

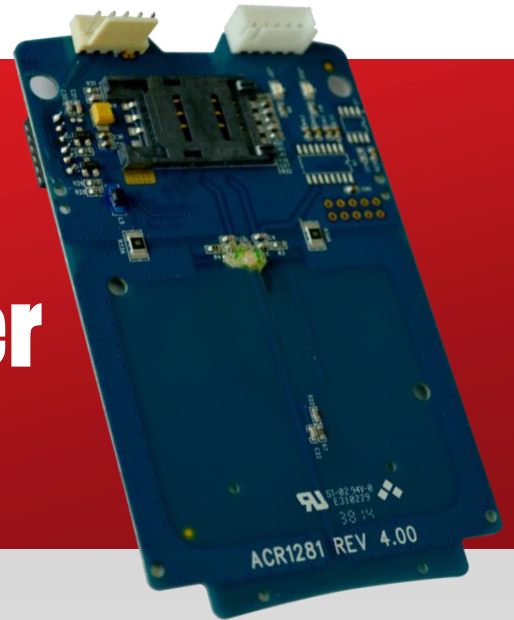


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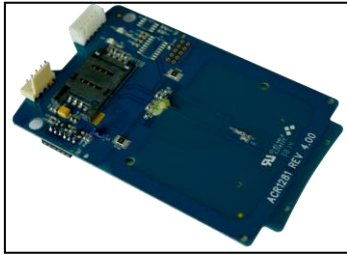
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1.0. Introduction



The ACM1281U-C7 USB Contactless Reader Module with SAM Slot, running on the 13.56 MHz frequency, was designed for fast and easy integration to embedded systems. It makes use of the USB CCID class driver and accepts card commands from the computer application.

The ACM1281U-C7 has an integrated (on-board) antenna and comes with an optional USB cable. It also has additional features like firmware upgradeability and extended APDU support.

It supports ISO 14443 Parts 1-4 Type A and B cards, and MIFARE Classic® series. It also has a built-in ISO 7816 Compliant Class A SAM (Secure Access Module) slot, which can be used together with a SAM card for enhanced security. It has a maximum of 848 Kbps high-speed communication ability with contactless cards, making it suitable for highly demanding smart card applications like vending machine payment systems, kiosks, gaming machines, and other integrated systems.

This Reference Manual will discuss in detail how the PC/SC APDU commands are implemented for the contactless interface, SAM card support and device peripherals of ACM1281U-C7.



2.0. Features

- USB Full Speed Interface
- Smart Card Reader:
 - Contactless Interface:
 - Read/Write speed of up to 848 Kbps
 - Built-in antenna for contactless tag access, with card reading distance of up to 50 mm (depending on tag type)
 - Supports ISO 14443 Part 4 Type A and B cards and MIFARE Classic series
 - Built-in anti-collision feature (only one tag is accessed at any time)
 - Supports extended APDU (Max. 64 KB)
 - SAM Interface:
 - One SAM Slot
 - ISO 7816-compliant Class A SAM cards
- Application Programming Interface:
 - Supports PC/SC
 - Supports CT-API (through wrapper on top of PC/SC)
- Built-in Peripherals:
 - Two user-controllable LEDs
 - User-controllable buzzer
- USB Firmware Upgradeability
- Supports Android™ 3.1 and later¹
- Compliant with the following standards:
 - ISO 14443
 - ISO 7816
 - PC/SC
 - CCID
 - CE
 - FCC
 - RoHS
 - REACH
 - Microsoft® WHQL

¹ Uses an ACS-defined Android Library

3.0.ACM1281U-C7 Architecture

3.1. Reader Block Diagram

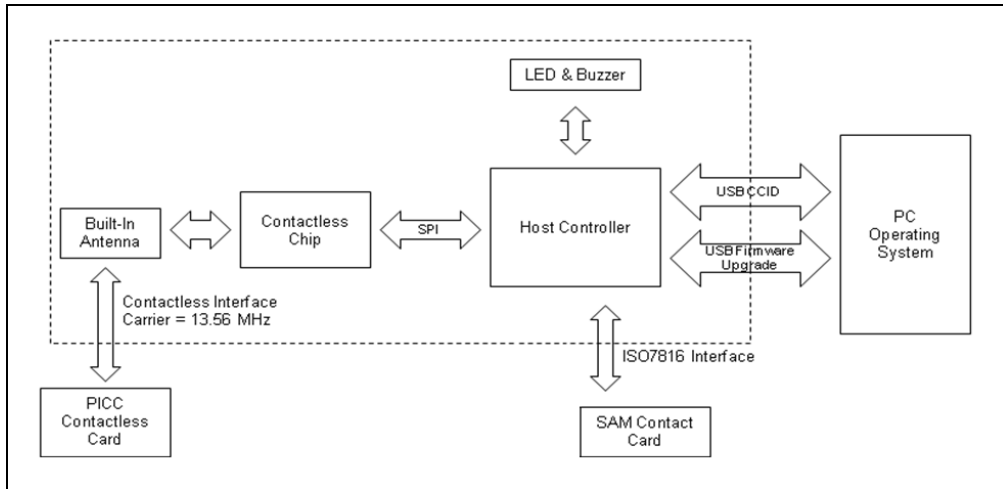


Figure 1: ACM1281U-C7 Reader Block Diagram

3.2. Communication between PC/SC driver PICC and SAM

The protocol used between ACM1281U-C7 and the PC is CCID. All communications between PICC and SAM are PC/SC-compliant.

