

# ioXt Researcher Rewards

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## 2. Document Version Information

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2.0	4/19/21	Brad Ree (ioXt)	1. Updated for all profiles
2.1	4/21/21	Brad Ree (ioXt)	1. Added details for common company submissions.

## 1. Introduction

### 1.1. Purpose

This document describes the researcher rewards program, reward amounts, and reward process.

## 2. Rewards Amounts

The researcher rewards are based on the level of the certification test case multiplied by \$150. For example, the VDP1 test case is a level 1 test case and thus the payment is \$150. However, the VDP5 test case is a level 4 and thus the payment is \$600.

## 3. Rewards Terms

The basic terms of the research rewards program is as follows. However, full details are located in the Opportunity Tester Agreement. If there are any conflicts between any documentation of the program, the Opportunity Tester Agreement shall take priority.

1. Disputes are processed in a first come first served manner, with payment going to the first dispute which fully describes the issue and is verified by the ioXt Alliance.
2. Disputes are confidential.

3. Duplicate disputes for the same certified device will be rejected. The same dispute filed on multiple devices will be accepted. However, common company processes may only be submitted once per company.
4. The common company processes are any test case under the following pledge items: Security Expiration Date, Vulnerability Disclosure Program, and Automatic Software Updates.
5. Researcher identity and tax information will be required for payment.
6. Disputes may take 90 days to process.

