

# **Model Driven Telemetry**

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# **About Telemetry**

Collecting data for analyzing and troubleshooting has always been an important aspect in monitoring the health of a network.

Cisco NX-OS provides several mechanisms such as SNMP, CLI, and Syslog to collect data from a network. These mechanisms have limitations that restrict automation and scale. One limitation is the use of the pull model, where the initial request for data from network elements originates from the client. The pull model does not scale when there is more than one network management station (NMS) in the network. With this model, the server sends data only when clients request it. To initiate such requests, continual manual intervention is required. This continual manual intervention makes the pull model inefficient.

A push model continuously streams data out of the network and notifies the client. Telemetry enables the push model, which provides near-real-time access to monitoring data.

# **Telemetry Components and Process**

Telemetry consists of four key elements:

• Data Collection — Telemetry data is collected from the Data Management Engine (DME) database in branches of the object model specified using distinguished name (DN) paths. The data can be retrieved periodically (frequency-based) or only when a change occurs in any object on a specified path (event-based). You can use the NX-API to collect frequency-based data.

• **Data Encoding** — The telemetry encoder encapsulates the collected data into the desired format for transporting.

NX-OS encodes telemetry data in the Google Protocol Buffers (GPB) and JSON format.

• **Data Transport** — NX-OS transports telemetry data using HTTP for JSON encoding and the Google remote procedure call (gRPC) protocol for GPB encoding. The gRPC receiver supports message sizes greater than 4 MB. (Telemetry data using HTTPS is also supported if a certificate is configured.)

Use the following command to configure the UDP transport to stream data using a datagram socket either in JSON or GPB:

```
destination-group num
ip address xxx.xxx.xxx port xxxx protocol UDP encoding {JSON | GPB }
```

The UDP telemetry is with the following header:

```
typedef enum tm_encode_ {
   TM_ENCODE_DUMMY,
   TM_ENCODE_GPB,
   TM_ENCODE_JSON,
   TM_ENCODE_XML,
   TM_ENCODE_MAX,
} tm_encode_type_t;

typedef struct tm_pak_hdr_ {
   uint8_t version; /* 1 */
   uint8_t encoding;
   uint16_t msg_size;
   uint8_t secure;
   uint8_t padding;
} attribute ((packed, aligned (1))) tm pak hdr t;
```

Use the first 6 bytes in the payload to process telemetry data using UDP, using one of the following methods:

- Read the information in the header to determine which decoder to use to decode the data, JSON or GPB, if the receiver is meant to receive different types of data from multiple endpoints.
- Remove the header if you are expecting one decoder (JSON or GPB) but not the other.
- **Telemetry Receiver** A telemetry receiver is a remote management system or application that stores the telemetry data.

The GPB encoder stores data in a generic key-value format. The encoder requires metadata in the form of a compiled .proto file to translate the data into GPB format.

In order to receive and decode the data stream correctly, the receiver requires the .proto file that describes the encoding and the transport services. The encoding decodes the binary stream into a key value string pair.

A telemetry .proto file that describes the GPB encoding and gRPC transport is available on Cisco's GitLab: https://github.com/CiscoDevNet/nx-telemetry-proto

# **High Availability of the Telemetry Process**

High availability of the telemetry process is supported with the following behaviors:

- System Reload During a system reload, any telemetry configuration and streaming services are restored.
- **Supervisor Failover** Although telemetry is not on hot standby, telemetry configuration and streaming services are restored when the new active supervisor is running.
- **Process Restart** If the telemetry process freezes or restarts for any reason, configuration and streaming services are restored when telemetry is restarted.

# **Licensing Requirements for Telemetry**

Product	License Requirement
Cisco NX-OS	Telemetry requires no license. Any feature not included in a license package is bundled with the Cisco NX-OS image and is provided at no extra charge to you. For a complete explanation of the Cisco NX-OS licensing scheme, see the <i>Cisco NX-OS Licensing Guide</i> .

# **Guidelines and Limitations**

Telemetry has the following configuration guidelines and limitations:

- For information about supported platforms, see the Nexus Switch Platform Matrix.
- Cisco NX-OS releases that support the data management engine (DME) Native Model support Telemetry.
- Support is in place for the following:
  - DME data collection
  - · NX-API data sources
  - Google protocol buffer (GPB) encoding over Google Remote Procedure Call (gRPC) transport
  - JSON encoding over HTTP
- The smallest sending interval (cadence) supported is five seconds for a depth of 0. The minimum cadence values for depth values greater than 0 depends on the size of the data being streamed out. Configuring any cadences below the minimum value may result in undesirable system behavior.
- Telemetry supports up to five remote management receivers (destinations). Configuring more than five remote receivers may result in undesirable system behavior.
- Telemetry can consume up to 20% of the CPU resource.
- For telemetry configuration, the number of sensor paths that can be configured is 256.

#### **Configuration Commands After Downgrading to an Older Release**

After a downgrade to an older release, some configuration commands or command options can fail because the older release may not support them. When downgrading to an older release, unconfigure and reconfigure the telemetry feature after the new image comes up. This sequence avoids the failure of unsupported commands or command options.

The following example shows this procedure:

• Copy the telemetry configuration to a file:

```
switch# show running-config | section telemetry
feature telemetry
telemetry
  destination-group 100
   ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
   use-chunking size 4096
  sensor-group 100
   path sys/bgp/inst/dom-default depth 0
  subscription 600
   dst-grp 100
   snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 7000
switch# show running-config | section telemetry > telemetry running config
switch# show file bootflash:telemetry running config
feature telemetry
 destination-group 100
   ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
   use-chunking size 4096
  sensor-group 100
   path sys/bgp/inst/dom-default depth 0
  subscription 600
   dst-grp 100
   snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 7000
switch#
```

• Execute the downgrade operation. When the image comes up and the switch is ready, copy the telemetry configurations back to the switch.

```
switch# copy telemetry_running_config running-config echo-commands
`switch# config terminal`
`switch(config)# feature telemetry`
`switch(config)# telemetry)# destination-group 100`
`switch(config-telemetry)# destination-group 100`
`switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 protocol gRPC encoding GPB `
`switch(conf-tm-dest)# sensor-group 100`
`switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/bgp/inst/dom-default depth 0`
`switch(conf-tm-sensor)# subscription 600`
`switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 100`
`switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 7000`
`switch(conf-tm-sub)# end`
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait)...
Copy complete.
switch#
```

### Support for gRPC Chunking

Starting with Release 9.2(1), support for gRPC chunking has been added. For streaming to occur successfully, you must enable chunking if gRPC has to send an amount of data greater than 12 MB to the receiver.

The gRPC user must do the gRPC chunking. The gRPC client side does the fragmentation, and the gRPC server side does the reassembly. Telemetry is still bound to memory and data can be dropped if the memory size is more than the allowed limit of 12 MB for telemetry. In order to support chunking, use the telemetry .proto file that is available at Cisco's GibLab, which has been updated for gRPC chunking, as described in Telemetry Components and Process, on page 1.

The chunking size is from 64 through 4096 bytes.

Following shows a configuration example through the NX-API CLI:

```
feature telemetry
telemetry
 destination-group 1
   ip address 171.68.197.40 port 50051 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
   use-chunking size 4096
 destination-group 2
   ip address 10.155.0.15 port 50001 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
   use-chunking size 64
 sensor-group 1
   path sys/intf depth unbounded
 sensor-group 2
   path sys/intf depth unbounded
 subscription 1
   dst-grp 1
   snsr-grp 1 sample-interval 10000
 subscription 2
   dst-grp 2
   snsr-grp 2 sample-interval 15000
```

Following shows a configuration example through the NX-API REST:

```
{
    "telemetryDestGrpOptChunking": {
        "attributes": {
            "chunkSize": "2048",
            "dn": "sys/tm/dest-1/chunking"
        }
    }
}
```

The following error message appears on systems that do not support gRPC chunking, such as the Cisco MDS series switches:

```
MDS-9706-86(conf-tm-dest)# use-chunking size 200 ERROR: Operation failed: [chunking support not available]
```

### **NX-API Sensor Path Limitations**

NX-API can collect and stream switch information not yet in the DME using **show** commands. However, using the NX-API instead of streaming data from the DME has inherent scale limitations as outlined:

- The switch backend dynamically processes NX-API calls such as **show** commands,
- NX-API spawns several processes that can consume up to a maximum of 20% of the CPU.
- NX-API data translates from the CLI to XML to JSON.

The following is a suggested user flow to help limit excessive NX-API sensor path bandwidth consumption:

1. Check whether the **show** command has NX-API support. You can confirm whether NX-API supports the command from the VSH with the pipe option: show <command> | json or show <command> | json pretty.



Note

Avoid commands that take the switch more than 30 seconds to return JSON output.

- 2. Refine the **show** command to include any filters or options.
  - Avoid enumerating the same command for individual outputs; for example, show vlan id 100, show vlan id 101, and so on. Instead, use the CLI range options; for example, show vlan id 100-110,204, whenever possible to improve performance.

If only the summary or counter is needed, then avoid dumping a whole show command output to limit the bandwidth and data storage that is required for data collection.

- **3.** Configure telemetry with sensor groups that use NX-API as their data sources. Add the **show** commands as sensor paths
- **4.** Configure telemetry with a cadence of five times the processing time of the respective **show** command to limit CPI usage.
- **5.** Receive and process the streamed NX-API output as part of the existing DME collection.

### **Telemetry VRF Support**

Telemetry VRF support allows you to specify a transport VRF, which means that the telemetry data stream can egress through front-panel ports and avoid possible competition between SSH or NGINX control sessions.

You can use the **use-vrf** vrf-name command to specify the transport VRF.

The following example specifies the transport VRF:

The following is an example of use-vrf as a POST payload:

### **Certificate Trustpoint Support**

Beginning in NX-OS release 10.1(1), the **trustpoint** keyword is added in the existing global level command.

The following is the command syntax:

```
switch(config-telemetry)# certificate ?
trustpoint specify trustpoint label
WORD .pem certificate filename (Max Size 256)
switch(config-telemetry)# certificate trustpoint
WORD trustpoint label name (Max Size 256)
switch(config-telemetry)# certificate trustpoint trustpoint1 ?
WORD Hostname associated with certificate (Max Size 256)
switch(config-telemetry)#certificate trustpoint trustpoint1 foo.test.google.fr
```

### **Destination Hostname Support**

Beginning in NX-OS release 10.1(1), the **host** keyword is added in destination-group command.

The following is the example for the destination hostname support:

```
switch(config-telemetry) # destination-group 1
switch(conf-tm-dest)# ?
certificate Specify certificate
host Specify destination host
ip Set destination IPv4 address
ipv6 Set destination IPv6 address
switch(conf-tm-dest) # host ?
A.B.C.D|A:B::C:D|WORD IPv4 or IPv6 address or DNS name of destination
switch(conf-tm-dest)#
switch(conf-tm-dest) # host abc port 11111 ?
protocol Set transport protocol
switch(conf-tm-dest)# host abc port 11111 protocol ?
нттр
UDP
aRPC
switch(conf-tm-dest)# host abc port 11111 protocol gRPC ?
encoding Set encoding format
switch(conf-tm-dest) # host abc port 11111 protocol gRPC encoding ?
Form-data Set encoding to Form-data only
            Set encoding to GPB only
GPB-compact Set encoding to Compact-GPB only
JSON Set encoding to JSON
XMT.
            Set encoding to XML
switch(conf-tm-dest) # host ip address 1.1.1.1 port 2222 protocol HTTP encoding JSON
```

#### Support for Node ID

Beginning in NX-OS release 10.1(1), you can configure a custom Node ID string for a telemetry receiver through the **use-nodeid** command. By default, the host name is used, but support for a node ID enables you to set or change the identifier for the node id str of the telemetry receiver data.

You can assign the node ID through the telemetry destination profile, by using the **usenode-id** command. This command is optional.

The following example shows configuring the node ID.

```
switch(config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry) # destination-profile
switch(conf-tm-dest-profile) # use-nodeid test-srvr-10
switch(conf-tm-dest-profile) #
```

The following example shows a telemetry notification on the receiver after the node ID is configured.

```
Telemetry receiver:
------
node_id_str: "test-srvr-10"
subscription_id_str: "1"
encoding_path: "sys/ch/psuslot-1/psu"
collection_id: 3896
msg_timestamp: 1559669946501
```

Use the **use-nodeid** sub-command under the **host** command. The destination level **use-nodeid** configuration preceds the global level configuration.

The following example shows the command syntax:

```
switch(config-telemetry)# destination-group 1
switch(conf-tm-dest)# host 172.19.216.78 port 18112 protocol http enc json
switch(conf-tm-dest-host)# use-nodeid ?
WORD Node ID (Max Size 128)
switch(conf-tm-dest-host)# use-nodeid session 1:18112
```

The following example shows the output from the Telemetry receiver:

```
>> Message size 923
Telemetry msg received @ 23:41:38 UTC
   Msg Size: 11
   node_id_str : session_1:18112
   collection_id : 3118
   data_source : DME
   encoding_path : sys/ch/psuslot-1/psu
   collection_start_time : 1598485314721
   collection_end_time : 1598485314721
   data :
```

# **Support for Streaming of YANG Models**

Beginning in NX-OS release 9.2(1), telemetry supports the YANG ("Yet Another Next Generation") data modeling language. Telemetry supports data streaming for both device YANG and OpenConfig YANG.