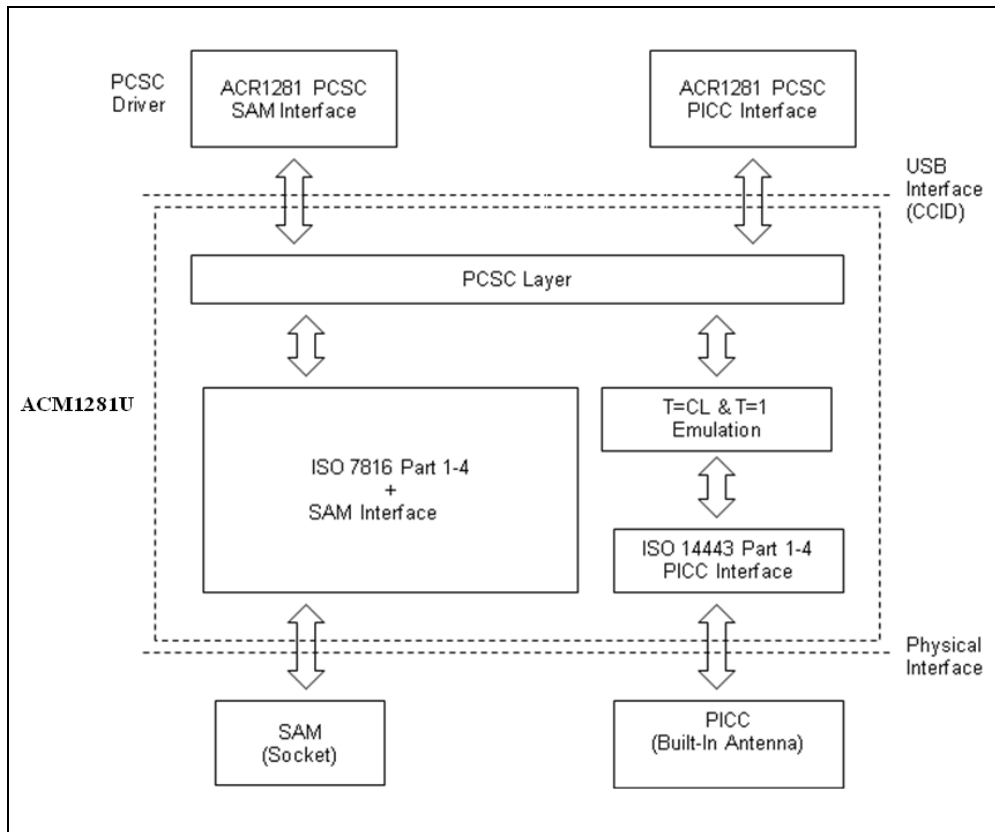


Figure 2: ACM1281U-C7 Architecture



4.0. Hardware Design

4.1. USB

The ACM1281U-C7 connects to a computer through USB following the USB standard.

4.1.1. Communication Parameters

The ACM1281U-C7 connects to a computer through USB as specified in the USB Specification 2.0. The ACM1281U-C7 works in full-speed mode, i.e. 12 Mbps.

| Pin | Signal | Function |
|-----|------------------|---|
| 1 | V _{BUS} | +5 V power supply for the reader |
| 2 | D- | Differential signal transmits data between ACM1281U-C7 and PC |
| 3 | D+ | Differential signal transmits data between ACM1281U-C7 and PC |
| 4 | GND | Reference voltage level for power supply |

Table 1: USB Interface Wiring

Note: The device driver should be installed for ACM1281U-C7 to function properly through USB interface.

4.1.2. Endpoints

The ACM1281U-C7 uses the following endpoints to communicate with the host computer:

Control Endpoint – For setup and control purposes.

Bulk-OUT – For commands to be sent from host to ACM1281U-C7 (data packet size is 64 bytes).

Bulk-IN – For response to be sent from ACM1281U-C7 to host (data packet size is 64 bytes).

Interrupt-IN – For card status message to be sent from ACM1281U-C7 to host (data packet size is 8 bytes).

4.2. Contactless Smart Card Interface

The interface between the ACM1281U-C7 and the contactless card follows the specifications of ISO 14443 with certain restrictions or enhancements to increase the practical functionality of the ACM1281U-C7.

4.2.1. Carrier Frequency

The carrier frequency for ACM1281U-C7 is 13.56 MHz.

4.2.2. Card Polling

The ACM1281U-C7 automatically polls the contactless cards that are within the field. ISO 14443-4 Type A, ISO 14443-4 Type B and MIFARE cards are supported.



4.3. User Interface

4.3.1. Buzzer

A monotone buzzer is used to indicate the “Card Insertion” and “Card Removal” events.

| Events | Buzzer |
|---|--------|
| 1. The reader is powered up and successfully initialized. | Beep |
| 2. Card Insertion Event (PICC) | Beep |
| 3. Card Removal Event (PICC) | Beep |

Table 2: Buzzer Event

4.3.2. LED

The LEDs are used to indicate the state of the contact and contactless interfaces. The Red LED is used to indicate PICC status and the Green LED is used to indicate ICC status.

| Reader States | Red LED PICC Indicator | Green LED ICC Indicator |
|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. No PICC Found or PICC present but not activated. | A single pulse per ~ 5 seconds | N/A |
| 2. PICC is present and activated. | ON | N/A |
| 3. PICC is operating. | Blinking | N/A |

Table 3: LED Indicator

5.0. Host Programming (PC-Linked) API

5.1. Contactless Smart Card Protocol

5.1.1. ATR Generation

If the reader detects a PICC, an ATR will be sent to the PC/SC driver to identify the PICC.

5.1.1.1. ATR Format for ISO 14443 Part 3 PICCs

| Byte | Value (Hex) | Designation | Description |
|----------|--------------|----------------|---|
| 0 | 3Bh | Initial Header | - |
| 1 | 8Nh | T0 | Higher nibble 8 means: no TA1, TB1, TC1 only TD1 is following. Lower nibble N is the number of historical bytes (HistByte 0 to HistByte N-1) |
| 2 | 80h | TD1 | Higher nibble 8 means: no TA2, TB2, TC2 only TD2 is following. Lower nibble 0 means T = 0 |
| 3 | 01h | TD2 | Higher nibble 0 means no TA3, TB3, TC3, TD3 following. Lower nibble 1 means T = 1 |
| 4 to 3+N | 80h | T1 | Category indicator byte, 80 means A status indicator may be present in an optional COMPACT-TLV data object |
| | 4Fh | Tk | Application identifier Presence Indicator |
| | 0Ch | | Length |
| | RID | | Registered Application Provider Identifier (RID) # A0 00 00 03 06h |
| | SS | | Byte for standard |
| | C0h.. C1h | | Bytes for card name |
| | 00 00 00 00h | RFU | RFU # 00 00 00 00h |
| 4+N | UU | TCK | Exclusive-oring of all the bytes T0 to Tk |

Table 4: ISO 14443 Part 3 ATR Format

Example:

ATR for MIFARE 1K = {3B 8F 80 01 80 4F 0C A0 00 00 03 06 03 00 01 00 00 00 00 6Ah}

| ATR | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------|-----------------------------|----------|------------|-----------------------|-----|
| Initial Header | T0 | TD1 | TD2 | T1 | Tk | Length | RID | Standard | Card Name | RFU | TCK |
| 3Bh | 8Fh | 80h | 01h | 80h | 4Fh | 0Ch | A0 00 00 03 06h | 03h | 00h 01h | 00 00 00 00h | 6Ah |



Where:

- Length (YY)** = 0Ch
- RID** = A0 00 00 03 06h (PC/SC Workgroup)
- Standard (SS)** = 03h (ISO 14443A, Part 3)
- Card Name (C0 ... C1)** = [00 01h] (MIFARE 1K)
 [00 02h] (MIFARE 4K)
 [00 03h] (MIFARE Ultralight)
 [00 26h] (MIFARE Mini)
 [00 36h] (MIFARE PLUS SL1_2K)
 [00 37h] (MIFARE PLUS SL1_4K)
 [00 38h] (MIFARE PLUS SL2_2K)
 [00 39h] (MIFARE PLUS SL2_4K)
 [00 3Ah] (MIFARE Ultralight C)
 [FF 28h] JCOP 30
 FF SAK undefined tags