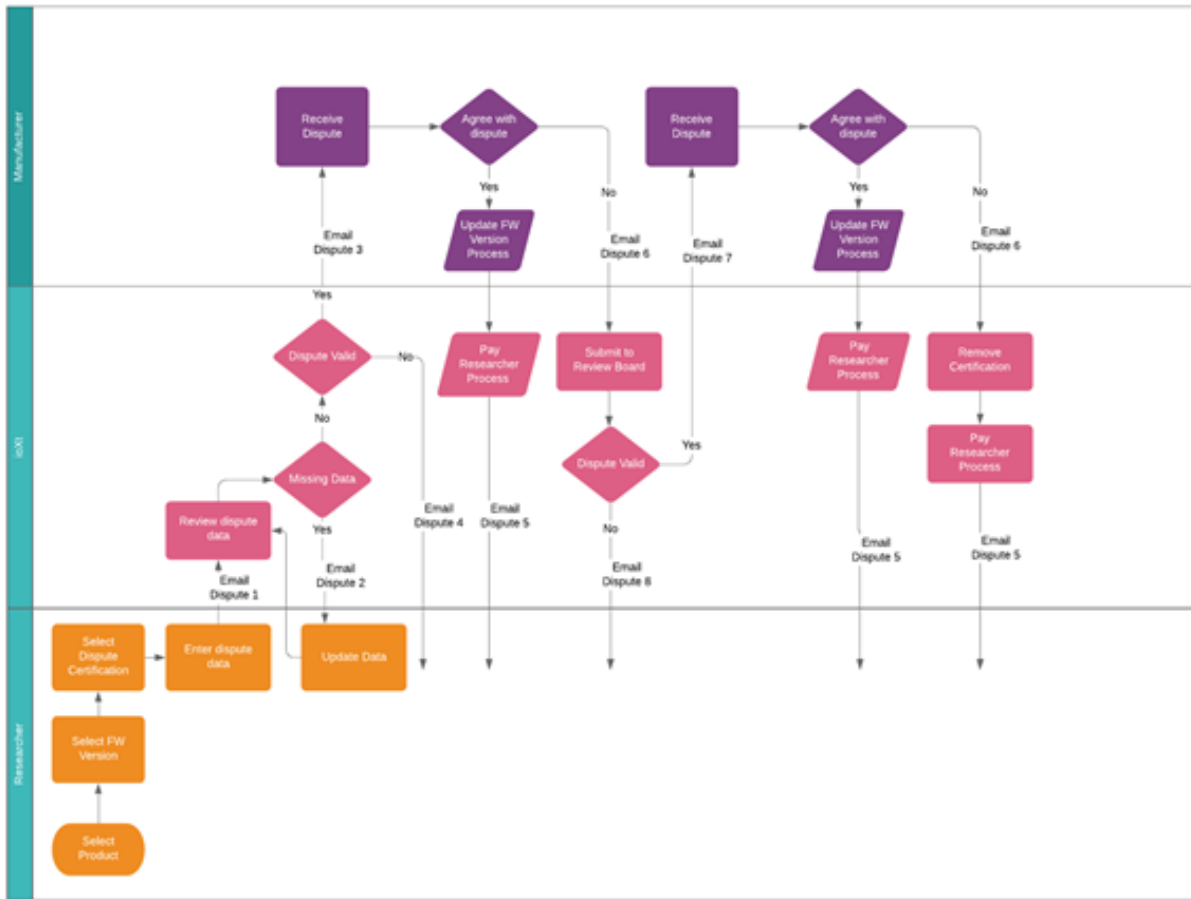
## 4. Process

### 4.1. Disputes Submission and Evaluation

Researchers may submit disputes based on the public certification data from any product on the CPL. The submission must start through the portal. The submission must include the product, firmware version, test case ID, and dispute justification. The ioXt Alliance shall work with the researcher to verify that the submission is complete, and then attempt to verify the dispute. The Alliance may use the manufacturer's public website, public documentation, and submitted compliance evidence by the manufacturer or test lab. If the submission is not found to be valid, the Alliance will notify the researcher that the issue has been rejected. Further, the Alliance shall send the dispute record to the manufacturer.

If the Alliance is not able to resolve the dispute, or the dispute appears to be valid, the Alliance shall work with the manufacturer to address the issue. If the manufacturer does not agree with the Alliance's conclusion, then the manufacturer may submit the dispute to the board for judgment.

The manufacturer must update their compliance record if the dispute is found to be valid. If the manufacturer wishes to remove the product from the compliance listing portal, they may change the device's publication date to a point far in the future. Further, a manufacturer who has addressed an issue on a device may register a new firmware version, and set the publication date such that the new version is publicly viewable.

