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Abstract

This document defines a YANG data model that can be used to configure and manage L3VPN (BGP/MPLS IP VPN).

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[1. Introduction](#)

YANG [[RFC6020](#)] is a data definition language that was introduced to define the contents of a conceptual data store that allows networked devices to be managed using NETCONF [[RFC6241](#)]. YANG is proving relevant beyond its initial confines, as bindings to other interfaces (e.g. ReST) and encodings other than XML (e.g. JSON) are being defined. Furthermore, YANG data models can be used as the basis of implementation for other interfaces, such as CLI and programmatic APIs.

This document defines a YANG data model that can be used to configure and manage L3VPN (BGP/MPLS IP VPN) [[RFC4364](#)].

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2. Definitions and Acronyms

AF: Address Family

BGP: Border Gateway Protocol

JSON: JavaScript Object Notation

L3VPN: Layer 3 VPN

NETCONF: Network Configuration Protocol

ReST: Representational State Transfer, a style of stateless interface and protocol that is generally carried over HTTP

YANG: A data definition language for NETCONF

3. Design of the L3VPN Model

3.1. Overview

The L3VPN Yang module is to augment the routing instance Yang models proposed by the draft [[I-D.ietf-netmod-routing-cfg](#)]. It introduced the "l3vpn" container to define augmented parameters which can be applied for VRF Routing Instance and support both the IPv4 and IPv6 address families. The overview of the "l3vpn" container is shown in the following figure:

```
module: ietf-l3vpn
augment /rt:routing/rt:routing-instance:
  +-rw l3vpn
    +-rw ipv4-family
      | +-rw bgp-parameters
      |   +-rw common
      |     +-rw route-distinguisher? string
      |     +-rw vpn-targets* [rt-value]
      |       +-rw rt-value string
      |       +-rw rt-type bgp-rt-type
      |
      |.....
    +-rw ipv6-family
      +-rw bgp-parameters
        +-rw common
          +-rw route-distinguisher? string
          +-rw vpn-targets* [rt-value]
            +-rw rt-value string
            +-rw rt-type bgp-rt-type
      |
      |.....
```

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L3VPN interface parameters can reuse those parameters defined by [[I-D.ietf-netmod-routing-cfg](#)].

BGP Protocols parameters for L3VPN is defined by the draft [[I-D.ietf-idr-bgp-model](#)]. The augment may be defined in the future version if necessary.

3.2. VPN Instance Configuration

An instance is created to comprise the VPN forwarding information for each VPN in a BGP/MPLS IP VPN. This instance is called a VPN instance or a VPN routing and forwarding (VRF) table. It is also called a per-site forwarding table in [[RFC4364](#)]. VPN instances must be created in all BGP/MPLS IP VPN solutions. VPN instances support both the IPv4 and IPv6 address families.

VPN instance configuration consists of the following components :

- o Per-Instance Configuration : that contains the common writable configuration objects for VPN instance IPv4 and IPv6 address family.
- o Address Family Configuration of L3VPN Instance: that contains the address family specific writable configuration objects.

3.2.1. Per-Instance Configuration

Per-instance parameters is defined by [[I-D.ietf-netmod-routing-cfg](#)] including instance name, description, etc.

3.2.2. Address Family Configuration of L3VPN Instance

l3vpn container contains the address family specific writable configuration objects, such as route-distinguisher, vpn-targets, apply-label-mode, etc. The parameters should be consistent between IPv4 family and IPv6 family.

```

+--rw l3vpn
  +-rw ipv4-family
    +-rw bgp-parameters
      +-rw common
        +-rw route-distinguisher? string
        +-rw vpn-targets* [rt-value]
          +-rw rt-value string
          +-rw rt-type bgp-rt-type
      +-rw apply-label-mode? apply-label-mode-def
      +-rw import-route-policy? string
      +-rw export-route-policy? string
      +-rw tunnel-policy? string
      +-rw prefix-limit
        +-rw prefix-limit-number? uint32
        +-rw (prefix-limit-action)?
          +---(enable-alert-percent)
            +-rw alert-percent-value? uint8
            +-rw route-unchanged? boolean
          +---(enable-simple-alert)
            +-rw simple-alert? boolean
      +-rw routing-table-limit
        +-rw routing-table-limit-number? uint32
        +-rw (routing-table-limit-action)?
          +---(enable-alert-percent)
            +-rw alert-percent-value? uint8
          +---(enable-simple-alert)
            +-rw simple-alert? boolean
      +-rw import-global-rib
        +-rw protocol? enumeration
        +-rw processId? uint32
        +-rw bgp-valid-route? boolean
        +-rw route-policy-name? string
  +-rw ipv6-family
  .....

