



A Canonical Event Log Structure for IMA

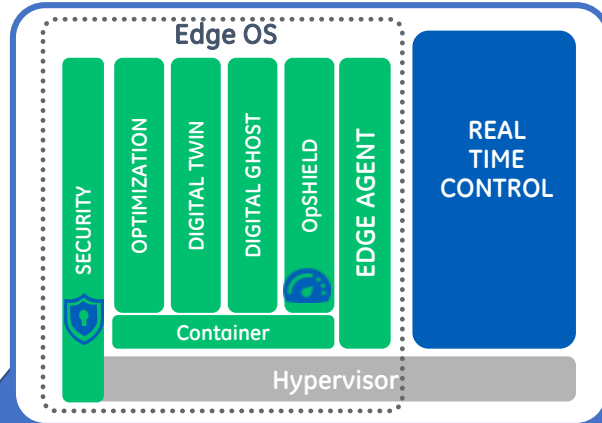
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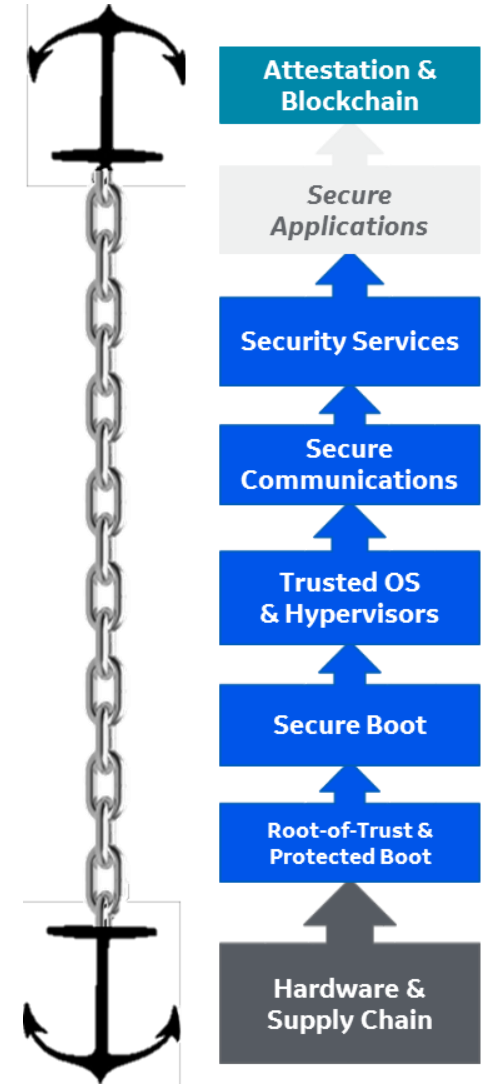
Secure, Software Defined Analytics & Controls Platform



<https://github.com/edgesos>



Currently working on Attestation



IMA Measurement List Desires

1. Scalability!

- The existing measurement list (and hash table) are big kernel memory leaks
- The leaks are made worse by incessant violation records (millions - Lawrence Reinert/NCSC)
- **There is no reason for measurements to remain in the kernel - they're TPM protected**

2. Completeness!

- We need to attest metadata, since metadata can affect security and IMA policy
- Owner, group, mode, security labels
- Make it `_much_` easier to add fields in the future

3. Standards compliance!

- Canonical Event Log Format for IMA and other logs
- A common TLV format will make integrated attestation simpler and more robust
- If we are going to make a new list format, we might as well directly support the TCG format

4. Bonus!

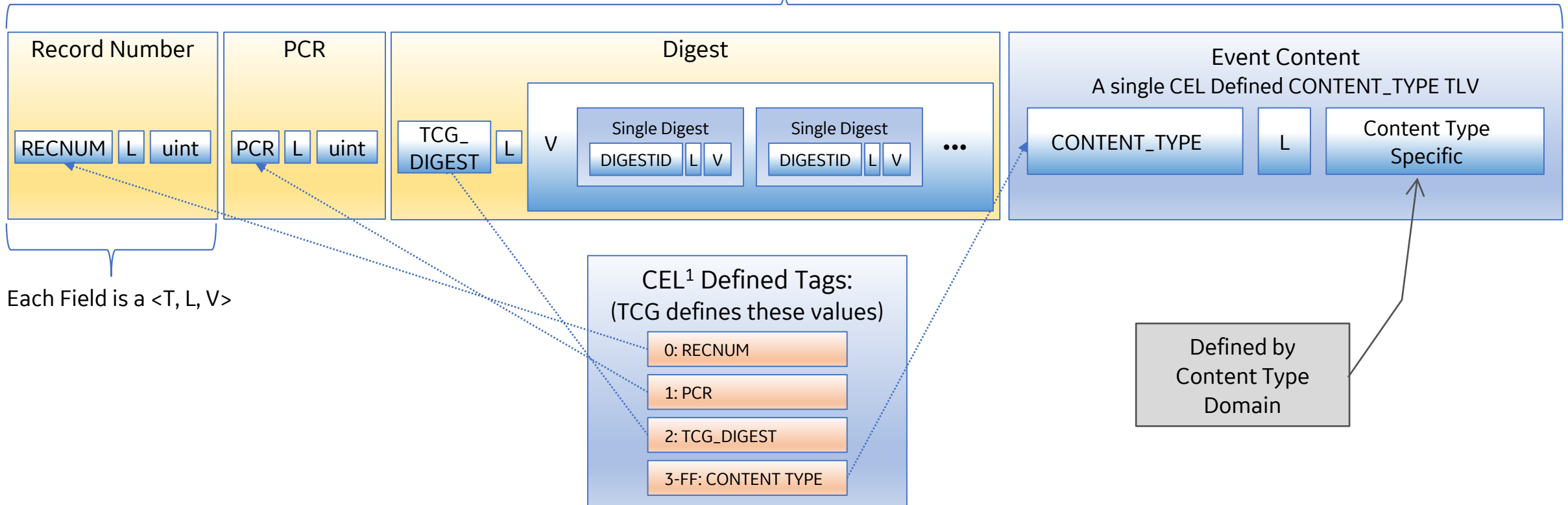
- Sequence number for attestation compression/synchronization
- Timestamp for better event correlation
- Flexible/Dynamic selection of included fields
- Don't need to transfer measurement list across kexec!

	Local Appraisal	Remote Attestation
Data	IMA	IMA
Metadata	EVM	???



