

OVAL and the SACM Information Model

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Status

- I-D submitted on 5/5/2015
- Feedback solicited from SACM WG
- Official review done by Jerome Athias
 - Other comments provided by Gunnar Engelbach and David Ries
- Additional, ongoing, discussion on these topics

Major Discussion Points

- Inclusion of other Standards/Efforts
- Scaling while using OVAL
- Complexity of OVAL Definitions
 - Related: Question of decoupling Evaluation & Guidance
- Level of abstraction for platform-specific extensions
 - API/Data collection/Collection methodology

Next Steps

- Continue discussion over the mailing list
- Update the OVAL and SACM Information Model I-D
- Determine path for offering appropriate models from OVAL to SACM
 - Likely OVAL System Characteristics & OVAL Definitions models
 - Both will require modification to effectively fulfill SACM needs