

# Using EAP-TLS with TLS 1.3 draft-ietf-emu-eap-tls13-00

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# DRAFT-IETF-EAP-TLS13-00



- Now a working group document. Changes since draft-mattsson-eap-tls13-02:
  - Editorial changes
  - Rewritten text on resumption:

"It is RECOMMENDED that the EAP server accept resumption as long as the ticket is valid. However, the server MAY choose to require a full authentication."
  - Updated the TLS exporter labels to follow RFC 5705 and added IANA considerations:

```
Key_Material = TLS-Exporter("EXPORTER EAP_TLS_Key_Material", "", 128)
IV           = TLS-Exporter("EXPORTER EAP_TLS_IV", "", 64)
Session-Id   = TLS-Exporter("EXPORTER EAP_TLS_Session-Id", "", 64)
```
- Implementation and comments by Jouni Malinen

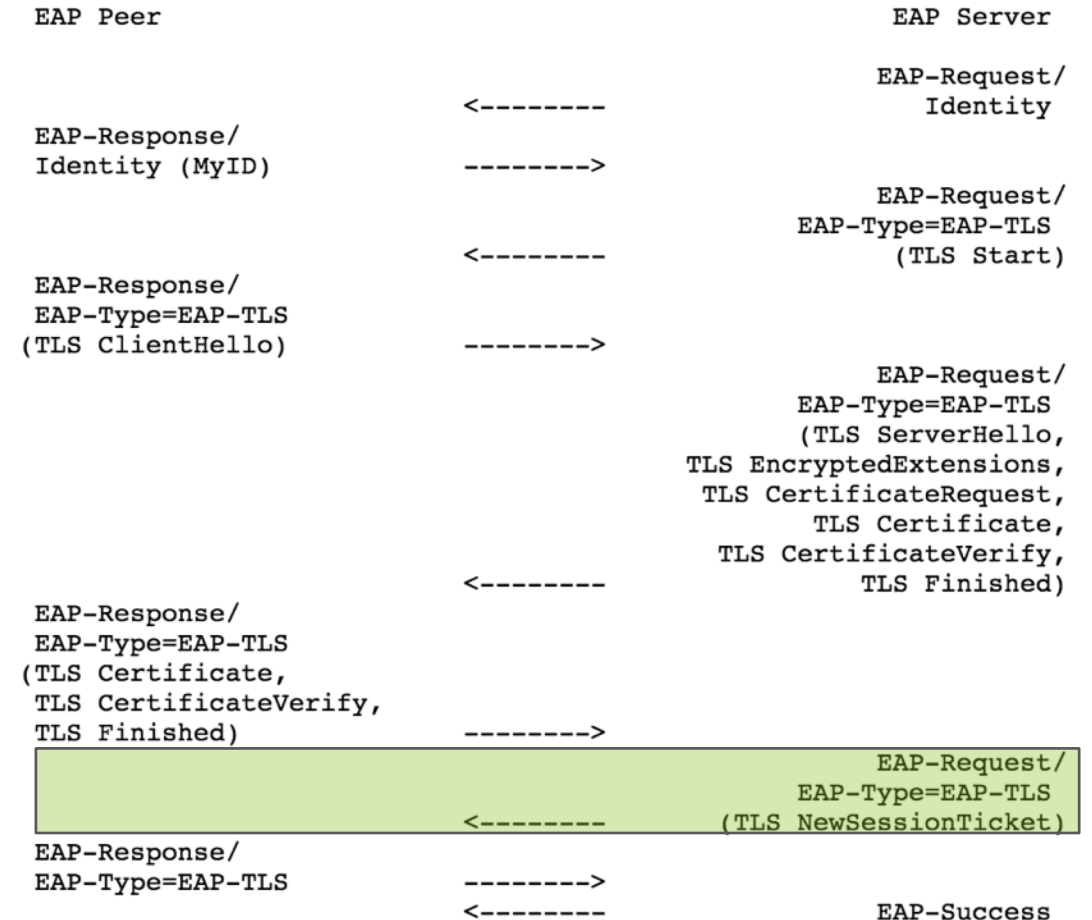
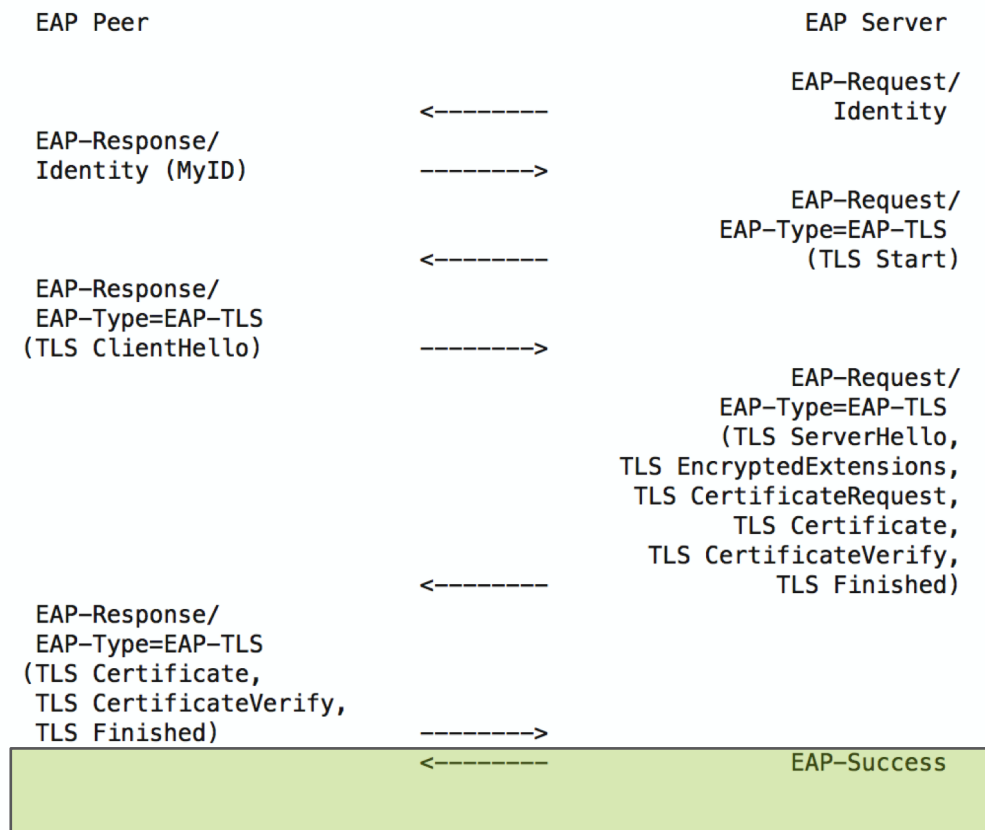


