



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.)

Starting with Cisco NX-OS Release 7.0(3)I7(1), UDP and secure UDP (DTLS) are supported as telemetry transport protocols. You can add destinations that receive UDP. The encoding for UDP and secure UDP can be GPB or JSON.

Starting with Cisco NX-OS Release 9.2(1), telemetry now supports streaming to IPv6 destinations and IPv4 destinations.

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.xxx port xxxx protocol UDP encoding {JSON | GPB }
```

Example for an IPv4 destination:

```
destination-group 100
  ip address 171.70.55.69 port 50001 protocol UDP encoding GPB
```

Example for an IPv6 destination:

```
destination-group 100
  ipv6 address 10:10::1 port 8000 protocol gRPC encoding 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.



Note Depending on the receiving operation system and the network load, using the UDP protocol may result in packet drops.

- **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.
- To configure SSL certificate-based authentication and the encryption of streamed data, you can provide a self-signed SSL certificate with **certificate SSL cert path hostname "CN"** command.
- The following are guidelines for setting the telemetry cadence on YANG paths:
 - YANG streaming collection takes one thread. If multiple YANG paths exist in telemetry, each must run on a different cadence to prevent simultaneous scheduling and any resulting delay.
 - Before configuring the telemetry cadence for YANG paths, determine the total streaming time and configure the cadence to a value greater than the total streaming time. See [Configuring Cadence for YANG Paths, on page 15](#).

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
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`
`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#
```

gRPC Error Behavior

The switch client disables the connection to the gRPC receiver if the gRPC receiver sends 20 errors. Unconfigure then reconfigure the receiver's IP address under the destination group to enable the gRPC receiver. Errors include:

- The gRPC client sends the wrong certificate for secure connections.
- The gRPC receiver takes too long to handle client messages and incurs a timeout. Avoid timeouts by processing messages using a separate message processing thread.

Telemetry Compression for gRPC Transport

Telemetry compression support is available for gRPC transport. You can use the **use-compression gzip** command to enable compression. (Disable compression with the **no use-compression gzip** command.)

The following example enables compression:

```
switch(config)# telemetry
switch(config-telemetry)# destination-profile
switch(config-tm-dest-profile)# use-compression gzip
```

The following example shows that compression is enabled:

```
switch(conf-tm-dest)# show telemetry transport 0 stats

Session Id:                0
Connection Stats
  Connection Count         0
  Last Connected:         Never
  Disconnect Count        0
  Last Disconnected:     Never
Transmission Stats
  Compression:            gzip
  Source Interface:       loopback1(1.1.3.4)
  Transmit Count:         0
  Last TX time:           None
  Min Tx Time:            0 ms
```

```

Max Tx Time:          0          ms
Avg Tx Time:          0          ms
Cur Tx Time:         0          ms

```

```
switch2(config-if)# show telemetry transport 0 stats
```

```

Session Id: 0
Connection Stats
Connection Count 0
Last Connected: Never
Disconnect Count 0
Last Disconnected: Never
Transmission Stats
Compression: disabled
Source Interface: loopback1(1.1.3.4)
Transmit Count: 0
Last TX time: None
Min Tx Time: 0 ms
Max Tx Time: 0 ms
Avg Tx Time: 0 ms
Cur Tx Time: 0 ms
switch2(config-if)#

```

The following is an example of use-compression as a POST payload.

```

{
  "telemetryDestProfile": {
    "attributes": {
      "adminSt": "enabled"
    },
    "children": [
      {
        "telemetryDestOptCompression": {
          "attributes": {
            "name": "gzip"
          }
        }
      }
    ]
  }
}

```

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:

```
switch(config)# telemetry
switch(config-telemetry)# destination-profile
switch(config-tm-dest-profile)# use-vrf test_vrf
```

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

```
{
  "telemetryDestProfile": {
    "attributes": {
      "adminSt": "enabled"
    },
    "children": [
      {
        "telemetryDestOptVrf": {
          "attributes": {
            "name": "default"
          }
        }
      }
    ]
  }
}
```

Support for Node ID

Beginning in NX-OS release 9.3.1, 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-1(config)# telemetry
switch-1(config-telemetry)# destination-profile
switch-1(conf-tm-dest-profile)# use-nodeid test-srvr-10
switch-1(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
```

Support for Streaming of YANG Models

Starting with 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.

For more information on the YANG data modeling language, see [Infrastructure Overview](#) and [RESTConf Agent](#).

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. These steps also include optional steps to enable and configure SSL/TLS certificates and GPB encoding.

Before you begin

Your switch must be running Cisco NX-OS Release 7.3(0)I5(1) or a later release.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<p>(Optional) <code>openssl argument</code></p> <p>Example:</p> <p>Generate an SSL/TLS certificate using a specific argument, such as the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To generate a private RSA key: <code>openssl genrsa -cipher -out filename.key cipher-bit-length</code> <p>For example:</p> <pre>switch# openssl genrsa -des3 -out server.key 2048</pre> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To write the RSA key: <code>openssl rsa -in filename.key -out filename.key</code> <p>For example:</p> <pre>switch# openssl rsa -in server.key -out server.key</pre>	<p>Create an SSL or TLS certificate on the server that receives the data, where the <code>private.key</code> file is the private key and the <code>public.crt</code> is the public key.</p>

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To create a certificate that contains the public or private key: openssl req <i>-encoding-standard -new -new filename.key -out filename.csr -subj '/CN=localhost'</i> <p>For example:</p> <pre>switch# openssl req -sha256 -new -key server.key -out server.csr -subj '/CN=localhost'</pre> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To create a public key: openssl x509 -req <i>-encoding-standard -days timeframe -in filename.csr -signkey filename.key -out filename.csr</i> <p>For example:</p> <pre>switch# openssl x509 -req -sha256 -days 365 -in server.csr -signkey server.key -out server.crt</pre>	
Step 2	configure terminal Example: <pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	Enter the global configuration mode.
Step 3	feature telemetry	Enable the streaming telemetry feature.
Step 4	feature nxapi	Enable NX-API.
Step 5	nxapi use-vrf management Example: <pre>switch(config)# switch(config)# nxapi use-vrf management switch(config)#</pre>	Enable the VRF management to be used for NX-API communication. 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."

