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**A YANG data model for Traffic Engineering for Bit Index Explicit
Replication (BIER-TE)
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Abstract

This document defines a YANG data model for Traffic Engineering for Bit Index Explicit Replication (BIER-TE) configuration and operation.

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[1.](#) Introduction

[I-D.ietf-bier-te-arch] introduces an architecture for BIER-TE: Traffic Engineering for Bit Index Explicit Replication (BIER). This document defines a YANG data model for BIER TE. The content is in keeping with the TE architecture draft. In addition, this YANG data model contains BIER TE frr items of [[I-D.eckert-bier-te-frr](#)].

[2.](#) Design of the Data Model

The BIER TE YANG model includes BIER TE adjacency configuration and forwarding items configuration. Some features can also be used to enhance BIER TE function, like ECMP and FRR.

```

module: ietf-bier-te
augment /rt:routing/rt:control-plane-protocols
  /rt:control-plane-protocol:
    +--rw bier-te
      +--rw te-adj
        | +--rw adj-if* [name]
        |   +--rw name          if:interface-ref
        |   +--rw subdomain* [subdomain-id]
        |     | +--rw subdomain-id    uint16
        |     | +--rw si* [si]
        |     |   +--rw si          uint16
        |     |   +--rw adj-id*    uint16
        |     +--rw adj-type?    enumeration
      +--rw te-fwd
        +--rw subdomain* [subdomain-id]

```



```

+--rw subdomain-id      uint16
+--rw bsl* [fwd-bsl]
|   +--rw fwd-bsl      uint16
|   +--rw si* [si]
|       +--rw si          uint16
|       +--rw te-bift-id
|           |   +--rw type?  enumeration
|           |   +--rw value  rt-types:mpls-label
|       +--rw fwd-items* [te-bp]
|           +--rw te-bp      uint16
|           +--rw te-ecmp?   boolean {bier-te-ecmp}?
|           +--rw out-info
|               |   +--rw out-if-list* [fwd-intf]
|               |       +--rw fwd-intf          if:interface-ref
|               |       +--rw dnr-flag?         boolean
|               |       +--rw fwd-type
|               |           |   +--rw (fwd-type)
|               |           |       +--:(connected)
|               |           |       +--:(routed)
|               |           |       +--:(local-decap)
|               |           |       +--:(other)
|               |           +--rw te-out-bift-id
|               |               +--rw type?      enumeration
|               |               +--rw value      rt-types:mpls-label
|           +--rw te-frr {bier-te-frr}?
|               +--rw frr-index?
|                   -> ../../../../te-frr-items/btaft/frr-index
|               +--rw resetbitmask
|                   +--rw bit-string* [index]
|                       +--rw index      uint8
|                       +--rw bitmask?   uint32
+--rw te-frr-items {bier-te-frr}?
    +--rw btaft* [frr-index]
        +--rw frr-index      uint16
        +--rw frr-si         uint16
        +--rw frr-bsl        uint16
        +--rw addbitmask
            +--rw bit-string* [index]
                +--rw index      uint8
                +--rw bitmask?   uint32

```

notifications:

```

+--n bier-te-notification
    +--ro bp-is-zero* [if-index]
        +--ro if-index      if:interface-ref
        +--ro adj-type?     enumeration

```


3. BIER-TE configuration

The BIER-TE forwarding item is indexed by the combination of sub-domain-id, BitStringLength and set identifier.

One interface can be used in different sub-domain, so the BIER TE adjacency information is managed by BIER TE function other than by interface itself.

Because the BIER-TE is controlled by controller now, the information about IGP is not defined. If in the future the IGP is used to carry the information about BIER-TE, the IGP extension will be added in this document.

4. Notifications

If the adjacency id of one adjacency is set to zero, the value is invalid. The notification should be sent to controller and network manager.

5. RPCs

TBD.

6. BIER TE YANG model

```
<CODE BEGINS> file "ietf-bier-te@2020-02-05.yang"
module ietf-bier-te {

  yang-version 1.1;

  namespace "urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-bier-te";

  prefix bier-te;

  import ietf-routing {
    prefix "rt";
    reference
      "RFC 8349: A YANG Data Model for Routing Management
      (NMDA Version)";
  }

  import ietf-interfaces {
    prefix "if";
    reference
      "RFC 8343: A YANG Data Model for Interface Management";
  }
}
```



```
import ietf-routing-types {  
  prefix "rt-types";  
  reference  
    "RFC 8294: Common YANG Data Types for the Routing Area";  
}
```

```
organization " IETF BIER (Bit Indexed Explicit Replication)  
              Working Group";
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";
```

```
description
```

```
"The module defines the YANG definitions for Traffic  
Engineering for Bit Index Explicit Replication (BIER-TE).
```

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itself for full legal notices.
```

```
The key words 'MUST', 'MUST NOT', 'REQUIRED', 'SHALL',  
'SHALL NOT', 'SHOULD', 'SHOULD NOT', 'RECOMMENDED',  
'NOT RECOMMENDED', 'MAY', and 'OPTIONAL' in this document  
are to be interpreted as described in BCP 14 (RFC 2119)
```


([RFC 8174](#)) when, and only when, they appear in all capitals, as shown here.";

```
revision 2020-02-05 {
  description
    "Initial revision.";
  reference
    "I-D.ietf-bier-te-arch: Traffic Engineering for Bit Index
      Explicit Replication (BIER-TE)";
}

/*
 * Features
 */
feature bier-te-frr {
  description
    "Support Fast Re-route feature in BIER TE.";
  reference
    "I-D.eckert-bier-te-frr: Protection Methods for BIER-TE";
}
feature bier-te-ecmp {
  description
    "Support ECMP feature in BIER TE.";
  reference
    "I-D.ietf-bier-te-arch: Traffic Engineering for Bit Index
      Explicit Replication (BIER-TE), section 3.2.3";
}

/*
 * Identities
 */

identity bier-te {
  base rt:control-plane-protocol;
  description
    "Identity for the Traffic Engineering for Bit Index Explicit
      Replication (BIER-TE).";
  reference
    "I-D.ietf-bier-te-arch: Traffic Engineering for Bit Index
      Explicit Replication (BIER-TE)";
}

grouping bit-string {
  description
    "The bit string which each bit represents an adjacency.
      It is encapsulated in BIER header.";
  reference
    "I-D.ietf-bier-te-arch: Traffic Engineering for Bit Index
```


Explicit Replication (BIER-TE), [section 3.3](#).

[RFC8279](#): Multicast Using Bit Index Explicit Replication (BIER).

[RFC8296](#): Encapsulation for Bit Index Explicit Replication (BIER) in MPLS and Non-MPLS Networks.";

```
list bit-string {
  key "index";
  description
    "As the definition in RFC 8279, the bit-string lengths are
    64, 128, 256, 512, 1024, 2048, 4096 bits. The according
    encapsulation is defined in RFC8296. BIER-TE uses the
    similar function for bit string.";

  leaf index {
    type uint8 {
      range "2..128";
    }
    description
      "The index of bit-mask. The minimum index value is 64 and
      the corresponding bit string length is 64 bits. The
      maximum index value is 128 and the corresponding
      bit-string length is 4096 bits.";
  }
  leaf bitmask {
    type uint32;
    description "The bit-string in 4-octet units.";
  }
} // bit-string

grouping adj-type {
  description "The collection of all possible adjacency type.";

  leaf adj-type {
    type enumeration {
      enum p2p {
        description "Describes p2p adjacency.";
      }
      enum bfer {
        description "Describes bfer adjacency.";
      }
      enum leaf-bfer {
        description
          "Describes leaf-bfer adjacency. There is no next BFR that
          the packet should be forwarded.";
      }
      enum lan {
```



```
        description "Describes lan adjacency.";
    }
    enum spoke {
        description "Describes spoke adjacency of hub-and-spoke.";
    }
    enum ring-clockwise {
        description "Describes clockwise adjacency in ring.";
    }
    enum ring-counterclockwise {
        description "Describes counterclockwise adjacency in ring.";
    }
    enum ecmp {
        description
            "Describes ecmp adjacency. When the type is set to ecmp,
             the corresponding ecmp entry should be used to balance
             the load.";
    }
    enum virtual-link {
        description
            "Describes virtual adjacency between two indirect connect
             nodes.";
    }
    enum other {
        description "Describes other id type of adjacency.";
    }
}
description "The collection of all possible adjacency type.";
}
} // adj-type

grouping te-bift-id {
    description "The index of BIER forwarding items. It usually
                 represents the combination of [SD, BSL, SI].";
    leaf type {
        type enumeration {
            enum mpls {
                description
                    "The bift-id value is represent the BIER TE mpls
                     forwarding plane. It is a mpls label.";
            }
            enum eth {
                description
                    "The bift-id value is represent the BIER TE ethernet
                     forwarding plane. It is an index of ethernet
                     encapsulation.";
            }
            enum other {
                description "Describes other type of te-bift-id.";
            }
        }
    }
}
```



```
    }
  }
  description "The types of BIER TE bift-id. If this type
              is not set, mpls is default type.";
}
leaf value {
  type rt-types:mpls-label;
  mandatory true;
  description
    "The bift-id value of the forwarding item. It can be a mpls
     label or an index of ethernet encapsulation which is used
     to represent specific combination of [SD, BSL, SI]. The
     ethernet index value is the same range (20bits) as mpls
     label.";
}
} // te-bift-id

grouping te-items {
  description "The BIER TE forwarding items collection.";

  container out-info {
    description
      "The information of out forwarding packets. Includes the
       outbound interface and the bift-id of next hop.";

    list out-if-list {
      key "fwd-intf";
      description
        "The outbound interface information for forwarding.";

      leaf fwd-intf {
        type if:interface-ref;
        mandatory true;
        description
          "The out interface of this forwarding item.";
      }
    }
    leaf dnr-flag {
      type boolean;
      description
        "When the flag is set to 1, the BP of adjacency should not
         be reset when packet copies are created. The flag makes
         sense only when the forwarding type is 'connected'.";
    }
  }
  container fwd-type {
    description
      "The collection of all possible forwarding types.";
    choice fwd-type {
      mandatory true;
    }
  }
}
```



```
    case connected {
      description
        "The forwarding type is connected. Mostly connected
        interfaces.";
    }
    case routed {
      description
        "The forwarding type is routed. Mostly not connected
        interfaces.";
    }
    case local-decap {
      description
        "Means that the packet should be decapsulated and
        forward out of BIER domain.";
    }
    case other {
      description
        "Means that the packet should be discarded.";
    }
    description
      "The collection of all possible forwarding types.";
  }
} // fwd-type

container te-out-bift-id {
  description
    "The bift-id information corresponding to a specific
    outbound interface.";
  uses te-bift-id;
}
}
} // te-items

/*
 * data nodes
 */
augment "/rt:routing/rt:control-plane-protocols/"
  +"rt:control-plane-protocol" {
  description "The BIER TE information.";
  container bier-te {
    description "The BIER TE information container.";

    container te-adj {
      description "The BIER TE adjacency information.";
      list adj-if {
        key "name";
        description "List of BIER-TE interfaces.";
      }
    }
  }
}
```



