

ABSTRACT

SECURITY PROTECTION METHOD AND APPARATUS

5 This application relates to the field of wireless communications technologies. Embodiments of
this application provide a security protection method and an apparatus, to implement security
protection for a plurality of NAS connection links. The method in this application includes:
determining, by a terminal, a first parameter, where the first parameter is used to indicate an access
technology used to transmit a non-access stratum NAS message, and the terminal can support at
10 least two access technologies, and can separately maintain a corresponding NAS count for each of
the at least two access technologies; and then performing, by the terminal, security protection on the
NAS message based on the first parameter, a NAS key, and a NAS count corresponding to an access
technology used to transmit the NAS message. This application is applicable to a process of
performing security protection on a NAS message.

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