Logging Extensions

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Motivation

 RFC 7937 defines logging capabilities with an Atom-based log index of files extended from the W3C Extended Log Format, lacks endpoint discovery.

 Providers have requirements for a variety of log file formats, data fields, and delivery/receipt mechanisms.

 There's also the need to address privacy regulations in transmission of request log data between entities.

What do the extensions add?

- Container (log file) formats
 - JSON, Whitespace delimited, Protobuf, Archives (tarballs)
 - Metadata sidecars
- Record field definitions
- Record types
 - JSON, CSV, Whitespace, Protobuf
 - Defined field sets: minimal, standard, extended
 - Optional HTTP header inclusion as record fields
- Data transformations
 - Obfuscation, encryption, truncation
- Additional transport mechanisms
 - How we get the logs from dCDN to uCDN?
 - S3, SFTP, Kafka, supporting both push and pull operational modes

```
"generic-metadata-type": "MI.LoggingMetadata",
"generic-metadata-value": {
  "transports": [
      "type": "MI.LoggingTransportS3API",
      "record-type": "standard_json_v1",
      "container-metadata":
        "container-type": "json_v1",
        "name-template": "%Y-%m-%d-access.log",
        "interval": 86400
      "account-id": "dCDN1",
      "endpoint": {
        "host": "s3.amazonaws.com",
        "access-key-id": "xxxxxxxxx",
        "access-key-secret": {
          "secret-store-id": "store-1",
          "secret-store-path": "/logging/dCDN1/dcdnlogs/s3"
        "bucket-name": "dcdnlogs"
```

MI.LoggingMetadata Example

What's planned?

 The current document is only the starting point for fulfilling operator logging requirements

Future work:

- Custom (metadata-defined) formats, record sets, record types, data fields, derived fields
- Filtering
- Sampling
- Aggregation