	Command or Action	Purpose
		<p>Note 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:</p> <p>"Warning: ACLs configured on non-management VRF will not be effective for HTTP services on that VRF."</p>
Step 6	<p>telemetry</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode for streaming telemetry.
Step 7	<p>(Optional) certificate <i>certificate_path</i> <i>host_URL</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(config-telemetry)# certificate /bootflash/server.key localhost</pre>	<p>Use an existing SSL/TLS certificate.</p> <p>For EOR devices, the certificate also has to be copied to the standby SUP.</p>
Step 8	<p>(Optional) Specify a transport VRF or enable telemetry compression for gRPC transport.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(config-telemetry)# destination-profile switch(conf-tm-dest-profile)# use-vrf default switch(conf-tm-dest-profile)# use-compression gzip switch(conf-tm-dest-profile)# use-retry size 10 switch(conf-tm-dest-profile)# source-interface loopback1</pre>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enter the destination-profile command to specify the default destination profile. • Enter any of the following commands: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • use-vrf <i>vrf</i> to specify the destination VRF. • use-compression gzip to specify the destination compression method. • use-retry size <i>size</i> to specify the send retry details, with a retry buffer size between 10 - 1500 megabytes. • source-interface <i>interface-name</i> to stream data from the configured interface to a destination with the source IP address.

	Command or Action	Purpose
		<p>Note After configuring the use-vrf command, you must configure a new destination IP address within the new VRF. However, you may re-use the same destination IP address by unconfiguring and reconfiguring the destination. This action ensures that the telemetry data streams to the same destination IP address in the new VRF.</p>
Step 9	<p>sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 100 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	<p>Create a sensor group with ID <i>sgrp_id</i> and enter sensor group configuration mode.</p> <p>Currently only numeric ID values are supported. The sensor group defines nodes that will be monitored for telemetry reporting.</p>
Step 10	<p>(Optional) data-source <i>data-source-type</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(config-telemetry)# data-source NX-API</pre>	<p>Select a data source. Select from either YANG, DME or NX-API as the data source.</p> <p>Note DME is the default data source.</p>
Step 11	<p>path <i>sensor_path</i> depth unbounded [filter-condition <i>filter</i>] [alias <i>path_alias</i>]</p> <p>Example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The following command is applicable for DME, not for NX-API or YANG: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/bd/bd-[vlan-100] depth 0 filter-condition eq(12BD.operSt, "down")</pre> <p>Use the following syntax for state-based filtering to trigger only when operSt changes from up to down, with no notifications of when the MO changes.</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/bd/bd-[vlan-100] depth 0 filter-condition and(updated(12BD.operSt),eq(12BD.operSt,"down"))</pre> <p>Use the following syntax to distinguish the path on the UTR side.</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/ch/ftslot-1/ft alias ft_1</pre> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The following command is applicable for NX-API, not for DME or YANG: 	<p>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 made in child MO.</p> <p>Note This is applicable for data source DME paths only.</p> <p>Add a sensor path to the sensor group.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Beginning with the Cisco NX-OS 9.3(5) release, the alias keyword is introduced. The depth setting specifies the retrieval level for the sensor path. Depth settings of 0 - 32, unbounded are supported. <p>Note depth 0 is the default depth. NX-API-based sensor paths can only use depth 0.</p> <p>If a path is subscribed for the event collection, the depth only supports 0 and unbounded. Other values would be treated as 0.</p>

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show interface" depth 0</pre> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The following command is applicable for device YANG: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/bgp-items/inst-items</pre> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The following commands are applicable for OpenConfig YANG: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path openconfig-bgp:bgp</pre> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/bgp-items/inst-items alias bgp_alias</pre> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The following command is applicable for NX-API: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path "show interface" depth 0 alias sh_int_alias</pre> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The following command is applicable for OpenConfig: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path openconfig-bgp:bgp alias oc_bgp_alias</pre>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The optional filter-condition parameter can be specified to create a specific filter for event-based subscriptions. <p>For state-based filtering, the filter returns both when a state has changed and when an event has occurred during the specified state. That is, a filter condition for the DN sys/bd/bd-[vlan] of eq(12Bd.operSt, "down") triggers when the operSt changes, and when the DN's property changes while the operSt remains down, such as a no shutdown command is issued while the VLAN is operationally down.</p> <p>Note query-condition parameter — For DME, based on the DN, the query-condition parameter can be specified to fetch MOTL and ephemeral data with the following syntax: query-condition "rsp-foreign-subtree=applied-config"; query-condition "rsp-foreign-subtree=ephemeral".</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For the YANG model, the sensor path format is as follows: <i>module_name:YANG_path</i>, where <i>module_name</i> is the name of the YANG model file. For example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For device YANG: <pre>Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/bgp-items/inst-items</pre> For OpenConfig YANG: <pre>openconfig-bgp:bgp</pre> <p>Note The depth, filter-condition, and query-condition parameters are not supported for YANG currently.</p> <p>For the openconfig YANG models, go to https://github.com/YangModels/yang/tree/master/vendor/cisco/nx and navigate to the appropriate folder for the latest release.</p>

