A YANG Data Model for WDM management in Front-Haul NBI

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Semi-active WDM Architecture for 5G Fronthaul

The semi-active WDM system is composed by:

- O-RU side: colored optical modules and passive BiDi WDM.
- O-DU side: active WDM equipment.
- Passive BiDi WDM like MUX/DEMUX.



Since the AAU and DU are both wireless devices and could not be managed by transmission controller, the management of optical modules at AAU/DU side is difficult and special. One of workable solutions is semi-active WDM system.

- The OAM channel is used to transmit management and control information between the optical modules and WDM device.
- WDM device can be managed by the centralized transmission controller.

The value of management system for semi-active WDM

In some aspect, the management system for semi-active WDM system could have advantages:

✓ Optical layer protection and configure switching automatically and manually.



✓ Failure management.



✓ Module status monitoring



Management Interface requirements

Management object	
local side	Network equipment
	Card
	Port
remote side	Optical module
system	Тороlоду
	Connection

Interface functions Topology system Connection Information query configuration WDM equipment management Equipment configuration Protection management Information query Transceiver Configuration WDM equipment Fault Optical module WDM equipment Performance Optical module

The Existing Models Possibly Related



It is preferred that the semi-active WDM system should be managed by the transmission controller. And there are some models, listed as above in the table, are defined for WDM system. We think they can also be used for semi-active WDM system management. Extension for semi-active WDM is still undergoing research.

Next Steps

Further evaluation of the existing models and recognize required extensions for semi-active WDM management;

Specify the detected model extension for semi-active WDM management;

>Welcome to contribute;

Thank You!