```
    leaf name {
      type if:interface-ref;
      description "Interface name reference.";
    }
    list subdomain {
      key "subdomain-id";
      description
        "The sub-domain which the interface belongs to.
        One interface can belong to many subdomains.";

      leaf subdomain-id {
        type uint16;
        description "The sub-domain-id of this sub-domain.";
        reference
          "RFC 8279: Multicast Using Bit Index Explicit
          Replication (BIER)";
      }
      list si {
        key "si";
        description "The set identifier value.";

        leaf si{
          type uint16;
          mandatory true;
          description
            "The set identifier of this forwarding item.";
        }
        leaf-list adj-id {
          type uint16;
          description "The ID of an adjacency.";
        }
      }
    }
    uses adj-type;
  }
} // te-adj

container te-fwd {
  description "The BIER TE forwarding information.";

  list subdomain {
    key "subdomain-id";
    description
      "The sub-domain which the interface belongs to.
      One interface can belong to many subdomains.";

    leaf subdomain-id {
      type uint16;
```



```
    description "The sub-domain-id of this sub-domain.";
    reference
      "RFC 8279: Multicast Using Bit Index Explicit
      Replication (BIER)";
  }
  list bsl {
    key "fwd-bsl";
    description "The forwarding items in one BSL.";
    leaf fwd-bsl {
      type uint16;
      description "The value of bitstringlength.";
    }
    list si {
      key "si";
      description
        "The forwarding items in one combination of SD,
        BSL and SI.";
      leaf si {
        type uint16;
        mandatory true;
        description
          "The set identifier of this forwarding item.";
      }
      container te-bift-id {
        description
          "The bift-id which is used to locate the specific
          forwarding item.";
        uses te-bift-id;
      }
    }

    list fwd-items {
      key "te-bp";
      description
        "The forwarding information of one BIER TE item.";
      leaf te-bp {
        type uint16;
        mandatory true;
        description
          "The bit index of a BIER TE forwarding item.";
      }
    }

    leaf te-ecmp {
      if-feature bier-te-ecmp;
      type boolean;
      description
        "The list of the ecmp paths. When the type of
        BP is set to ecmp, this interface ecmp list
        should be used to balance the load on each
```



```
        interface.";
    }
    uses te-items;

    container te-frr {
        if-feature bier-te-frr;
        leaf frr-index {
            type leafref {
                path "../../../../../" +
                    "te-frr-items/btaft/frr-index";
            }
            description "The index of this frr path.";
        }
        container resetbitmask {
            description
                "The deleting bitmask of the forwarding item.";
            uses bit-string;
        }
        description
            "If this link is protected, frr items can be used to
            forward flows when this link is down.";
    } // te-frr
} // fwd-items
} // si
} // bsl

container te-frr-items {
    if-feature bier-te-frr;
    description "The TE fast re-route information.";
    list btaft {
        key "frr-index";
        description
            "The index of the frr paths. This item can be used
            for multiple links protection in different SI.";
    }
    leaf frr-index {
        type uint16;
        mandatory true;
        description "The frr item index.";
    }
    leaf frr-si {
        type uint16;
        mandatory true;
        description
            "The set identifier of this forwarding item.";
    }
    leaf frr-bsl {
        type uint16;
        mandatory true;
    }
}
```



```

        description "The value of bitstringlength.";
    }
    container addbitmask {
        description
            "The adding bitmask of the forwarding item.
            This item should be merged into the packet's
            bit-string.";
        uses bit-string;
    }
    } // btaft
    } // te-frr-items
    } // subdomain
    } // te-fwd
    } // bier-te
}

/*
 * Notifications
 */
notification bier-te-notification {
    description
        "The notification is sent when a condition changes.";
    list bp-is-zero {
        key "if-index";
        description "The adjacency id is zero. It is invalid.";
        leaf if-index {
            type if:interface-ref;
            description "The adjacency id is zero.";
        }
        uses adj-type;
    }
}
}
}
<CODE ENDS>

```

7. IANA Considerations

The IANA is requested to assign two new URIs from the IETF XML registry ([[RFC3688](#)]). Authors are suggesting the following URI:

URI: urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-bier-te

Registrant Contact: BIER WG

XML: N/A, the requested URI is an XML namespace

This document also requests one new YANG module name in the YANG Module Names registry ([[RFC6020](#)]) with the following suggestion:

name: ietf-bier-te

namespace: urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-bier-te

prefix: bier-te

reference: RFC XXXX

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