# **Support for Proxy**

Beginning in NX-OS release 10.1(1), the **proxy** command is included in the host command. The following is the command syntax:

```
switch(config-telemetry)# destination-group 1
switch(conf-tm-dest)# host 172.19.216.78 port 18112 protocol http enc json
switch(conf-tm-dest-host)# proxy ?
    A.B.C.D|A:B::C:D|WORD IPv4 or IPv6 address or DNS name of proxy server
    <1-65535> Proxy port number, Default value is 8080
username Set proxy authentication username
password Set proxy authentication password
```

### gRPC Asynchronous Mode

The gRPC asynchronous mode is available only under the **host** command. In normal stream condition, this mode allows the receivers to stream data in **mdtDialout** call without exiting or receiving **WriteDone()** call.

The following is the command syntax:

```
nxosv-1(config-telemetry)# destination-group 1
nxosv-1(conf-tm-dest)# host 172.22.244.130 port 50007 ?
nxosv-1(conf-tm-dest-host)# grpc-async ?
```

# **Configuring Telemetry Using the CLI**

# **Configuring Telemetry Using the NX-OS CLI**

The following steps enable streaming telemetry and configuring the source and destination of the data stream.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

# 1. configure terminal

- 2. feature telemetry
- 3. feature nxapi
- 4. nxapi use-vrf management
- 5. telemetry
- **6.** (Optional) **certificate** *certificate\_path host\_URL*
- **7. sensor-group** *sgrp\_id*
- **8.** path sensor\_path depth unbounded [filter-condition filter] [alias path\_alias]
- **9. destination-group** *dgrp\_id*
- **10.** (Optional) **ip address** *ip\_address* **port** *port* **protocol** *procedural-protocol* **encoding** *encoding-protocol*
- **11.** *ip\_version* **address** *ip\_address* **port** *portnum*
- **12. subscription** *sub\_id*
- $\textbf{13.} \quad \textbf{snsr-grp} \quad sgrp\_id \quad \textbf{sample-interval} \quad interval$
- **14. dst-grp** *dgrp\_id*

# **DETAILED STEPS**

# **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	feature telemetry	Enable the streaming telemetry feature.
Step 3	feature nxapi	Enable NX-API.
Step 4	nxapi use-vrf management	Enable the VRF management to be used for NX-API
	Example:	communication.
	<pre>switch(config)# switch(config)# nxapi use-vrf management switch(config)#</pre>	Note The following warnings are seen previous to 10.2(3)F release as ACLs are able to filter only netstack packets:
		"Warning: Management ACLs configured will not be effective for HTTP services. Please use iptables to restrict access."
		<b>Note</b> Beginning with 10.2(3)F, ACLs are able to filter both netstack and kstack packets which are coming to the management vrf. The following warnings are displayed:
		"Warning: ACLs configured on non-management VRF will not be effective for HTTP services on that VRF."

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for streaming telemetry.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	
Step 6	(Optional) certificate certificate_path host_URL	Use an existing SSL/TLS certificate.
	<pre>Example: switch(config-telemetry)# certificate /bootflash/server.key localhost</pre>	For EOR devices, the certificate also has to be copied to the standby SUP.
Step 7	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group with ID <i>srgp_id</i> and enter sensor group configuration mode.
	<pre>Example: switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 100 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	Currently only numeric ID values are supported. The sensor group defines nodes that will be monitored for telemetry reporting.
Step 8	path sensor_path depth unbounded [filter-condition filter] [alias path_alias]	Here unbounded means include child Managed Objects (MO) in the output. So, for POLL telemetry streams, all child MO for that path and EVENT retrieves the changes
	Example:	made in child MO.
	• The following command is applicable for DME, not for NX-API:	Note This is applicable for data source DME paths only.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/bd/bd-[vlan-100] depth 0 filter-condition eq(12BD.operSt, "down")</pre>	Add a sensor path to the sensor group.
	Use the following syntax for state-based filtering to trigger only when operSt changes from up to	<ul> <li>Beginning with the Cisco NX-OS 9.3(5) release, the alias keyword is introduced.</li> </ul>
	<pre>down, with no notifications of when the MO changes. switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path sys/bd/bd-[vlan-100] depth 0</pre>	<ul> <li>The depth setting specifies the retrieval level for the sensor path. Depth settings of 0 - 32, unbounded are supported.</li> </ul>
	filter-condition and(updated(12BD.operSt),eq(12BD.operSt,"down"))	<b>Note</b> depth 0 is the default depth.
	Use the following syntax to distinguish the path on the UTR side.	NX-API-based sensor paths can only use <b>depth 0</b> .
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path sys/ch/ftslot-1/ft alias ft_1</pre>	If a path is subscribed for the event collection, the depth only supports 0 and unbounded.
	<ul> <li>The following command is applicable for NX-API, not for DME:</li> </ul>	Other values would be treated as 0.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show interface" depth 0</pre>	<ul> <li>The optional <b>filter-condition</b> parameter can be specified to create a specific filter for event-based subscriptions.</li> </ul>
	• The following command is applicable for NX-API:	For state-based filtering, the filter returns both when
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show interface" depth 0 alias sh_int_alias</pre>	a state has changed and when an event has occurred during the specified state. That is, a filter condition
	<ul> <li>The following command is applicable for OpenConfig:</li> </ul>	for the DN <b>sys/bd/bd-[vlan]</b> of <b>eq(12Bd.operSt, "down"</b> ) triggers when the operSt changes, and when the DN's property changes while the operSt remains

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path openconfig-bgp:bgp alias oc_bgp_alias</pre>	<b>down</b> , such as a <b>no shutdown</b> command is issued while the VLAN is operationally <b>down</b> .
Step 9	<pre>destination-group dgrp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 100 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Create a destination group and enter destination group configuration mode.  Currently <i>dgrp_id</i> only supports numeric ID values.
Step 10	(Optional) ip address ip_address port port protocol procedural-protocol encoding encoding-protocol  Example:  switch(conf-tm-sensor) # ip address 171.70.55.69 port 50001 protocol gRPC encoding GPB switch(conf-tm-sensor) # ip address 171.70.55.69 port 50007 protocol HTTP encoding JSON	Specify an IPv4 IP address and port to receive encoded telemetry data.  Note gRPC is the default transport protocol.  GPB is the default encoding.
Step 11	<pre>ip_version address ip_address port portnum Example:      • For IPv4:      switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 1.2.3.4 port      50003</pre>	Create a destination profile for the outgoing data.  When the destination group is linked to a subscription, telemetry data is sent to the IP address and port that is specified by this profile.
Step 12	<pre>subscription sub_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 100 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Create a subscription node with ID and enter the subscription configuration mode.  Currently <i>sub_id</i> only supports numeric ID values.  Note When subscribing to a DN, check whether the DN is supported by DME using REST to ensure that events will stream.
Step 13	<pre>snsr-grp sgrp_id sample-interval interval Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 15000</pre>	Link the sensor group with ID <i>sgrp_id</i> to this subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds.  An interval value of 0 creates an event-based subscription, in which telemetry data is sent only upon changes under the specified MO. An interval value greater than 0 creates a frequency-based subscription, in which telemetry data is sent periodically at the specified interval. For example, an interval value of 15000 results in the sending of telemetry data every 15 seconds.
Step 14	<pre>dst-grp dgrp_id Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 100</pre>	Link the destination group with ID <i>dgrp_id</i> to this subscription.

# **Configuring Cadence for YANG Paths**

The cadence for YANG paths must be greater than the total streaming time. If the total streaming time and cadence are incorrectly configured, gathering telemetry data can take longer than the streaming interval. In this situation, you can see:

- Queues that incrementally fill because telemetry data is accumulating faster than it is streaming to the receiver.
- Stale telemetry data which is not from the current interval.

Configure the cadence to a value greater than the total streaming time.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. show telemetry control database sensor-groups
- 2. sensor group number
- **3. subscription** *number*
- 4. snsr-grp number sample-interval milliseconds
- 5. show system resources

### **DETAILED STEPS**

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	show telemetry control database sensor-groups	Calculate the total streaming time.	
	Example:  switch# show telemetry control database sensor-groups Sensor Group Database size = 2	The total streaming time is the sum of the individual current streaming times of each sensor group. Individual streaming times are displayed in Streaming time in ms (Cur). In this example, total streaming time is 2.664 seconds (2515	
	Row ID Sensor Group ID Sensor Group type Sampling interval(ms) Linked subscriptions SubII	milliseconds plus 149 milliseconds).  Compare the configured cadence to the total streaming time for the sensor group.	
	1 2 Timer /YANG 5000 /Running 1 1  Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 2444/2294/2460 Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 56/55/57  Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/1  Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 2515/2356/28403	the cadence is displayed in sample-interval. In this example, the cadence is correctly configured because the total streaming time (2.664 seconds) is less than the cadence (5.000 seconds, which is the default).	
	Collection Statistics:  collection_id_dropped = 0 last_collection_id_dropped = 0 drop_count = 0		
	2 1 Timer /YANG 5000 /Running 1 1 Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 144/142/1471 Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/1 Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0 Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 149/147/23548		

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Collection Statistics:  collection_id_dropped = 0 last_collection_id_dropped = 0 drop_count = 0	
	<pre>switch# telemetry   destination-group 1     ip address 192.0.2.1 port 9000 protocol HTTP encoding JSON   sensor-group 1     data-source YANG     path /Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/procsys-items depth unbounded   sensor-group 2     data-source YANG     path /Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/intf-items/phys-items depth unbounded subscription 1</pre>	
	dst-grp 1 snsr-grp 1 sample-interval 5000 snsr-grp 2 sample-interval 5000	
Step 2	<pre>sensor group number Example: switch(config-telemetry) # sensor group1</pre>	If the total streaming time is not less than the cadence, enter the sensor group for which you want to set the interval.
Step 3	subscription number	Edit the subscription for the sensor group.
•	Example:	
	switch(conf-tm-sensor)# subscription 100	
Step 4	snsr-grp number sample-interval milliseconds  Example:	For the appropriate sensor group, set the sample interval to a value greater than the total streaming time.
	switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp number sample-interval 5000	In this example, the sample interval is set to 5.000 seconds, which is valid because it is larger than the total streaming time of 2.664 seconds.
Step 5	show system resources	Check the CPU usage.
	Example:  switch# show system resources  Load average: 1 minute: 0.38 5 minutes: 0.43  15 minutes: 0.43  Processes: 555 total, 3 running	If the CPU user state shows high usage, as shown in this example, your cadence and streaming value are not configured correctly. Repeat this procedure to properly configure the cadence.
	CPU states : <b>24.17% user</b> , 4.32% kernel, 71.50% idle CPU0 states: 0.00% user, 2.12% kernel,	
	97.87% idle  CPU1 states: 86.00% user, 11.00% kernel, 3.00% idle	
	CPU2 states: 8.08% user, 3.03% kernel, 88.88% idle	
	CPU3 states: 0.00% user, 1.02% kernel, 98.97% idle	
	Memory usage: 16400084K total, 5861652K used,	

Command or Action	Purpose
10538432K free	
Current memory status: OK	

# **Configuration Examples for Telemetry Using the CLI**

The following steps describe how to configure a single telemetry DME stream with a ten second cadence with GPB encoding.

```
switch# configure terminal
switch(config)# feature telemetry
switch(config)# telemetry
switch(config-telemetry)# destination-group 1
switch(config-tm-dest)# ip address 171.70.59.62 port 50051 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
switch(config-tm-dest)# exit
switch(config-telemetry)# sensor group sg1
switch(config-tm-sensor)# data-source DME
switch(config-tm-dest)# path interface depth unbounded query-condition keep-data-type
switch(config-tm-dest)# subscription 1
switch(config-tm-dest)# dst-grp 1
switch(config-tm-dest)# snsr grp 1 sample interval 10000
```

This example creates a subscription that streams data for the sys/bgp root MO every 5 seconds to the destination IP 1.2.3.4 port 50003.

```
switch(config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry) # sensor-group 100
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path sys/bgp depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 100
switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50003
switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 100
switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 5000
switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 100
```

This example creates a subscription that streams data for sys/intf every 5 seconds to destination IP 1.2.3.4 port 50003, and encrypts the stream using GPB encoding verified using the test.pem.

```
switch(config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry) # certificate /bootflash/test.pem foo.test.google.fr
switch(conf-tm-telemetry) # destination-group 100
switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50003 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
switch(config-dest) # sensor-group 100
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path sys/bgp depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # subscription 100
switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 5000
switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 100
```

This example creates a subscription that streams data for sys/cdp every 15 seconds to destination IP 1.2.3.4 port 50004.

```
switch(config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry) # sensor-group 100
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path sys/cdp depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 100
switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004
```

```
switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 100
switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 15000
switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 100
```

This example creates a cadence-based collection of **show** command data every 750 seconds.

```
switch(config)# telemetry
switch (config-telemetry) # destination-group 1
switch (conf-tm-dest) # ip address 172.27.247.72 port 60001 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
switch(conf-tm-dest) # sensor-group 1
switch (conf-tm-sensor# data-source NX-API
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show system resources" depth 0
switch (conf-tm-sensor) # path "show version" depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show environment power" depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show environment fan" depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show environment temperature" depth 0
switch (conf-tm-sensor) # path "show process cpu" depth 0
switch (conf-tm-sensor) # path "show nve peers" depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show nve vni" depth 0
\verb| switch(conf-tm-sensor) \# path "show nve vni 4002 counters" depth 0 \\
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path "show int nve 1 counters" depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show policy-map vlan" depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show ip access-list test" depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show system internal access-list resource utilization" depth
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# subscription 1
switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 1
switch(conf-tm-dest)# snsr-grp 1 sample-interval 750000
```