	Command or Action	Purpose
		<p>Instead of installing a specific model, you can install the openconfig-all RPM which has all the OpenConfig models. See #unique_84 for more information on installing patch RPMs.</p> <p>For example:</p> <pre>install add mnt openconfig-10000-7031HD811b32_r000.rpm activate</pre>
Step 12	<p>destination-group <i>dgrp_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 100 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	<p>Create a destination group and enter destination group configuration mode.</p> <p>Currently <i>dgrp_id</i> only supports numeric ID values.</p>
Step 13	<p>(Optional) ip address <i>ip_address</i> port <i>port</i> protocol <i>procedural-protocol</i> encoding <i>encoding-protocol</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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 switch(conf-tm-sensor)# ip address 171.70.55.69 port 50009 protocol UDP encoding JSON</pre>	<p>Specify an IPv4 IP address and port to receive encoded telemetry data.</p> <p>Note gRPC is the default transport protocol.</p> <p>GPB is the default encoding.</p>
Step 14	<p>(Optional) ipv6 address <i>ipv6_address</i> port <i>port</i> protocol <i>procedural-protocol</i> encoding <i>encoding-protocol</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# ipv6 address 10:10::1 port 8000 protocol gRPC encoding GPB switch(conf-tm-sensor)# ipv6 address 10:10::1 port 8001 protocol HTTP encoding JSON switch(conf-tm-sensor)# ipv6 address 10:10::1 port 8002 protocol UDP encoding JSON</pre>	<p>Specify an IPv6 IP address and port to receive encoded telemetry data.</p> <p>Note gRPC is the default transport protocol.</p> <p>GPB is the default encoding.</p>
Step 15	<p>ip_version address <i>ip_address</i> port <i>portnum</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For IPv4: 	<p>Create a destination profile for the outgoing data, where <i>ip_version</i> is either ip (for IPv4) or ipv6 (for IPv6).</p> <p>When the destination group is linked to a subscription, telemetry data is sent to the IP</p>

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50003</pre> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For IPv6: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ipv6 address 10:10::1 port 8000</pre> 	address and port that is specified by this profile.
Step 16	<p>(Optional) use-chunking size <i>chunking_size</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # use-chunking size 64</pre>	Enable gRPC chunking and set the chunking size, between 64-4096 bytes. See the section "Support for gRPC Chunking" for more information.
Step 17	<p>subscription <i>sub_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 100 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	<p>Create a subscription node with ID and enter the subscription configuration mode.</p> <p>Currently <i>sub_id</i> only supports numeric ID values.</p> <p>Note When subscribing to a DN, check whether the DN is supported by DME using REST to ensure that events will stream.</p>
Step 18	<p>snsr-grp <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sub) # snsr-grp 100 sample-interval 15000</pre>	<p>Link the sensor group with ID <i>sgrp_id</i> to this subscription and set the data sampling interval in milliseconds.</p> <p>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.</p>
Step 19	<p>dst-grp <i>dgrp_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<pre> show telemetry control database sensor-groups Example: switch# show telemetry control database sensor-groups Sensor Group Database size = 2 Row ID Sensor Group ID Sensor Group type Sampling interval(ms) Linked subscriptions SubID 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 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 Collection Statistics: collection_id_dropped = 0 last_collection_id_dropped = 0 drop_count = 0 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 </pre>	<p>Calculate the total streaming time.</p> <p>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 milliseconds plus 149 milliseconds).</p> <p>Compare the configured cadence to the total streaming time for the sensor group.</p> <p>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).</p>

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre> data-source YANG path /Cisco-NX-OS-device:System/intf-items/phys-items depth unbounded subscription 1 dst-grp 1 snsr-grp 1 sample-interval 5000 snsr-grp 2 sample-interval 5000 </pre>	
Step 2	<p>sensor group <i>number</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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	<p>subscription <i>number</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# subscription 100</pre>	Edit the subscription for the sensor group.
Step 4	<p>snsr-grp <i>number sample-interval milliseconds</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp number sample-interval 5000</pre>	<p>For the appropriate sensor group, set the sample interval to a value greater than the total streaming time.</p> <p>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.</p>
Step 5	<p>show system resources</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch# show system resources Load average: 1 minute: 0.38 5 minutes: 0.43 15 minutes: 0.43 Processes: 555 total, 3 running CPU states : 24.17% user, 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, 10538432K free Current memory status: OK</pre>	<p>Check the CPU usage.</p> <p>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.</p>

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 sgl
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
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
0
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

```

You can specify transport VRF and telemetry data compression for gRPC using the **use-vrf** and **use-compression gzip** commands, as shown in this example.

```

switch(config)# telemetry
switch(config-telemetry)# destination-profile
switch(conf-tm-dest-profile)# use-vrf default
switch(conf-tm-dest-profile)# use-compression gzip
switch(conf-tm-dest-profile)# sensor-group 1
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path sys/bgp depth unbounded
switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 1
switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 1.2.3.4 port 50004
switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 1
switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 1
switch(conf-tm-sub)# snsr-grp 1 sample-interval 10000

```

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/ipqos-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/eps-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
sensor-paths Show sensor-paths
subscriptions Show subscriptions
| Pipe command output to filter

```

```
switch# show telemetry control database
```

```
Subscription Database size = 1
```

```

-----
Subscription ID      Data Collector Type
-----
100                   DME NX-API

```

Sensor Group Database size = 1

```
-----
Sensor Group ID  Sensor Group type  Sampling interval(ms)  Linked subscriptions
-----
100              Timer              10000(Running)        1
-----
```

Sensor Path Database size = 1

```
-----
Subscribed Query Filter  Linked Groups  Sec Groups  Retrieve level  Sensor Path
-----
No                       1             0           Full           sys/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      1
192.168.20.123 50001    GPB      gRPC      1
-----
```

show telemetry control database sensor-paths

This command displays sensor path details for telemetry configuration, including counters for encoding, collection, transport, and streaming.

```
switch(conf-tm-sub)# show telemetry control database sensor-paths
Sensor Path Database size = 4
```

```
-----
Row ID      Subscribed Linked Groups  Sec Groups  Retrieve level  Path(GroupId) : Query :
Filter
-----
1          No          1             0           Full           sys/cdp(1) : NA : NA
-----
```

```
GPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
JSON Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 65785/65785/65785
Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 10/10/55
Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 8/8/9
Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 18/18/65
```

```
2          No          1             0           Self          show module(2) : NA : NA
GPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
JSON Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 1107/1106/1107
Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 603/603/802
Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/1
Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 605/605/803
```

```
3          No          1             0           Full          sys/bgp(1) : NA : NA
GPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
JSON Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/44
Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
```

```

Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 1/1/44

4          No          1          0          Self          show version(2) : NA : NA
GPB Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
JSON Encoded Data size in bytes (Cur/Min/Max): 2442/2441/2442
Collection Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 1703/1703/1903
Encoding Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Transport Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 0/0/0
Streaming Time in ms (Cur/Min/Max): 1703/1703/1904

switch(conf-tm-sub)#

