



# Telemetry Configuration

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## Telemetry Overview

Streaming model-driven telemetry (MDT) provides a mechanism to select data of interest from IOS XR routers and to transmit it in a structured format to a collector such as WAE that can use the data for near real-time monitoring and optimization of the network. For more information on MDT, see the “Configure Model-driven Telemetry” chapter in the [Cisco IOS XR Telemetry Configuration Guide](#).

WAE understands IOS XR operational YANG models and can receive streamed telemetry from IOS XR routers, then parse and store the data. After the data is in WAE, the sr-traffic-matrix NIMO can read the data and use it to create a network model with demands.

## Configure Telemetry in WAE

### Before you begin

Enable segment routing for routers and configure traffic collector on devices to make sure there is traffic in the system. Check for prefix and tunnel traffic on the routers using the following commands:

Prefix Traffic:

```
sh traffic-collector ipv4 counters prefix <prefix-name>
```

Tunnel Traffic:

```
show traffic-collector ipv4 counters tunnels <tunnel-name>
```

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### Step 1 Configure the WAE Telemetry Agent.

```
admin@wae(config)# wae agents telemetry-agent ports <port-number1> <port-number2> <port-numberxx>
admin@wae(config)# commit
```

**Note** The ports that the agent will use to receive telemetry information must be available on the WAE machine.

**Step 2** Configure telemetry on devices to send Key-Value Google Protocol Buffers (KV-GPB) encoded telemetry on ports using TCP that will be used for WAE. Three attributes must be defined on the router: sensor-group, destination-group, and the subscription. For information on how to do this, see the “Configure Model-driven Telemetry” chapter in the [Cisco IOS XR Telemetry Configuration Guide](#). Examples are provided at the end of this procedure.

**Step 3** Configure the sr-traffic-matrix-nimo. For more information, see [Segment Routing Traffic Matrix Collection](#).

```
admin@wae(config)# networks network <network-model-name> nimo sr-traffic-matrix-nimo source-network
<source-network> collection-period <collection-period-in-seconds>
```

collection-period configuration is enabled by default and is set to 60 sec.

The options available are:

```
admin@wae(config)# networks network srt nimo sr-traffic-matrix-nimo ?
```

Possible completions:

```
  advanced
  collection-period  Frequency in seconds for automatic periodic generation of demands ('0' value
disables periodic demand generation).
  source-network    Source network for this network to use.
  <cr>
```

```
admin@wae(config)# networks network srt nimo sr-traffic-matrix-nimo advanced ?
```

Possible completions:

```
  action-timeout      Specifies the timeout value (in minutes) for running actions - default
of '0' specifies the system default.
  copy-network        When set to 'true', copies the source network into this NIMO network
and create demands in the new model.
  telemetry-agent-callback  Callback for telemetry-agent to inform sr-traffic-matrix-nimo about new
telemetry data.
```

telemetry-agent-callback is not an configuration option and it is an action used by Telemetry Agent internally.

**Note** For SR policy (XTC-nimo), use-sigaled-name property in the source network has to be set to true (by default it is true) while performing collection.

For RSVP LSP tunnels (lsp-snmpp-nimo), use-sigaled-name property in the source network has to be set to false (by default it is false) while performing LSP collection.

**Step 4** Run the sr-traffic-matrix-nimo collection to generate demands.

```
admin@wae# networks network <network-model-name> nimo sr-traffic-matrix-nimo run-collection
```

By default, demands are generated by using locally cached information. However, if you want demands to be generated using the raw telemetry data from the WAE Telemetry agent, you must set the **use-cache** option to false. For example:

```
admin@wae# networks network <network-model-name> nimo sr-traffic-matrix-nimo run-collection use-cache
false
```

## Example

### 1. Configure the WAE Telemetry Agent

```
admin@wae# config terminal
Entering configuration mode terminal
admin@wae(config)# wae agents telemetry-agent ports 1624
admin@wae(config)# commit
```

### 2. Configure the router to send telemetry data to WAE:

### a. Define sensor-group

```
telemetry model-driven
  sensor-group SRTM
    sensor-path Cisco-IOS-XR-infra-tc-oper:traffic-collector/afs/af/counters/tunnels
    sensor-path
Cisco-IOS-XR-infra-tc-oper:traffic-collector/vrf-table/default-vrf/afs/af/counters
  !
!
```

### b. Define destination-group

```
telemetry model-driven
  destination-group my_workstation
    address-family ipv4 10.152.130.41 port 1624
    encoding self-describing-gpb
    protocol tcp
  !
```




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**Note** The ip-address and port from the above example must be the same as the one configured previously in WAE telemetry agent.

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### c. Define subscription

```
telemetry model-driven
  subscription ABC
    sensor-group-id SRTM sample-interval 5000
    destination-id my_workstation
  !
!
```

## 3. Configure the SR LSP Traffic Matrix NIMO (sr-traffic-matrix-nimo)

```
admin@wae# config terminal
Entering configuration mode terminal
admin@wae(config)# networks network srtm nimo sr-traffic-matrix-nimo source-network igp
collection-period 50s
admin@wae(config)# commit
```

To view connections between WAE and the router, use the shell CLI netstat command. For example:

```
# netstat -an | grep :1624 | grep ESTABLISHED
tcp        0      28 10.10.10.10:1624          10.152.130.41:61092      ESTABLISHED
```

where 10.10.10.10 is the address of the WAE machine and 10.152.130.41 is the address of the connected router.

## 4. Run the sr-traffic-matrix-nimo collection to generate demands.

```
admin@wae# networks network srtm nimo sr-traffic-matrix-nimo run-collection
status true
message Succeeded: Retrieved 12 SR demands from network srtm
admin@wae# show running-config networks network srtm model demands | nomore
networks network igp
model demands demand "PE1|PE2|default"
source node node-name PE1
destination node node-name PE2
service-class-name default
traffic 22.203833
```

```
!  
.....  
!  
model demands demand "PE4|PE3|default"  
source node node-name PE4  
destination node node-name PE3  
service-class-name default  
traffic 22.202989  
!  
!  
admin@wae#
```