This example creates an event-based subscription for sys/fm. Data is streamed to the destination only if there is a change under the sys/fm MO.

```
switch(config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry) # sensor-group 100
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path sys/fm depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 100
switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50005
switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 100
switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 0
switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 100
```

During operation, you can change a sensor group from frequency-based to event-based, and change event-based to frequency-based by changing the sample-interval. This example changes the sensor-group from the previous example to frequency-based. After the following commands, the telemetry application will begin streaming the sys/fm data to the destination every 7 seconds.

```
switch(config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry) # subscription 100
switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 7000
```

Multiple sensor groups and destinations can be linked to a single subscription. The subscription in this example streams the data for Ethernet port 1/1 to four different destinations every 10 seconds.

```
switch(config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry) # sensor-group 100
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path sys/intf/phys-[eth1/1] depth 0
```

```
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 100
switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004
switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50005
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 200
switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 5.6.7.8 port 50001 protocol HTTP encoding JSON
switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 1.4.8.2 port 60003
switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 100
switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 10000
switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 100
switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 200
```

A sensor group can contain multiple paths, a destination group can contain multiple destination profiles, and a subscription can be linked to multiple sensor groups and destination groups, as shown in this example.

```
switch (config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 100
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/intf/phys-[eth1/1] depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/epId-1 depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/bgp/inst/dom-default depth 0
switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 200
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/cdp depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path sys/ipv4 depth 0
switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 300
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/fm depth 0
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/bgp depth 0
switch (conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 100
switch (conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004
switch (conf-tm-dest) # ip address 4.3.2.5 port 50005
switch(conf-tm-dest) # destination-group 200
switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 5.6.7.8 port 50001
switch(conf-tm-dest)# destination-group 300
switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 1.2.3.4 port 60003
switch (conf-tm-dest) # subscription 600
switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 7000
switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 200 sample-interval 20000
switch (conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 100
switch (conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 200
switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 900
switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 200 sample-interval 7000
switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 300 sample-interval 0
switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 100
switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 300
```

You can verify the telemetry configuration using the **show running-config telemetry** command, as shown in this example.

```
switch(config) # telemetry
switch(config-telemetry) # destination-group 100
switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50003
switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004
switch(conf-tm-dest) # end
switch# show run telemetry
```

```
!Command: show running-config telemetry
!Time: Thu Oct 13 21:10:12 2016

version 7.0(3)I5(1)
feature telemetry

telemetry
destination-group 100
ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50003 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
```

# **Displaying Telemetry Configuration and Statistics**

Use the following NX-OS CLI **show** commands to display telemetry configuration, statistics, errors, and session information.

### show telemetry yang direct-path cisco-nxos-device

This command displays YANG paths that are directly encoded to perform better than other paths.

```
switch# show telemetry yang direct-path cisco-nxos-device
) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/lldp-items
2) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/acl-items
3) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/mac-items
4) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/intf-items
5) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/procsys-items/sysload-items
6) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/ospf-items
7) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/procsys-items
8) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/procsys-items/queuing-items/policy-items/out-items
9) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/mac-items/static-items
10) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/ch-items
11) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/cdp-items
12) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/bd-items
13) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/pros-items
14) Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/ipv6-items
```

### show telemetry control database

This command displays the internal databases that reflect the configuration of telemetry.

```
switch# show telemetry control database ?
 <CR>
                    Redirect it to a file
 >>
                   Redirect it to a file in append mode
 destination-groups Show destination-groups
 destinations Show destinations
 sensor-groups
                    Show sensor-groups
                   Show sensor-paths
 sensor-paths
 subscriptions
                   Show subscriptions
                    Pipe command output to filter
switch# show telemetry control database
Subscription Database size = 1
                Data Collector Type
Subscription ID
100
                   DME NX-API
```

```
Sensor Group Database size = 1
______
Sensor Group ID Sensor Group type Sampling interval(ms) Linked subscriptions
______
100
        Timer
                   10000 (Running)
Sensor Path Database size = 1
Subscribed Query Filter Linked Groups Sec Groups Retrieve level Sensor Path
                     0 Full
                                     svs/fm
Destination group Database size = 2
Destination Group ID Refcount
______
100
           1
Destination Database size = 2
______
Dst IP Addr Dst Port Encoding Transport Count
______
192.168.20.111 12345 JSON HTTP
192.168.20.123 50001 GPB GRPC 1
```

#### show telemetry control stats

This command displays the statistics about the internal databases about configuration of telemetry.

```
switch# show telemetry control stats
show telemetry control stats entered
```

Error Description	Error Count
Chunk allocation failures	0
Sensor path Database chunk creation failures	0
Sensor Group Database chunk creation failures	0
Destination Database chunk creation failures	0
Destination Group Database chunk creation failures	0
Subscription Database chunk creation failures	0
Sensor path Database creation failures	0
Sensor Group Database creation failures	0
Destination Database creation failures	0
Destination Group Database creation failures	0
Subscription Database creation failures	0
Sensor path Database insert failures	0
Sensor Group Database insert failures	0
Destination Database insert failures	0
Destination Group Database insert failures	0
Subscription insert to Subscription Database failures	0
Sensor path Database delete failures	0
Sensor Group Database delete failures	0
Destination Database delete failures	0
Destination Group Database delete failures	0
Delete Subscription from Subscription Database failures	0
Sensor path delete in use	0

Sensor Group delete in use	0
Destination delete in use	0
Destination Group delete in use	0
Delete destination(in use) failure count	0
Failed to get encode callback	0
Sensor path Sensor Group list creation failures	0
Sensor path prop list creation failures	0
Sensor path sec Sensor path list creation failures	0
Sensor path sec Sensor Group list creation failures	0
Sensor Group Sensor path list creation failures	0
Sensor Group Sensor subs list creation failures	0
Destination Group subs list creation failures	0
Destination Group Destinations list creation failures	0
Destination Destination Groups list creation failures	0
Subscription Sensor Group list creation failures	0
Subscription Destination Groups list creation failures	0
Sensor Group Sensor path list delete failures	0
Sensor Group Subscriptions list delete failures	0
Destination Group Subscriptions list delete failures	0
Destination Group Destinations list delete failures	0
Subscription Sensor Groups list delete failures	0
Subscription Destination Groups list delete failures	0
Destination Destination Groups list delete failures	0
Failed to delete Destination from Destination Group	0
Failed to delete Destination Group from Subscription	0
Failed to delete Sensor Group from Subscription	0
Failed to delete Sensor path from Sensor Group	0
Failed to get encode callback	0
Failed to get transport callback	0
switch# Destination Database size = 1	

Dst IP Addr Dst Port Encoding Transport Count

192.168.20.123 50001 GPB gRPC 1

# show telemetry data collector brief

This command displays the brief statistics about the data collection.

### switch# show telemetry data collector brief

Collector Type	Successful Collections	Failed Collections
DME	143	0

# show telemetry data collector details

This command displays detailed statistics about the data collection which includes breakdown of all sensor paths.

# switch# show telemetry data collector details

Succ Collections	Failed Collections	Sensor Path
150	0	svs/fm

# show telemetry event collector errors

This command displays the errors statistic about the event collection.

#### switch# show telemetry event collector errors

Error Description	Error Count
APIC-Cookie Generation Failures	- 0
Authentication Failures	- 0
Authentication Refresh Failures	- 0
Authentication Refresh Timer Start Failures	- 0
Connection Timer Start Failures	- 0
Connection Attempts	- 3
Dme Event Subscription Init Failures	- 0
Event Data Enqueue Failures	- 0
Event Subscription Failures	- 0
Event Subscription Refresh Failures	- 0
Pending Subscription List Create Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Create Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Destroy Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Insert Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Remove Failures	- 0
Subscription Refresh Timer Start Failures	- 0
Websocket Connect Failures	- 0

### show telemetry event collector stats

This command displays the statistics about the event collection which includes breakdown of all sensor paths.

```
switch# show telemetry event collector stats

Collection Count Latest Collection Time Sensor Path
```

### show telemetry control pipeline stats

This command displays the statistics for the telemetry pipeline.

```
switch# show telemetry pipeline stats
Main Statistics:
   Timers:
       Errors:
          Start Fail
                              0
   Data Collector:
      Errors:
          Node Create Fail =
   Event Collector:
       Errors:
                              0
          Node Create Fail =
                                   Node Add Fail =
                                                         0
          Invalid Data =
```

Queue Statistics:

Request	Queue:					
Hig:	h Priority Queue:					
	Info:					
	Actual Size	=	50	Current Size	=	0
	Max Size	=	0	Full Count	=	0
	Errors:					
	Enqueue Error	=	0	Dequeue Error	=	0
Low	Priority Queue:					
	Info:					
	Actual Size	=	50	Current Size	=	0
	Max Size	=	0	Full Count	=	0
	Errors:					
	Enqueue Error	=	0	Dequeue Error	=	0
Data Qu	eue:					
Hig:	h Priority Queue:					
	Info:					
	Actual Size	=	50	Current Size	=	0
	Max Size	=	0	Full Count	=	0
	Errors:					
	Enqueue Error	=	0	Dequeue Error	=	0
Low	Priority Queue:					
	Info:					
	Actual Size	=	50	Current Size	=	0
	Max Size	=	0	Full Count	=	0
	Errors:					
	Enqueue Error	=	0	Dequeue Error	=	0
	Actual Size Max Size Errors:	=	0	Full Count	=	0

# show telemetry transport

This command displays all configured transport sessions.

# switch# show telemetry transport

Session Id	IP Address	Port	Encoding	Transport	Status
0	192.168.20.123	50001	GPB	gRPC	Connected

Table 1: Syntax Description for show telemetry transport

Syntax	Description
show	Shows running system information
telemetry	Shows telemetry information
transport	Shows telemetry transport information
session_id	(Optional) Session id
stats	(Optional) Shows all telemetry statistics information
errors	(Optional) Show all telemetry error information

Syntax	Description
readonly	(Optional)
TABLE_transport_info	(Optional) Transport information
session_idx	(Optional) Session Id
ip_address	(Optional) Transport IP address
port	(Optional) Transport port
dest_info	(Optional) Destination information
encoding_type	(Optional) Encoding type
transport_type	(Optional) Transport type
transport_status	(Optional) Transport status
transport_security_cert_fname	(Optional) Transport security file name
transport_last_connected	(Optional) Transport last connected
transport_last_disconnected	(Optional) Last time this destination configuration was removed
transport_errors_count	(Optional) Transport errors count
transport_last_tx_error	(Optional) Transport last tx error
transport_statistics	(Optional) Transport statistics
t_session_id	(Optional) Transport Session id
connect_statistics	(Optional) Connection statistics
connect_count	(Optional) Connection count
last_connected	(Optional) Last connected timestamp
disconnect_count	(Optional) Disconnect count
last_disconnected	(Optional) Last time this destination configuration was removed
trans_statistics	(Optional) Transport statistics
compression	(Optional) Compression status
source_interface_name	(Optional) Source interface name
source_interface_ip	(Optional) Source interface IP
transmit_count	(Optional) Transmission count
last_tx_time	(Optional) Last Transmission time

Syntax	Description
min_tx_time	(Optional) Minimum transmission time
max_tx_time	(Optional) Maximum transmission time
avg_tx_time	(Optional) Average transmission time
cur_tx_time	(Optional) Current transmission time
transport_errors	(Optional) Transport errors
connect_errors	(Optional) Connection errors
connect_errors_count	(Optional) Connection error count
trans_errors	(Optional) Transport errors
trans_errors_count	(Optional) Transport error count
last_tx_error	(Optional) Last transport error
last_tx_return_code	(Optional) Last transport return code
transport_retry_stats	(Optional) Retry Statistics
ts_event_retry_bytes	(Optional) Event Retry buffer size
ts_timer_retry_bytes	(Optional) Timer Retry buffer size
ts_event_retry_size	(Optional) Event Retry number of messages
ts_timer_retry_size	(Optional) Timer Retry number of messages
ts_retries_sent	(Optional) Number of retries sent
ts_retries_dropped	(Optional) Number of retries dropped
event_retry_bytes	(Optional) Event Retry buffer size
timer_retry_bytes	(Optional) Timer Retry buffer size
retries_sent	(Optional) Number of retries sent
retries_dropped	(Optional) Number of retries dropped
retry_buffer_size	(Optional) Retry buffer size

# show telemetry transport <session-id>

This command displays detailed session information for a specific transport session.

### $\verb|switch#| \textbf{show telemetry transport 0}|\\$

Session Id: 0

IP Address:Port 192.168.20.123:50001

Encoding: GPB
Transport: gRPC
Status: Disconnected
Last Connected: Fri Sep 02 11:45:57.505 UTC

Tx Error Count: 224

That Tx Error: Fri Sep 02 12:23:49.555 UTC

#### switch# show telemetry transport 1

Session Id: 1 Session Id:
IP Address:Port

10.30.218.56:51235 Encoding: HTTP JSON

Transport: Status:

Disconnected

Last Connected: Never

Tx Error Count:

Wed Apr 19 15:56:51.617 PDT Last Tx Error:

### show telemetry transport <session-id> stats

This command displays details of a specific transport session.