5.1.1.2. ATR Format for ISO 14443 Part 4 PICCs

| Byte | Value (Hex) | Designation | Description | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|---|---|---------|---------|-------|----------------------------|------------------------------|---|
| 0 | 3Bh | Initial Header | - | | | | | | |
| 1 | 8Nh | T0 | Higher nibble 8 means: no TA1, TB1, TC1 only TD1 is following. Lower nibble N is the number of historical bytes (HistByte 0 to HistByte N-1) | | | | | | |
| 2 | 80h | TD1 | Higher nibble 8 means: no TA2, TB2, TC2 only TD2 is following. Lower nibble 0 means T = 0 | | | | | | |
| 3 | 01h | TD2 | Higher nibble 0 means no TA3, TB3, TC3, TD3 following. Lower nibble 1 means T = 1 | | | | | | |
| 4 to 3 + N | XX | T1 | Historical Bytes: ISO 14443A: The historical bytes from ATS response. Refer to the ISO 14443-4 specification. ISO 14443B: | | | | | | |
| | XX XX XX | Tk | | | | | | | |
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| Application Data from ATQB | Protocol Info Byte from ATQB | Higher nibble=MBLI from ATTRIB command Lower nibble (RFU)=0 | | | | | | | |
| 4+N | UU | TCK | Exclusive-oring of all the bytes T0 to Tk | | | | | | |

Table 5: ISO 14443 Part 4 ATR Format



Example 1: Consider the ATR from MIFARE® DESFire® as follows:

MIFARE DESFire (ATR) = 3B 81 80 01 80 80h (6 bytes of ATR)

Note: Use the APDU "FF CA 01 00 00h" to distinguish the ISO 14443A-4 and ISO 14443B-4 PICCs and retrieve the full ATS if available. The ATS is returned for ISO 14443A-3 or ISO 14443B-3/4 PICCs.

APDU Command = FF CA 01 00 00h

APDU Response = 06 75 77 81 02 90 00h

ATS = {06 75 77 81 02 80h}

Example 2: Consider the ATR from EZ-Link as follows:

EZ-Link (ATR) = 3B 88 80 01 1C 2D 94 11 F7 71 85 00 BEh

Application Data of ATQB = 1C 2D 94 11h

Protocol Information of ATQB = F7 71 85h

MBLI of ATTRIB = 00h



5.1.2. Pseudo APDUs for Contactless Interface

5.1.2.1. Get Data

This command is used to return the serial number or ATS of the connected PICC.

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le |
|----------|-------|-----|------------|-----|----------------------|
| Get Data | FFh | CAh | 00h 01h | 00h | 00h (Full Length) |

Get UID Response if P1 = 00h

| Response | UID | ... | ... | UID | SW1 | SW2 |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Result | LSB | | | MSB | | |

Get ATS Response if P1 = 01h (for ISO 14443-A cards only)

| Response | Data Out | | |
|----------|----------|-----|-----|
| Result | ATS | SW1 | SW2 |

Response Code

| Results | SW1 SW2 | Meaning |
|---------|---------|--|
| Success | 90 00h | The operation was completed successfully. |
| Warning | 62 82h | End of UID/ATS reached before Le bytes (Le is greater than UID Length). |
| Error | 6C XXh | Wrong length (wrong number Le: 'XX' encodes the exact number) if Le is less than the available UID length. |
| Error | 63 00h | The operation failed. |
| Error | 6A 81h | Function not supported. |

Example 1: To get the serial number of the connected PICC:

```
UINT8 GET_UID[5] = {FF CA 00 00 00h};
```

Example 2: To get the ATS of the connected ISO 14443-A PICC:

```
UINT8 GET_ATS[5] = {FF CA 01 00 00h};
```

5.1.3. PICC Commands (T=CL Emulation) for MIFARE 1K/4K Memory Cards

5.1.3.1. Load Authentication Keys

This command is used to load the authentication keys into the reader. The authentication keys are used to authenticate the specified sector of the MIFARE 1K/4K Memory Card. Two kinds of authentication key locations are provided, volatile and non-volatile key locations.

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data In |
|--------------------------|-------|-----|---------------|------------|-----|---------|
| Load Authentication Keys | FFh | 82h | Key Structure | Key Number | 06h | Key |

Where:

Key Structure (1 Byte)

00h = Key is loaded into the reader's volatile memory

20h = Key is loaded into the reader's non-volatile memory

Other = Reserved

Key Number (1 Byte)

00h – 1Fh = Non-volatile memory for storing keys. The keys are permanently stored in the reader and will not be erased even if the reader is disconnected from the PC. It can store up to 32 keys inside the reader non-volatile memory.

20h (Session Key) = Volatile memory for temporarily storing keys. The keys will be erased when the reader is disconnected from the PC. Only one volatile memory is provided. The volatile key can be used as a session key for different sessions. Default value = FF FF FF FFh.

Key (6 Bytes)

The key value loaded into the reader.

E.g. {FF FF FF FF FF FFh}

Response

| Response | Data Out | |
|----------|----------|-----|
| Result | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

SW1 SW2 = 90 00h means the operation was completed successfully.

= 63 00h means the operation failed.

Example1:

Load a key { FF FF FF FF FF FFh } into the non-volatile memory location 05h.

APDU = {FF 82 20 05 06 FF FF FF FF FF FFh}

Load a key { FF FF FF FF FF FFh } into the volatile memory location 20h.

APDU = {FF 82 00 20 06 FF FF FF FF FF FFh}



Notes:

1. *The application should know all the keys being used. It is recommended to store all the required keys to the non-volatile memory for security reasons. The contents of both volatile and non-volatile memories are not readable by any application.*
2. *The content of the volatile memory “Session Key 20h” will remain valid until the reader is reset or powered-off. The session key is useful for storing any key value that is changing from time to time. The session key is stored in the “Internal RAM”, while the non-volatile keys are stored in “EEPROM” that is relatively slower than the “Internal RAM”.*
3. *It is not recommended to use the “non-volatile key locations 00-1Fh” to store any “temporary key” that will be changed frequently. The “non-volatile keys” are supposed to be used for storing any “key value” that will not change frequently. If the “key value” is supposed to be changed from time to time, store the “key value” to the “volatile key location 20h” instead.*



5.1.3.2. Authentication for MIFARE 1K/4K

This command is used to authenticate the MIFARE 1K/4K card (PICC) using the keys stored in the reader. Two types of authentication keys are used: Type_A and Type_B.