```

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                    sys/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   = 0
```

```
Event Collector:
```

```
Errors:
```

```
Node Create Fail   = 0      Node Add Fail      = 0
```

```
Invalid Data       = 0
```

```
Memory:
```

```
Allowed Memory Limit          = 1181116006 bytes
```

```
Occupied Memory               = 93265920 bytes
```

```
Queue Statistics:
```

```
Request Queue:
```

```
High 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 Queue:
  High 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

```

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
<i>session_id</i>	(Optional) Session id
stats	(Optional) Shows all telemetry statistics information
errors	(Optional) Show all telemetry error information
readonly	(Optional)
TABLE_transport_info	(Optional) Transport information
<i>session_idx</i>	(Optional) Session Id
<i>ip_address</i>	(Optional) Transport IP address
<i>port</i>	(Optional) Transport port
<i>dest_info</i>	(Optional) Destination information

Syntax	Description
<i>encoding_type</i>	(Optional) Encoding type
<i>transport_type</i>	(Optional) Transport type
<i>transport_status</i>	(Optional) Transport status
<i>transport_security_cert_fname</i>	(Optional) Transport security file name
<i>transport_last_connected</i>	(Optional) Transport last connected
<i>transport_last_disconnected</i>	(Optional) Last time this destination configuration was removed
<i>transport_errors_count</i>	(Optional) Transport errors count
<i>transport_last_tx_error</i>	(Optional) Transport last tx error
<i>transport_statistics</i>	(Optional) Transport statistics
<i>t_session_id</i>	(Optional) Transport Session id
<i>connect_statistics</i>	(Optional) Connection statistics
<i>connect_count</i>	(Optional) Connection count
<i>last_connected</i>	(Optional) Last connected timestamp
<i>disconnect_count</i>	(Optional) Disconnect count
<i>last_disconnected</i>	(Optional) Last time this destination configuration was removed
<i>trans_statistics</i>	(Optional) Transport statistics
<i>compression</i>	(Optional) Compression status
<i>source_interface_name</i>	(Optional) Source interface name
<i>source_interface_ip</i>	(Optional) Source interface IP
<i>transmit_count</i>	(Optional) Transmission count
<i>last_tx_time</i>	(Optional) Last Transmission time
<i>min_tx_time</i>	(Optional) Minimum transmission time
<i>max_tx_time</i>	(Optional) Maximum transmission time
<i>avg_tx_time</i>	(Optional) Average transmission time
<i>cur_tx_time</i>	(Optional) Current transmission time
<i>transport_errors</i>	(Optional) Transport errors
<i>connect_errors</i>	(Optional) Connection errors

Syntax	Description
<i>connect_errors_count</i>	(Optional) Connection error count
<i>trans_errors</i>	(Optional) Transport errors
<i>trans_errors_count</i>	(Optional) Transport error count
<i>last_tx_error</i>	(Optional) Last transport error
<i>last_tx_return_code</i>	(Optional) Last transport return code
<i>transport_retry_stats</i>	(Optional) Retry Statistics
<i>ts_event_retry_bytes</i>	(Optional) Event Retry buffer size
<i>ts_timer_retry_bytes</i>	(Optional) Timer Retry buffer size
<i>ts_event_retry_size</i>	(Optional) Event Retry number of messages
<i>ts_timer_retry_size</i>	(Optional) Timer Retry number of messages
<i>ts_retries_sent</i>	(Optional) Number of retries sent
<i>ts_retries_dropped</i>	(Optional) Number of retries dropped
<i>event_retry_bytes</i>	(Optional) Event Retry buffer size
<i>timer_retry_bytes</i>	(Optional) Timer Retry buffer size
<i>retries_sent</i>	(Optional) Number of retries sent
<i>retries_dropped</i>	(Optional) Number of retries dropped
<i>retry_buffer_size</i>	(Optional) Retry buffer size

show telemetry transport <session-id>

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

```
switch# 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
Last Disconnected:  Never
Tx Error Count:     224
Last Tx Error:      Fri Sep 02 12:23:49.555 UTC
```

```
switch# show telemetry transport 1
```

```
Session Id:          1
IP Address:Port      10.30.218.56:51235
Transport:           HTTP
```

```
Status:                Disconnected
Last Connected:       Never
Last Disconnected:   Never
Tx Error Count:      3
Last Tx Error:       Wed Apr 19 15:56:51.617 PDT
```

The following example shows output from an IPv6 entry.

```
switch# show telemetry transport 0
Session Id: 0
IP Address:Port [10:10::1]:8000
Transport: GRPC
Status: Idle
Last Connected: Never
Last Disconnected: Never
Tx Error Count: 0
Last Tx Error: None
Event Retry Queue Bytes: 0
Event Retry Queue Size: 0
Timer Retry Queue Bytes: 0
Timer Retry Queue Size: 0
Sent Retry Messages: 0
Dropped Retry Messages: 0
```

show telemetry transport <session-id> stats

This command displays details of a specific transport session.

```
switch# show telemetry transport 0 stats

Session Id:          0
IP Address:Port     192.168.20.123:50001
Encoding:           GPB
Transport:          GRPC
Status:             Connected
Last Connected:     Mon May 01 11:29:46.912 PST
Last Disconnected:  Never
Tx Error Count:     0
Last Tx Error:      None
```

show telemetry transport <session-id> stats

This command displays details of a specific transport session.