#### switch# show telemetry transport 0 stats

Session Id:

IP Address:Port 192.168.20.123:50001
Encoding: GPB
Transport: GRPC
Status: Connected
Last Connected: Mon May 01 11:29:46.9

Mon May 01 11:29:46.912 PST

Last Disconnected: Never Tx Error Count: Last Tx Error: None

### show telemetry transport <session-id> errors

This command displays detailed error statistics for a specific transport session.

#### switch# show telemetry transport 0 errors

Session Id: Connection Stats 1 Connection Count

Mon May 01 11:29:46.912 PST Last Connected:

Disconnect Count Last Disconnected: Never Transmission Stats

1225 Transmit Count:

Last TX time: Tue May 02 11:40:03.531 PST Min Tx Time: 7 ms Max Tx Time: 1760 Avg Tx Time: 500 ms

### show telemetry control databases sensor-paths

These following configuration steps result in the show telemetry control databases sensor-paths command output below.

```
feature telemetry
telemetry
 destination-group 1
   ip address 172.25.238.13 port 50600 protocol gRPC encoding GPB
  sensor-group 1
   path sys/cdp depth unbounded
   path sys/intf depth unbounded
   path sys/mac depth 0
  subscription 1
   dst-grp 1
    snsr-grp 1 sample-interval 1000
Command output.
switch# show telemetry control databases sensor-paths
Sensor Path Database size = 3
______
Row ID Subscribed Linked Groups Sec Groups Retrieve level Path(GroupId):
Query : Filter
                                   0
         Nο
                                              Full
1
                                                              sys/cdp(1) : NA
: NA
GPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 30489/30489/30489
JSON Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
CGPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 6/5/54
Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 5/5/6
Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 1027/55/1045
Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 48402/5/48402
2.
          Nο
                                   0
                                              Full
                                                              sys/intf(1) : N
A : NA
GPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 539466/539466/539466
JSON Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
CGPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 66/64/114
Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 91/90/92
Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 4065/4014/5334
Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 48365/64/48365
3
                                                              sys/mac(1) : NA
          No
                                               Self
: NA
GPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 247/247/247
JSON Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
CGPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 1/1/47
Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 1/1/1
Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 4/1/6
Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 47369/1/47369
```

### show telemetry transport sessions

The following commands loop through all the transport sessions and prints the information in one command:

```
switch# show telemetry transport sessions
switch# show telemetry transport stats
switch# show telemetry transport errors
switch# show telemetry transport all
```

The following is an example for telemetry transport session:

switch# show telemetry transport sessions Session Id: 0 IP Address:Port 172.27.254.13:50004 Transport: GRPC Transmit Error Status: SSL Certificate: trustpoint1 Last Connected: Never Last Disconnected: Never Tx Error Count: Last Tx Error: Wed Aug 19 23:32:21.749 UTC Session Id: IP Address:Port 172.27.254.13:50006 Transport:

### **Telemetry Ephemeral Event**

To support ephemeral event, a new sensor path query-condition is added. To enable accounting log ephermeral event streaming, use the following query condition:

```
sensor-group 1
path sys/accounting/log query-condition query-target=subtree&complete-mo=yes&notify-interval=1
```

The following are the other sensor paths that support ephemeral event:

```
sys/pim/inst/routedb-route, sys/pim/pimifdb-adj, sys/pim/pimifdb-prop
sys/igmp/igmpifdb-prop, sys/igmp/inst/routedb, sys/igmpsnoop/inst/dom/db-exptrack,
sys/igmpsnoop/inst/dom/db-group, sys/igmpsnoop/inst/dom/db-mrouter
sys/igmpsnoop/inst/dom/db-querier, sys/igmpsnoop/inst/dom/db-snoop
```

# **Displaying Telemetry Log and Trace Information**

Use the following NX-OS CLI commands to display the log and trace information.

#### show tech-support telemetry

This NX-OS CLI command collects the telemetry log contents from the tech-support log. In this example, the command output is redirected into a file in bootflash.

```
switch# show tech-support telemetry > bootflash:tmst.log
```

# **Configuring Telemetry Using the NX-API**

# **Configuring Telemetry Using the NX-API**

In the object model of the switch DME, the configuration of the telemetry feature is defined in a hierarchical structure of objects as shown in the section "Telemetry Model in the DME." Following are the main objects to be configured:

- fmEntity Contains the NX-API and Telemetry feature states.
  - **fmNxapi** Contains the NX-API state.
  - **fmTelemetry** Contains the Telemetry feature state.

- **telemetryEntity** Contains the telemetry feature configuration.
  - **telemetrySensorGroup** Contains the definitions of one or more sensor paths or nodes to be monitored for telemetry. The telemetry entity can contain one or more sensor groups.
    - **telemetryRtSensorGroupRel** Associates the sensor group with a telemetry subscription.
    - **telemetrySensorPath** A path to be monitored. The sensor group can contain multiple objects of this type.
  - **telemetryDestGroup** Contains the definitions of one or more destinations to receive telemetry data. The telemetry entity can contain one or more destination groups.
    - **telemetryRtDestGroupRel** Associates the destination group with a telemetry subscription.
    - telemetryDest A destination address. The destination group can contain multiple objects of this type.
  - **telemetrySubscription** Specifies how and when the telemetry data from one or more sensor groups is sent to one or more destination groups.
    - telemetryRsDestGroupRel Associates the telemetry subscription with a destination group.
    - **telemetryRsSensorGroupRel** Associates the telemetry subscription with a sensor group.
  - telemetry Certificate Associates the telemetry subscription with a certificate and hostname.

To configure the telemetry feature using the NX-API, you must construct a JSON representation of the telemetry object structure and push it to the DME with an HTTP or HTTPS POST operation.



Note

For detailed instructions on using the NX-API, see the *Cisco Nexus 3000 and 9000 Series NX-API REST SDK User Guide and API Reference*.

### Before you begin

Your switch must be configured to run the NX-API from the CLI:

```
switch(config)# feature nxapi
nxapi use-vrf vrf_name
nxapi http port port_number
```

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	Enable the telemetry feature. <b>Example:</b>	The root element is <b>fmTelemetry</b> and the base path for this element is sys/fm. Configure the <b>adminSt</b> attribute as enabled.
	{    "fmEntity" : {	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>"children" : [{     "fmTelemetry" : {         "attributes" : {             "adminSt" : "enabled"         }      }     } }</pre>	
Step 2	Create the root level of the JSON payload to describe the telemetry configuration.  Example:  {     "telemetryEntity": {         "attributes": {             "dn": "sys/tm"         },      } }	The root element is <b>telemetryEntity</b> and the base path for this element is sys/tm. Configure the <b>dn</b> attribute as sys/tm.
Step 3	Create a sensor group to contain the defined sensor paths.  Example:  "telemetrySensorGroup": {     "attributes": {         "id": "10",         "rn": "sensor-10"     }, "children": [{      }] }	A telemetry sensor group is defined in an object of class telemetrySensorGroup. Configure the following attributes of the object:  • id — An identifier for the sensor group. Currently only numeric ID values are supported.  • rn — The relative name of the sensor group object in the format: sensor-id.  • dataSrc — Selects the data source from DEFAULT, DME, YANG, or NX-API.  Children of the sensor group object include sensor paths and one or more relation objects (telemetryRtSensorGroupRel) to associate the sensor group with a telemetry subscription.
Step 4	<pre>(Optional) Add an SSL/TLS certificate and a host.  Example: {     "telemetryCertificate": {         "attributes": {             "filename": "root.pem"</pre>	The <b>telemetryCertificate</b> defines the location of the SSL/TLS certificate with the telemetry subscription/destination.
Step 5	Define a telemetry destination group.  Example:	A telemetry destination group is defined in <b>telemetryEntity</b> . Configure the id attribute.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>{     "telemetryDestGroup": {         "attributes": {             "id": "20"         }      } }</pre>	
Step 6	Define a telemetry destination profile.	A telemetry destination profile is defined in

**Example:** 

# "telemetryDestProfile": { "attributes": { "adminSt": "enabled" "children": [ "telemetryDestOptSourceInterface": { "attributes": { "name": "lo0" ] }

telemetryDestProfile.

- Configure the adminSt attribute as enabled.
- Under telemetryDestOptSourceInterface, configure the name attribute with an interface name to stream data from the configured interface to a destination with the source IP address.

#### Step 7 Define one or more telemetry destinations, consisting of an IP address and port number to which telemetry data will be sent.

# **Example:**

```
"telemetryDest": {
    "attributes": {
         "addr": "1.2.3.4",
         "enc": "GPB",
         "port": "50001",
         "proto": "gRPC",
         "rn": "addr-[1.2.3.4]-port-50001"
    }
}
```

A telemetry destination is defined in an object of class telemetryDest. Configure the following attributes of the object:

- addr The IP address of the destination.
- port The port number of the destination.
- rn The relative name of the destination object in the format: **path-**[path].
- enc The encoding type of the telemetry data to be sent. NX-OS supports:
  - Google protocol buffers (GPB) for gRPC.
  - · JSON for C.
- **proto** The transport protocol type of the telemetry data to be sent. NX-OS supports:
  - gRPC
  - HTTP
- Supported encoded types are:
  - HTTP/JSON YES

	Command or Action	Purpose
		HTTP/Form-data YES Only supported for Bin Logging.
		GRPC/GPB-Compact YES Native Data Source Only.
		• GRPC/GPB YES
		• UDP/GPB YES
		• UDP/JSON YES
Step 8	Enable gRPC chunking and set the chunking size, between 64 and 4096 bytes.	See Guidelines and Limitations section for more information.
	Example:	
	<pre>{     "telemetryDestGrpOptChunking": {         "attributes": {             "chunkSize": "2048",             "dn": "sys/tm/dest-1/chunking"         }     } }</pre>	
Step 9	Create a telemetry subscription to configure the telemetry behavior. <b>Example:</b>	A telemetry subscription is defined in an object of class <b>telemetrySubscription</b> . Configure the following attributes of the object:  • id — An identifier for the subscription. Currently
	<pre>"telemetrySubscription": {     "attributes": {         "id": "30",         "rn": "subs-30" }, "children": [{</pre>	only numeric ID values are supported.  • rn — The relative name of the subscription object in the format: subs-id.
	}]	Children of the subscription object include relation objects for sensor groups (telemetryRsSensorGroupRel) and destination groups (telemetryRsDestGroupRel).
Step 10	Add the sensor group object as a child object to the <b>telemetrySubscription</b> element under the root element ( <b>telemetryEntity</b> ).	
	Example:	
	<pre>{     "telemetrySubscription": {         "attributes": {             "id": "30"         }         "children": [{             "telemetryRsSensorGroupRel": {             "attributes": {</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	} } } }	
Step 11	Create a relation object as a child object of the subscription to associate the subscription to the telemetry sensor group and to specify the data sampling behavior.  Example:  "telemetryRsSensorGroupRel": {     "attributes": {         "rType": "mo",         "rn":  "rssensorGroupRel-[sys/tm/sensor-10]",         "sampleIntvl": "5000",         "tCl": "telemetrySensorGroup",         "tType": "mo"       } }	The relation object is of class  telemetryRsSensorGroupRel and is a child object of telemetrySubscription. Configure the following attributes of the relation object:  • rn — The relative name of the relation object in the format: rssensorGroupRel-[sys/tm/sensor-group-id].  • sampleIntvl — The data sampling period in milliseconds. An interval value of 0 creates an event-based subscription, in which telemetry data is sent only upon changes under the specified MO. An interval value greater than 0 creates a frequency-based subscription, in which telemetry data is sent periodically at the specified interval. For example, an interval value of 15000 results in the sending of telemetry data every 15 seconds.  • tCl — The class of the target (sensor group) object, which is telemetrySensorGroup.  • tDn — The distinguished name of the target (sensor group) object, which is sys/tm/sensor-group-id.  • rType — The relation type, which is mo for managed object.  • tType — The target type, which is mo for managed object.
Step 12	Define one or more sensor paths or nodes to be monitored for telemetry.  Example:  Single sensor path  {     "telemetrySensorPath": {         "attributes": {             "path": "sys/cdp",             "rn": "path-[sys/cdp]",             "excludeFilter": "",             "filterCondition": "",             "path": "sys/fm/bgp",             "secondaryGroup": "0",             "secondaryPath": "",             "depth": "0"	A sensor path is defined in an object of class telemetrySensorPath. Configure the following attributes of the object:  • path — The path to be monitored.  • rn — The relative name of the path object in the format: path-[path]  • depth — The retrieval level for the sensor path. A depth setting of 0 retrieves only the root MO properties.  • filterCondition — (Optional) Creates a specific filter for event-based subscriptions. The DME provides the filter expressions. For more information about filtering, see the Cisco APIC REST API Usage

