



DTN HOSC DTN Gateway Test Report

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- Goals of this activity
 - Test the HOSC DTN Gateway for operational use
- Current activity
 - Test the Implementation of a new DTN2 gateway at the HOSC
 - Confirm integration of DTN nodes into the S-band uplink and Kuband downlink of the ISS for limited use
 - Implement Aggregate Custody Signal to ISS platforms
 - Verify operational support for CU onboard components
 - Verify ability to support METERON OpsCon-2









• HOSC DTN Node

- Couples payload uplink architecture with downlink delivery at the HOSC
- Upgrade and virtualize the HOSC DTN nodes to 64 bit O/S
- Move the implementation to DTN2.8
- Add Aggregate Custody Signal into the HOSC DTN2 node
- Implement ACS independently of ION
- Feedback lessons learned and patches into the DTN2 community
- Transition the HOSC with build 15 to support upcoming payload activities









- Basic test configuration
 - Prior to external testing, extensive test was completed internally
 - DTN2 to DTN2
 - ION (IOS) to DTN2
 - Live downlink stream thanks to cooperation from CU-Boulder

• MSFC system requirements

- IVV/Simulation String EHS software 15.x (MOP IN32:Test)
- Test and Simulation Processor (TASP) 5.0.1-6
- Payload Data Services System (PDSS) PDSS 5.0.2
- PDSS DTN DTN 2.1 (modified DTN2.8)
- Payload Rack Checkout Unit (PRCU)
- Telescience Resource Kit (TReK) Command Bridge
- CU-Boulder system requirements
 - **-** CGBA4-0
 - CGBA4-gse-0 UCB telemetry -
 - ION BP/TCP/ACS/ECOS
 - ET2 UCB command









Multi-site test layout









• Features to Be Tested

- Remote access to HOSC DTN services via an IPSec-compliant VPN
- CGBA's utilization of the Aggregate Custody Signal (ACS) generated by a DTN2 implementation
- Bundle traffic compliance with RFC 6260 (CBHE)
- HOSC DTN nodes ability to support the Aggregate Custody Signal (forward telemetry bundles to CU-Boulder)
- EHS software implementations for HM-3388/3410 to support DTN2
- The mapping of DTN bundle activity to a UserID
- The CU-Boulder onboard gateway's ability to support the HOSC DTN uplink capability
- RFC 5050 compliant acknowledgements sent from the intermediate HOSC DTN node using DTN URI and IPN URI
- Measuring sustained throughput capabilities of BP on Ku-downlink and with ACS in the S-band uplink.









- 1. Test Acceptance of simple custody signal (non- ACS)
 - AOS CLA and DTN2 router processed APID 949 (CGBA4) bundles correctly
 - HOSC DTN router sends BP Custody Signals to the EHS command system for uplink to CGBA-0 via SSITF successfully
 - CGBA-4 at SSITF accepts command, CGBA4_DTN, properly
 - HOSC DTN router (DTN01a) sends non-ACS bundle to CU-Boulder (CGBA4-gse-0)
 - CU-Boulder receives non-ACS bundle and verifies content
 - DTN01A receives Custody Signals and bundles are deleted from the bundle store

Basic Bundle protocol behavior was verified









- 2. Test Acceptance of Aggregate Custody Signals (ACS)
 - AOS CLA and DTN2 router processed APID 949 (CGBA4) bundles correctly
 - HOSC DTN router (dtn01a) sends ACS to the EHS command system for uplink to CGBA-0 at SSITF successfully
 - CGBA4-0 at SSITF accepts command, CGBA4_DTN, properly
 - HOSC DTN router sends ACS enabled bundles to CU-Boulder
 - CU-Boulder receives ACS bundles and verifies content
 - DTN01A receives Aggregate Custody Signals (ACS) and bundles are deleted from the bundle store

Basic ACS protocol behavior was verified



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- 3. Test IPN URI (w/ACS)
 - AOS CLA and DTN2 router processed APID 949 (CGBA4) bundles correctly
 - HOSC DTN router sends ACS utilizing IPN to the EHS command system for uplink to CGBA-0 at SSITF successfully
 - ✓ Bundle primary block was in CBHE format because all EIDs are IPN scheme compatible
 - CGBA4-0 at SSITF accepts command, CGBA4_DTN, properly
 - HOSC DTN router sends ACS enabled bundles to CU-Boulder (CGBA4-gse-0)
 - ✓ Bundle primary block was in CBHE format because all EIDs are ipn scheme compatible
 - CU-Boulder receives ACS enabled bundles and verifies content
 - DTN01A receives Aggregate Custody Signals (ACS) and bundles are deleted from the bundle store

CBHE behavior was verified







- 4. Test gaps in processed Custody IDs (induced manually) between bundles while utilizing ACS
 - AOS CLA and DTN2 router processed APID 949 (CGBA4) bundles correctly
 - HOSC DTN router sends ACS with multiple fills to the EHS command system for uplink to CGBA-0 at SSITF successfully
 - CGBA4-0 at SSITF accepts command, CGBA4_DTN and processes ACS with multiple fills properly
 - HOSC DTN router sends non-ACS telemetry bundles to CU-Boulder (CGBA4-gse-0)
 - CU-Boulder receives non-ACS telemetry bundles and verifies content
 - DTN01A receives custody signals (non-ACS) and bundles are deleted from the bundle store
 - HOSC expects missed bundles to be resent and subsequently acknowledged successfully
 - HOSC verifies that the gaps are represented accurately in the Command Delog (EHS application)

Result 3 and 7 were not achieved. Unacknowledged previously received bundles were retransmitted indicating only the first fill of the ACS was processed









- 5. Test for Queued ACKs on the HOSC-side
 - AOS CLA and DTN2 router processed APID 949 (CGBA4) bundles correctly
 - HOSC DTN router sends ACS to the EHS command system.
 - EHS command system holds the ACS in a queue ready for uplink when uplink conditions are acceptable.
 - EHS command system uplinks ACS bundles to CGBA-0 successfully
 - CGBA4-0 accepts command, CGBA4_DTN, properly
 - HOSC DTN router sends non-ACS bundles to CU-Boulder (CGBA4-gse-0)
 - HOSC expects missed bundles to be resent from CGBA4-0 at SSITF
 - CGBA4-0 receives first acknowledgement command and ignores the second acknowledgement command
 - CU-Boulder (CGBA4-gse-0) receives ACS bundles and verifies content

All items were successful but there were test unique items that required extra analysis. These were associated with the SSITF









- 6. Test of throughput of BP via Ku band downlink and S band uplink
 - Unable to test due to ION node being overwhelmed on the initial flood attempt







Follow-up testing is schedule for the last week of October into November

- Performance testing at the platform and link level
- Resolve and retest any areas where analysis has indicated concern
- Validate the operational configuration







Backups



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