```

[3.3. Yang Tree of L3VPN Yang Model](#)

The Yang tree of L3VPn Yang model is shown in the following figure:

```

module: ietf-l3vpn
augment /rt:routing/rt:routing-instance:
  +-rw l3vpn
    +-rw ipv4-family
      +-rw bgp-parameters
        +-rw common
          +-rw route-distinguisher? string
          +-rw vpn-targets* [rt-value]
            +-rw rt-value string

```



```
| |       +-+rw rt-type      bgp-rt-type
| +-rw apply-label-mode?      apply-label-mode-def
| +-rw import-route-policy?  string
| +-rw export-route-policy?  string
| +-rw tunnel-policy?       string
| +-rw prefix-limit
| |   +-+rw prefix-limit-number?  uint32
| |   +-+rw (prefix-limit-action)?
| |     +--+:(enable-alert-percent)
| |       | +-+rw alert-percent-value?  uint8
| |       | +-+rw route-unchanged?    boolean
| |     +--+:(enable-simple-alert)
| |       +-+rw simple-alert?      boolean
| +-rw routing-table-limit
| |   +-+rw routing-table-limit-number?  uint32
| |   +-+rw (routing-table-limit-action)?
| |     +--+:(enable-alert-percent)
| |       | +-+rw alert-percent-value?  uint8
| |     +--+:(enable-simple-alert)
| |       +-+rw simple-alert?      boolean
| +-rw import-global-rib
|   +-+rw protocol?          enumeration
|   +-+rw processId?         uint32
|   +-+rw bgp-valid-route?   boolean
|   +-+rw route-policy-name? string
+-rw ipv6-family
  +-+rw bgp-parameters
  | |   +-+rw common
  | |     +-+rw route-distinguisher?  string
  | |     +-+rw vpn-targets* [rt-value]
  | |       +-+rw rt-value      string
  | |       +-+rw rt-type      bgp-rt-type
  +-rw apply-label-mode?      apply-label-mode-def
  +-rw import-route-policy?  string
  +-rw export-route-policy?  string
  +-rw tunnel-policy?       string
  +-rw prefix-limit
  | |   +-+rw prefix-limit-number?  uint32
  | |   +-+rw (prefix-limit-action)?
  | |     +--+:(enable-alert-percent)
  | |       | +-+rw alert-percent-value?  uint8
  | |       | +-+rw route-unchanged?    boolean
  | |     +--+:(enable-simple-alert)
  | |       +-+rw simple-alert?      boolean
  +-rw routing-table-limit
  | |   +-+rw routing-table-limit-number?  uint32
  | |   +-+rw (routing-table-limit-action)?
  | |     +--+:(enable-alert-percent)
```



```
|      |  +-+rw alert-percent-value?          uint8
|      +-+:(enable-simple-alert)
|          +-+rw simple-alert?            boolean
+-+rw import-global-rib
    +-+rw protocol?                enumeration
    +-+rw processId?              uint32
    +-+rw bgp-valid-route?        boolean
    +-+rw route-policy-name?     string
```