Canonical Event Log Record

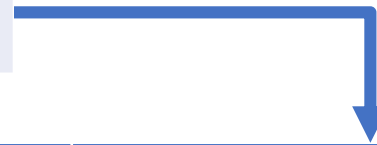
One Canonical Event Log Record
Field Cohesion required within each Event Log Record



¹ CEL: Defined by the TCG Canonical Event Log specification

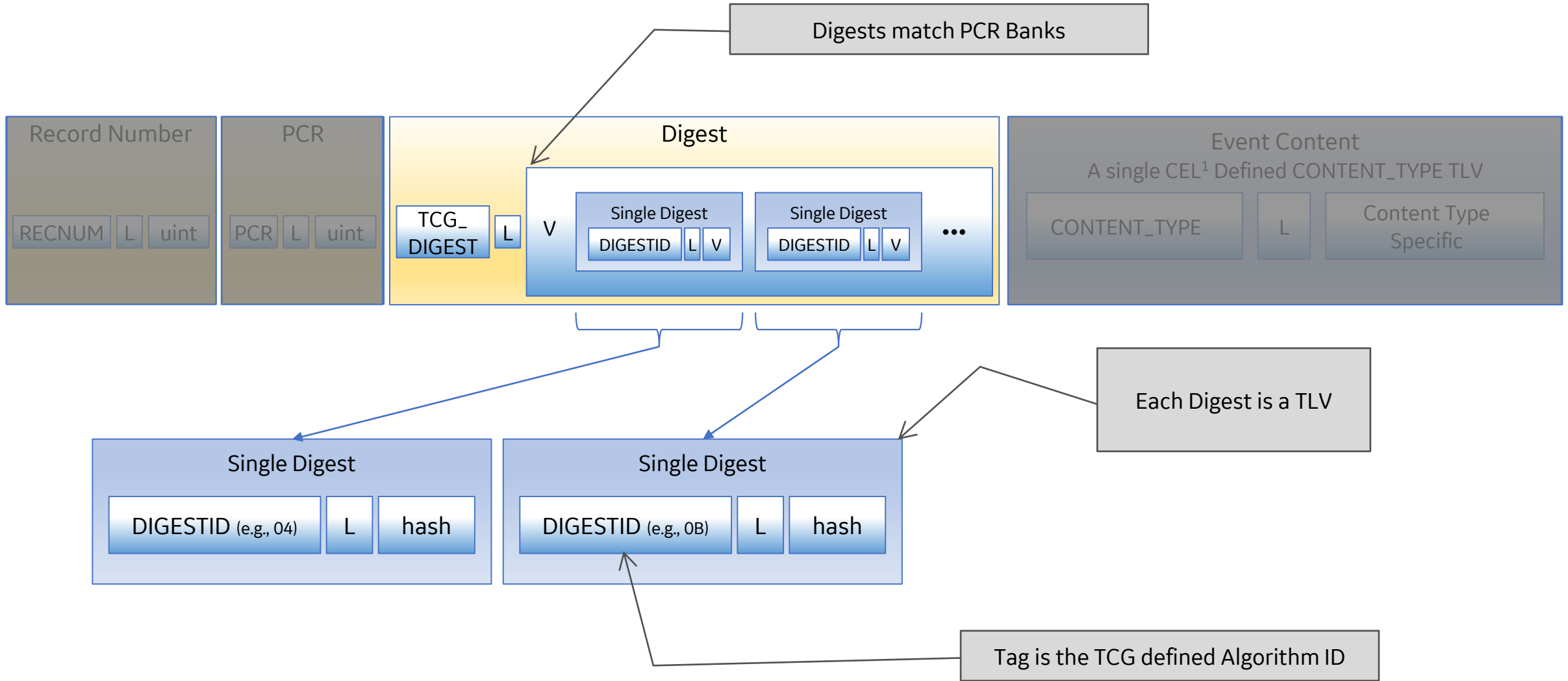
CEL Tags and Tag Ranges

Constant	TCG Tag	Description of Value Field
00 ⁽¹⁾	RECNUM	Unique Record Number
01	PCR	PCR Index ⁽²⁾
02	TCG_DIGEST	TCG Digest
03-	CONTENT_TYPE	Type of Content

