

# I2RS Protocol Simple Example

Hares work expansion of  
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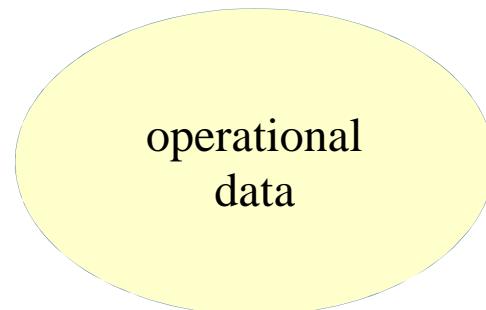
# Previous Definitions



config true;

---

config false;



All operational data exists alongside config=true but there is no datastore defined for config=false data nodes

# Definitions from ietf-netmod-opstate-req



config true;

intended config

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config false;

applied config

Derived state

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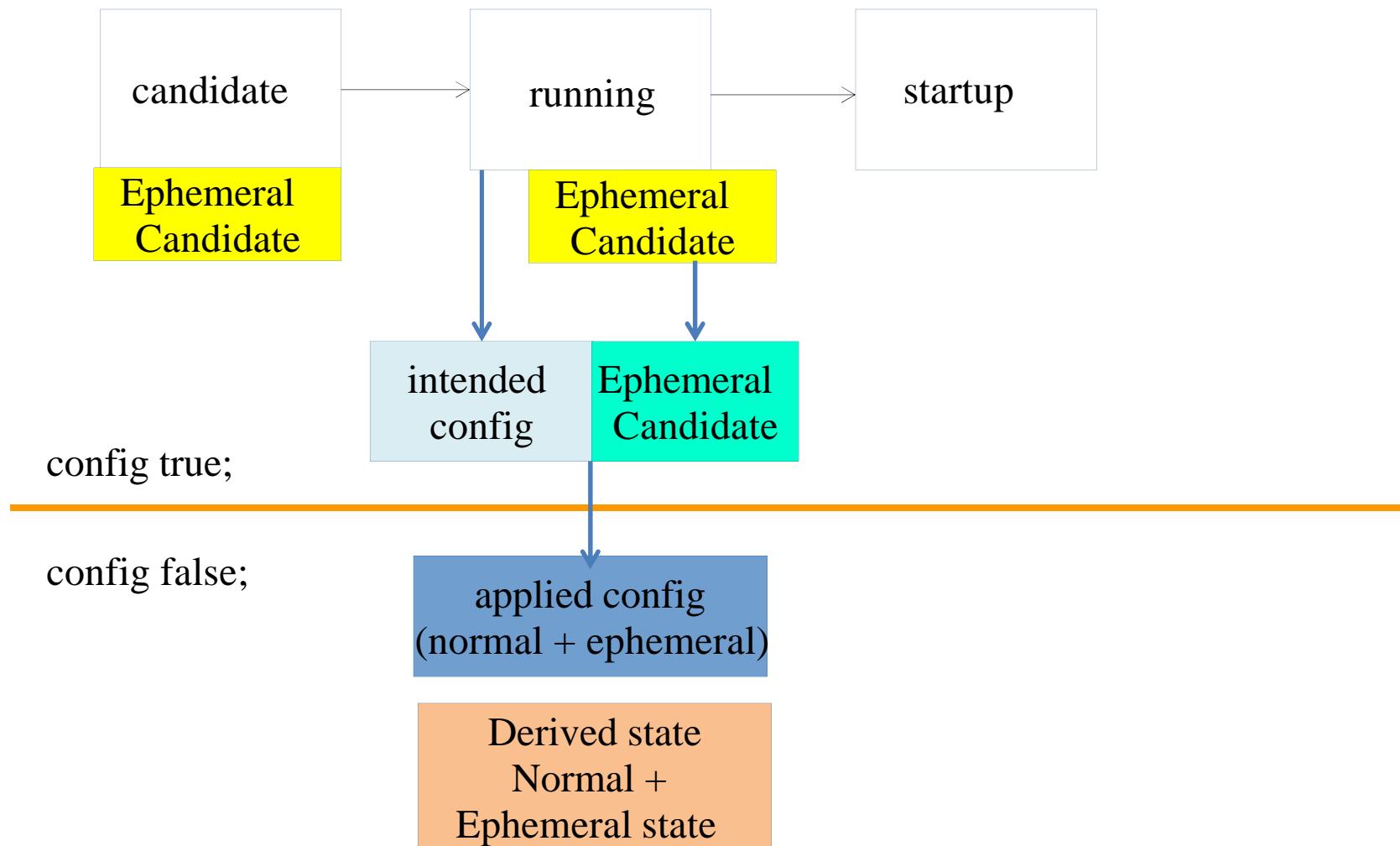
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applied config