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | P3 | Data In |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-----|-----|--------------|----------|------------|
| Authentication 6 Bytes (Obsolete) | FFh | 88h | 00h | Block Number | Key Type | Key Number |

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In |
|----------------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------------------|
| Authentication 10 Bytes | FFh | 86h | 00h | 00h | 05h | Authenticate Data Bytes |

Where:

Authenticate Data Bytes (5 Bytes)

| Byte 1 | Byte 2 | Byte 3 | Byte 4 | Byte 5 |
|----------------|--------|--------------|----------|------------|
| Version 01h | 00h | Block Number | Key Type | Key Number |

Where:

Block Number (1 Byte)

The memory block to be authenticated.

Note: For MIFARE 1K card, it has a total of 16 sectors and each sector consists of 4 consecutive blocks. For example, Sector 00h consists of Blocks {00h, 01h, 02h and 03h}; Sector 01h consists of Blocks {04h, 05h, 06h and 07h}; the last sector 0Fh consists of Blocks {3Ch, 3Dh, 3Eh and 3Fh}.

Once the authentication is done successfully, there is no need to do the authentication again provided that the blocks to be accessed belong to the same sector. Please refer to the MIFARE 1K/4K specification for more details.

Key Type (1 Byte)

60h = Key is used as Key A key for authentication.

61h = Key is used as Key B key for authentication.

Key Number (1 Byte)

00h – 1Fh = Non-volatile memory for storing keys. The keys are permanently stored in the reader and will not be erased even if the reader is disconnected from the PC. It can store up to 32 keys inside the reader non-volatile memory.

20h (Session Key) = Volatile memory for temporarily storing keys. The keys will be erased when the reader is disconnected from the PC. Only 1 volatile memory is provided. The volatile key can be used as a session key for different sessions. Default value = FF FF FF FF FF FFh.



Response

| Response | Data Out | |
|----------|----------|-----|
| Result | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

- SW1 SW2** = 90 00h means the operation was completed successfully.
- = 63 00h means the operation failed.

| Sectors (Total of 16 sectors. Each sector consists of 4 consecutive blocks) | Data Blocks (3 blocks, 16 bytes per block) | Trailer Block (1 block, 16 bytes) | |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Sector 0 | 00h ~ 02h | 03h | } 1 KB |
| Sector 1 | 04h ~ 06h | 07h | |
| .. | | | |
| .. | | | |
| Sector 14 | 38h ~ 0Ah | 3Bh | |
| Sector 15 | 3Ch ~ 3Eh | 3Fh | |

Table 6: MIFARE 1K Memory Map

| Sectors (Total of 32 sectors. Each sector consists of 4 consecutive blocks) | Data Blocks (3 blocks, 16 bytes per block) | Trailer Block (1 block, 16 bytes) | |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Sector 0 | 00h ~ 02h | 03h | } 2 KB |
| Sector 1 | 04h ~ 06h | 07h | |
| ... | | | |
| ... | | | |
| Sector 30 | 78h ~ 7Ah | 7Bh | |
| Sector 31 | 7Ch ~ 7Eh | 7Fh | |

| Sectors (Total of 32 sectors. Each sector consists of 4 consecutive blocks) | Data Blocks (3 blocks, 16 bytes per block) | Trailer Block (1 block, 16 bytes) | |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Sector 32 | 80h ~ 8Eh | 8Fh | } 2 KB |
| Sector 33 | 90h ~ 9Eh | 9Fh | |
| ... | | | |
| ... | | | |
| Sector 38 | E0h ~ EEh | EFh | |
| Sector 39 | F0h ~ FEh | FFh | |

Table 7: MIFARE 4K Memory Map



Example 1:

To authenticate Block 04h with the following characteristics: Key A, key number 00h, from PC/SC V2.01 (Obsolete).

APDU = { FF 88 00 04 60 00h }

Example 2:

Similar to the previous example, to authenticate Block 04h with the following characteristics: Key A, key number 00h, from PC/SC V2.07.

APDU = { FF 86 00 00 05 01 00 04 60 00h }

Note: MIFARE® Ultralight does not need authentication since it provides free access to the user data area.

| Byte Number | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | Page |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------|--------|------|
| Serial Number | SN0 | SN1 | SN2 | BCC0 | 0 |
| Serial Number | SN3 | SN4 | SN5 | SN6 | 1 |
| Internal/Lock | BCC1 | Internal | Lock0 | Lock1 | 2 |
| OTP | OPT0 | OPT1 | OTP2 | OTP3 | 3 |
| Data read/write | Data0 | Data1 | Data2 | Data3 | 4 |
| Data read/write | Data4 | Data5 | Data6 | Data7 | 5 |
| Data read/write | Data8 | Data9 | Data10 | Data11 | 6 |
| Data read/write | Data12 | Data13 | Data14 | Data15 | 7 |
| Data read/write | Data16 | Data17 | Data18 | Data19 | 8 |
| Data read/write | Data20 | Data21 | Data22 | Data23 | 9 |
| Data read/write | Data24 | Data25 | Data26 | Data27 | 10 |
| Data read/write | Data28 | Data29 | Data30 | Data31 | 11 |
| Data read/write | Data32 | Data33 | Data34 | Data35 | 12 |
| Data read/write | Data36 | Data37 | Data38 | Data39 | 13 |
| Data read/write | Data40 | Data41 | Data42 | Data43 | 14 |
| Data read/write | Data44 | Data45 | Data46 | Data47 | 15 |

}

512 bits
or
64 bytes

Table 8: MIFARE Ultralight Memory Map



5.1.3.3. Read Binary Blocks

This command is used to retrieve multiple data blocks from the PICC. The data block/trailer must be authenticated first before executing this command.

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le |
|--------------------|-------|-----|-----|--------------|-------------------------|
| Read Binary Blocks | FFh | B0h | 00h | Block Number | Number of Bytes to Read |

Where:

Block Number (1 Byte)
Starting Block

Number of Bytes to Read The length of the bytes to be read can be a multiple of 16 bytes for MIFARE 1K/4K or a multiple of 4 bytes for MIFARE Ultralight (1 Byte).

Maximum of 16 bytes for MIFARE Ultralight.

Maximum of 48 bytes for MIFARE 1K (Multiple Blocks Mode; 3 consecutive blocks).

Maximum of 240 bytes for MIFARE 4K (Multiple Blocks Mode; 15 consecutive blocks).

Example 1: 10h (16 bytes). Starting block only. (Single Block Mode)

Example 2: 40h (64 bytes). From starting block to starting block +3. (Multiple Blocks Mode)

Note: For security considerations, the Multiple Block Mode is used for accessing data blocks only. The Trailer Block is not supposed to be accessed in Multiple Blocks Mode. Please use Single Block Mode to access the Trailer Block.

Response

| Response | Data Out | | |
|----------|----------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Result | Data (Multiple of 4 or 16 bytes) | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

SW1 SW2 = 90 00h means the operation was completed successfully.
= 63 00h means the operation failed.