```
Session Id:          0
Transmission Stats
Compression:         disabled
Source Interface:   not set()
Transmit Count:     319297
Last TX time:       Fri Aug 02 03:51:15.287 UTC
Min Tx Time:        1 ms
Max Tx Time:        3117 ms
Avg Tx Time:        3 ms
Cur Tx Time:       1 ms
```

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:          0
```

```

Connection Errors
Connection Error Count:      0
Transmission Errors
Tx Error Count:              30
Last Tx Error:               Thu Aug 01 04:39:47.083 UTC
Last Tx Return Code:         No error

```

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
-----
-----
1           No           1           0           Full           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           No           1           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           No           1           0           Self           sys/mac(1) : NA
: 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
```

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
```

tmtrace.bin

This BASH shell command collects telemetry traces and prints them out.

```
switch# configure terminal
switch(config)# feature bash
switch(config)# run bash
bash-4.2$ tmtrace.bin -d tm-errors
bash-4.2$ tmtrace.bin -d tm-logs
bash-4.2$ tmtrace.bin -d tm-events
```

For example:

```
bash-4.2$ tmtrace.bin -d tm-logs
[01/25/17 22:52:24.563 UTC 1 29130] [3944724224][tm_ec_dme_auth.c:59] TM_EC: Authentication
refresh url http://127.0.0.1/api/aaaRefresh.json
[01/25/17 22:52:24.565 UTC 2 29130] [3944724224][tm_ec_dme_rest_util.c:382] TM_EC: Performed
POST request on http://127.0.0.1/api/aaaRefresh.json
[01/25/17 22:52:24.566 UTC 3 29130] [3944724224][tm_mgd_timers.c:114] TM_MGD_TIMER: Starting
leaf timer for leaf:0x11e17ea4 time_in_ms:540000
[01/25/17 22:52:45.317 UTC 4 29130] [3944724224][tm_ec_dme_event_subsc.c:790] TM_EC: Event
subscription database size 0
[01/25/17 22:52:45.317 UTC 5 29130] [3944724224][tm_mgd_timers.c:114] TM_MGD_TIMER: Starting
leaf timer for leaf:0x11e17e3c time_in_ms:50000
bash-4.2#
```



Note The **tm-logs** option is not enabled by default because it is verbose.

Enable **tm-logs** with the `tmtrace.bin -L D tm-logs` command.

Disable **tm-logs** with the `tmtrace.bin -L W tm-logs` command.

show system internal telemetry trace

The **show system internal telemetry trace** [**tm-events** | **tm-errors** | **tm-logs** | **all**] command displays system internal telemetry trace information.

```
switch# show system internal telemetry trace all
Telemetry All Traces:
```

```

Telemetry Error Traces:
[07/26/17 15:22:29.156 UTC 1 28577] [3960399872][tm_cfg_api.c:367] Not able to destroy dest
  profile list for config node rc:-1610612714 reason:Invalid argument
[07/26/17 15:22:44.972 UTC 2 28577] [3960399872][tm_stream.c:248] No subscriptions for
  destination group 1
[07/26/17 15:22:49.463 UTC 3 28577] [3960399872][tm_stream.c:576] TM_STREAM: Subscriptoin
  1 does not have any sensor groups

3 entries printed
Telemetry Event Traces:
[07/26/17 15:19:40.610 UTC 1 28577] [3960399872][tm_debug.c:41] Telemetry xostrace buffers
  initialized successfully!
[07/26/17 15:19:40.610 UTC 2 28577] [3960399872][tm.c:744] Telemetry statistics created
  successfully!
[07/26/17 15:19:40.610 UTC 3 28577] [3960399872][tm_init_n9k.c:97] Platform intf:
  grpc_traces:compression,channel
switch#

switch# show system internal telemetry trace tm-logs
Telemetry Log Traces:
0 entries printed
switch#
switch# show system internal telemetry trace tm-events
Telemetry Event Traces:
[07/26/17 15:19:40.610 UTC 1 28577] [3960399872][tm_debug.c:41] Telemetry xostrace buffers
  initialized successfully!
[07/26/17 15:19:40.610 UTC 2 28577] [3960399872][tm.c:744] Telemetry statistics created
  successfully!
[07/26/17 15:19:40.610 UTC 3 28577] [3960399872][tm_init_n9k.c:97] Platform intf:
  grpc_traces:compression,channel
[07/26/17 15:19:40.610 UTC 4 28577] [3960399872][tm_init_n9k.c:207] Adding telemetry to
  cgroup
[07/26/17 15:19:40.670 UTC 5 28577] [3960399872][tm_init_n9k.c:215] Added telemetry to
  cgroup successfully!

switch# show system internal telemetry trace tm-errors
Telemetry Error Traces:
0 entries printed
switch#

```

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.
- **telemetryCertificate** — 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 running Cisco NX-OS Release 7.3(0)I5(1) or a later release.

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

```
switch(config)# feature nxapi
```

NX-API sends telemetry data over management VRF:

```
switch(config)# nxapi use-vrf management
```

```
nxapi use-vrf vrf_name
nxapi http port port_number
```

Procedure

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

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre> "fmEntity" : { "children" : [{ "fmTelemetry" : { "attributes" : { "adminSt" : "enabled" } }] } </pre>	
Step 2	<p>Create the root level of the JSON payload to describe the telemetry configuration.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre> { "telemetryEntity": { "attributes": { "dn": "sys/tm" }, } } </pre>	<p>The root element is telemetryEntity and the base path for this element is <code>sys/tm</code>. Configure the dn attribute as <code>sys/tm</code>.</p>
Step 3	<p>Create a sensor group to contain the defined sensor paths.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre> "telemetrySensorGroup": { "attributes": { "id": "10", "rn": "sensor-10" }, "dataSrc": "NX-API", "children": [{ }] } </pre>	<p>A telemetry sensor group is defined in an object of class telemetrySensorGroup. Configure the following attributes of the object:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. <p>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.</p>
Step 4	<p>(Optional) Add an SSL/TLS certificate and a host.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre> { "telemetryCertificate": { "attributes": { "filename": "root.pem" "hostname": "c.com" } } } </pre>	<p>The telemetryCertificate defines the location of the SSL/TLS certificate with the telemetry subscription/destination.</p>

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre> } } </pre>	
Step 5	<p>Define a telemetry destination group.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre> { "telemetryDestGroup": { "attributes": { "id": "20" } } } </pre>	<p>A telemetry destination group is defined in telemetryEntity. Configure the id attribute.</p>
Step 6	<p>Define a telemetry destination profile.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre> { "telemetryDestProfile": { "attributes": { "adminSt": "enabled" }, "children": [{ "telemetryDestOptSourceInterface": { "attributes": { "name": "lo0" } } }] } } </pre>	<p>A telemetry destination profile is defined in telemetryDestProfile.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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	<p>Define one or more telemetry destinations, consisting of an IP address and port number to which telemetry data will be sent.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre> { "telemetryDest": { "attributes": { "addr": "1.2.3.4", "enc": "GPB", "port": "50001", "proto": "gRPC", "rn": "addr-[1.2.3.4]-port-50001" } } } </pre>	<p>A telemetry destination is defined in an object of class telemetryDest. Configure the following attributes of the object:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Google protocol buffers (GPB) for gRPC. • JSON for C. • GPB or JSON for UDP and secure UDP (DTLS).