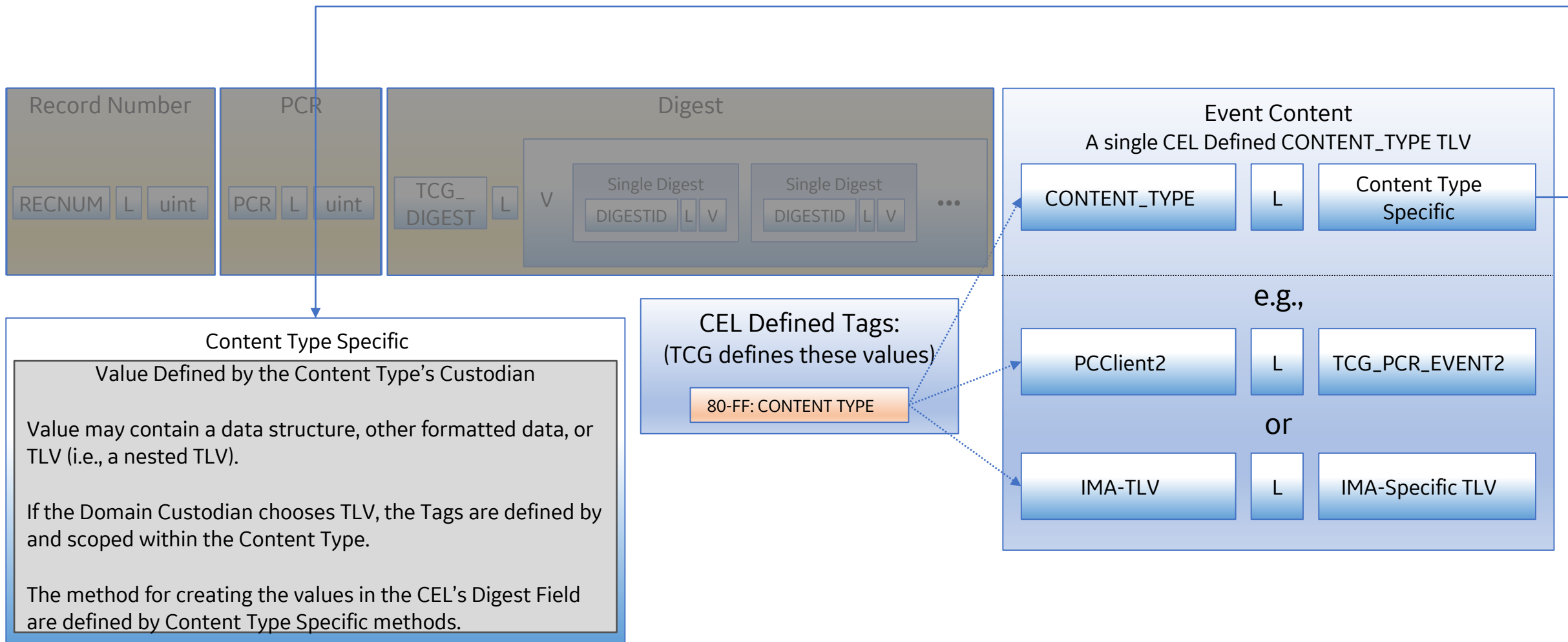


Constant	CONTENT Type	Description
3	CEL	Content managed by TCG / CEL. Provides information & management of log
4	PCClient-STD	PC Client WG defined encapsulating structure
5	PCClient-TLV	PC Client WG defined using TLV (?)
6	IMA-Legacy	IMA Legacy
7	IMA-TLV	IMA TLV

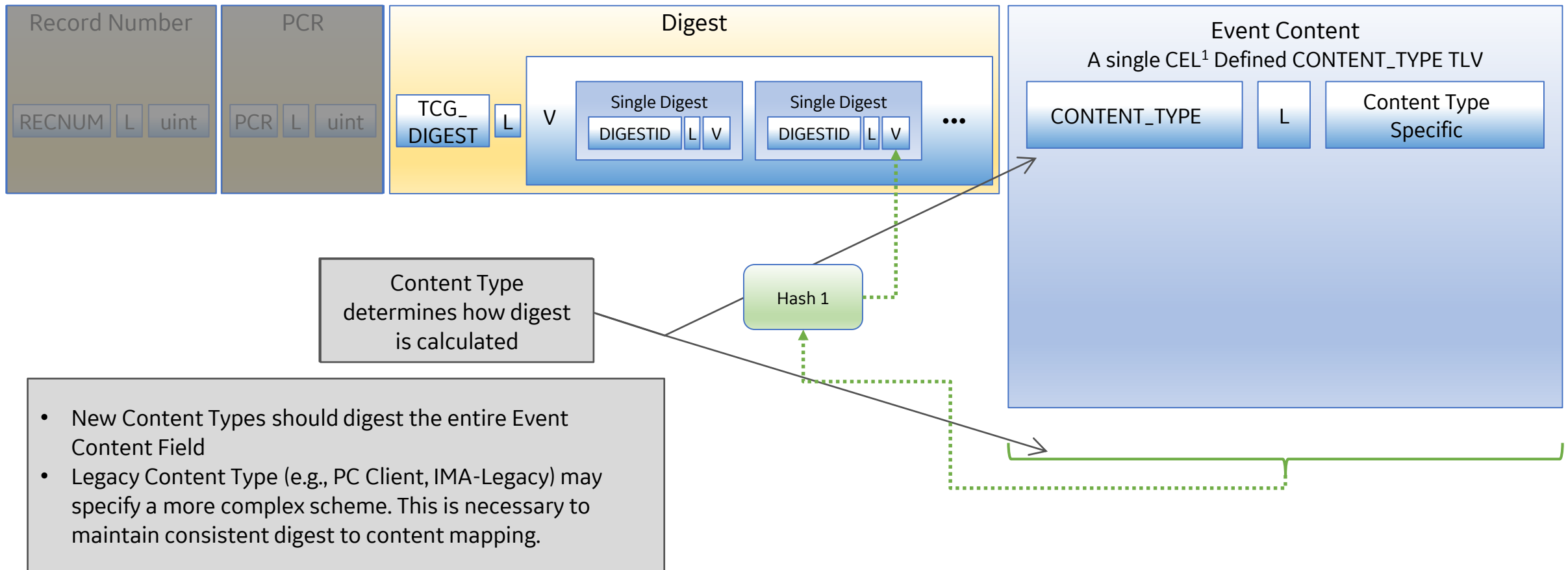
Digest Field



Event Content Field



Digest Field Calculation





CEL Management

- Used to Provide information about the Event Log
Version information -- which spec version
Time stamp
Separators (e.g., between firmware and OS)
- Similar to PC Client EV_Separator
- This content is managed / maintained by TCG
- Security-sensitive events are measured
E.g., Time stamps
- Non-security-sensitive events are not measured
E.g., Event log (spec) version info



