The Experimental Result Codes from 2401 to 2420 are reserved for the TS 29.109.

Table 8.1.2: 3GPP specific Success result codes

8.1.3 Transient Failures

The Transient Failure result codes shall use the values from 4001 to 4999 in the Experimental-Result-Code AVP. The reserved 3GPP specific Transient Failure result codes are presented in the following table.

Table 8.1.3: 3GPP specific Transient Failure result codes

Experimental Result Code	Result text	Specified in the TS			
4100	DIAMETER_USER_DATA_NOT_AVAILABLE	29.329 [4]			
4101	DIAMETER_PRIOR_UPDATE_IN_PROGRESS	29.329 [4]			
Note: The Experimental Result Codes from 4102 to 4120 are reserved for the TS 29.329.					
		32.225 [5]			
Note: The Experimental Result Codes from 41xx to 41yy are reserved for the TS 32.225.					

8.1.4 Permanent Failures

The Permanent Failure result codes shall use the values from 5001 to 5999 in the Experimental-Result-Code AVP. The reserved 3GPP specific Permanent Failure result codes are presented in the following table.

Table 8.1.4: 3GPP specific Permanent Failure result codes

Experimental Result Code	Result text	Specified in the TS			
5001	DIAMETER_ERROR_USER_UNKNOWN				
5002	DIAMETER_ERROR_IDENTITIES_DONT_MATCH				
5003	DIAMETER_ERROR_IDENTITY_NOT_REGISTERED				
5004	DIAMETER_ERROR_ROAMING_NOT_ALLOWED				
5005	DIAMETER_ERROR_IDENTITY_ALREADY_REGISTERED	29.229 [2]			
5006	DIAMETER_ERROR_AUTH_SCHEME_NOT_SUPPORTED	29.229 [2]			
5007	DIAMETER_ERROR_IN_ASSIGNMENT_TYPE				
5008	DIAMETER_ERROR_TOO_MUCH_DATA				
5009	DIAMETER_ERROR_NOT_SUPPORTED_USER_DATA				
5010	DIAMETER_MISSING_USER_ID				
Note: The Exper	S 29.229.				
		32.225 [5]			
Note: The Exper	rimental Result Codes from 5021 to 5040 are reserved for the T	S 32.225.			
		29.234 [6]			
Note: The Exper	rimental Result Codes from 5041 to 5060 are reserved for the T	S 29.234.			
		29.209 [8]			
Note: The Exper	rimental Result Codes from 5061 to 5080 are reserved for the T	S 29.209.			
5100	DIAMETER_ERROR_USER_DATA_NOT_RECOGNIZED				
5101	DIAMETER_ERROR_OPERATION_NOT_ALLOWED				
5102	DIAMETER_ERROR_USER_DATA_CANNOT_BE_READ				
5103	DIAMETER_ERROR_USER_DATA_CANNOT_BE_MODIFIED	29.329 [4]			
5104	DIAMETER_ERROR_USER_DATA_CANNOT_BE_NOTIFIED				
5105	DIAMETER_ERROR_TRANSPARENT_DATA OUT_OF_SYNC				
Note: The Exper	S 29.329.				
		29.109 [7]			
Note: The Experimental Result Codes from 5400 to 5419 are reserved for the TS 29.109.					

Annex A (informative): Assignment of the Diameter codes and identifiers in 3GPP

This annex defines the recommended assignment procedure of Diameter codes and identifiers within the 3GPP.

A.1 Application identifiers

If a working group detects it will require a new application identifier, it should contact the 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 via a Liaison Statement. The LS shall contain the name of the Diameter application and a reference to the corresponding 3GPP TS. The 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 will then request the application identifier from IANA. When the application identifier will be received, the corresponding working group will be informed by 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 and the table 4.1 in this specification will be updated.

According to RFC 3588 the creation of a new application should be avoided if at all possible and therefore it is recommended to use the existing application identifiers whenever possible.

A.2 Command codes

If a working group detects there is a need for a new command code(s) from the 3GPP's range, it should contact the 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 via an LS. The LS shall contain the reference to the 3GPP TS, which specifies the command(s). The 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 will inform the assigned command code(s) to the corresponding working group and the table 5.1 in this specification will be updated.

It should be noted that the standard command codes allocated for 3GPP are scarce resource and getting new ones would require IETF specification work to be done. Therefore it is recommended to use the existing command codes whenever possible.

A.3 AVP codes

If a working group detects a Diameter application needs new 3GPP specific AVP codes, it should contact the 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 via an LS. The LS shall contain the name of the Diameter application and a reference to the corresponding 3GPP TS. The 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 will allocate a range of 100 AVP codes for the application. The range will be informed to the corresponding working group and the table 7.1 will be updated in this specification to show the reserved range. The working group can use the allocated range as a working assumption when defining the actual AVPs.

When the corresponding working group has specified the AVPs, and the specification has been approved and is under CR control, it should inform the AVPs to the 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 via an LS. The LS should list the used AVP codes in the form of the table 7.1.

If there will be defined new AVPs for a Diameter application through the CR procedure, the assigned AVP range can be used, but the 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 should be also informed about the new AVP codes via an LS.

Re-using of the existing AVPs is recommended, but special attention should be paid on the use of enumerated AVPs. Defining new values for an enumerated AVP should be agreed case by case with the working group responsible of the particular enumerated AVP. 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 shall be informed via an LS about the new values assigned to the enumerated AVP.

A.4 Result codes

If a working group detects a Diameter application needs new 3GPP specific result codes, it should contact the 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 via an LS. The LS shall contain the name of the Diameter application and a reference to the corresponding 3GPP TS. The 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 will allocate a range of 20 result codes from each required result code group for the application. The ranges will be informed to the corresponding working group and the tables in the chapter 8 of this specification will be updated to show the reserved ranges. The working group can use the allocated ranges as a working assumption when defining the actual result codes.

When the corresponding working group has specified the result codes, and the specification has been approved and is under CR control, it should inform the codes to the 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 via an LS. The LS should list the used result codes in the form of the tables in chapter 8.

If there will be defined new result codes for a Diameter application through the CR procedure, the assigned result code ranges can be used, but the 3GPP TSG-CN WG 4 should be also informed about the new result codes via an LS.

Re-using of the existing result codes is recommended.

Annex B (informative): Change history

Change history							
Date	TSG #	TSG Doc.	CR	Rev	Subject/Comment	Old	New
2004-04					First draft to be presented in CN4#22bis	0.0.0	0.1.0
2004-04					Informative annex added to describe the assignment procedure	0.1.0	0.2.0
2004-04					Annex A improved	0.2.0	0.3.0
2004-05					Ranges of AVP codes and result codes pre-allocated	0.3.0	0.4.0
2004-06	CN#24	NP-040232			Version 2.0.0 presented for information and approval	0.4.0	2.0.0