
**Processes, data elements and
documents in commerce, industry and
administration — Long term signature
profiles —**

**Part 1:
Long term signature profiles for
CMS Advanced Electronic Signatures
(CAdES)**

*Processus, éléments d'informations et documents dans le commerce,
l'industrie et l'administration — Profils de signature à long terme —*

*Partie 1: Profils de signature à long terme pour les signatures
électroniques avancées CMS (CAdES)*



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Foreword

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- *Part 1: Long term signature profiles for CMS Advanced Electronic Signatures (CAAdES)*
- *Part 2: Long term signature profiles for XML Advanced Electronic Signatures (XAdES)*

The following part is under preparation:

- *Part 3: Long term signature profiles for PDF Advanced Electronic Signatures (PAdES)*

Introduction

The purpose of this part of ISO 14533 is to ensure the interoperability of implementations with respect to long term signatures that make electronic signatures verifiable for a long term. Long term signature specifications referenced by each implementation cover CMS Advanced Electronic Signatures (CAdES) developed by the European Telecommunications Standards Institute (ETSI).

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Part 1: Long term signature profiles for CMS Advanced Electronic Signatures (CAdES)

1 Scope

This part of ISO 14533 specifies the elements, among those defined in CMS Advanced Electronic Signatures (CAdES), that enable verification of a digital signature over a long period of time.

It does not give new technical specifications about the digital signature itself, nor new restrictions of usage of the technical specifications about the digital signatures which have already existed.

NOTE CMS Advanced Electronic Signatures (CAdES) is the extended specification of Cryptographic message syntax (CMS), used widely.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ETSI/TS 101 733 v2.2.1 (2013-04), *Electronic Signatures and Infrastructures (ESI); CMS Advanced Electronic Signatures (CAdES)*¹⁾

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

long term signature

signature that is made verifiable for a long term by implementing measures to enable the detection of illegal alterations of signature information, including the identification of signing time, the subject of said signature, and validation data

3.2

profile

rule used to ensure interoperability, related to the optional elements of referenced specifications, the range of values, etc.

3.3

required level

level of requirement for implementing each element constituting a profile

1) Available from <http://pda.etsi.org/pda/queryform.asp>