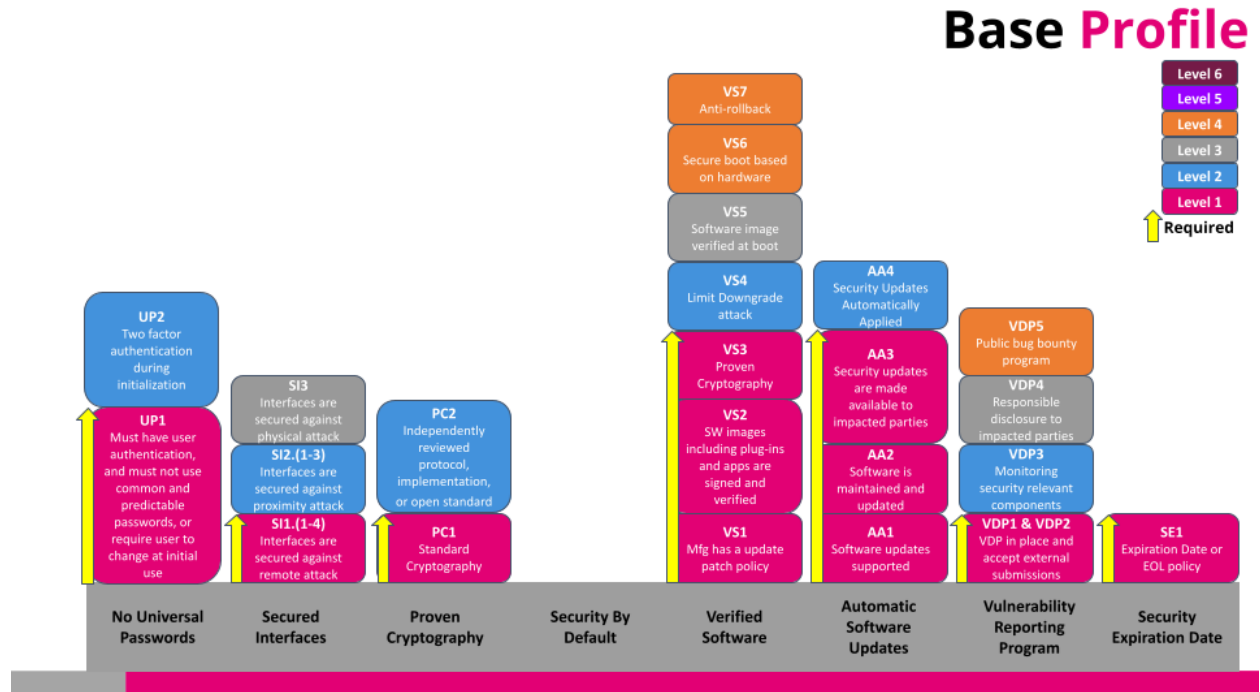


## 4.2. Payment

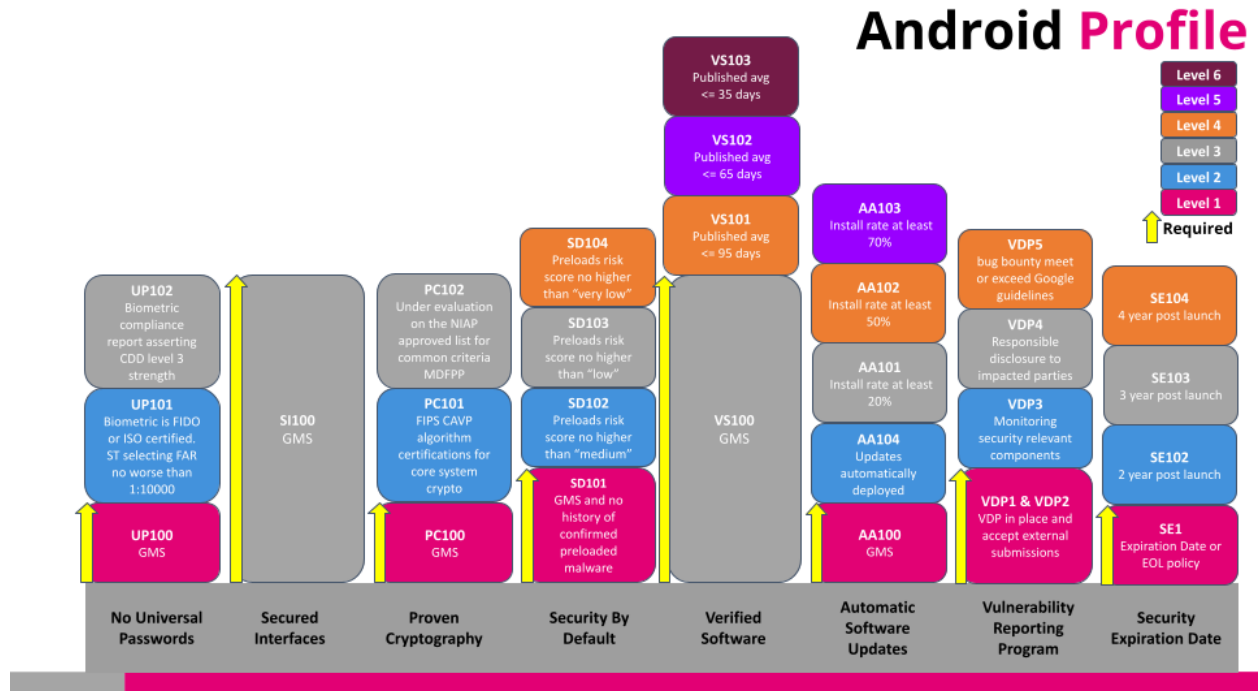
All payments are made through Paypal and require submission of a W-9 from the researcher. Once a dispute has been verified by the ioXt Alliance, the Alliance will notify the researcher of the dispute ruling and reward amount. The Alliance will then send the researcher a W-9 through Docusign and request the researcher’s paypal ID. Upon submission of the completed W-9 and paypal information, the Alliance will issue payment. Further, the Alliance will send the appropriate tax information to the researcher at the end of the year based on US and California tax law.