Example 1: Read 16 bytes from the binary block 04h (MIFARE 1K or 4K).

APDU = { FF B0 00 04 10h }

Example 2: Read 240 bytes starting from the binary block 80h (MIFARE 4K). Block 80h to Block 8Eh (15 blocks).

APDU = { FF B0 00 80 F0 }



5.1.3.4. Update Binary Blocks

This command is used to write multiple data blocks into the PICC. The data block/trailer block must be authenticated first before executing this command.

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data In |
|----------------------|-------|-----|-----|--------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Update Binary Blocks | FFh | D6h | 00h | Block Number | Number of Bytes to Update | Block Data (Multiple of 16 Bytes) |

Where:

- Block Number** (1 Byte)
Starting Block
- Block Data** Multiple of 16 + 2 Bytes, or 6 Bytes. Data to be written into the binary blocks.
- Number of Bytes to Read** The length of the bytes to be read can be a multiple of 16 bytes for MIFARE 1K/4K or a multiple of 4 bytes for MIFARE Ultralight (1 Byte).
Maximum of 16 Bytes for MIFARE Ultralight.
Maximum of 48 Bytes for MIFARE 1K (Multiple Blocks Mode; 3 consecutive blocks).
Maximum of 240 Bytes for MIFARE 4K (Multiple Blocks Mode; 15 consecutive blocks).

Example 1: 10h (16 Bytes). Starting block only. (Single Block Mode)

Example 2: 30h (48 Bytes). From starting block to starting block +2. (Multiple Blocks Mode)

Note: For security considerations, the Multiple Block Mode is used for accessing data blocks only. The Trailer Block is not supposed to be accessed in Multiple Blocks Mode. Please use Single Block Mode to access the Trailer Block.

Response

| Response | Data Out | |
|----------|----------|-----|
| Result | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

- SW1 SW2** = 90 00h means the operation was completed successfully.
- = 63 00h means the operation failed.

Example 1: Update the binary block 04h of MIFARE 1K/4K with Data {00 01 .. 0Fh}

APDU = { FF D6 00 04 10 00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 0A 0B 0C 0D 0E 0Fh }

Example 2: Update the binary block 04h of MIFARE Ultralight with Data { 00 01 02 03h }

APDU = { FF D6 00 04 04 00 01 02 03h }



5.1.3.5. Value Block Operation (Increment, Decrement, Store)

This command is used to manipulate value-based transactions (e.g., increment a value block, etc.).

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In | |
|-----------------------|-------|-----|-----|--------------|-----|---------|--------------------------------------|
| Value Block Operation | FFh | D7h | 00h | Block Number | 05h | VB_OP | VB_Value (4 Bytes) {MSB...LSB} |

Where:

- Block Number** (1 byte)
Value Block to be manipulated
- VB_OP** (1 byte)
Value block operation
- 00h = Store *VB_Value* into the block. The block will then be converted to a value block.
 - 01h = Increment the value of the value block by the *VB_Value*. This command is only valid for value blocks.
 - 02h = Decrement the value of the value block by the *VB_Value*. This command is only valid for value blocks.
- VB_Value** (4 bytes)
The value used for manipulation. The value is a signed long integer.

Example 1: Decimal - 4 = { FF FF FF FCh }

| VB_Value | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|
| MSB | | | LSB |
| FFh | FFh | FFh | FCh |

Example 2: Decimal 1 = { 00 00 00 01h }

| VB_Value | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|
| MSB | | | LSB |
| 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h |

Response

| Response | Data Out | |
|----------|----------|-----|
| Result | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

- SW1 SW2** = 90 00h means the operation was completed successfully.
- = 63 00h means the operation failed.



5.1.3.6. Read Value Block

This command is used to retrieve the value from a value block. This command is valid only for value blocks.

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le |
|------------------|-------|-----|-----|--------------|-----|
| Read Value Block | FFh | B1h | 00h | Block Number | 00h |

Where:

Block Number (1 Byte)
The value block to be accessed.

Response

| Response | Data Out | | |
|----------|------------------------|-----|-----|
| Result | Value {MSB ... LSB} | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

Value (4 Bytes)
The value returned from the cards. The value is a signed long integer

Example 1: Decimal - 4 = { FF FF FF FCh }

| VB_Value | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|
| MSB | | | LSB |
| FFh | FFh | FFh | FCh |

Example 2: Decimal 1 = { 00 00 00 01h }

| VB_Value | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|
| MSB | | | LSB |
| 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h |

Response

| Response | Data Out | |
|----------|----------|-----|
| Result | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

SW1 SW2 = 90 00h means the operation was completed successfully.
= 63 00h means the operation failed.



5.1.3.7. Copy Value Block

This command is used to copy a value from a value block to another value block.

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In | |
|------------------|-------|-----|-----|---------------------|-----|---------|---------------------|
| Copy Value Block | FFh | D7h | 00h | Source Block Number | 02h | 03h | Target Block Number |

Where:

Source Block Number (1 Byte)

Block number where the value will come from and copied to the target value block.

Target Block Number (1 Byte)

Block number where the value from the source block will be copied to. The source and target value blocks must be in the same sector.

Response

| Response | Data Out | |
|----------|----------|-----|
| Result | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

SW1 SW2

= 90 00h means the operation was completed successfully.

= 63 00h means the operation failed.

Example 1: Store a value "1" into block 05h

APDU = {FF D7 00 05 05 00 00 00 00 01h}

Example 2: Read the value block 05h

APDU = {FF B1 00 05 00h}

Example 3: Copy the value from value block 05h to value block 06h

APDU = {FF D7 00 05 02 03 06h}

Example 4: Increment the value block 05h by "5"

APDU = {FF D7 00 05 05 01 00 00 00 05h}



5.1.4. Access PC/SC-compliant tags (ISO 14443-4)

All ISO 14443-4 compliant cards (PICCs) understand the ISO 7816-4 APDUs. The ACM1281U-C7 reader will only need to communicate with the ISO 14443-4 compliant cards through exchanging ISO 7816-4 APDUs and responses. ACM1281U-C7 will handle the ISO 14443 Parts 1-4 Protocols internally.

The MIFARE 1K, 4K, Mini and Ultralight tags are supported through the T=CL emulation. Simply treat the MIFARE tags as standard ISO 14443-4 tags. For more information, see **Section 5.1.3 – PICC Commands for MIFARE 1K/4K Memory Cards.**

Command

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In | Le |
|-------------------------|-------|-----|----|----|-----------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| ISO 7816 Part 4 Command | | | | | Length of the Data In | | Expected Length of the Response Data |

Response

| Response | Data Out | |
|----------|----------|-----|
| Result | SW1 | SW2 |

Where:

- SW1 SW2** = 90 00h means the operation was completed successfully.
- = 63 00h means the operation failed.