	Command or Action	Purpose
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • proto — The transport protocol type of the telemetry data to be sent. NX-OS supports: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • gRPC • HTTP • VUDP and secure UDP (DTLS) • Supported encoded types are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HTTP/JSON YES • 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
<p>Step 8</p>	<p>Enable gRPC chunking and set the chunking size, between 64 and 4096 bytes.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>{ "telemetryDestGrpOptChunking": { "attributes": { "chunkSize": "2048", "dn": "sys/tm/dest-1/chunking" } } }</pre>	<p>See Guidelines and Limitations for more information.</p>
<p>Step 9</p>	<p>Create a telemetry subscription to configure the telemetry behavior.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>"telemetrySubscription": { "attributes": { "id": "30", "rn": "subs-30" }, "children": [{ }] }</pre>	<p>A telemetry subscription is defined in an object of class telemetrySubscription. Configure the following attributes of the object:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • id — An identifier for the subscription. Currently only numeric ID values are supported. • rn — The relative name of the subscription object in the format: subs-<i>id</i>. <p>Children of the subscription object include relation objects for sensor groups (telemetryRsSensorGroupRel) and</p>

	Command or Action	Purpose
		destination groups (telemetryRsDestGroupRel).
Step 10	<p>Add the sensor group object as a child object to the telemetrySubscription element under the root element (telemetryEntity).</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>{ "telemetrySubscription": { "attributes": { "id": "30" } "children": [{ "telemetryRsSensorGroupRel": { "attributes": { "sampleIntvl": "5000", "tDn": "sys/tm/sensor-10" } } } }] }</pre>	
Step 11	<p>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.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>"telemetryRsSensorGroupRel": { "attributes": { "rType": "mo", "rn": "rssensorGroupRel-[sys/tm/sensor-10]", "sampleIntvl": "5000", "tCl": "telemetrySensorGroup", "tDn": "sys/tm/sensor-10", "tType": "mo" } }</pre>	<p>The relation object is of class telemetryRsSensorGroupRel and is a child object of telemetrySubscription. Configure the following attributes of the relation object:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.

	Command or Action	Purpose
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tDn — The distinguished name of the target (sensor group) object, which is <code>sys/tm/sensor-group-id</code>. • rType — The relation type, which is <code>mo</code> for managed object. • tType — The target type, which is <code>mo</code> for managed object.
<p>Step 12</p>	<p>Define one or more sensor paths or nodes to be monitored for telemetry.</p> <p>Example: Single sensor path</p> <pre data-bbox="500 779 943 1150"> { "telemetrySensorPath": { "attributes": { "path": "sys/cdp", "rn": "path-[sys/cdp]", "excludeFilter": "", "filterCondition": "", "path": "sys/fm/bgp", "secondaryGroup": "0", "secondaryPath": "", "depth": "0", "alias": "cdp_alias", } } } </pre> <p>Example: Single sensor path for NX-API</p> <pre data-bbox="500 1318 971 1690"> { "telemetrySensorPath": { "attributes": { "path": "show interface", "path": "show bgp", "rn": "path-[sys/cdp]", "excludeFilter": "", "filterCondition": "", "path": "sys/fm/bgp", "secondaryGroup": "0", "secondaryPath": "", "depth": "0" } } } </pre> <p>Example: Multiple sensor paths</p>	<p>A sensor path is defined in an object of class telemetrySensorPath. Configure the following attributes of the object:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 Guidelines on composing queries: https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/switches/datacenter/aci/apic/sw/2-x/rest_cfg/2_1_x/b_Cisco_APIC_REST_API_Configuration_Guide/b_Cisco_APIC_REST_API_Configuration_Guide_chapter_01.html#d25e1534a1635 • alias - Specify an alias for this path.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre> { "telemetrySensorPath": { "attributes": { "path": "sys/cdp", "rn": "path-[sys/cdp]", "excludeFilter": "", "filterCondition": "", "path": "sys/fm/bgp", "secondaryGroup": "0", "secondaryPath": "", "depth": "0" } } }, { "telemetrySensorPath": { "attributes": { "excludeFilter": "", "filterCondition": "", "path": "sys/fm/dhcp", "secondaryGroup": "0", "secondaryPath": "", "depth": "0" } } } </pre> <p>Example: Single sensor path filtering for BGP disable events:</p> <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 object (telemetrySensorGroup).	
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 (telemetryEntity).	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 16	<p>Create a relation object as a child object of the telemetry sensor group to associate the sensor group to the subscription.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>"telemetryRtSensorGroupRel": { "attributes": { "rn": "rtsensorGroupRel-[sys/tm/subs-30]", "tCl": "telemetrySubscription", "tDn": "sys/tm/subs-30" } }</pre>	<p>The relation object is of class telemetryRtSensorGroupRel and is a child object of telemetrySensorGroup. Configure the following attributes of the relation object:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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	<p>Create a relation object as a child object of the telemetry destination group to associate the destination group to the subscription.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>"telemetryRtDestGroupRel": { "attributes": { "rn": "rtdestGroupRel-[sys/tm/subs-30]", "tCl": "telemetrySubscription", "tDn": "sys/tm/subs-30" } }</pre>	<p>The relation object is of class telemetryRtDestGroupRel and is a child object of telemetryDestGroup. Configure the following attributes of the relation object:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 telemetrySubscription. • tDn — The target distinguished name of the subscription object, which is sys/tm/subscription-id.
Step 18	<p>Create a relation object as a child object of the subscription to associate the subscription to the telemetry destination group.</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>"telemetryRsDestGroupRel": { "attributes": { "rType": "mo", "rn": "rsdestGroupRel-[sys/tm/dest-20]", "tCl": "telemetryDestGroup", "tDn": "sys/tm/dest-20", "tType": "mo" } }</pre>	<p>The relation object is of class telemetryRsDestGroupRel and is a child object of telemetrySubscription. Configure the following attributes of the relation object:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.