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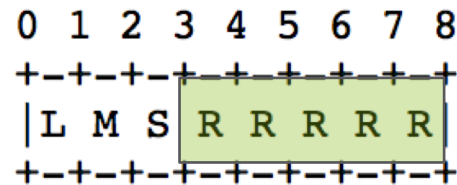


- EAP Peer does not know whether the NewSessionTicket will be delivered after ClientFinished.
  - The next message in the sequence could be either continuation of EAP-TLS method or EAP-Success making the RFC 4137 state machine dependent on TLS version
  - TLS 1.0, 1.1, 1.2:           methodState=DONE, decision=UNCOND\_SUCC
  - TLS 1.3:                    methodState=MAY\_CONT, decision=COND\_SUCC
- Jouni states that this is “*a bit inconvenient*” and asks if there are ways to avoid the uncertainty and latency.
- **Is the uncertainty and latency something that should be addressed?**
- An TLS 1.3 server could theoretically send several NewSessionTicket and other Post-Handshake Messages (Section 4.6 in TLS 1.3) after the main handshake.
- **Should EAP-TLS supports all Post-Handshake Messages or only a single NewSessionTicket?**

# NEWSESSIONTICKET UNCERTAINTY



- The 'Flags' byte sent in EAP-TLS Request and Response packets could potentially be used to reduce uncertainty. The Server could set some bits in the EAP-Request containing it's Finished message.