Typical sequence may be:

1. Present the tag and connect the PICC Interface.
2. Read/Update the memory of the tag.

Step 1: Connect the tag.

The ATR of the tag is 3B 88 80 01 00 00 00 00 33 81 81 00 3Ah

In which,

The Application Data of ATQB = 00 00 00 00h, protocol information of ATQB = 33 81 81h. It is an ISO 14443-4 Type B tag.

Step 2: Send an APDU, Get Challenge.

<< 00 84 00 00 08h

>> 1A F7 F3 1B CD 2B A9 58 [90 00h]

Note: For ISO 14443-4 Type A tags, the ATS can be obtained by using the APDU “FF CA 01 00 00h.”

Example: ISO 7816-4 APDU

To read 8 bytes from an ISO 14443-4 Type B PICC (ST19XR08E)

APDU = { 80 B2 80 00 08h }

Class = 80h; INS = B2h; P1 = 80h; P2 = 00h;

Lc = None; Data In = None; Le = 08h

Answer: 00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 [\$90 00h]



5.1.5. Accessing MIFARE DESFire tags (ISO 14443-4)

MIFARE DESFire supports ISO 7816-4 APDU Wrapping and Native modes. Once the DESFire tag is activated, the first APDU sent to the DESFire tag will determine the “Command Mode.” If the first APDU is “Native Mode,” the rest of the APDUs must be in “Native Mode” format. Similarly, if the first APDU is “ISO 7816-4 APDU Wrapping Mode,” the rest of the APDUs must be in “ISO 7816-4 APDU Wrapping Mode” format.

Example 1: DESFire ISO 7816-4 APDU Wrapping.

To read 8 bytes random number from an ISO 14443-4 Type A PICC (DESFire):

APDU = {90 0A 00 00 01 00 00h}

Class = 90h; INS = 0Ah (DESFire Instruction); P1 = 00h; P2 = 00h

Lc = 01h; Data In = 00h; Le = 00h (Le = 00h for maximum length)

Answer: 7B 18 92 9D 9A 25 05 21h [\$91AFh]

Note: Status Code {91 AFh} is defined in MIFARE DESFire specification. Please refer to MIFARE DESFire specification for more details.

Example 2: DESFire Frame Level Chaining (ISO 7816 wrapping mode)

In this example, the application has to do the “Frame Level Chaining”.

To get the version of the DESFire card:

Step 1: Send an APDU {90 60 00 00 00h} to get the first frame. INS=60h

Answer: 04 01 01 00 02 18 05 91 AFh [\$91AFh]

Step 2: Send an APDU {90 AF 00 00 00h} to get the second frame. INS=AFh

Answer: 04 01 01 00 06 18 05 91 AFh [\$91AFh]

Step 3: Send an APDU {90 AF 00 00 00h} to get the last frame. INS=AFh

Answer: 04 52 5A 19 B2 1B 80 8E 36 54 4D 40 26 04 91 00h [\$9100h]

Example 3: DESFire Native Command.

You can send Native DESFire Commands to the reader without ISO 7816 wrapping if we find that the Native DESFire Commands are easier to handle.

To read 8 bytes random number from an ISO 14443-4 Type A PICC (DESFire):

APDU = {0A 00h}

Answer: AF 25 9C 65 0C 87 65 1D D7h [\$1DD7h]

In which, the first byte “AF” is the status code returned by the MIFARE DESFire card.

The Data inside the blanket [\$1DD7h] can simply be ignored by the application.



Example 4: DESFire Frame Level Chaining (Native Mode)

In this example, the application has to do the “Frame Level Chaining”.

To get the version of the DESFire card:

Step 1: Send an APDU {60h} to get the first frame. INS=60h

Answer: AF 04 01 01 00 02 18 05h [\$1805h]

Step 2: Send an APDU {AFh} to get the second frame. INS=AFh

Answer: AF 04 01 01 00 06 18 05h [\$1805h]

Step 3: Send an APDU {AFh} to get the last frame. INS=AFh

Answer: 00 04 52 5A 19 B2 1B 80 8E 36 54 4D 40 26 04h [\$2604h]

Note: In DESFire Native Mode, the status code [90 00h] will not be added to the response if the response length is greater than 1. If the response length is less than 2, the status code [90 00h] will be added in order to meet the requirement of PC/SC. The minimum response length is 2.



5.2. Peripherals Control

The reader's peripherals control commands are implemented by using *PC_to_RDR_Escape*.

Note: The driver will add the Class, INS and P1 automatically.

5.2.1. Get Firmware Version

This command is used to get the reader's firmware message.

Get Firmware Version Format (5 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc |
|----------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Get Firmware Version | E0h | 00h | 00h | 18h | 00h |

Get Firmware Version Response Format (Firmware Message Length)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | Number of Bytes to be Received | Firmware Version |

Example:

Response = E1 00 00 00 0F 41 43 52 31 32 38 31 55 5F 56 37 30 32 2E 32

Firmware Version (HEX) = 41 43 52 31 32 38 31 55 5F 56 37 30 32 2E 32

Firmware Version (ASCII) = "ACR1281U_V702.2"



5.2.2. LED Control

This command is used to control the LEDs output.

LED Control Format (6 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In |
|-------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------|
| LED Control | E0h | 00h | 00h | 29h | 01h | LED Status |

Where:

LED Status (1 Byte)

| LED Status | Description | Description |
|------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Bit 0 | Red LED | 1 = ON 0 = OFF |
| Bit 1 | Green LED | 1 = ON 0 = OFF |
| Bit 2 – 7 | RFU | RFU |

LED Control Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | LED Status |



5.2.3. LED Status

This command is used to check the existing LEDs status.

LED Status Format (5 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc |
|------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| LED Status | E0h | 00h | 00h | 29h | 00h |

LED Status Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | LED Status |

Where:

LED Status (1 Byte)

| LED Status | Description | Description |
|------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Bit 0 | Red LED | 1 = ON 0 = OFF |
| Bit 1 | Green LED | 1 = ON 0 = OFF |
| Bit 2 – 7 | RFU | RFU |



5.2.4. Buzzer Control

This command is used to control the buzzer output.

Buzzer Control Format (6 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In |
|----------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------------------|
| Buzzer Control | E0h | 00h | 00h | 28h | 01h | Buzzer ON Duration |

Where:

Buzzer ON Duration (1 Byte)

00h = OFF

01 – FFh = Duration (unit: 10 ms)

Buzzer Control Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | 00h |



5.2.5. Set Default LED and Buzzer Behaviors

This command is used to set the default behavior of the LEDs and buzzer.