Derived state

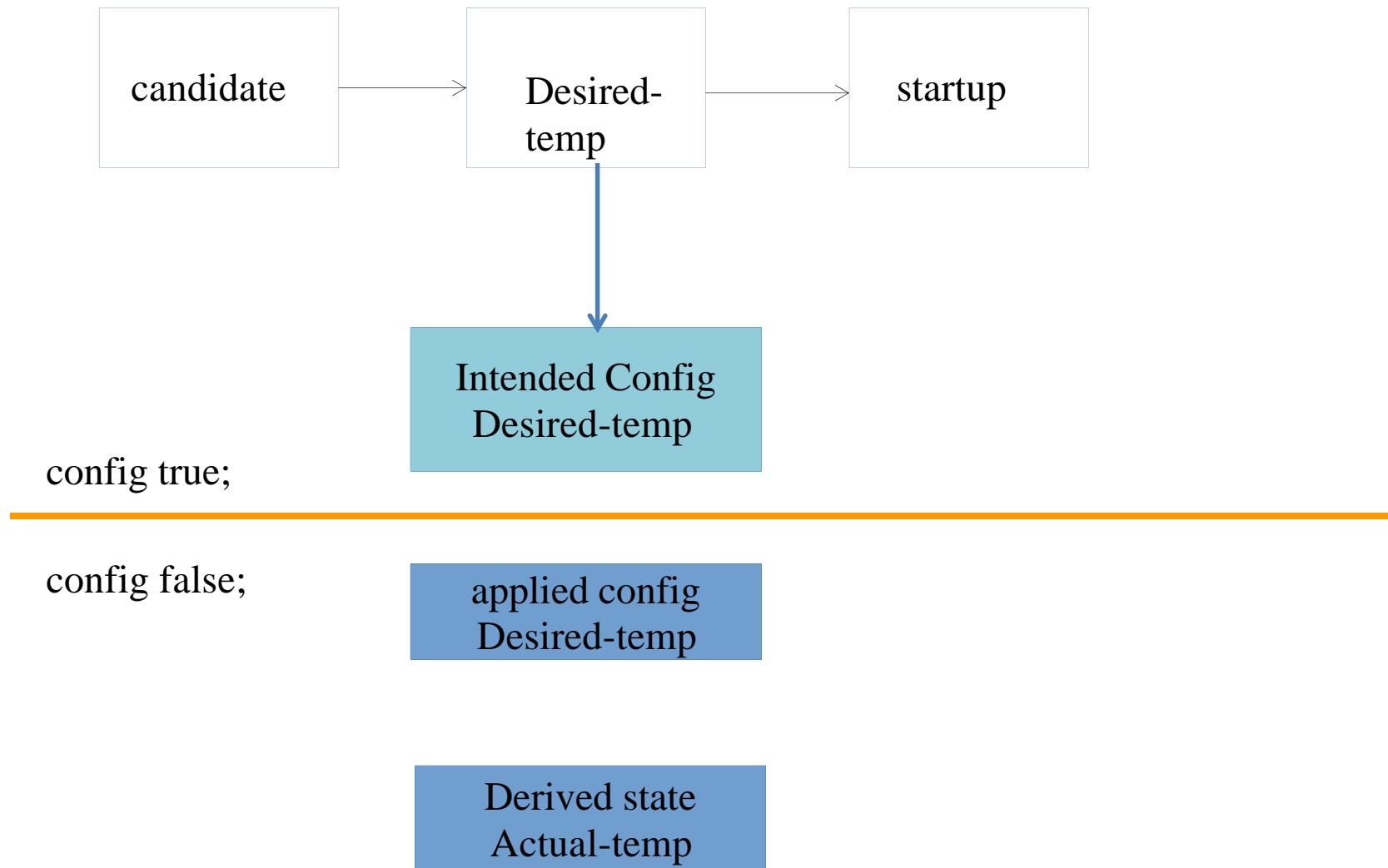
# Ephemeral Additions



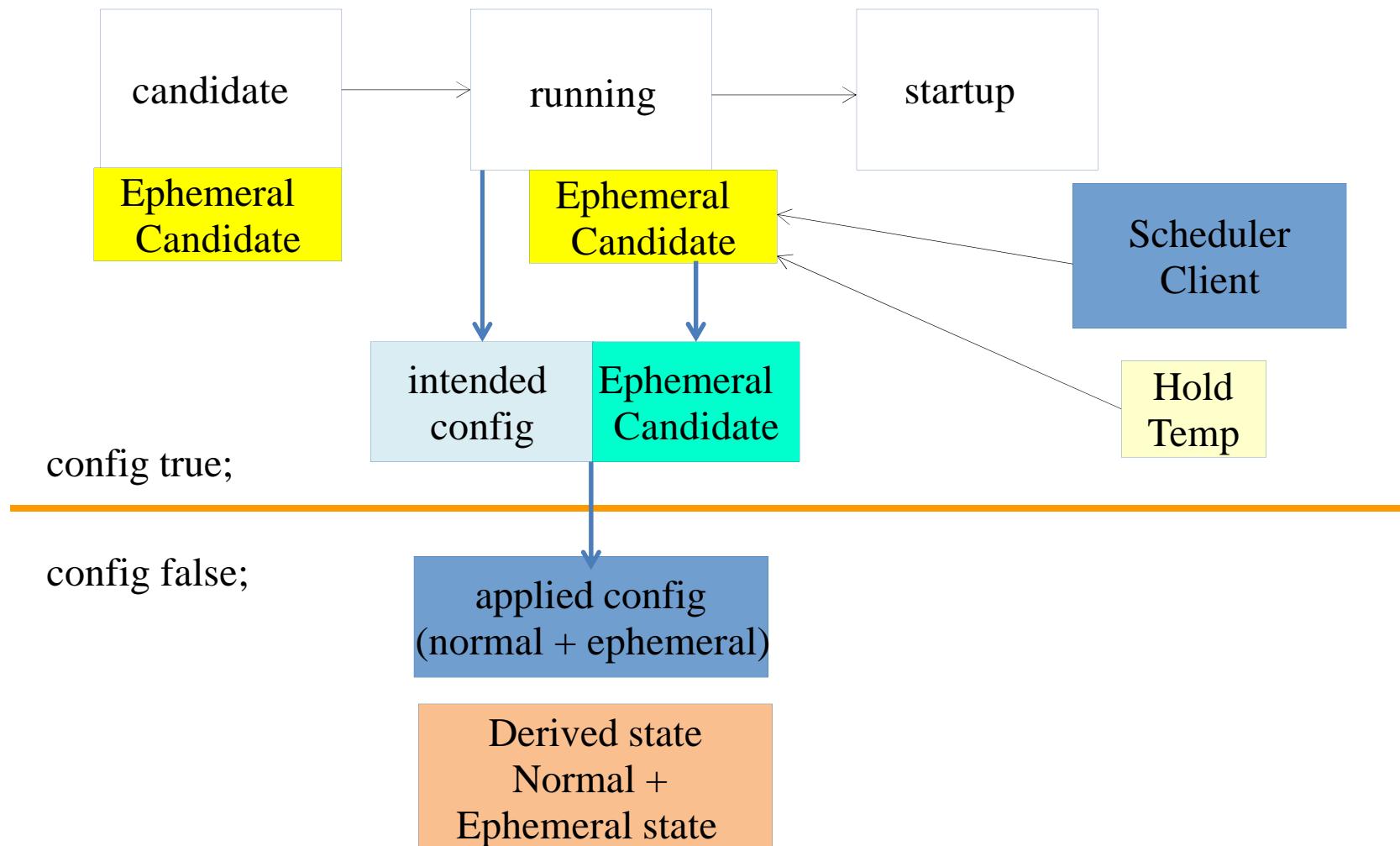
# Simple Thermostat Example

```
module thermostat {  
    ...  
    leaf desired-temp {  
        type int32;  
        units "degrees Celsius";  
        description "The desired temperature";  
    }  
  
    // operational state  
  
    leaf actual-temp {  
        type int32;  
        config false;  
        units "degrees Celsius";  
        description "The measured temperature";  
    }  
}
```