CEL Event Log Example Sequence

CEL_LOG_VERSION

PCClient

FIRMWARE_END

IMA-TLV

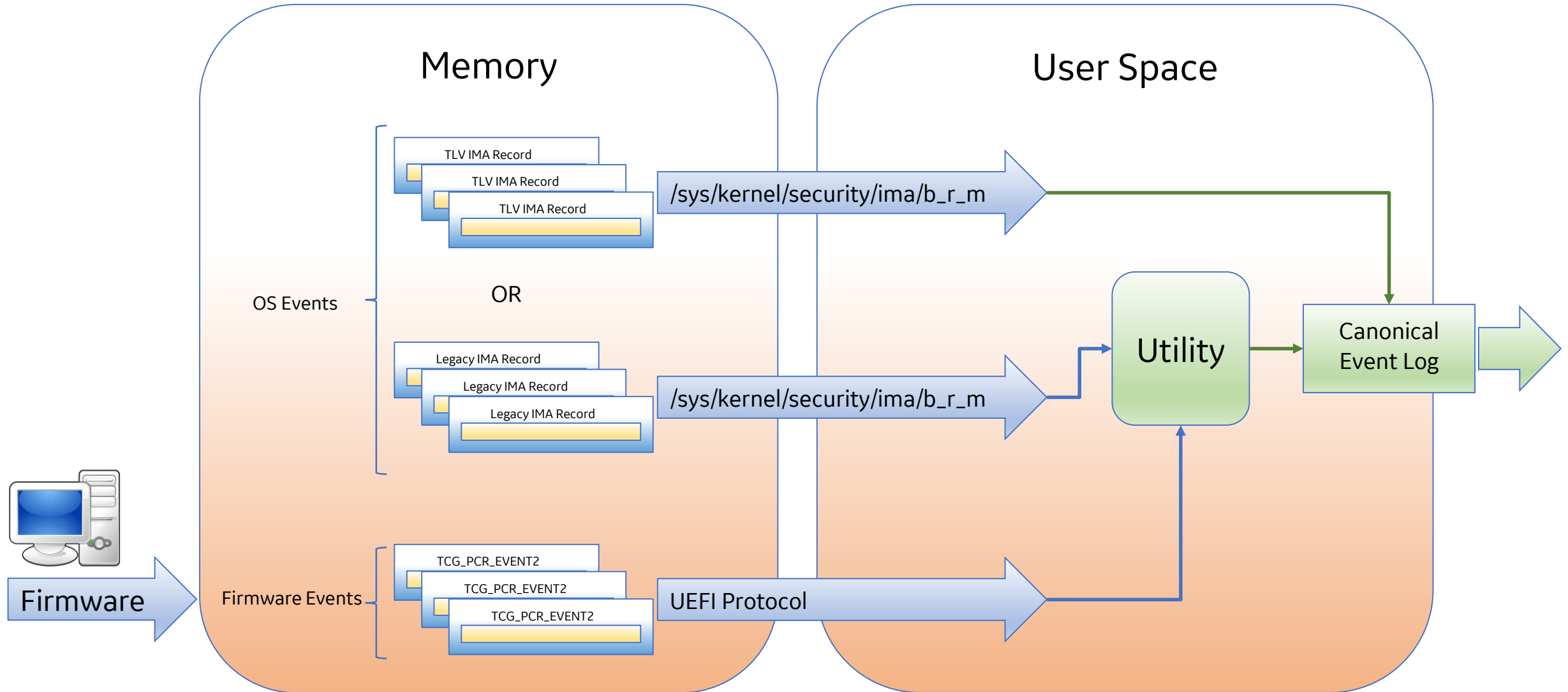
TIMESTAMP

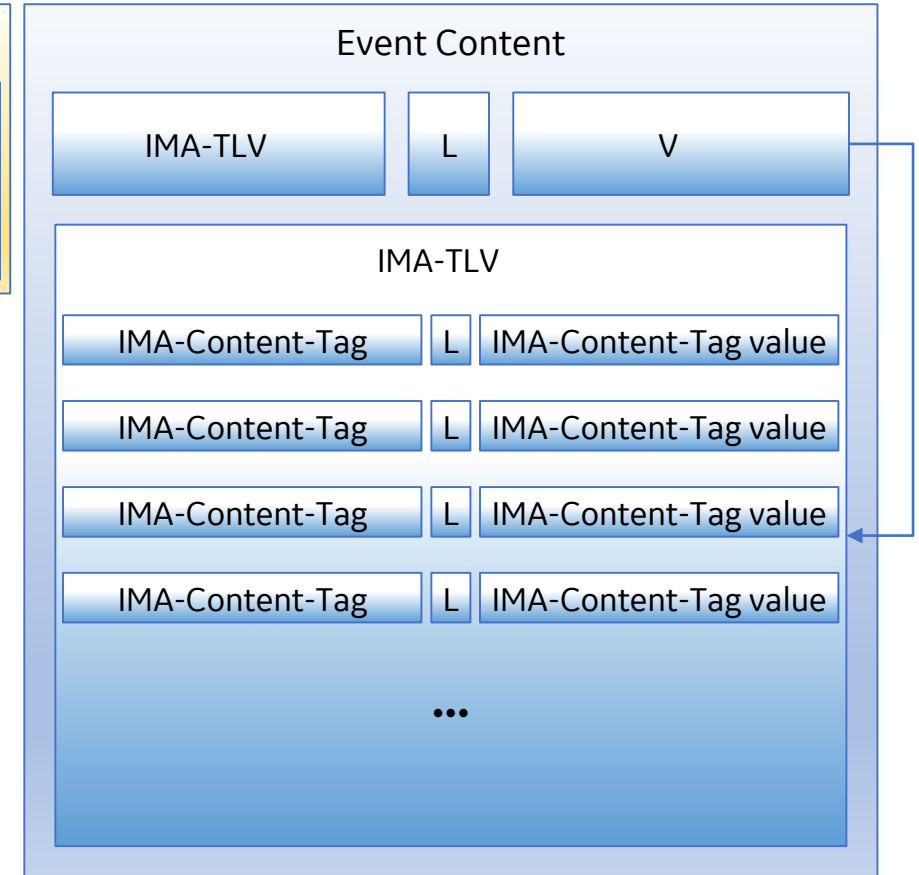
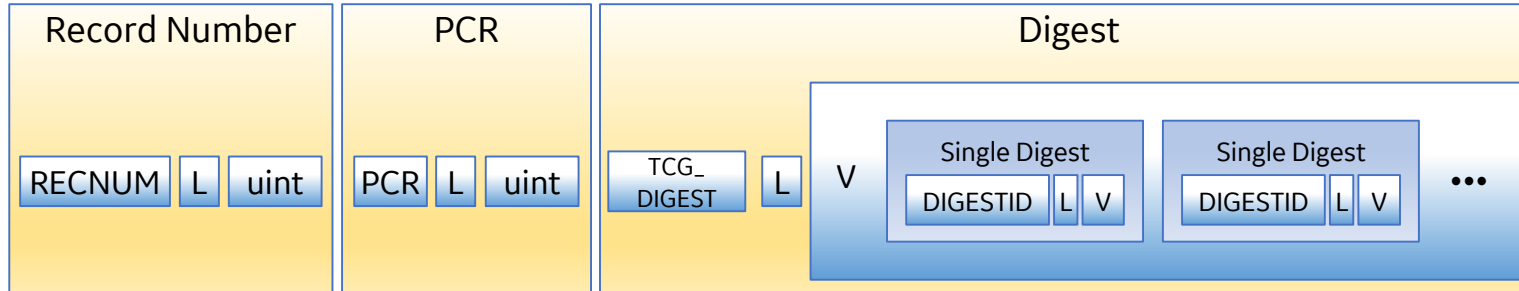
STATE_TRANS