Set LED and Buzzer Behaviors Format (6 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In |
|------------------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|
| Set LED and Buzzer Behaviors | E0h | 00h | 00h | 21h | 01h | Default Behaviors |

Where:

Default Behaviors (1 byte)

| Status | Description | Description |
|--------|--|--|
| Bit 0 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 1 | PICC Polling Status LED | To show the PICC polling status. 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 2 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 3 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 4 | Card Insertion and Removal Events Buzzer | To make a beep whenever a card insertion or removal event is detected (PICC). 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 5 | Contactless Chip Reset Indication Buzzer | To make a beep when the contactless chip is reset. 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 6 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 7 | Card Operation Blinking LED | To make the LED blink whenever the card (PICC) is being accessed. |

Note: Default value of Behaviors = FBh.

Set LED and Buzzer Behaviors Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | Default Behaviors |



5.2.6. Read Default LED and Buzzer Behaviors

This command is used to read the current default behaviors of the LEDs and buzzer.

Read LED and Buzzer Behaviors Format (5 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Read Default LED and Buzzer Behaviors | E0h | 00h | 00h | 21h | 00h |

Read LED and Buzzer Behaviors Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | Default Behaviors |

Where:

Default Behaviors (1 Byte)

| Status | Description | Description |
|--------|--|--|
| Bit 0 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 1 | PICC Polling Status LED | To show the PICC polling status. 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 2 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 3 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 4 | Card Insertion and Removal Events Buzzer | To make a beep whenever a card insertion or removal event is detected (PICC). 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 5 | Contactless Chip Reset Indication Buzzer | To make a beep when the contactless chip is reset. 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 6 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 7 | Card Operation Blinking LED | To make the LED blink whenever the card (PICC) is being accessed. |

Note: Default value of Behaviors = FBh.



5.2.7. Set Automatic PICC Polling

This command is used to set the reader's polling mode.

Whenever the reader is connected to the PC, the PICC polling function will start the PICC scanning to determine if a PICC is placed on/removed from the built-in antenna.

You can send a command to disable the PICC polling function by sending a command through the PC/SC Escape Command interface. To meet the energy saving requirement, special modes are provided for turning off the antenna field whenever the PICC is inactive, or no PICC is found. The reader will consume less current in power saving mode.

Set Automatic PICC Polling Format (6 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In |
|----------------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|
| Set Automatic PICC Polling | E0h | 00h | 00h | 23h | 01h | Polling Setting |

Where:

Polling Setting (1 Byte)

| Polling Setting | Description | Description |
|-----------------|--|--|
| Bit 0 | Auto PICC Polling | 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 1 | Turn OFF Antenna Field if no PICC found | 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 2 | Turn OFF Antenna Field if the PICC is inactive | 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 3 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 5 – 4 | PICC Polling Interval for PICC | Bit 5 – Bit 4: 0 – 0 = 250 ms 0 – 1 = 500 ms 1 – 0 = 1000 ms 1 – 1 = 2500 ms |
| Bit 6 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 7 | Enforce ISO 14443A Part 4 | 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |

Note: Default value of Behaviors = 8Fh.

Response

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | Polling Setting |



Notes:

1. *It is recommended to enable the option “Turn off Antenna Field is the PICC is inactive,” so that the “Inactive PICC” will not be exposed to the field all the time to prevent the PICC from “warming up.”*
2. *The longer the PICC Poll Interval, the more efficient it is for energy saving. However, the response time of PICC Polling will become longer. The Idle Current Consumption in Power Saving Mode is about 60 mA, while the Idle Current Consumption in Non-Power Saving mode is about 130 mA. Idle Current Consumption = PICC is not activated.*
3. *The reader will activate the ISO 14443A-4 mode of the “ISO 14443A-4 compliant PICC” automatically. Type B PICC will not be affected by this option.*
4. *The JCOP30 card comes with two modes: ISO 14443A-3 (MIFARE 1K) and ISO 14443A-4 modes. The application has to decide which mode should be selected once the PICC is activated.*



5.2.8. Read Automatic PICC Polling

This command is used to check the current automatic PICC polling.

Read Automatic PICC Polling Format (5 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc |
|-----------------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Read Automatic PICC Polling | E0h | 00h | 00h | 23h | 00h |

Read Automatic PICC Polling Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | Polling Setting |

Where:

Polling Setting (1 Byte)

| Polling Setting | Description | Description |
|-----------------|--|--|
| Bit 0 | Auto PICC Polling | 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 1 | Turn OFF Antenna Field if no PICC found | 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 2 | Turn OFF Antenna Field if the PICC is inactive | 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |
| Bit 3 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 5 – 4 | PICC Polling Interval for PICC | Bit 5 – Bit 4: 0 – 0 = 250 ms 0 – 1 = 500 ms 1 – 0 = 1000 ms 1 – 1 = 2500 ms |
| Bit 6 | RFU | RFU |
| Bit 7 | Enforce ISO 14443A Part 4 | 1 = Enable 0 = Disable |

Note: Default value of Behaviors = 8Fh.



5.2.9. Manual PICC Polling

This command is used to determine if any PICC is within the detection range of the reader. This command can be used if the automatic PICC polling function is disabled.

Manual PICC Polling Format (6 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In |
|---------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------|
| Manual PICC Polling | E0h | 00h | 00h | 22h | 01h | 0Ah |

Manual PICC Polling Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | Status |

Where:

- Status** (1 Byte)
 - 00h = PICC is detected
 - FFh = No PICC is detected



5.2.10. Set PICC Operating Parameter

The command is used to set the PICC operating parameter.

Set PICC Operating Parameter Format (6 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data In |
|------------------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------------------|
| Set PICC Operating Parameter | E0h | 00h | 00h | 20h | 01h | Operating Parameter |

Where:

Operating Parameter (1 Byte)

| Operating Parameter | Parameter | Description | Option |
|---------------------|------------------|--|------------------------|
| Bit 0 | ISO 14443 Type A | The tag types to be detected during PICC Polling | 1 = Detect 0 = Skip |
| Bit 1 | ISO 14443 Type B | | 1 = Detect 0 = Skip |
| Bit 2 – 7 | RFU | RFU | RFU |

Note: Default value of Behaviors = 03h.

Set PICC Operating Parameter Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | Operating Parameter |



5.2.11. Read PICC Operating Parameter

This command is used to check the current PICC operating parameter.

Read PICC Operating Parameter Format (5 bytes)

| Command | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc |
|-------------------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Read PICC Operating Parameter | E0h | 00h | 00h | 20h | 00h |

Read PICC Operating Parameter Response Format (6 bytes)

| Response | Class | INS | P1 | P2 | Le | Data Out |
|----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------------------|
| Result | E1h | 00h | 00h | 00h | 01h | Operating Parameter |

Where:

Operating Parameter (1 byte)

| Operating Parameter | Parameter | Description | Option |
|---------------------|------------------|--|------------------------|
| Bit 0 | ISO 14443 Type A | The tag types to be detected during PICC Polling | 1 = Detect 0 = Skip |
| Bit 1 | ISO 14443 Type B | | 1 = Detect 0 = Skip |
| Bit 2 – 7 | RFU | RFU | RFU |



Appendix A. Basic program flow for contactless applications

Step 0: Start the application. The reader will do the PICC Polling and scan for tags continuously. Once the tag is found and detected, the corresponding ATR will be sent to the PC.