	Command or Action	Purpose
	}	Guidelines on composing queries. You can find it at the following Cisco APIC documents landing page:
	Example:	
	Multiple sensor paths	
	<pre>{     "telemetrySensorPath": {         "path": "sys/cdp",         "rn": "path-[sys/cdp]",         "excludeFilter": "",         "filterCondition": "",         "secondaryGroup": "0",         "secondaryPath": "",         "depth": "0"     } }  // (     "telemetrySensorPath": {         "attributes": {             "excludeFilter": "",             "filterCondition": "",             "path": "sys/fm/dhcp",             "secondaryGroup": "0",             "secondaryGroup": "0",             "secondaryGroup": "0",             "secondaryPath": "",             "depth": "0"         } } </pre>	
	Example:	
	Single sensor path filtering for BGP disable events:	
	<pre>{     "telemetrySensorPath": {         "attributes": {             "path": "sys/cdp",             "rn": "path-[sys/cdp]",             "excludeFilter": "",             "filterCondition": "eq(fmBgp.operSt.\"disabled\")",             "path": "sys/fm/bgp",             "secondaryGroup": "0",             "secondaryPath": "",             "depth": "0"         }     } }</pre>	
Step 13	Add sensor paths as child objects to the sensor group obje (telemetrySensorGroup).	ct

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 14	Add destinations as child objects to the destination group object (telemetryDestGroup).	
Step 15	Add the destination group object as a child object to the root element ( <b>telemetryEntity</b> ).	
Step 16	Create a relation object as a child object of the telemetry sensor group to associate the sensor group to the subscription.  Example:  "telemetryRtSensorGroupRel": {     "attributes": {         "rn": "rtsensorGroupRel-[sys/tm/subs-30]",         "tCl": "telemetrySubscription",         "tDn": "sys/tm/subs-30"     } }	The relation object is of class telemetryRtSensorGroupRel and is a child object of telemetrySensorGroup. Configure the following attributes of the relation object:  • rn — The relative name of the relation object in the format: rtsensorGroupRel-[sys/tm/subscription-id].  • tCl — The target class of the subscription object, which is telemetrySubscription.  • tDn — The target distinguished name of the subscription object, which is sys/tm/subscription-id.
Step 17	Create a relation object as a child object of the telemetry destination group to associate the destination group to the subscription.  Example:  "telemetryRtDestGroupRel": {     "attributes": {         "rn": "rtdestGroupRel-[sys/tm/subs-30]",         "tCl": "telemetrySubscription",         "tDn": "sys/tm/subs-30"     } }	The relation object is of class <b>telemetryRtDestGroupRel</b> and is a child object of <b>telemetryDestGroup</b> . Configure the following attributes of the relation object:  • rn — The relative name of the relation object in the format: rtdestGroupRel-[sys/tm/subscription-id].  • tCl — The target class of the subscription object, which is <b>telemetrySubscription</b> .  • tDn — The target distinguished name of the subscription object, which is <b>sys/tm</b> /subscription-id.
Step 18	Create a relation object as a child object of the subscription to associate the subscription to the telemetry destination group.  Example:  "telemetryRsDestGroupRel": {     "attributes": {         "rType": "mo",         "rn": "rsdestGroupRel-[sys/tm/dest-20]",         "tCl": "telemetryDestGroup",         "tDn": "sys/tm/dest-20",         "tType": "mo"     } }	The relation object is of class telemetryRsDestGroupRel and is a child object of telemetrySubscription. Configure the following attributes of the relation object:  • rn — The relative name of the relation object in the format:     rsdestGroupRel-[sys/tm/destination-group-id].  • tCl — The class of the target (destination group) object, which is telemetryDestGroup.  • tDn — The distinguished name of the target (destination group) object, which is sys/tm/destination-group-id.  • rType — The relation type, which is mo for managed object.  • tType — The target type, which is mo for managed object.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 19	e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e	The base path for the telemetry entity is sys/tm and the NX-API endpoint is: {{URL}}/api/node/mo/sys/tm.json

# **Example**

The following is an example of all the previous steps that are collected into one POST payload (note that some attributes may not match):

```
"telemetryEntity": {
  "children": [{
    "telemetrySensorGroup": {
      "attributes": {
        "id": "10"
      "children": [{
        "telemetrySensorPath": {
          "attributes": {
            "excludeFilter": "",
            "filterCondition": "",
            "path": "sys/fm/bgp",
"secondaryGroup": "0",
             "secondaryPath": "",
             "depth": "0"
    "telemetryDestGroup": {
      "attributes": {
        "id": "20"
      "children": [{
        "telemetryDest": {
          "attributes": {
            "addr": "10.30.217.80",
            "port": "50051",
"enc": "GPB",
            "proto": "gRPC"
      }
  },
    "telemetrySubscription": {
      "attributes": {
        "id": "30"
      "children": [{
        "telemetryRsSensorGroupRel": {
          "attributes": {
            "sampleIntvl": "5000",
```

```
"tDn": "sys/tm/sensor-10"
}
}

}

"telemetryRsDestGroupRel": {
    "attributes": {
        "tDn": "sys/tm/dest-20"
     }
}

}

}

}

}
```

# Configuration Example for Telemetry Using the NX-API

# **Streaming Paths to a Destination**

This example creates a subscription that streams paths sys/cdp and sys/ipv4 to a destination 1.2.3.4 port 50001 every five seconds.

```
POST https://192.168.20.123/api/node/mo/sys/tm.json
Payload:
    "telemetryEntity": {
        "attributes": {
            "dn": "sys/tm"
        "children": [{
            "telemetrySensorGroup": {
                "attributes": {
                    "id": "10",
                    "rn": "sensor-10"
                    "children": [{
                    "telemetryRtSensorGroupRel": {
                        "attributes": {
                            "rn": "rtsensorGroupRel-[sys/tm/subs-30]",
                            "tCl": "telemetrySubscription",
                            "tDn": "sys/tm/subs-30"
                    }
                    "telemetrySensorPath": {
                        "attributes": {
                            "path": "sys/cdp",
                            "rn": "path-[sys/cdp]",
                            "excludeFilter": "",
                            "filterCondition": ""
                            "secondaryGroup": "0",
                            "secondaryPath": "",
                            "depth": "0"
                    "telemetrySensorPath": {
```

```
"attributes": {
                    "path": "sys/ipv4",
                    "rn": "path-[sys/ipv4]",
                    "excludeFilter": "",
                    "filterCondition": "",
                    "secondaryGroup": "0",
                    "secondaryPath": "",
                    "depth": "0"
            }
        } ]
    }
}, {
    "telemetryDestGroup": {
        "attributes": {
            "id": "20",
            "rn": "dest-20"
        "children": [{
            "telemetryRtDestGroupRel": {
                "attributes": {
                    "rn": "rtdestGroupRel-[sys/tm/subs-30]",
                    "tCl": "telemetrySubscription",
                    "tDn": "sys/tm/subs-30"
                }
            }
        }, {
            "telemetryDest": {
                "attributes": {
                    "addr": "1.2.3.4",
                    "enc": "GPB",
                    "port": "50001",
                    "proto": "gRPC",
                    "rn": "addr-[1.2.3.4]-port-50001"
            }
        } ]
    }
    "telemetrySubscription": {
        "attributes": {
            "id": "30",
            "rn": "subs-30"
        "children": [{
            "telemetryRsDestGroupRel": {
                "attributes": {
                    "rType": "mo",
                    "rn": "rsdestGroupRel-[sys/tm/dest-20]",
                    "tCl": "telemetryDestGroup",
                    "tDn": "sys/tm/dest-20",
                    "tType": "mo"
            }
        }, {
            "telemetryRsSensorGroupRel": {
                "attributes": {
                    "rType": "mo",
                    "rn": "rssensorGroupRel-[sys/tm/sensor-10]",
                    "sampleIntvl": "5000",
                    "tCl": "telemetrySensorGroup",
                    "tDn": "sys/tm/sensor-10",
                    "tType": "mo"
```

```
} }
```

### **Filter Conditions on BGP Notifications**

The following example payload enables notifications that trigger when the BFP feature is disabled as per the filterCondition attribute in the telemetrySensorPath MO. The data is streamed to 10.30.217.80 port 50055.

```
POST https://192.168.20.123/api/node/mo/sys/tm.json
Payload:
{
  "telemetryEntity": {
    "children": [{
      "telemetrySensorGroup": {
        "attributes": {
          "id": "10"
        "children": [{
          "telemetrySensorPath": {
            "attributes": {
              "excludeFilter": "",
              "filterCondition": "eq(fmBgp.operSt,\"disabled\")",
              "path": "sys/fm/bgp",
              "secondaryGroup": "0"
              "secondaryPath": "",
              "depth": "0"
    },
      "telemetryDestGroup": {
        "attributes": {
          "id": "20"
        "children": [{
          "telemetryDest": {
            "attributes": {
              "addr": "10.30.217.80",
              "port": "50055",
              "enc": "GPB",
              "proto": "gRPC"
        ]
      }
      "telemetrySubscription": {
        "attributes": {
          "id": "30"
        "children": [{
```

```
"telemetryRsSensorGroupRel": {
    "attributes": {
        "sampleIntvl": "0",
        "tDn": "sys/tm/sensor-10"
    }
}

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    "telemetryRsDestGroupRel": {
        "attributes": {
        "tDn": "sys/tm/dest-20"
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### **Using Postman Collection for Telemetry Configuration**

An example Postman collection is an easy way to start configuring the telemetry feature, and can run all telemetry CLI equivalents in a single payload. Modify the file in the preceding link using your preferred text editor to update the payload to your needs, then open the collection in Postman and run the collection.

## **Telemetry Model in the DME**

The telemetry application is modeled in the DME with the following structure:

```
model
|----package [name:telemetry]
   | @name:telemetry
    |----objects
        |----mo [name:Entity]
             @name:Entity
                  @label:Telemetry System
             |--property
                 @name:adminSt
                   @type:AdminState
             |----mo [name:SensorGroup]
                 - 1
                    @name:SensorGroup
                        @label:Sensor Group
                  |--property
                  @name:id [key]
                        @type:string:Basic
                  |----mo [name:SensorPath]
                      | @name:SensorPath
                           @label:Sensor Path
                       |--property
                           @name:path [key]
                            @type:string:Basic
                           @name:filterCondition
                            @type:string:Basic
                       @name:excludeFilter
                            @type:string:Basic
                           @name:depth
                             @type:RetrieveDepth
```

```
|----mo [name:DestGroup]
       @name:DestGroup
          @label:Destination Group
    |--property
       @name:id
          @type:string:Basic
    |----mo [name:Dest]
         | @name:Dest
         @label:Destination
         |--property
             @name:addr [key]
               @type:address:Ip
             @name:port [key]
               @type:scalar:Uint16
             @name:proto
               @type:Protocol
              @name:enc
                @type:Encoding
----mo [name:Subscription]
         @name:Subscription
          @label:Subscription
    |--property
        @name:id
          @type:scalar:Uint64
    |----reldef
         | @name:SensorGroupRel
             @to:SensorGroup
             @cardinality:ntom
            @label:Link to sensorGroup entry
         |--property
             @name:sampleIntvl
                @type:scalar:Uint64
     |---reldef
         | @name:DestGroupRel
             @to:DestGroup
              @cardinality:ntom
             @label:Link to destGroup entry
```

## **Multicast Flow Path Visibility**

This feature provides you a means to export all the necessary multicast states available on Nexus 3548-XL switch. The export ensures you to have a complete and reliable traceability of the path that each flow takes starting from the source to each of the receivers.

This feature targets to publish all the appropriate information in DME and makes it accessible to any consumer/controller either through push model (Software Telemetry) or pull model (DME REST queries).

The following are the benefits of this feature:

- Flow Path Visualization
- Flow statistics or states export for failure detection
- Root cause analysis by allowing users to run appropriate debug commands on the switches along the flow path

MFDM is a Multicast FIB distribution management which consumes the information from the upper-level component, builds an intelligence for each multicast feature, and then propagates the information to the consumer. This is the core component where the feature is implemented along with DME. It is responsible for publishing all the multicast states to DME, based on the information provided by MRIB and the statistics collected by MFIB.

DME is used to store all the information that needs to be made available to the consumer/controller. It will also be responsible of generating the appropriate notifications to telemetry whenever an object is created or deleted or modified to support event-based notifications.

Telemetry process is responsible for streaming out all the data stored in DME to the consumers and format the data in proper form.

### **CLIs for Multicast Flow Path Visibility**

The following are the CLIs that are introduced to verify the accurate functionality of the Multicast Flow Path Visibility:

• A configuration command to enable the export of information to DME. This CLI enables the feature for every route present in the system.

```
switch(config) # multicast flow-path export
    switch(config) # sh system internal dme run all dn sys/mca/config
```

 A consistency checker show command to perform consistency checks between states present in MFDM and DME. This command allows you to catch inconsistencies quickly, especially on high scale setups.