IMA-TLV



Example Event Log Management





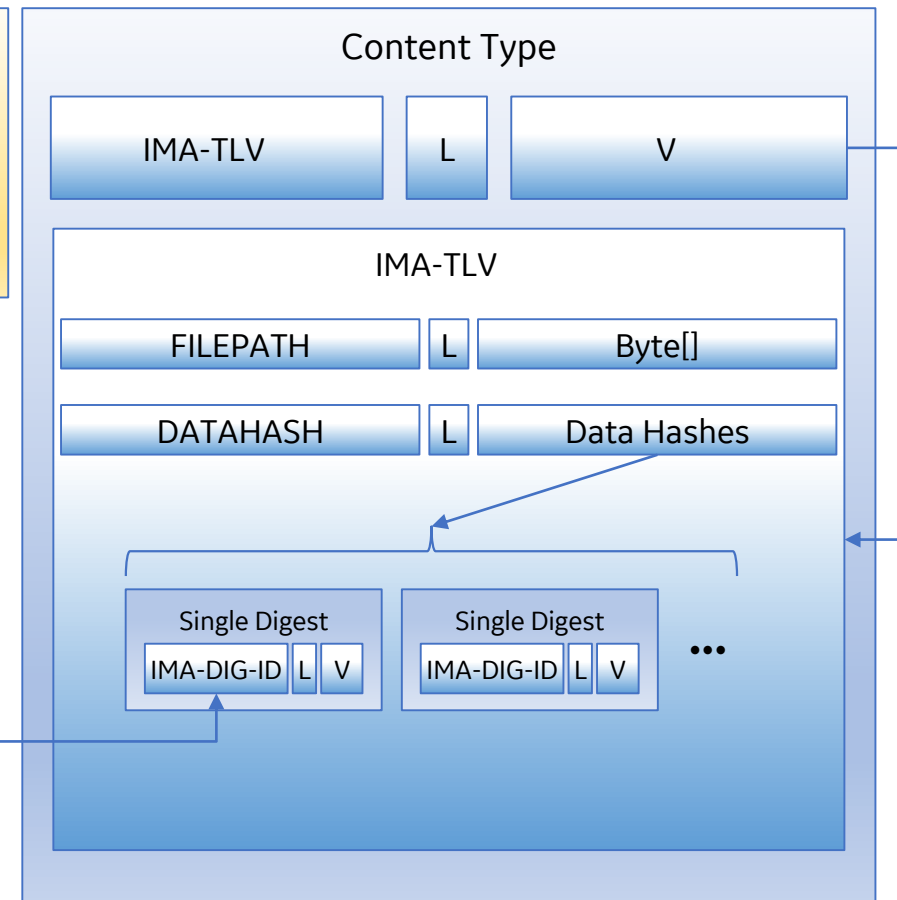
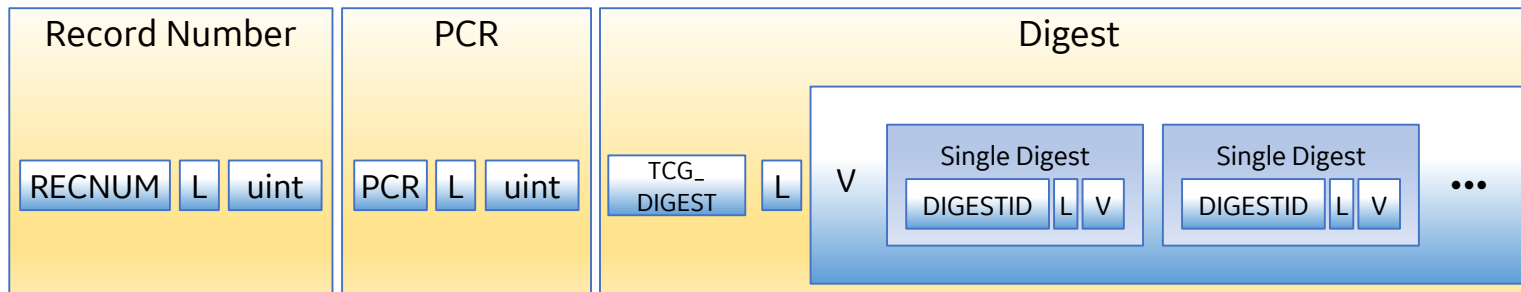
Constant	IMA-Content-Tag	Comment
0	FILEPATH	Primitive
1	DATA	Primitive
2	DATAHASH	V is array of Single Digest TLVs
3	DATASIG	V is array of Single Signature TLVs
4	METADATAHASH	V is array of Single Digest TLVs
5	METADATASIG	V is array of Single Signature TLVs
6	OWNER	Primitive
7	GROUP	Primitive
8	MODE	Primitive
9	LABEL	Primitive
A	TIME_STAMP	Primitive
B...

Defined by IMA
(i.e., Constant values
may overlap CEL
defined constants)