L = Length included  
M = More fragments  
S = EAP-TLS start  
R = Reserved

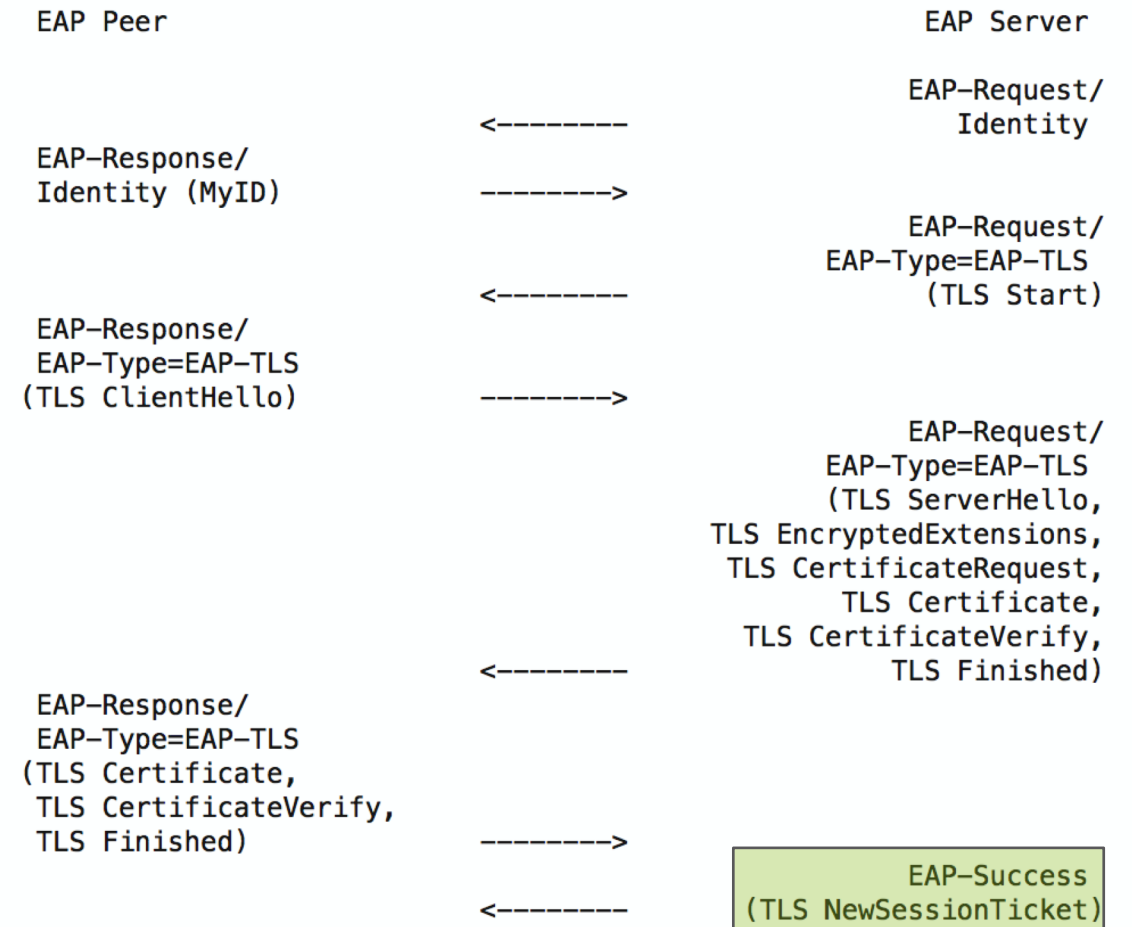
- Does the TLS server know whether it will send more Post-Handshake Messages (like NewSessionTicket) before receiving the Finished message from the TLS client?**
- How much information does the EAP-TLS layer gets from the TLS layer?**

# NEWSESSIONTICKET LATENCY



- Jouni suggests piggybacking NewSessionTicket on top of the EAP-Success message.
- Would remove both uncertainty and latency.
- Would require an update of RFC 3748.
- **Opinions?**

## Server supporting resumption



# KEY DERIVATION



- The key derivation has been causing interoperability problems for EAP-TLS in the past.
- RFC 5216:

```
Key_Material = TLS-PRF-128(master_secret, "client EAP encryption",  
                           client.random || server.random)  
IV           = TLS-PRF-64("", "client EAP encryption",  
Session-Id   = 0x0D || client.random || server.random
```
- draft-ietf-eap-tls13:

```
Key_Material = TLS-Exporter("EXPORTER_EAP_TLS_Key_Material", "", 128)  
IV           = TLS-Exporter("EXPORTER_EAP_TLS_IV", "", 64)  
Session-Id   = TLS-Exporter("EXPORTER_EAP_TLS_Session-Id", "", 64)
```
- The Key\_Material derivation in RFC 5216 is compliant with the TLS-exporter interface (RFC 5705)  
Key\_Material = TLS-Exporter("client EAP encryption", null, 128). The IV derivation is not.
- The Session-ID definition requires that the EAP Peer and EAP Server to read 32 bytes at TLS\_Data[6] to get the random numbers.
- TLS-exporter change got support on list, Jouni states that the dependency on TLS version is *"a bit inconvenient"*
- **What is the best tradeoff between implementation convenient, what the API is supposed to be between TLS and EAP-TLS, and security?**
- **We should document the interface between EAP-TLS and TLS.**



**WANTED**

FEEDBACK

REVIEWS

IMPLEMENTATIONS

INTEROP