Step 1: Connect the “ACR1281U PICC Interface” with T=1 protocol.

Step 2: Access the PICC by exchanging APDUs.

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Step N: Disconnect the “ACR1281U PICC Interface”. Shut down the application.



Appendix B. Extended APDU Example

Card: ACOS7 (supports Extended APDU, echo response)

Write CMD: **80 D2 00 00 XX XX XXh**

CLA = 80h

INS = D2h

P1 = 00h

P2 = 00h

Data Len = XX XX XXh

Example 1: APDU length = 263 bytes

APDU Command:

80D2000000100000102030405060708090A0B0C0D0E0F101112131415161718191A1B1C1D1E1F
202122232425262728292A2B2C2D2E2F303132333435363738393A3B3C3D3E3F40414243444546
4748494A4B4C4D4E4F505152535455565758595A5B5C5D5E5F606162636465666768696A6B6C6
D6E6F707172737475767778797A7B7C7D7E7F808182838485868788898A8B8C8D8E8F90919293
9495969798999A9B9C9D9E9FA0A1A2A3A4A5A6A7A8A9AAABACADAEAFB0B1B2B3B4B5B6B7B
8B9BABBBBCBDBEBFC0C1C2C3C4C5C6C7C8C9CACBCCCDCECFD0D1D2D3D4D5D6D7D8D9D
ADBDCDDDEDFE0E1E2E3E4E5E6E7E8E9EAEBECEDEEEFF0F1F2F3F4F5F6F7F8F9FAFBFCFD
FEFFh

Response:

000102030405060708090A0B0C0D0E0F101112131415161718191A1B1C1D1E1F20212223242526
2728292A2B2C2D2E2F303132333435363738393A3B3C3D3E3F404142434445464748494A4B4C4
D4E4F505152535455565758595A5B5C5D5E5F606162636465666768696A6B6C6D6E6F70717273
7475767778797A7B7C7D7E7F808182838485868788898A8B8C8D8E8F909192939495969798999A
9B9C9D9E9FA0A1A2A3A4A5A6A7A8A9AAABACADAEAFB0B1B2B3B4B5B6B7B8B9BABBBBCBDB
EBFC0C1C2C3C4C5C6C7C8C9CACBCCCDCECFD0D1D2D3D4D5D6D7D8D9DADBDCDDDEDFE
0E1E2E3E4E5E6E7E8E9EAEBECEDEEEFF0F1F2F3F4F5F6F7F8F9FAFBFCFDFF9000h

Example 2: APDU length = 775 bytes

APDU Command:

80D2000000300000102030405060708090A0B0C0D0E0F101112131415161718191A1B1C1D1E1F
202122232425262728292A2B2C2D2E2F303132333435363738393A3B3C3D3E3F40414243444546
4748494A4B4C4D4E4F505152535455565758595A5B5C5D5E5F606162636465666768696A6B6C6
D6E6F707172737475767778797A7B7C7D7E7F808182838485868788898A8B8C8D8E8F90919293
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Appendix C. Escape Command Example

Example: Get Firmware Version (using PCSCDirectCommand.exe).

Step 1: Plug in the ACM1281 Reader to PC.

Step 2: Open the PCSCDirectCommand.exe.

Step 3: Connect the reader in Direct mode. The ATR will be displayed (if a card is present) or “No ATR retrieved (ATRLen = 0)” will be displayed (if no card).

Step 4: Enter Command: “3500”

Enter Data: “E0 00 00 18 00” (APDU for Get Firmware Version)

Click enter to send to reader, then check the Response.



Appendix D. ACR128 Compatibility

Below is the list of ACR128 functions that are implemented differently or not supported by ACM1281U-C7.

| Functions | ACR128 | ACM1281U-C7 |
|--|--|---|
| 1. Change the default FWI and Transmit Frame Size of the activated PICC. | 1F 03 [Data: 3 bytes] | Not supported. |
| 2. Transceiver Setting | 20 04 06 [Data: 3 bytes] | Not supported. |
| 3. PICC Setting | 2A 0C [Data: 12 bytes] | Not supported. |
| 4. PICC T=CL Data Exchange Error Handling | 2C 02 [Data:1 byte] | Not supported. |
| 5. Read Register | 19 01 [Reg. No.] | Not supported. |
| 6. Update Register | 1A 02 [Reg. No.] [Value] | Not supported. |
| 7. PICC Polling for Specific Types | 20 02 [Data: 1 byte] FF | 20 01 [Data: 1 byte] |
| 8. Buzzer Control | 28 01 [Duration] Duration: 00 = Turn Off 01 – FE = Duration x 10 ms FF = Turn On | 28 01 [Duration] Duration: 01 – FF = Duration x 10 ms |



| Functions | ACR128 | ACM1281U-C7 |
|--|---|---|
| 9. Set/Read Default LED and Buzzer Behaviors | Set: 21 01 [Data: 1 byte] Read: 21 00 Data: Bit 0 = ICC Activation Status Bit 1 = PICC Polling Status LED Bit 2 = PICC Activation Status Buzzer Bit 3 = PICC PPS Status Buzzer Bit 4 = Card Insertion and Removal Events Buzzer Bit 5 = Contactless Chip Reset Indication Buzzer Bit 6 = Exclusive Mode Status Buzzer Bit 7 = Card Operation Blinking LED | Set: 21 01 [Data: 1 byte] Read: 21 00 Data: Bit 0 = RFU Bit 1 = PICC Polling Status LED Bit 2 = RFU Bit 3 = RFU Bit 4 = Card Insertion and Removal Events Buzzer Bit 5 = Contactless Chip Reset Indication Buzzer Bit 6 = RFU Bit 7 = Card Operation Blinking LED |
| 10. Set/Read Automatic PICC Polling | Set: 23 01 [Data: 1 byte] Read: 23 00 Data: Bit 0 = Auto PICC Polling Bit 1 = Turn off Antenna Field if no PICC is found Bit 2 = Turn off Antenna Field if the PICC is inactive Bit 3 = Activate the PICC when detected Bit 4..5 = PICC Poll Interval for PICC Bit 6 = Test Mode Bit 7 = Enforce ISO 14443A Part 4 | Set: 23 01 [Data: 1 byte] Read: 23 00 Data: Bit 0 = Auto PICC Polling Bit 1 = Turn off Antenna Field if no PICC is found Bit 2 = Turn off Antenna Field if the PICC is inactive Bit 3 = RFU Bit 4..5 = PICC Poll Interval for PICC Bit 6 = RFU Bit 7 = Enforce ISO 14443A Part 4 |

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