

OREI Appendix A Technical Spec

Genesis v1.1

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Protocol Version: 1.1 **Genesis Domain Separator:** OREI_IMMUTABLE_LEDGER **Date:** 2026-01-28

1. Canonicalization and Data Hash

Payloads are canonicalized using RFC 8785 JSON Canonicalization Scheme (JCS). $\text{data_hash} = \text{SHA256}(\text{CanonicalJSON}(\text{payload}))$

2. Binding Root Derivation

To prevent concatenation ambiguity, variable length fields are length prefixed using little endian unsigned 64 bit integers.

$\text{binding_root} = \text{SHA256}(\text{DomainSeparator} \parallel \text{LE_u64}(\text{len}(\text{entity_id})) \parallel \text{entity_id} \parallel \text{LE_u64}(\text{len}(\text{entity_type})) \parallel \text{entity_type} \parallel \text{LE_u64}(\text{version}) \parallel \text{LE_u64}(\text{len}(\text{data_hash})) \parallel \text{data_hash})$

3. Version Semantics

version is u64 and must be strictly increasing per pair (entity_id, entity_type).

4. Encodings

- Public keys are hex lowercase, 64 characters (32 bytes)
- Signatures are hex lowercase, 128 characters (64 bytes)
- Hashes are hex lowercase, 64 characters (32 bytes)
- Timestamps use ISO 8601 in UTC

5. Evidence Packet Contents

An Evidence Packet is a self contained bundle that enables offline verification.

core payload.json canonical_payload.json seal_record.json manifest.json

proof verify.sh verification_output.txt

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