```
switch# show forwarding distribution internal multicast consistency-checker flow-path route Starting flow-path DME consistency-check for VRF: default (0.0.0.0/0, 230.0.0.1/32). Result: PASS (10.0.0.10/32, 230.0.0.1/32). Result: PASS (0.0.0.0/0, 232.0.0.0/8). Result: PASS
```

• A global show command is used to check if the feature is enabled in the system or not.

# **Cloud Scale Software Telemetry**

## **About Cloud Scale Software Telemetry**

Beginning with NX-OS release 9.3(1), software telemetry is supported on Cisco Nexus Cloud Scale switches that use the Tahoe ASIC. In this release, supported Cloud Scale switches host a TCP/IP server that is tightly intergrated with the ASICs, which expedites reporting telemetry data from the switch. The server runs on TCP port 7891, and telemetry clients can connect to the server on this port to retrieve hardware-counter data in a maximum of 10 milliseconds.

Cloud Scale software telemetry offers you the flexibility of creating your own client programs or using the default client program that is bundled into NX-OS release 9.3.1 and later. You can write client programs in any programming language that supports TCP/IP, such as Python 2.7 or higher, C, or PHP. Client programs must be constructed with the correct message formatting.

Beginning with NX-OS release 9.3(1), the Cloud Scale software telemetry feature is available in NX-OS. The feature is enabled by default, so supported switches running NX-OS 9.3(1) or later can use this feature.

## **Cloud Scale Software Telemetry Message Formats**

Cloud Scale telemetry begins with a handshake between the client and TCP/IP server on the switch, during which the client initiates the connection over the TCP socket. The client message is a 32-bit integer set to zero. The switch responds with a message that contains the counter data in a specific format.

In NX-OS release 9.3(1), the following message format is supported. If you create your own client programs, make sure that the messages that your clients initiate conform to this format.

Length	Specifies
4 bytes	The number of ports, N
56 bytes	The data for each port, for a total of 56 * N bytes.
	Each 56-byte chunk of data consists of the following:
	• 24 bytes of interface name
	• 8 bytes of the transmitted (TX) packets
	• 8 bytes of transmitted (TX) bytes
	• 8 bytes of received (RX) packets
	• 8 bytes of received (RX) bytes

## **Guidelines and Limitations for Cloud Scale Software Telemetry**

The following are the guidelines and limitations for the Cloud Scale software telemetry feature:

- For information about supported platforms for Cisco NX-OS prior to release 9.3(x), see the section for *Platform Support for Programmability Features* in that guide. Starting with Cisco NX-OS release 9.3(x) for information about supported platforms, see the Nexus Switch Platform Matrix.
- For custom client telemetry programs, one message format is supported. Your client programs must comply with this format.
- Beginning with Cisco NX-OS Release 10.3(1)F, software telemetry is supported on the Cisco Nexus 9808 platform switches.

# **Telemetry Path Labels**

## **About Telemetry Path Labels**

Beginning with NX-OS release 9.3(1), model-driven telemetry supports path labels. Path labels provide an easy way to gather telemetry data from multiple sources at once. With this feature, you specify the type of telemetry data you want collected, and the telemetry feature gathers that data from multiple paths. The feature then returns the information to one consolidated place, the path label. This feature simplifies using telemetry because you no longer must:

- Have a deep and comprehensive knowledge of the Cisco DME model.
- Create multiple queries and add multiple paths to the subscription, while balancing the number of collected events and the cadence.
- Collect multiple chunks of telemetry information from the switch, which simplifies serviceability.

Path labels span across multiple instances of the same object type in the model, then gather and return counters or events. Path labels support the following telemetry groups:

- Environment, which monitors chassis information, including fan, temperature, power, storage, supervisors, and line cards.
- $\bullet$  Interface, which monitors all the interface counters and status changes.
- This label supports predefined keyword filters that can refine the returned data by using the **query-condition** command.
- Resources, which monitors system resources such as CPU utilization and memory utilization.
- VXLAN, which monitors VXLAN EVPNs including VXLAN peers, VXLAN counters, VLAN counters, and BGP Peer data.

## **Polling for Data or Receiving Events**

The sample interval for a sensor group determines how and when telemetry data is transmitted to a path label. The sample interval can be configured either to periodically poll for telemetry data or gather telemetry data when events occur.

- When the sample interval for telemetry is configured as a non-zero value, telemetry periodically sends the data for the environment, interfaces, resources, and vxlan labels during each sample interval.
- When the sample interval is set to zero, telemetry sends event notifications when the environment, interfaces, resources, and vxlan labels experience operational state updates, as well as creation and deletion of MOs.

Polling for data or receiving events are mutually exclusive. You can configure polling or event-driven telemetry for each path label.

### **Guidelines and Limitations for Path Labels**

The telemetry path labels feature has the following guidelines and limitations:

- The feature supports only Cisco DME data source only.
- You cannot mix and match usability paths with regular DME paths in the same sensor group. For example, you cannot configure <code>sys/intf</code> and <code>interface</code> in the same sensor group. Also, you cannot configure the same sensor group with <code>sys/intf</code> and <code>interface</code>. If this situation occurs, NX-OS rejects the configuration.
- User filter keywords, such as oper-speed and counters=[detailed], are supported only for the interface path.
- The feature does not support other sensor path options, such as depth or filter-condition.
- The telemetry path labels has the following restrictions in using path labels:
  - Must start with prefix show in lowercase, as it is case sensitive.
     For example: show version is allowed. However, SHOW version or version is not allowed.
  - Cannot include following characters:
    - •; •|
    - " " or ' '
  - Cannot include following words:
    - telemetry
    - conf t
    - configure

# **Configuring the Interface Path to Poll for Data or Events**

The interface path label monitors all the interface counters and status changes. It supports the following interface types:

- Physical
- Subinterface
- Management
- Loopback
- VLAN
- · Port Channel

You can configure the interface path label to either periodically poll for data or receive events. See Polling for Data or Receiving Events, on page 42.



Note

The model does not support counters for subinterface, loopback, or VLAN, so they are not streamed out.

### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- **3. sensor-group** *sgrp\_id*
- 4. path interface
- **5. destination-group** *grp\_id*
- **6. ip address** *ip\_addr* **port** *port*
- **7. subscription** *sub\_id*
- $\textbf{8. snsr-group} \ sgrp\_id \ \textbf{sample-interval} \ interval$
- 9. dst-group  $dgrp\_id$

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	
Step 4	path interface	Configure the interface path label, which enables sending
	Example:	one telemetry data query for multiple individual interfaces. The label consolidates the queries for multiple interfaces
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path interface switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	into one. Telemetry then telemetry gathers the data and returns it to the label.
		Depending on how the polling interval is configured, interface data is sent based on a periodic basis or whenever the interface state changes.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	<pre>destination-group grp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	<pre>ip address ip_addr port port Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port.
Step 7	<pre>subscription sub_id Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 8	<pre>snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data periodically, or when interface events occur.
Step 9	<pre>dst-group dgrp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the <b>destination-group</b> command.

# **Configuring the Interface Path for Non-Zero Counters**

You can configure the interface path label with a pre-defined keyword filter that returns only counters that have non-zero values. The filter is counters=[detailed].

By using this filter, the interface path gathers all the available interface counters, filters the collected data, then forwards the results to the receiver. The filter is optional, and if you do not use it, all counters, including zero-value counters, are displayed for the interface path.



Note

Using the filter is conceptually similar to issuing show interface mgmt0 counters detailed

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- **3. sensor-group** *sgrp\_id*
- 4. path interface query-condition counters=[detailed]
- **5. destination-group** *grp\_id*

- **6. ip address** *ip\_addr* **port** *port*
- **7. subscription** *sub\_id*
- 8.  $snsr-group sgrp\_id sample-interval interval$
- **9. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	
Step 4	path interface query-condition counters=[detailed]	Configure the interface path label and query for only the
	Example:	non-zero counters from all interfaces.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path interface query-condition counters=[detailed] switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	
Step 5	destination-group grp_id	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
-	Example:	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	
Step 6	ip address ip_addr port port	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream
	Example:	to the specified IP address and port.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	
Step 7	subscription sub_id	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 8	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data periodically, or when interface events occur.
	Example:  switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000  switch(conf-tm-sub) #	
Step 9	dst-group dgrp_id	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the <b>destination-group</b> command.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	

# **Configuring the Interface Path for Operational Speeds**

You can configure the interface path label with a pre-defined keyword filter that returns counters for interfaces of specified operational speeds. The filter is <code>oper-speed=[]</code>. The following operational speeds are supported: auto, 10M, 100M, 1G, 10G, 40G, 200G, and 400G.

By using this filter, the interface path gathers the telemetry data for interfaces of the specified speed, then forwards the results to the receiver. The filter is optional. If you do not use it, counters for all interfaces are displayed, regardless of their operational speed.

The filter can accept multiple speeds as a comma-separated list, for example oper-speed=[1G, 10G] to retrieve counters for interfaces that operate at 1 and 10 Gbps. Do not use a blank space as a delimiter.



Note

Interface types subinterface, loopback, and VLAN do not have operational speed properties, so the filter does not support these interface types.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- 3. snsr-group sgrp\_id sample-interval interval
- **4.** path interface query-condition oper-speed=[speed]
- **5. destination-group**  $grp\_id$
- **6. ip address** *ip\_addr* **port** *port*
- **7. subscription** *sub\_id*
- **8.** snsr-group sgrp\_id sample-interval interval
- **9. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>		
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.	
	Example:		
	<pre>switch(config) # telemetry switch(config-telemetry) #</pre>		
Step 3	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set	
	Example:	the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000</pre>	periodically, or when interface events occur.	
	switch(conf-tm-sub)#		
Step 4	path interface query-condition oper-speed=[speed]	Configure the interface path label and query for counters	
	Example:	from interfaces running the specified speed, which in this example, is 1 and 40 Gbps only.	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path interface query-condition oper-speed=[1G,40G]</pre>	example, is 1 and 40 Gops only.	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>		
Step 5	destination-group grp_id	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.	
	Example:		
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>		
Step 6	ip address ip_addr port port	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream	
	Example:	to the specified IP address and port.	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>		
Step 7	subscription sub_id	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the	
	Example:	telemetry subscription.	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>		
Step 8	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set	
	Example:	the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry of	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	periodically, or when interface events occur.	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 9	<pre>dst-group dgrp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the <b>destination-group</b> command.

# **Configuring the Interface Path with Multiple Queries**

You can configure multiple filters for the same query condition in the interface path label. When you do so, the individual filters you use are ANDed.

Separate each filter in the query condition by using a comma. You can specify any number of filters for the query-condition, but be aware that the more filters you add, the more focused the results become.

### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- **3. sensor-group** *sgrp\_id*
- 4. path interface query-condition counters=[detailed],oper-speed=[1G,40G]
- **5. destination-group** *grp\_id*
- **6. ip address** *ip\_addr* **port** *port*
- **7. subscription** *sub\_id*
- 8. snsr-group sgrp\_id sample-interval interval
- **9. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	path interface query-condition counters=[detailed],oper-speed=[1G,40G]	Configures multiple conditions in the same query. In this example, the query does both of the following:
	<pre>Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path interface query-condition counters=[detailed],oper-speed=[1G,40G] switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	<ul> <li>Gathers and returns non-zero counters on interfaces running at 1 Gbps.</li> <li>Gathers and returns non-zero counters on interfaces running at 40 Gbps.</li> </ul>
Step 5	<pre>destination-group grp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	<pre>ip address ip_addr port port  Example:     switch (conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004     switch (conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port.
Step 7	<pre>subscription sub_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 8	<pre>snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data periodically, or when interface events occur.
Step 9	<pre>dst-group dgrp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the <b>destination-group</b> command.

# **Configuring the Environment Path to Poll for Data or Events**

The environment path label monitors chassis information, including fan, temperature, power, storage, supervisors, and line cards. You can configure the environment path to either periodically poll for telemetry data or get the data when events occur. For information, see Polling for Data or Receiving Events, on page 42.

You can set the resources path to return system resource information through either periodic polling or based on events. This path does not support filtering.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

### 1. configure terminal

- 2. telemetry
- **3. sensor-group** *sgrp\_id*
- 4. path environment
- **5.** destination-group grp\_id
- **6. ip address** *ip\_addr* **port** *port*
- **7. subscription** *sub\_id*
- 8.  $snsr-group sgrp\_id sample-interval interval$
- **9. dst-group**  $dgrp\_id$

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	
Step 4	path environment	Configures the environment path label, which enables
	Example:	telemetry data for multiple individual environment objects to be sent to the label. The label consolidates the multiple
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path environment switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	data inputs into one output.
	Switch (conf cm sensor) #	Depending on the sample interval, the environment data is either streaming based on the polling interval, or sent when events occur.
Step 5	destination-group grp_id	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure
	Example:	the destination group.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	
Step 6	ip address ip_addr port port	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream
	Example:	to the specified IP address and port.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	subscription sub_id  Example:	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	
Step 8	<pre>snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data periodically, or when environment events occur.
Step 9	<pre>dst-group dgrp_id Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the <b>destination-group</b> command.

# **Configuring the Resources Path to Poll for Events or Data**

The resources path monitors system resources such as CPU utilization and memory utilization. You can configure this path to either periodically gather telemetry data, or when events occur. See Polling for Data or Receiving Events, on page 42.

This path does not support filtering.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- **3. sensor-group** *sgrp\_id*
- 4. path resources
- **5. destination-group** *grp\_id*
- **6. ip address** *ip\_addr* **port** *port*
- **7. subscription** *sub\_id*
- **8. snsr-group** *sgrp\_id* **sample-interval** *interval*
- **9. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.	
	Example:		
	<pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>		
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.	
	Example:		
	<pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>		
Step 4	path resources	Configure the resources path label, which enables telemetry	
	Example:	data for multiple individual system resources to be sent to the label. The label consolidates the multiple data inputs	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path resources switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	into one output.	
	SWILCH (CONI-LM-Sensor) #	Depending on the sample interval, the resource data is either	
		streaming based on the polling interval, or sent when system memory changes to Not OK.	
Step 5	destination-group grp_id	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure	
	Example:	the destination group.	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>		
Step 6	ip address ip_addr port port	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream	
	Example:	to the specified IP address and port.	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>		
Step 7	subscription sub_id	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the	
	Example:	telemetry subscription.	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>		
Step 8	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set	
	Example:	the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	periodically, or when resource events occur.	
Step 9	dst-group dgrp_id	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The	
	Example:	destination group that you specify must match the	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	destination group that you configured in the destination-group command.	

# **Configuring the VXLAN Path to Poll for Events or Data**

The vxlan path label provides information about the switch's Virtual Extensible LAN EVPNs, including VXLAN peers, VXLAN counters, VLAN counters, and BGP Peer data. You can configure this path label to gather telemetry information either periodically, or when events occur. See Polling for Data or Receiving Events, on page 42.

This path does not support filtering.

### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- 3. sensor-group sgrp\_id
- 4. vxlan environment
- **5. destination-group** *grp\_id*
- **6. ip address** *ip\_addr* **port** *port*
- **7. subscription** *sub\_id*
- **8. snsr-group** *sgrp\_id* **sample-interval** *interval*
- **9. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
	<pre>Example: switch(config) # telemetry switch(config-telemetry) #</pre>	
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	
Step 4	vxlan environment	Configure the vxlan path label, which enables telemetry
	<pre>Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor)# vxlan environment switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	data for multiple individual VXLAN objects to be sent to the label. The label consolidates the multiple data inputs into one output. Depending on the sample interval, the VXLAN data is either streaming based on the polling interval, or sent when events occur.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	destination-group grp_id	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure
	Example:	the destination group.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	
Step 6	ip address ip_addr port port	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream
	Example:	to the specified IP address and port.
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	
Step 7	subscription sub_id	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	
Step 8	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set
	Example:	the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry date periodically, or when VXLAN events occur.
	switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 6 sample-interval	
	5000 switch(conf-tm-sub)#	
Step 9	dst-group dgrp_id	Link the destination group to the current subscription. To destination group that you specify must match the
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	destination group that you configured in the destination-group command.

# **Verifying the Path Label Configuration**

At any time, you can verify that path labels are configured, and check their values by displaying the running telemetry configuration.

### **SUMMARY STEPS**

1. show running-config-telemetry

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	show running-config-telemetry	Displays the current running config for telemetry,
	<pre>Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # show running-config telemetry</pre>	In this example, sensor group 4 is configured to gather non-zero counters from interfaces running at 1 and 10 Gbps. Sensor group 6 is configured to gather all counters from interfaces running at 1 and 40 Gbps.
	!Command: show running-config telemetry	

 Command or Action	Purpose
!Running configuration last done at: Mon Jun 10 08:10:17 2019	
!Time: Mon Jun 10 08:10:17 2019	
version 9.3(1) Bios:version	
feature telemetry	
telemetry destination-profile use-nodeid tester sensor-group 4 path interface query-condition and(counters=[detailed],oper-speed=[1G,10G]) sensor-group 6 path interface query-condition oper-speed=[1G,40G] subscription 6	
<pre>snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 6000 nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	

# **Displaying Path Label Information**

#### **Path Label Show Commands**

Through the **show telemetry usability** commands, you can display the individual paths that the path label walks when you issue a query.

Command	Shows
show telemetry usability {all   environment   interface   resources   vxlan}	Either all telemetry paths for all path labels, or all telemetry paths for a specified path label. Also, the output shows whether each path reports telemetry data based on periodic polling or events.  For the interfaces path label, also any keyword filters or query conditions you configured.
show running-config telemetry	The running configuration for telemetry and selected path information.

### **Command Examples**



Note

The **show telemetry usability all** command is a concatenation of all the individual commands that are shown in this section.

The following shows an example of the **show telemetry usability environment** command.

switch# show telemetry usability environment

1) label\_name : environment

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query_condition :
rsp-sibtree-full@qery-target-sibtree@target-sibtree-class-eqptPsuSlot,eqptFslot,eqptSupCSlot,eqptPsu,eqptFt,eqptSensor,eqptICSlot

2) label_name : environment
    path_name : sys/ch
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query\_condition :
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The following shows the output of the **show telemetry usability interface** command.