# Thermostate Model



# Thermostat + I2RS



# Simple Thermostat + ephemeral

```
module thermostat {  
    ...  
    leaf desired-temp {  
        type int32;  
        ephemeral true;  
        ephemeral-validation full-check;  
        units "degrees Celsius";  
        description "The desired temperature";  
    }  
}
```

Operational State:

```
leaf actual-temp {  
    type int32;  
    config false;  
    units "degrees Celsius";  
    description "The measured temperature";  
}  
}
```

# RESTCONF Example

## RESTCONF Running Datastore Edit

```
PUT /restconf/data/thermostat:desired-temp
```

```
{ "desired-temp": 18 }
```

## RESTCONF Ephemeral Datastore Edit of config=true

```
PUT /restconf/data/thermostat:desired-temp?context=ephemeral
```

```
{ "desired-temp": 18 }
```

# NETCONF

```
<rpc-message-id=101>
<xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:base:1.0">
<edit-config>
<target>
<ephemeral>
    True
    <ephemeral-validation>
        full-check
    </ephemeral-validation>
</ephemeral>
</target>
<config>
    <top xmlns="http://example.com/schema/1.0/thermostat/config">
        <desired-temp> 18 </desired-temp>
```

# Capability Specification for NETCONF/RESTCONF

# NETCONF (1)

- **Capability: ephemeral-datastore**
- *Overview:*
  - Not intended to survive a reboot, and Never locked
  - 1 Pane of glass ephemeral vs config 1 pane of class: Last Write wins (alterable via operator-applied policy)
  - Multiple clients writes to 1 Pane of ephemeral glass = error, but highest priority wins for ephemeral glass
  - Signaled as capability for node, grouping, sub-model, model via NETCONF <hello> - but no non-ephemeral under ephemeral modules, sub-trees, node
  - Ephemeral error checking: 1)syntax only, 2) reduced, 3) full-check
  - Yang statement “ephemeral”
- **Dependencies:**
  - Yang: ephemeral flag, ephemeral-validation
  - Yang modules – must support notification of write conflicts (Config/ephemeral and Priority)

# NETCONF (2)

- New operations :
  - Link-ephemeral <target-config>
  - Bulk-write – [Not sure if need or if rpc better approach]
- Modifications
  - <get-config> <get> - target changes
  - <edit-config> - <merge-priority> <replace-priority>
    - <default-operations>: <merge-priority> or <replace-priority>
    - <error-option> - “all-or-nothing” == “rollback-on-error”
  - <unlock> <lock> - not supported
  - <confirmed commit> - not supported
  - <close-session> <kill-session> - target change
  - <Writeable-running> and <candidate> – support ephemeral (?)
  - Validate – supports ephemeral data store with three key words:
    - Syntax, reduced, full-check

# RESTCONF (1)

- **Capability: ephemeral-context**
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  - Ephemeral error checking: 1)syntax only, 2) reduced, 3) full-check
  - Yang statement “ephemeral”
- **Dependencies:**
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  - I2RS Yang modules support: Yang patch and Yang module library

# RESTCONF (20)

- Data resources
  - +restconf/data – ephemeral data tree with editi collision features of timestamp and Entity Tag
  - Assumption: Entity can be split to client-priority
- Modifications
  - Options: provide indication of ephemeral state in data modules, sub-modules [ietf-netconf-yang-library]
  - HEAD – returns ephemeral or config context
  - GET - determines if ephemeral or config
  - POST/PUT/PATCH - context=ephemeral:  
uses ephemeral rules + validity + priority + no config below ephemeral
  - DELETE – ephemeral context
  - Query – Allows to filter by ephemeral
  - Error/Notifications – must interact with pub/sub push [ietf-netconf-yang-push]
  - Log and traceability -

# RESTCONF

- capability-name: ephemeral-datastore
- Dependencies: