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Abstract

This document defines a YANG data model for layer 3 traffic engineering topologies.

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[1. Introduction](#)

This document defines a YANG [[RFC6020](#)] data model for describing the relationship between a layer 3 network topology [[YANG-L3-TOPO](#)] and a TE topology [[YANG-TE-TOPO](#)].

When traffic engineering is enabled on a layer 3 network topology, there will be a corresponding TE topology. The TE topology may or may not be congruent to the layer 3 network topology. When such a congruent TE topology exists, there will be a one-to-one association between the one modeling element in the layer 3 topology to another element in the TE topology. When such a congruent TE topology does not exist, the association will not be one-to-one. This YANG data model allows both cases.

1.1. Terminology

The keywords "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](#), [[RFC2119](#)].

The following terms are defined in [[RFC6020](#)] and are not redefined here:

- o augment
- o data model
- o data node

2. Modeling Considerations

2.1. Relationship Between Layer 3 Topology and TE topology

In general, layer 3 network topology model and TE topology model can be used independently. When traffic engineering is enabled on a layer 3 network topology, there will be associations between objects in layer 3 network topologies and objects in TE topologies. The properties of these relations are:

- o The associations are between objects of the same class, i.e. node to node or link to link.
- o The multiplicity of such an association is: 0..1 to 0..1. An object in a layer 3 network may have zero or one associated object in the corresponding TE network.

2.2. Relationship Modeling

YANG data type `leafref` is used to model the association relationship between a layer 3 network topology and a TE topology. YANG `must` statements are used to enforce the referenced objects are in the topologies of proper type.

3. Model Structure

The model tree structure proposed by this document is as shown below:

module: `ietf-l3-te-topology`

```
augment /nw:networks/nw:network/nw:network-types/l3t:l3-unicast-igp-
topology:
  +-rw l3-te!
augment /nw:networks/nw:network/l3t:igp-topology-attributes:
  +-rw l3-te-topology-attributes
    +-rw network-ref? leafref
augment /nw:networks/nw:network/nw:node/l3t:igp-node-attributes:
  +-rw l3-te-node-attributes
    +-rw node-ref? leafref
    +-rw network-ref? leafref
augment /nw:networks/nw:network/nw:node/nt:termination-point/l3t:igp-
termination-point-attributes:
  +-rw l3-te-tp-attributes
    +-rw tp-ref? leafref
    +-rw node-ref? leafref
    +-rw network-ref? leafref
augment /nw:networks/nw:network/nt:link/l3t:igp-link-attributes:
  +-rw l3-te-link-attributes
    +-rw link-ref? leafref
    +-rw network-ref? leafref
```

[4. Layer 3 TE Topology YANG Module](#)

```
<CODE BEGINS> file "ietf-l3-te-topology@2016-03-17.yang"
module ietf-l3-te-topology {
  yang-version 1.1;
  namespace "urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-l3-te-topology";
  prefix "l3te";

  import ietf-network {
    prefix "nw";
  }
  import ietf-network-topology {
    prefix "nt";
  }
  import ietf-l3-unicast-igp-topology {
    prefix "l3t";
  }
  import ietf-te-topology {
    prefix "tet";
  }
}
```

```
organization "TBD";
contact "TBD";
description "L3 TE Topology model";

revision "2016-03-17" {

    description "Initial revision";
    reference "TBD";
}

grouping l3-te-topology-type {
    description
        "Identifies the L3 TE topology type.";
    container l3-te {
        presence "indicates L3 TE Topology";
        description
            "Its presence identifies the L3 TE topology type.";
    }
}

augment "/nw:networks/nw:network/nw:network-types/"
+ "l3t:l3-unicast-igp-topology" {
    description
        "Defines the OSPF topology type.";
    uses l3-te-topology-type;
}

augment "/nw:networks/nw:network/l3t:igp-topology-attributes" {
    when ".../nw:network-types/l3t:l3-unicast-igp-topology/l3-te" {
        description "Augment only for L3 unicast topology";
    }
    description "Augment topology configuration";
    uses l3-te-topology-attributes;
}

augment "/nw:networks/nw:network/nw:node/l3t:igp-node-attributes" {
    when ".../nw:network-types/l3t:l3-unicast-igp-topology/l3-te" {
        description "Augment only for L3 unicast topology";
    }
    description "Augment node configuration";
```

```
uses 13-te-node-attributes;
}

augment "/nw:networks/nw:network/nw:node/nt:termination-point/"
+ "l3t:igp-termination-point-attributes" {
when ".../.../nw:network-types/l3t:l3-unicast-igp-topology/"
+ "13-te" {
description "Augment only for L3 unicast topology";
}
description "Augment termination point configuration";
uses 13-te-tp-attributes;
}

augment "/nw:networks/nw:network/nt:link/l3t:igp-link-attributes" {
when ".../.../nw:network-types/l3t:l3-unicast-igp-topology/l3-te" {
description "Augment only for L3 unicast topology";
}
description "Augment link configuration";
uses 13-te-link-attributes;
}

grouping 13-te-topology-attributes {
description "L3 TE topology scope attributes";
container 13-te-topology-attributes {
must "/nw:networks/nw:network"
+ "[nw:network-id = current()/network-ref]/nw:network-types/"
+ "tet:te-topology" {
error-message
"The referenced network must be a TE topology.";
description
"The referenced network must be a TE topology.";
}
description "Containing TE topology references";
uses nw:network-ref;
} // 13-te-topology-attributes
} // 13-te-topology-attributes

grouping 13-te-node-attributes {
description "L3 TE node scope attributes";
container 13-te-node-attributes {
must "/nw:networks/nw:network"
```

```
+ "[nw:network-id = current()/network-ref]/nw:network-types/"
+ "tet:te-topology" {
error-message
    "The referenced network must be a TE topology.";
description
    "The referenced network must be a TE topology.";
}
description "Containing TE node references";
uses nw:node-ref;
} // l3-te
} // l3-te-node-attributes

grouping l3-te-tp-attributes {
description "L3 TE termination point scope attributes";
container l3-te-tp-attributes {
must "/nw:networks/nw:network"
+ "[nw:network-id = current()/network-ref]/nw:network-types/"
+ "tet:te-topology" {
error-message
    "The referenced network must be a TE topology.";
description
    "The referenced network must be a TE topology.";
}
description "Containing TE termination point references";
uses nt:tp-ref;
} // l3-te
} // l3-te-tp-attributes

grouping l3-te-link-attributes {
description "L3 TE link scope attributes";
container l3-te-link-attributes {
must "/nw:networks/nw:network"
+ "[nw:network-id = current()/network-ref]/nw:network-types/"
+ "tet:te-topology" {
error-message
    "The referenced network must be a TE topology.";
description
    "The referenced network must be a TE topology.";
}
description "Containing TE link references";
uses nt:link-ref;
```

```
        }
    } // l3-te-link-attributes
}
<CODE ENDS>
```

5. Security Considerations

The configuration, state, action and notification data defined in this document are designed to be accessed via the NETCONF protocol [[RFC6241](#)]. The data-model by itself does not create any security implications. The security considerations for the NETCONF protocol are applicable. The NETCONF protocol used for sending the data supports authentication and encryption.

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