```
switch# show telemetry usability interface
```

query\_type

qey-target-childrefiqey-target-filter-eq(llPhysIf.admirSt,"'p")fasp-sibtree-childrefiap-sibtree-class=more lrestats, morIff(t, morIff(t), morIf

: event

qery-target-albreeqery-target-filter-eq(ngntNgntif.adnirSt,"Lp")&sp-albree-fill&ep-albree-class-morEheStats, monIfOt, mo

ethpmEncRtdIf.operSt, "down")), and (updated (ethpmEncRtdIf.operSt), eq (ethpmEncRtdIf.operSt, "up"))))

```
4) label_name : interface

path_name : sys/mgmt-[mgmt0]
query_type : event
query condition :
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qeytagt=bbesqeytagt-file=cr(r(eletel),oetel)),or(el(phel(ingtliqeS),eq(ingtliqeS,'bv!)),or(phel(ingtliqeS),eq(ingtliqeS,'\p'))))
switch#

The following shows an example of the **show telemetry usability resources** command.

#### switch# show telemetry usability resources

```
1) label name
                                                                                                                                                                                  : resources
                                                                                                                                                                            : sys/proc
                                  path name
                                  query type
                                                                                                                                                                          : poll
                                                                                                                                                                           : rsp-subtree=full&rsp-foreign-subtree=ephemeral
                                  query condition
             2) label name
                                                                                                                                                                             : resources
                                  path name
                                                                                                                                                                                : sys/procsys
                                   query type
                                                                                                                                                                         : poll
                                   query_condition
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```
3) label_name : resources

path_name : sys/procsys/sysmem
query_type : event
query_condition :
query-target-filter=and(updated(procSysMem.memstatus), ne(procSysMem.memstatus, "OK"))
switch#
```

The following shows an example of the **show telemetry usability vxlan** command.

```
switch# show telemetry usability vxlan
 1) label name
                         : vxlan
    path name
                        : sys/bd
    query_type
                       : poll
     query_condition : query-target=subtree&target-subtree-class=12VlanStats
  2) label name
                         : vxlan
    path name
                        : sys/eps
     query_type
                        : poll
    query condition
                        : rsp-subtree=full&rsp-foreign-subtree=ephemeral
  3) label name
                         : vxlan
     path name
                         : sys/eps
     query_type
                         : event
     query condition
                         : query-target=subtree&target-subtree-class=nvoDyPeer
  4) label name
                         : vxlan
    path name
                        : sys/bgp
    query_type
                         : event
    query_condition
                        : query-target=subtree&query-target-filter=or(deleted(),created())
  5) label name
                         : vxlan
     path name
                         : sys/bgp
     query type
                         : event
     query condition
query-target-sitree:target-sitree-class-lqpDm/bqReer/tppDmAf/bqReerAfFrtry/bqQeerRtctrlL3/bqQeerRttP,bqQeerRttFrtry/bqQeerAftrtry
```

## **Native Data Source Paths**

switch#

## **About Native Data Source Paths**

NX-OS Telemetry supports the native data source, which is a neutral data source that is not restricted to a specific infrastructure or database. Instead, the native data source enables components or applications to hook into and inject relevant information into the outgoing telemetry stream. This feature provides flexibility because the path for the native data source does not belong to any infrastructure, so any native applications can interact with NX-OS Telemetry.

The native data source path enables you to subscribe to specific sensor paths to receive selected telemetry data. The feature works with the NX-SDK to support streaming telemetry data from the following paths:

- RIB path, which sends telemetry data for the IP routes.
- MAC path, which sends telemetry data for static and dynamic MAC entries.
- Adjacency path, which sends telemetry data for IPv4 and IPv6 adjacencies.

When you create a subscription, all telemetry data for the selected path streams to the receiver as a baseline. After the baseline, only event notifications stream to the receiver.

Streaming of native data source paths supports the following encoding types:

- Google Protobuf (GPB)
- JavaScript Object Notation (JSON)
- Compact Google Protobuf (compact GPB)

## **Telemetry Data Streamed for Native Data Source Paths**

For each source path, the following table shows the information that is streamed when the subscription is first created (the baseline) and when event notifications occur.

Subscription Baseline	<b>Event Notifications</b>
Sends all routes	Sends event notifications for create, update, and delete events. The following values are exported through telemetry for the RIB path:
	• Next-hop routing information:
	• Address of the next hop
	Outgoing interface for the next hop
	• VRF name for the next hop
	• Owner of the next hop
	• Preference for the next hop
	Metric for the next hop
	• Tag for the next hop
	• Segment ID for the next hop
	• Tunnel ID for the next hop
	• Encapsulation type for the next hop
	Bitwise OR of flags for the Next Hop Type
	• For Layer-3 routing information:
	• VRF name of the route
	Route prefix address
	Mask length for the route
	• Number of next hops for the route
	• Event type
	• Next hops
	-

Path Type	Subscription Baseline	Event Notifications
MAC	Executes a GETALL from DME for static and dynamic MAC entries	Sends event notifications for add, update, and delete events. The following values are exported through telemetry for the MAC path:
		MAC address
		MAC address type
		VLAN number
		Interface name
		• Event types
		Both static and dynamic entries are supported in event notifications.
Adjacency	Sends the IPv4 and IPv6 adjacencies	Sends event notifications for add, update, and delete events. The following values are exported through telemetry for the Adjacency path:
		• IP address
		• MAC address
		Interface name
		Physical interface name
		• VRF name
		Preference
		Source for the adjacency
		Address family for the adjacency
		Adjacency event type

 $For \ additional \ information, \ refer \ to \ Github \ https://github.com/CiscoDevNet/nx-telemetry-proto.$ 

# **Guidelines and Limitations**

The native data source path feature has the following guidelines and limitations:

• For streaming from the RIB, MAC, and Adjacency native data source paths, sensor-path property updates do not support custom criteria like **depth**, **query-condition**, or **filter-condition**.

## **Configuring the Native Data Source Path for Routing Information**

You can configure the native data source path for routing information, which sends information about all routes that are contained in the URIB. When you subscribe, the baseline sends all the route information. After the baseline, notifications are sent for route update and delete operations for the routing protocols that the switch supports. For the data sent in the RIB notifications, see Telemetry Data Streamed for Native Data Source Paths, on page 59.

### Before you begin

If you have not enabled the telemetry feature, enable it now (feature telemetry).

### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- 3. sensor-group sgrp\_id
- 4. data-source native
- 5. path rib
- **6. destination-group** *grp\_id*
- 7. **ip** address  $ip\_addr$  port port protocol { HTTP | gRPC } encoding { JSON | GPB | GPB-compact }
- **8. subscription** *sub\_id*
- $\textbf{9.} \quad \textbf{snsr-group} \ sgrp\_id \ \textbf{sample-interval} \ interval$
- **10. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config) # telemetry switch(config-telemetry) #</pre>	
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# sensor-grp 6 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	<pre>data-source native Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # data-source native switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	Set the data source to native so that any native application can use the streamed data without requiring a specific model or database.
Step 5	<pre>path rib  Example:  nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor) # path rib nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	Configure the RIB path which streams routes and route update information.
Step 6	<pre>destination-group grp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 7	<pre>ip address ip_addr port port protocol { HTTP   gRPC } encoding { JSON   GPB   GPB-compact }  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol http encoding json switch(conf-tm-dest) #  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb switch(conf-tm-dest) #  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) #  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb-compact switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	to the specified IP address and port and set the protocol and encoding for the data stream.
Step 8	<pre>subscription sub_id Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 9	<pre>snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data periodically, or when interface events occur.
Step 10	<pre>dst-group dgrp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the destination-group command.

# **Configuring the Native Data Source Path for MAC Information**

You can configure the native data source path for MAC information, which sends information about all entries in the MAC table. When you subscribe, the baseline sends all the MAC information. After the baseline, notifications are sent for add, update, and delete MAC address operations. For the data sent in the MAC notifications, see Telemetry Data Streamed for Native Data Source Paths, on page 59.



Note

For update or delete events, MAC notifications are sent only for the MAC addresses that have IP adjacencies.

#### Before you begin

If you have not enabled the telemetry feature, enable it now (**feature telemetry**).

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- 3. sensor-group sgrp\_id
- 4. data-source native
- 5. path mac
- **6. destination-group** *grp\_id*
- 7. ip address  $ip\_addr$  port port protocol { HTTP | gRPC } encoding { JSON | GPB | GPB-compact }
- **8. subscription** *sub\_id*
- **9. snsr-group** *sgrp\_id* **sample-interval** *interval*
- **10. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

#### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config) # telemetry switch(config-telemetry) #</pre>	
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# sensor-grp 6 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	
Step 4	<pre>data-source native Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # data-source native switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	Set the data source to native so that any native application can use the streamed data without requiring a specific model or database.
Step 5	<pre>path mac Example: nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)# path mac nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	Configure the MAC path which streams information about MAC entries and MAC notifications.
Step 6	<pre>destination-group grp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 7	<pre>ip address ip_addr port port protocol { HTTP   gRPC } encoding { JSON   GPB   GPB-compact }  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol http encoding json switch(conf-tm-dest)#  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb switch(conf-tm-dest)#  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest)#  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb-compact switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	
Step 8	<pre>subscription sub_id Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 9	<pre>snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data periodically, or when interface events occur.
Step 10	<pre>dst-group dgrp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the <b>destination-group</b> command.