Recommend using
same format as CEL
Mgmt



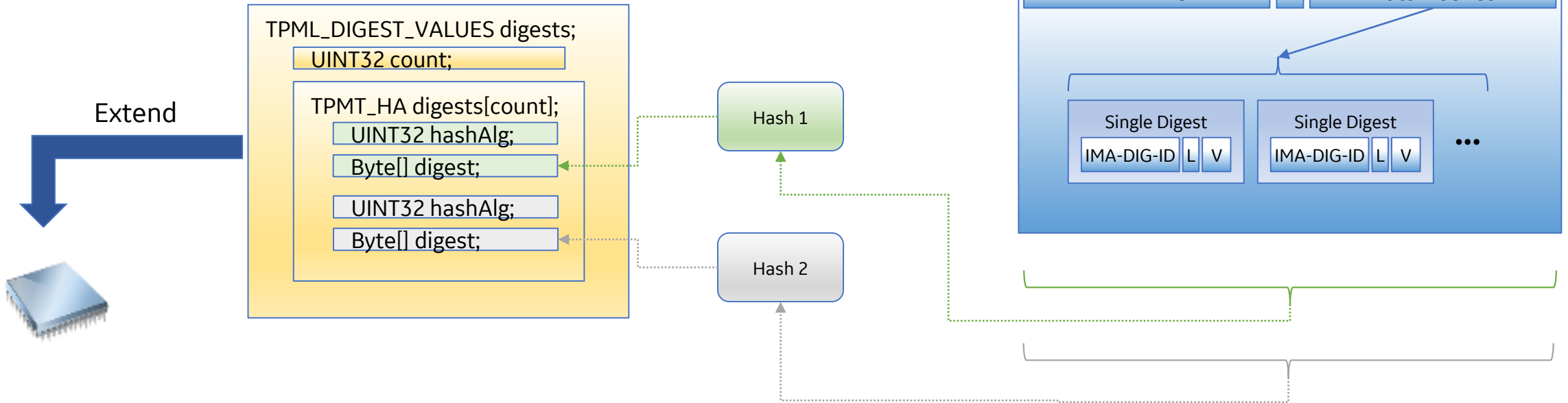
IMA-TLV Example Event Log



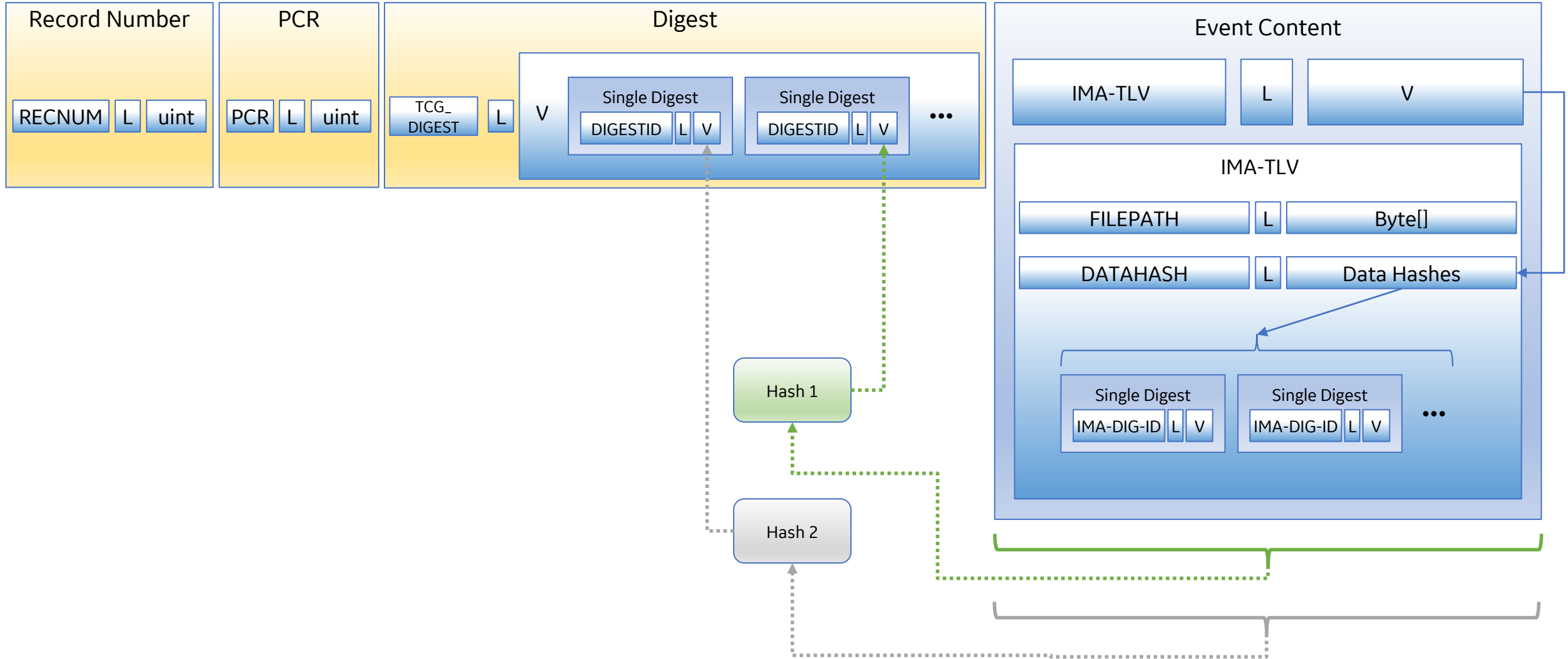
IMA Defined Digest ID	
Constant	Algorithm Name
10	TPM_ALG_SHA or TPM_ALG_SHA1
11	TPM_ALG_SHA256
12	TPM_ALG_SHA384
13	TPM_ALG_SHA512
14	TPM_ALG_SM3_256
15	TPM_ALG_SHA3_256
16	TPM_ALG_SHA3_384
17	TPM_ALG_SHA3_512
18 - 7F	Reserved

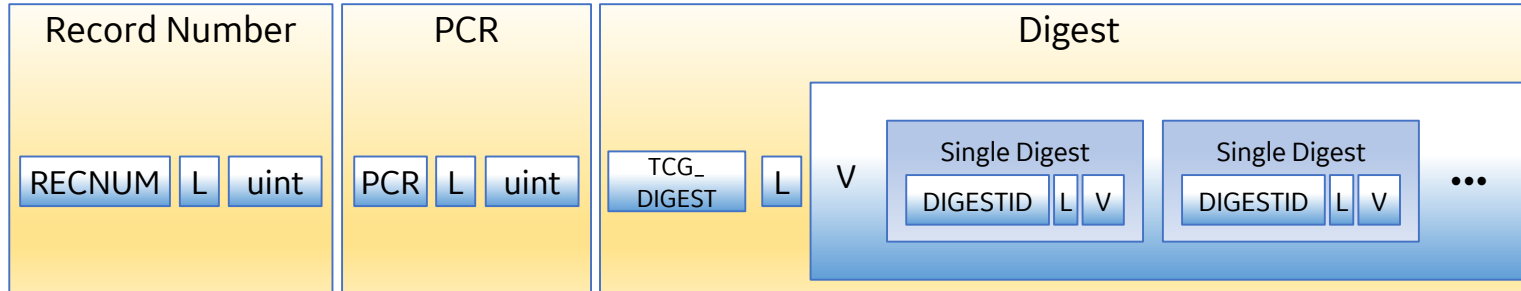
Constants are examples only. These are not the TCG-defined Constants. These are aligned with IMA Digest IDs