# 5. Profiles

## 5.1. ioXt 2021 Base Profile

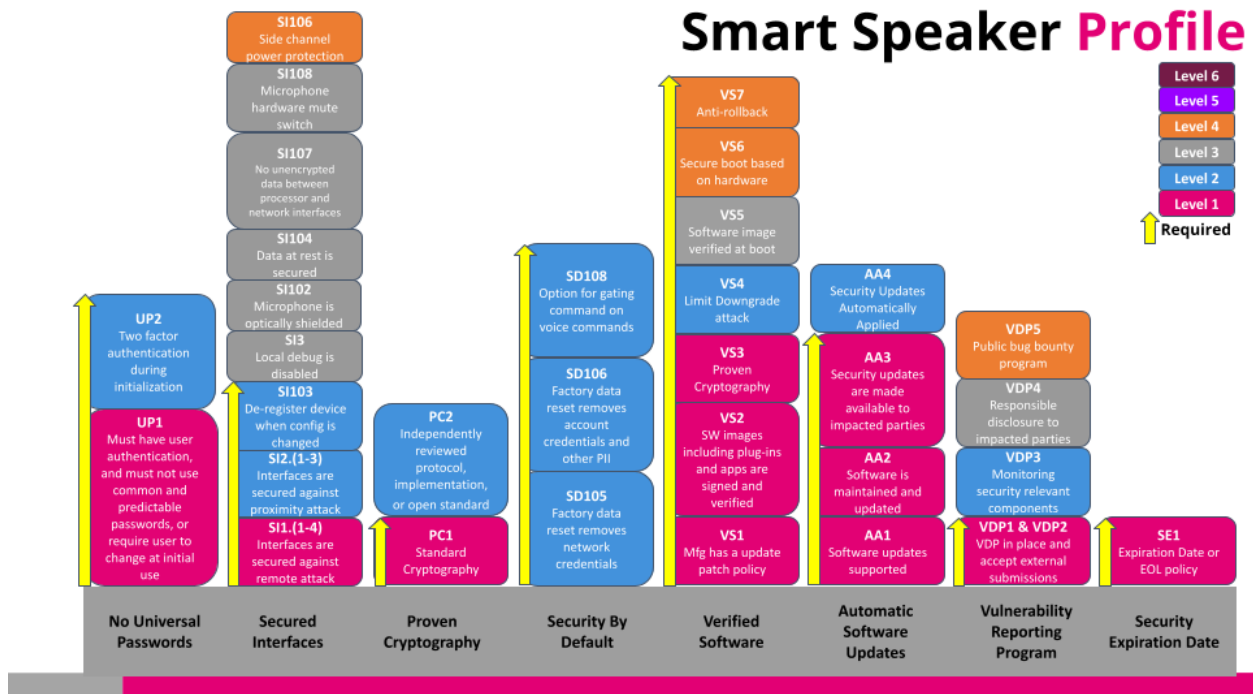


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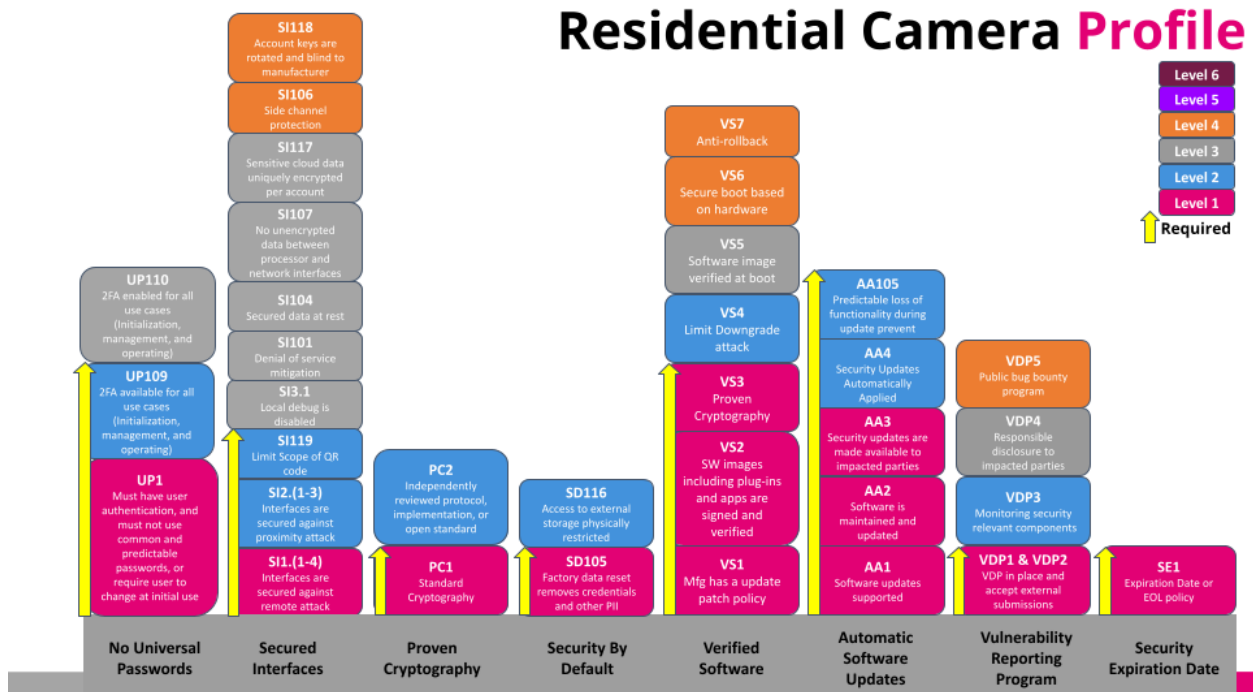