	Command or Action	Purpose
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tType — The target type, which is mo for managed object.
Step 19	Send the resulting JSON structure as an HTTP/HTTPS POST payload to the NX-API endpoint for telemetry configuration.	The base path for the telemetry entity is <code>sys/tm</code> and the NX-API endpoint is: <code>{{URL}}/api/node/mo/sys/tm.json</code>

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

```

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]
|  |  |  @name:SensorGroup
|  |  |  @label:Sensor Group
|  |  |--property
|  |  |  @name:id [key]
|  |  |  @type:string:Basic
|  |  |  @name:dataSrc
|  |  |  @type:DataSource
|  |  |
|  |  |----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

```

For a list of DNs available to the telemetry feature, see [Streaming Telemetry Sources](#).

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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.

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.
- 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 `sys/intf` and `interface` in the same sensor group. Also, you cannot configure the same sensor group with `sys/intf` and `interface`. 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 48](#).



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

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: <pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode.
Step 2	telemetry Example: <pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
Step 4	path interface Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path interface switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	<p>Configure the interface path label, which enables sending one telemetry data query for multiple individual interfaces. The label consolidates the queries for multiple interfaces into one. Telemetry then gathers the data and returns it to the label.</p> <p>Depending on how the polling interval is configured, interface data is sent based on a periodic basis or whenever the interface state changes.</p>
Step 5	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	ip address <i>ip_addr port port</i> Example: <pre>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	subscription <i>sub_id</i> Example:	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	
Step 8	<p>snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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	<p>dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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 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**

Procedure

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

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	path interface query-condition counters=[detailed] Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path interface query-condition counters=[detailed] switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	Configure the interface path label and query for only the non-zero counters from all interfaces.
Step 5	destination-group grp_id Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	ip address ip_addr port port Example: <pre>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	subscription sub_id Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 8	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval Example: <pre>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	dst-group dgrp_id Example: <pre>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 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 `oper-speed=[]`. 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.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: <pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode.
Step 2	telemetry Example: <pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i> Example: <pre>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 4	path interface query-condition oper-speed=[<i>speed</i>] Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path interface query-condition oper-speed=[1G,40G] switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	Configure the interface path label and query for counters from interfaces running the specified speed, which in this example, is 1 and 40 Gbps only.
Step 5	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i> Example: <pre>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	subscription <i>sub_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 8	snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i> Example: <pre>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	dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>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 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.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: <pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode.
Step 2	telemetry Example: <pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-telemetry) # sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
Step 4	path interface query-condition counters=[detailed],oper-speed=[1G,40G] Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # path interface query-condition counters=[detailed],oper-speed=[1G,40G] switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	<p>Configures multiple conditions in the same query. In this example, the query does both of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gathers and returns non-zero counters on interfaces running at 1 Gbps. • Gathers and returns non-zero counters on interfaces running at 40 Gbps.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i> Example: <pre>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	subscription <i>sub_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 8	snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i> Example: <pre>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	dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>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 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 48](#).

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.

Procedure

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

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	telemetry Example: <pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
Step 4	path environment Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path environment switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	<p>Configures the environment path label, which enables telemetry data for multiple individual environment objects to be sent to the label. The label consolidates the multiple data inputs into one output.</p> <p>Depending on the sample interval, the environment data is either streaming based on the polling interval, or sent when events occur.</p>
Step 5	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i> Example: <pre>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	subscription <i>sub_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 8	snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i> Example: <pre>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	dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>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 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 48](#).

This path does not support filtering.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: <pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode.
Step 2	telemetry Example: <pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	sensor-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
Step 4	path resources Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# path resources switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	<p>Configure the resources path label, which enables telemetry data for multiple individual system resources to be sent to the label. The label consolidates the multiple data inputs into one output.</p> <p>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.</p>
Step 5	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i> Example: <pre>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.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	subscription <i>sub_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 8	snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i> Example: <pre>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 resource events occur.
Step 9	dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>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 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 48](#).

This path does not support filtering.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: <pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode.
Step 2	telemetry Example: <pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-telemetry)# sensor-group 6 switch(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	Create a sensor group for telemetry data.
Step 4	vxlan environment Example:	Configure the vxlan path label, which enables telemetry data for multiple individual VXLAN

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # vxlan environment switch(conf-tm-sensor) #</pre>	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.
Step 5	<p>destination-group <i>grp_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 6	<p>ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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	<p>subscription <i>sub_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 8	<p>snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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 VXLAN events occur.
Step 9	<p>dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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.

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.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<p>show running-config-telemetry</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor) # show running-config telemetry</pre>	<p>Displays the current running config for telemetry,</p> <p>In this example, sensor group 4 is configured to gather non-zero counters from interfaces</p>

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>!Command: show running-config telemetry !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 snsr-grp 6 sample-interval 6000 nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	<p>running at 1 and 10 Gbps. Sensor group 6 is configured to gather all counters from interfaces running at 1 and 40 Gbps.</p>

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}	<p>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.</p> <p>For the interfaces path label, also any keyword filters or query conditions you configured.</p>
show running-config telemetry	<p>The running configuration for telemetry and selected path information.</p>

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
```



```

query-target-filter=and(updated(procSysMem.memstatus),ne(procSysMem.memstatus,"OK"))
switch#
3) label_name          : resources

   path_name           : sys/procsys/systemem
   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=l2VlanStats