IMA-TLV Measurement



IMA-TLV Record Hash

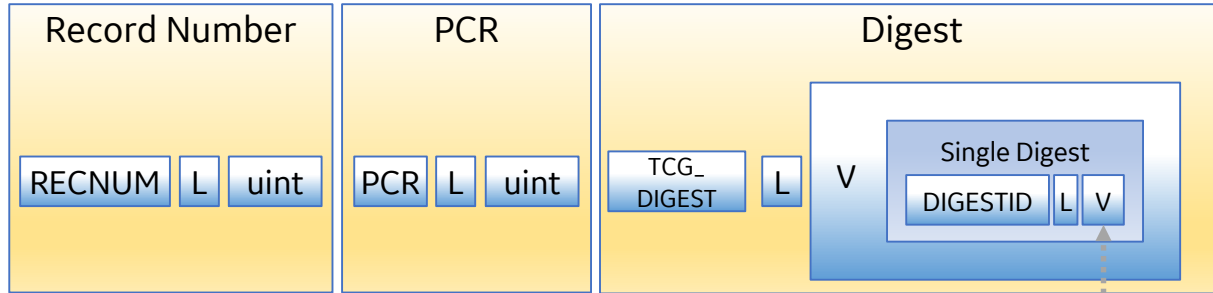




Constant	IMA-Content-Tag	Description
0	TEMPLATE	String: 'ima' 'ima-ng' 'img-sig'
1	d	Hash _{sha-1} (file content)
2	n	File Name as byte[]\0 <max 255>
3	d-ng	"SHA-1:" hash _{sha-1} [file content] "SHA-256:" hash _{sha-256} [file content] ...
4	n-ng	UINT16 Len file name as byte []
5	sig	file signature as byte[]

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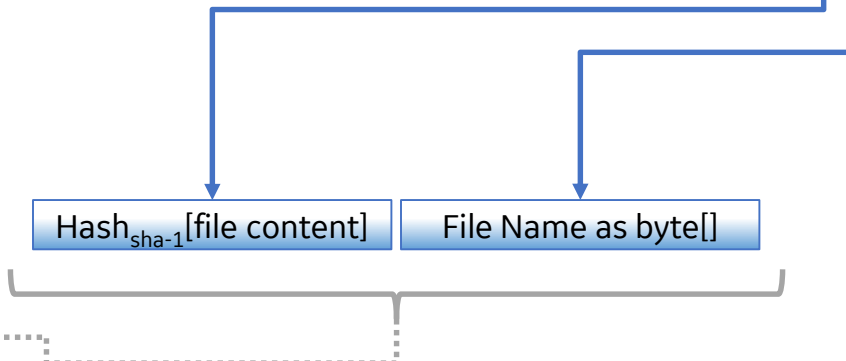
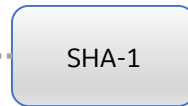
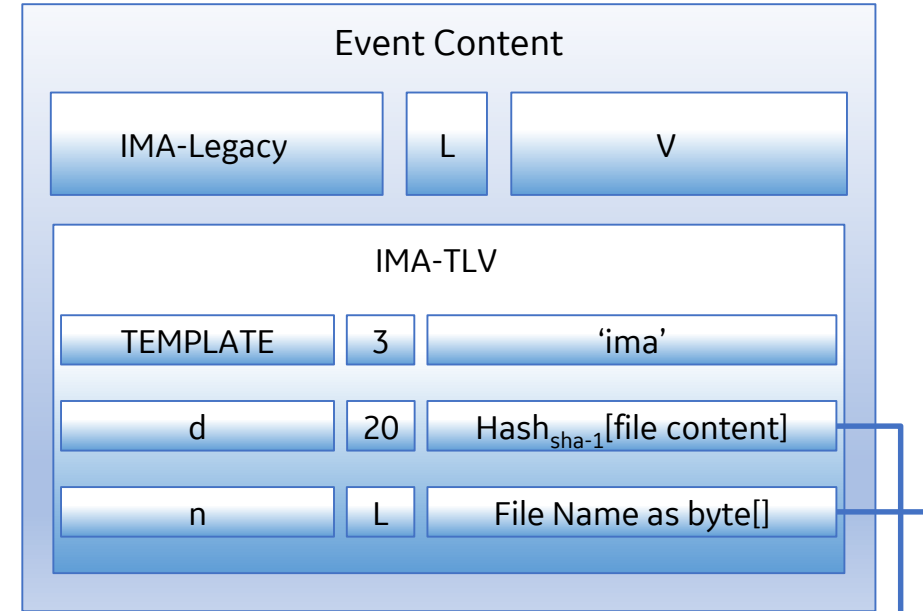
IMA-Legacy – Template: ima



Template: ima = d | n

Template Hash (value extended) = $\text{hash}_{\text{pcrBank}}\{d | n\}$

Constant	IMA-Content-Tag	Description
0	TEMPLATE	String: 'ima'
1	d	$\text{Hash}_{\text{sha-1}}(\text{file content})$
2	n	File Name as byte[]\0 <max 255>



PoC/RFC Patchset

1. Refactoring – new abstraction (“records”) pointing to either TLV or Template
2. Currently config/compile time selection of format, TLV-or-Template
3. Measurement list is truncated on read, hash table is omitted.

Common:

280 ima_api.c
466 ima_appraise.c
634 ima_crypto.c
322 ima_fs.c
289 ima.h
141 ima_init.c
494 ima_main.c
55 ima_mok.c
1209 ima_policy.c
3890

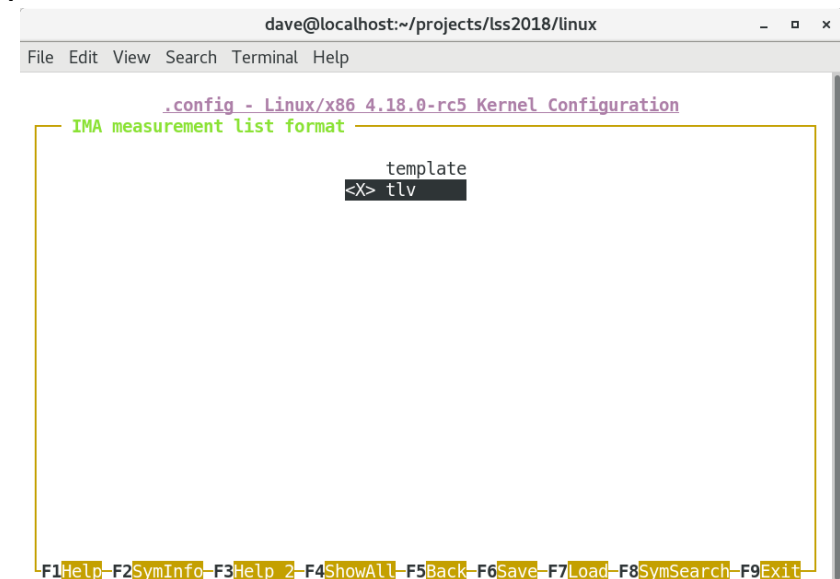
Template:

230 ima_fs_template.c
201 ima_queue_template.c
640 ima_template.c
88 ima_template.h
390 ima_template_lib.c
45 ima_template_lib.h
170 ima_kexec.c
1764

TLV

105 ima_fs_tlv.c
95 ima_queue_tlv.c
205 ima_tlv.c
75 ima_tlv.h
480

6134 total



```
dave@localhost:~/projects/lss2018/linux
File Edit View Search Terminal Help

.config - Linux/x86 4.18.0-rc5 Kernel Configuration
IMA measurement list format
    template
    <X> tlv

F1Help F2SymInfo F3Help 2 F4ShowAll F5Back F6Save F7Load F8SymSearch F9Exit
```



PoC/RFC Patchset - kconfig

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Adding a field

```
/* IMA Specific Content Types */
#define IMA_TLV_CONTENT_PATH          0          Ima_tlv_selected=<bitmask>
#define IMA_TLV_CONTENT_DATAHASH     1          3 ~= ima-ng
#define IMA_TLV_CONTENT_DATASIG      2          7 ~= ima-sig
#define IMA_TLV_CONTENT_OWNER        3
#define IMA_TLV_CONTENT_GROUP        4
#define IMA_TLV_CONTENT_MODE         5
#define IMA_TLV_CONTENT_TIMESTAMP    6
#define IMA_TLV_CONTENT_LABEL        7
```

code to calculate length of the new TLV:

```
if (is_selected(IMA_TLV_CONTENT_MODE) && inode)
    l = l + IMA_TLV_HDR_SIZE + sizeof(inode->i_mode);
```

code to fill in TLV data:

```
if (is_selected(IMA_TLV_CONTENT_MODE) && inode) {
    ima_tlv_buf(pos, IMA_TLV_CONTENT_MODE, sizeof(inode->i_mode),
                (const u8 *)&(inode->i_mode));
    pos = pos + IMA_TLV_HDR_SIZE + sizeof(inode->i_mode);
}
```



Demo

```
cat /sys/kernel/security/ima/tlv_runtime_measurements > bindata
cat bindata | ./tlv_dump
...
SEQNUM 00001364 PCRNUM 10 TCG_DIGEST SHA1
280634A43216E1BB7438130B6A6ED95F9ED6F909 PATH
/home/dave/projects/lss2018/tlv_dump DATA_HASH SHA256
D6F820A121A111D2952FBCE85B2985634344A5B57C521A2A267375BE672AE4B6
Digest Matches content <==
Final pcr-10 should be 0E5FB2405486563DC059D43A3D28BD9AF21647DE <==
[root@localhost dave]# tpm2_pcrlist
sha1 :
  0 : c38713029d7433a7be8c5a89dc8660bef5e37899
  1 : 056ad82d0d2e20f3c6541ed67debd0e534c63f55
  2 : b2a83b0ebf2f8374299a5b2bdfc31ea955ad7236
  3 : b2a83b0ebf2f8374299a5b2bdfc31ea955ad7236
  4 : 220bc46deadfb67faea90c92bece61d6400bbf87
  5 : 647586e80172debe28540589cb252e8cf4ef5570
  6 : b2a83b0ebf2f8374299a5b2bdfc31ea955ad7236
  7 : ca5525bfdb2f10814dbd4f69364698b6d8b35dd9
  8 : fde0e8dd62ddd62403091966004b21e4398182
  9 : 04337e9370fb1bc022ecc0e1ef60a18845efad35
 10 : 0e5fb2405486563dc059d43a3d28bd9af21647de <==
```



Summary - RFC

1. Desires

- a) Eliminate Memory Leak
- b) Attest metadata
- c) Simplify writing and parsing measurement list
- d) Standards Compliance

2. RFC:

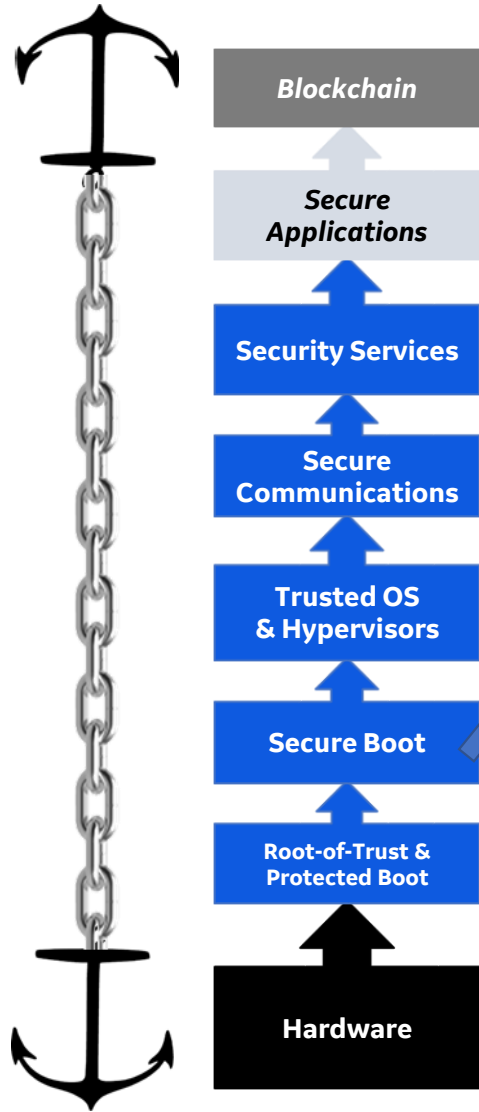
- a) Any reason for TLV-and-Template?
- b) Any in-kernel need for hash table?
- c) Long Term - Deprecate Template?
- d) Other fields desired?
- e) Other comments/suggestions?



Extra Credit



NanoPi Neo Plus2 - A Secure *Pi Platform (\$35)



	Raspberry Pi	BeagleBone Black	NanoPi
Protected boot	none	emmc wp	emmc wp
Verified Boot	none	U-boot	U-boot
TPM	none	none	Trustzone fTPM