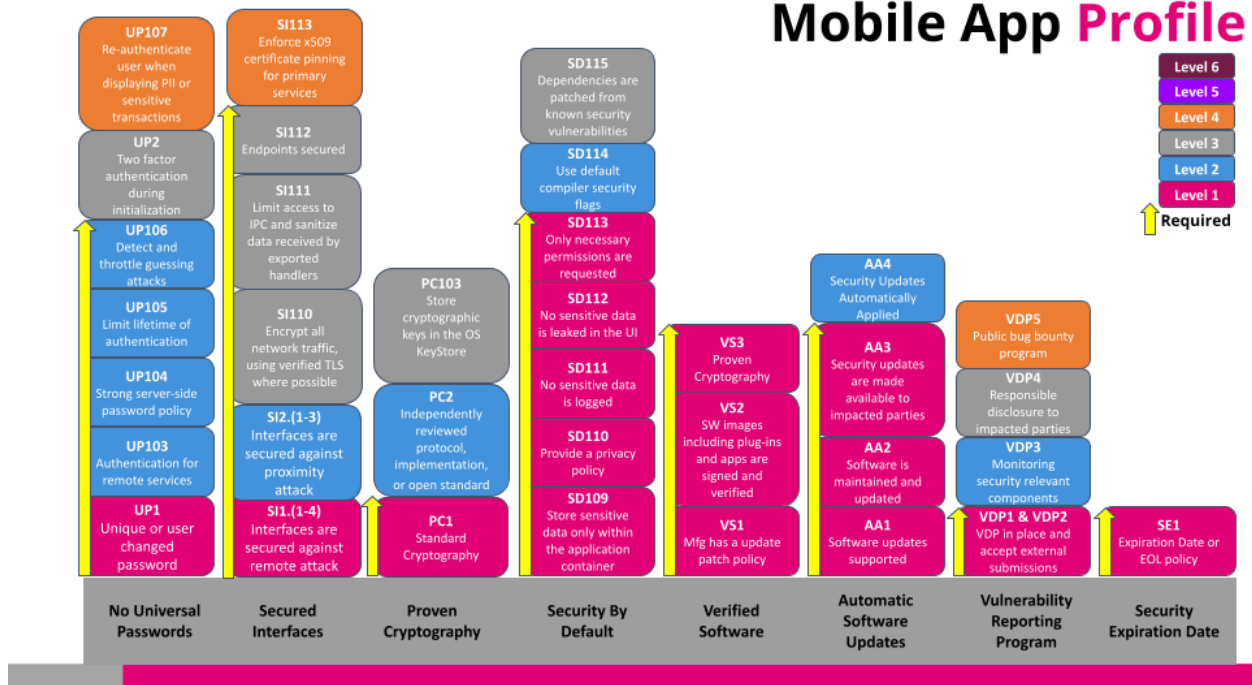
### 5.3. Smart Speaker Profile



### 5.4. Residential Camera Profile



## 5.5. Mobile Application Profile



## 5.6. VPN Extension