# **Configuring the Native Data Source Path for All MAC Information**

You can configure the native data source path for MAC information, which sends information about all entries in the MAC table from Layer 3 and Layer 2. When you subscribe, the baseline sends all the MAC information. After the baseline, notifications are sent for add, update, and delete MAC address operations. For the data sent in the MAC notifications, see Telemetry Data Streamed for Native Data Source Paths, on page 59.



Note

For update or delete events, MAC notifications are sent only for the MAC addresses that have IP adjacencies.

#### Before you begin

If you have not enabled the telemetry feature, enable it now (**feature telemetry**).

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- 3. sensor-group sgrp\_id
- 4. data-source native
- 5. path mac-all
- **6. destination-group** *grp\_id*
- 7. ip address  $ip\_addr$  port port protocol { HTTP | gRPC } encoding { JSON | GPB | GPB-compact }
- **8. subscription** *sub\_id*
- **9. snsr-group** *sgrp\_id* **sample-interval** *interval*
- **10**. **dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

#### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
	Example:	
	<pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose		
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# sensor-grp 6 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>			
Step 4	<pre>data-source native Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # data-source native switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	Set the data source to native so that any native application can use the streamed data without requiring a specific model or database.		
Step 5	<pre>path mac-all  Example:  nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor) # path mac-all nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	Configure the MAC path which streams information about all MAC entries and MAC notifications.		
Step 6	<pre>destination-group grp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.		
Step 7	<pre>ip address ip_addr port port protocol { HTTP   gRPC } encoding { JSON   GPB   GPB-compact }  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol http encoding json switch(conf-tm-dest) #  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb switch(conf-tm-dest) #  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) #  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb-compact switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	to the specified IP address and port and set the protocol and encoding for the data stream.		
Step 8	<pre>subscription sub_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.		
Step 9	<pre>snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval  Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry data periodically, or when interface events occur.		
Step 10	<pre>dst-group dgrp_id  Example: switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the <b>destination-group</b> command.		

## **Configuring the Native Data Path for IP Adjacencies**

You can configure the native data source path for IP adjacency information, which sends information about all IPv4 and IPv6 adjacencies for the switch. When you subscribe, the baseline sends all the adjacencies. After the baseline, notifications are sent for add, update, and delete adjacency operations. For the data sent in the adjacency notifications, see Telemetry Data Streamed for Native Data Source Paths, on page 59.

### Before you begin

If you have not enabled the telemetry feature, enable it now (**feature telemetry**).

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- **3. sensor-group** *sgrp\_id*
- 4. data-source native
- 5. path adjacency
- **6. destination-group** *grp\_id*
- 7. **ip** address  $ip\_addr$  port port protocol { HTTP | gRPC } encoding { JSON | GPB | GPB-compact }
- **8. subscription** *sub\_id*
- $\textbf{9.} \quad \textbf{snsr-group} \ sgrp\_id \ \textbf{sample-interval} \ interval$
- **10. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

#### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter configuration mode.		
	Example:			
	<pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>			
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.		
	Example:			
	<pre>switch(config) # telemetry switch(config-telemetry) #</pre>			
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Create a sensor group.		
	Example:			
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# sensor-grp 6 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>			
Step 4	data-source native	Set the data source to native so that any native application		
	Example:	can use the streamed data.		

	Command or Action	Purpose		
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # data-source native switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>			
Step 5	path adjacency	Configure the Adjacency path which streams information		
	Example:	about the IPv4 and IPv6 adjacencies.		
	<pre>nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)# path adjacency nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>			
Step 6	destination-group grp_id	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure		
	Example:	he destination group.		
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>			
Step 7	$ \begin{array}{c} \textbf{ip address} \ \textit{ip\_addr} \ \textbf{port} \ \textit{port} \ \textbf{protocol} \ \{ \ \textbf{HTTP} \   \ \textbf{gRPC} \\ \} \ \textbf{encoding} \ \{ \ \textbf{JSON} \   \ \textbf{GPB} \   \ \textbf{GPB-compact} \ \} \\ \end{array} $	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port and set the protocol		
	Example:	and encoding for the data stream.		
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol http encoding json switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>			
	Example:			
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>			
	Example:			
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb-compact switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>			
Step 8	subscription sub_id	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the		
	Example:	telemetry subscription.		
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>			
Step 9	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and se		
	Example:	the data sampling interval in milliseconds. The sampling interval determines whether the switch sends telemetry		
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 5000 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	data periodically, or when interface events occur.		
Step 10	dst-group dgrp_id	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The		
	Example:	destination group that you specify must match the		
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sub) # dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	destination group that you configured in the destination-group command.		

## **Displaying Native Data Source Path Information**

Use the NX-OS **show telemetry event collector** commands to display statistics and counters, or errors for the native data source path.

### **Displaying Statistics**

You can issue **show telemetry event collector stats** command to display the statistics and counters for each native data source path.

An example of statistics for the RIB path:

switch# show telemetry event collector stats

```
Row ID Collection Count Latest Collection Time Sensor Path(GroupId)

1 4 Mon Jul 01 13:53:42.384 PST rib(1)

switch#
```

An example of the statistics for the MAC path:

switch# show telemetry event collector stats

```
Row ID Collection Count Latest Collection Time Sensor Path(GroupId)

1 3 Mon Jul 01 14:01:32.161 PST mac(1)

switch#
```

An example of the statistics for the Adjacency path:

switch# show telemetry event collector stats

```
Row ID Collection Count Latest Collection Time Sensor Path(GroupId)

1 7 Mon Jul 01 14:47:32.260 PST adjacency(1)
switch#
```

### **Displaying Error Counters**

You can use the **show telemetry event collector stats** command to display the error totals for all the native data source paths.

switch# show telemetry event collector errors

-	
Error Description	Error Count
-	
Dme Event Subscription Init Failures	- 0
Event Data Enqueue Failures	- 0
Event Subscription Failures	- 0
Pending Subscription List Create Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Create Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Destroy Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Insert Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Remove Failures	- 0
switch#	

# **Streaming Syslog**

## **About Streaming Syslog for Telemetry**

Beginning with Cisco NX-OS release 9.3(3), model-driven telemetry supports streaming of syslogs using YANG as a data source. When you create a subscription, all the syslogs are streamed to the receiver as a baseline. This feature works with the NX-SDK to support streaming syslog data from the following syslog paths:

- Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog
- Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages

After the baseline, only syslog event notifications stream to the receiver. Streaming of syslog paths supports the following encoding types:

- Google Protobuf (GPB)
- JavaScript Object Notation (JSON)

## **Configuring the YANG Data Source Path for Syslog Information**

You can configure the syslog path for syslogs, which sends information about all syslogs that are generated on the switch. When you subscribe, the baseline sends all the existing syslog information. After the baseline, notifications are sent for only for new syslogs that are generated on the switch.

### Before you begin

If you have not enabled the telemetry feature, enable it now with the **feature telemetry** command.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. telemetry
- **3. sensor-group** *sgrp\_id*
- **4. data source** *data-source-type*
- 5. path Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages
- **6.** destination-group grp id
- 7. ip address  $ip\_addr$  port port protocol {HTTP | gRPC } encoding { JSON | GPB | GPB-compact }
- 8. subscription sub-id
- 9. snsr-group sgrp\_id sample-interval interval
- **10. dst-group** *dgrp\_id*

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter global configuration mode.		
	Example:			
	switch# configure terminal			
Step 2	telemetry	Enter configuration mode for telemetry.		
	Example:			
	<pre>switch(config)# telemetry</pre>			
Step 3	sensor-group sgrp_id	Creates a sensor group.		
	Example:			
	switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6			
Step 4	data source data-source-type	Set the data source to YANG, so that it uses the native		
	Example:	YANG streaming model to stream syslogs		
	switch(config-tm-sensor)# data source YANG			
Step 5	path Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages	Configure the syslog path which streams syslog generate on the switch.		
	Example:			
	<pre>switch(config-tm-sensor)# path Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages</pre>			
Step 6	destination-group grp_id	Enter telemetry destination group sub-mode and configure		
	Example:	the destination group.		
	switch(config-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33			
Step 7	ip address <i>ip_addr</i> <b>port</b> <i>port</i> <b>protocol</b> { <b>HTTP</b>   <b>gRPC</b> } <b>encoding</b> { <b>JSON</b>   <b>GPB</b>   <b>GPB-compact</b> }	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port, and set the protocol		
	Example:	and encoding for the data stream.		
	switch(config-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol http encoding json			
	Example:			
	<pre>switch(config-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb</pre>			
Step 8	subscription sub-id	Enter telemetry subscription submode and configure the telemetry subscription.		
	Example:			
	switch(config-tm-dest)# subscription 33			
Step 9	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set		
	Example:	the data sampling to 0 so that the switch sends telemetry		

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>switch(config-tm-sub)# snsr-group 6 sample-interval 0</pre>	data when syslog events occur. For <i>interval</i> , 0 is the only acceptable value.
Step 10	dst-group dgrp_id	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The
	<pre>Example: switch(config-tm-sub)# dst-grp 33</pre>	destination group that you specify must match the destination group that you configured in the <b>destination-group</b> command.

# **Telemetry Data Streamed for Syslog Path**

For each source path, the following table shows the information that is streamed when the subscription is first created "the baseline" and when event notifications occur.

Path	Subscription Baseline	Event Notification
Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages	Stream all the existing syslogs from the switch.	Sends event notification for syslog occurred on the switch:
		• message-id
		• node-name
		• time-stamp
		• time-of-day
		• time-zone
		• category
		• message-name
		• severity
		• text

### **Displaying Syslog Path Information**

Use the Cisco NX-OS **show telemetry event collector** commands to display statistics and counters, or errors for the syslog path.

### **Displaying Statistics**

You can enter the **show telemetry event collector stats** command to display the statistics and counters for each syslog path.

The following is an example of statistics for the syslog path:

switch# show telemetry event collector stats

Row ID	Collection Cou	nt Latest	Collection T	ime Sensor	Path(GroupId)
1 '	 1 3 8		11.20.00 200	Dem Ciaco-NV-C	S-Syslog-oper:syslog(1)
1 .	130	Tue Dec 03	11.20.00.200	LPI CIPCO-NV-C	pa-ayarog-oper.ayarog(r)

```
2 138 Tue Dec 03 11:20:08.200 PST Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages(1)
```

### **Displaying Error Counters**

You can use the **show telemetry event collector errors** command to display the error totals for all the syslog paths.

switch(config-if)# show telemetry event collector errors

Error Description	Error Count
Dme Event Subscription Init Failures	- 0
Event Data Enqueue Failures	- 0
Event Subscription Failures	- 0
Pending Subscription List Create Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Create Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Destroy Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Insert Failures	- 0
Subscription Hash Table Remove Failures	- 0

# **Sample JSON Output**

The following is a sample of JSON output:

```
172.19.216.13 - - [03/Dec/2019 19:38:50] "POST
/network/Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper%3Asyslog%2Fmessages HTTP/1.0" 200 -
172.19.216.13 - - [03/Dec/2019 19:38:50] "POST
/network/Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper%3Asyslog%2Fmessages HTTP/1.0" 200 -
>>> URL
                 : /network/Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper%3Asyslog%2Fmessages
>>> TM-HTTP-VER
                : 1.0.0
>>> TM-HTTP-CNT : 1
>>> Content-Type : application/json
>>> Content-Length: 578
   Path => Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages
           node id str : task-n9k-1
           collection id : 40
           data_source : YANG
           data
     "message-id": 420
    },
     "category": "ETHPORT",
      "group": "ETHPORT",
     "message-name": "IF UP",
      "node-name": "task-n9k-1",
      "severity": 5,
      "text": "Interface loopback10 is up ",
      "time-of-day": "Dec 3 2019 11:38:51",
     "time-stamp": "1575401931000",
      "time-zone": ""
```

# **Sample KVGPB Output**

The following is a sample KVGPB output.

```
KVGPB Output:
---Telemetry msg received @ 18:22:04 UTC
Read frag:1 size:339 continue to block on read..
All the fragments:1 read successfully total size read:339
node_id_str: "task-n9k-1"
subscription_id_str: "1"
collection_id: 374
data_gpbkv {
  fields {
   name: "keys"
   fields {
     name: "message-id"
      uint32_value: 374
  fields {
   name: "content"
   fields {
      fields {
       name: "node-name"
        string_value: "task-n9k-1"
      fields {
       name: "time-of-day"
        string_value: "Jun 26 2019 18:20:21"
      fields {
```

```
name: "time-stamp"
  uint64 value: 1574293838000
fields {
 name: "time-zone"
 string value: "UTC"
fields {
 name: "process-name"
 string_value: ""
}
fields {
 name: "category"
  string_value: "VSHD"
fields {
 name: "group"
 string_value: "VSHD"
fields {
 name: "message-name"
  string_value: "VSHD_SYSLOG_CONFIG_I"
}
fields {
 name: "severity"
 uint32_value: 5
fields {
 name: "text"
  string value: "Configured from vty by admin on console0"
}
```

}

.

# **Additional References**

# **Related Documents**

Related Topic	Document Title
Example configurations of telemetry deployment for VXLAN EVPN.	Telemetry Deployment for VXLAN EVPN Solution

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