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=subtree&target-subtree-class=logDn,logPeer,logPeerAf,logDnAf,logPeerAfEntry,logOperRtCtrl3,logOperRtP,logOperRtEntry,logOperAfCtrl
switch#

```

Native Data Source Paths

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.

Path Type	Subscription Baseline	Event Notifications
RIB	Sends all routes	<p>Sends event notifications for create, update, and delete events. The following values are exported through telemetry for the RIB path:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next-hop routing information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 <code>GETALL</code> from DME for static and dynamic MAC entries	<p>Sends event notifications for add, update, and delete events. The following values are exported through telemetry for the MAC path:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MAC address • MAC address type • VLAN number • Interface name • Event types <p>Both static and dynamic entries are supported in event notifications.</p>
Adjacency	Sends the IPv4 and IPv6 adjacencies	<p>Sends event notifications for add, update, and delete events. The following values are exported through telemetry for the Adjacency path:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 63.

Before you begin

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

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: switch# configure terminal switch(config)#	Enter configuration mode.
Step 2	telemetry Example: switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i> Example: switch(conf-tm-sub)# sensor-grp 6 switch(conf-tm-sub)#	Create a sensor group.
Step 4	data-source native Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor)# data-source native switch(conf-tm-sensor)#	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	path rib Example: nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)# path rib nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)#	Configure the RIB path which streams routes and route update information.
Step 6	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	<p>ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i> protocol { HTTP gRPC } encoding { JSON GPB GPB-compact }</p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol http encoding json switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb-compact switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port and set the protocol and encoding for the data stream.
Step 8	<p>subscription <i>sub_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 9	<p>snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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	<p>dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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 63](#).



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**).

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: <pre>switch# configure terminal switch(config)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode.
Step 2	telemetry Example: <pre>switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#</pre>	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sub)# sensor-grp 6 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Create a sensor group.
Step 4	data-source native Example: <pre>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	path mac Example: <pre>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	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 7	ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i> protocol { HTTP gRPC } encoding { JSON GPB GPB-compact } Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol http encoding json switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre> Example:	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port and set the protocol and encoding for the data stream.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb switch(conf-tm-dest) #</pre> <p>Example:</p> <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	<p>subscription <i>sub_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 9	<p>snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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	<p>dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i></p> <p>Example:</p> <pre>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 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 63](#).



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**).

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<p>configure terminal</p> <p>Example:</p>	Enter configuration mode.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	switch# configure terminal switch(config)#	
Step 2	telemetry Example: switch(config)# telemetry switch(config-telemetry)#	Enter configuration mode for the telemetry features.
Step 3	sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i> Example: switch(conf-tm-sub)# sensor-grp 6 switch(conf-tm-sub)#	Create a sensor group.
Step 4	data-source native Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor)# data-source native switch(conf-tm-sensor)#	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	path mac-all Example: nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)# path mac-all nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)#	Configure the MAC path which streams information about all MAC entries and MAC notifications.
Step 6	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 7	ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i> 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)# ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb-compact switch(conf-tm-dest)#	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port and set the protocol and encoding for the data stream.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 8	subscription <i>sub_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest) # subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub) #</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 9	snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i> Example: <pre>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	dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>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 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 63](#).

Before you begin

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

Procedure

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

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	data-source native Example: <pre>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.
Step 5	path adjacency Example: <pre>nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)# path adjacency nxosv2(conf-tm-sensor)#</pre>	Configure the Adjacency path which streams information about the IPv4 and IPv6 adjacencies.
Step 6	destination-group grp_id Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-sensor)# destination-group 33 switch(conf-tm-dest)#</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group submode and configure the destination group.
Step 7	ip address ip_addr port port protocol { HTTP gRPC } encoding { JSON GPB GPB-compact } Example: <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>	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port and set the protocol and encoding for the data stream.
Step 8	subscription sub_id Example: <pre>switch(conf-tm-dest)# subscription 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode, and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 9	snsr-group sgrp_id sample-interval interval Example: <pre>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.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 10	dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i> Example: switch(conf-tm-sub)# dst-grp 33 switch(conf-tm-sub)#	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.

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.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: switch# configure terminal	Enter global configuration mode.
Step 2	telemetry Example:	Enter configuration mode for telemetry.

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	<code>switch(config)# telemetry</code>	
Step 3	sensor-group <i>sgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-telemetry) # sensor-group 6</pre>	Creates a sensor group.
Step 4	data source <i>data-source-type</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-tm-sensor) # data source YANG</pre>	Set the data source to YANG, so that it uses the native YANG streaming model to stream syslogs
Step 5	path Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages Example: <pre>switch(config-tm-sensor) # path Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog/messages</pre>	Configure the syslog path which streams syslog generated on the switch.
Step 6	destination-group <i>grp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-tm-sensor) # destination-group 33</pre>	Enter telemetry destination group sub-mode and configure the destination group.
Step 7	ip address <i>ip_addr</i> port <i>port</i> protocol {HTTP gRPC } encoding { JSON GPB GPB-compact } Example: <pre>switch(config-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol http encoding json</pre> Example: <pre>switch(config-tm-dest) # ip address 192.0.2.11 port 50001 protocol grpc encoding gpb</pre>	Configure the telemetry data for the subscription to stream to the specified IP address and port, and set the protocol and encoding for the data stream.
Step 8	subscription <i>sub-id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-tm-dest) # subscription 33</pre>	Enter telemetry subscription submode and configure the telemetry subscription.
Step 9	snsr-group <i>sgrp_id</i> sample-interval <i>interval</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-tm-sub) # snsr-group 6 sample-interval 0</pre>	Link the sensor group to the current subscription and set the data sampling to 0 so that the switch sends telemetry data when syslog events occur. For <i>interval</i> , 0 is the only acceptable value.
Step 10	dst-group <i>dgrp_id</i> Example: <pre>switch(config-tm-sub) # dst-grp 33</pre>	Link the destination group to the current subscription. The destination group that you specify must match the destination group that

	Command or Action	Purpose
		you configured in the destination-group 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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
```

```
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Row ID      Collection Count  Latest Collection Time  Sensor Path(GroupId)
-----
1           138              Tue Dec 03 11:20:08.200 PST Cisco-NX-OS-Syslog-oper:syslog(1)
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