4. L3VPN YANG Model

```
//L3VPN YANG MODEL
<CODE BEGINS> file "ietf-l3vpn.yang"
module ietf-l3vpn {
    namespace "urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-l3vpn";
    // replace with IANA namespace when assigned
    prefix "l3vpn";

    import ietf-routing {
        prefix "rt";
        //draft-ietf-netmod-routing-cfg-19
    }

    organization "IETF BGP Enabled Services WG";
    contact "draft-li-bess-l3vpn-yang@tools.ietf.org";
    description
        "This YANG module defines the generic configuration data
         for L3VPN service.

    Terms and Acronyms

    BGP (bgp): Border Gateway Protocol
    IPv4 (ipv4): Internet Protocol Version 4
    IPv6 (ipv6): Internet Protocol Version 6

    ";

    revision 2015-10-09 {
        description
            "Initial revision.";
        reference "RFC4271, RFC4364, RFC4365, RFC4760.";
    }

/* typedefs */

typedef bgp-rt-type {
    type enumeration {
        enum import {
```



```
        description "For import";
    }
    enum export {
        description "For export";
    }
    enum both {
        description "For both import and export";
    }
}
description "BGP route-target type. Import from BGP YANG.";
}

typedef apply-label-mode-def {
    type enumeration {
        enum "per-route" {
            value 0;
            description
                "By default, the VPN instance IPv4 address family
                 assigns a unique label to each route to be sent
                 to the peer PE.";
        }
        enum "per-instance" {
            value 1;
            description
                "The apply-label per-instance command enables the
                 one-label-per-VPN-instance mode.";
        }
    }
    description "...";
}

typedef routing-instance-type-ref {
    type leafref {
        path "/rt:routing/rt:routing-instance/rt:type";
    }
    description
        "This type is used for leafs that reference a routing
         instance configuration.";
}

grouping bgp-parameters-grp {
    description
        "BGP parameters grouping.";
    container bgp-parameters {
        description
            "Parameters for BGP.";
        container common {
            description
```



```
    "Common BGP parameters.";
  leaf route-distinguisher {
    type string;
    description "BGP RD.";
  }
  list vpn-targets {
    key rt-value;
    description
      "Route Targets.";
    leaf rt-value {
      type string;
      description
        "Route-Target value.";
    }
    leaf rt-type {
      type bgp-rt-type;
      mandatory true;
      description
        "Type of RT.";
    }
  }
}
}

grouping vpn-af-config {
  description
    "A set of configuration parameters that is applicable to both
     IPv4 and IPv6 address family for a VPN instance .";
  leaf apply-label-mode {
    type apply-label-mode-def;
    default "per-route";
    description ".";
  }
  leaf import-route-policy {
    type string {
      length "1..40";
    }
    description
      "The import route-policy command associates a VPN instance
       enabled with the IPv4 or IPv6 address family with an
       import routing policy.
      Only one import routing policy can be associated with a
      VPN instance enabled with the IPv4 or IPv6 address family.
      If the import route-policy command is run more than once,
```



```
        the latest configuration overrides the previous ones.";  
    }  
  
    leaf export-route-policy {  
        type string {  
            length "1..40";  
        }  
        description  
            "The export route-policy command associates a VPN instance  
            enabled with the IPv4 or IPv6 address family with an  
            export routing policy.  
            Only one export routing policy can be associated with a  
            VPN instance enabled with the IPv4 or IPv6 address family.  
            If the export route-policy command is run more than once,  
            the latest configuration overrides the previous ones.";  
    }  
  
    leaf tunnel-policy {  
        type string;  
        description  
            "Tunnel policy name.";  
    }  
  
    container prefix-limit {  
        description  
            "The prefix limit command sets a limit on the maximum  
            number of prefixes supported in the existing VPN  
            instance, preventing the PE from importing excessive  
            VPN route prefixes.";  
        leaf prefix-limit-number {  
            type uint32 {  
                range "1..4294967295";  
            }  
            description  
                "Specifies the maximum number of prefixes supported in the  
                VPN instance IPv4 or IPv6 address family.";  
        }  
  
        choice prefix-limit-action {  
            description ".";  
            case enable-alert-percent {  
                leaf alert-percent-value {  
                    type uint8 {  
                        range "1..100";  
                    }  
                    description  
                        "Specifies the proportion of the alarm threshold to the
```



```
        maximum number of prefixes.";  
    }  
    leaf route-unchanged {  
        type boolean;  
        default "false";  
        description  
            "Indicates that the routing table remains unchanged.  
             By default, route-unchanged is not configured. When  
             the number of prefixes in the routing table is  
             greater than the value of the parameter number,  
             routes are processed as follows:  
             (1)If route-unchanged is configured, routes in the  
                 routing table remain unchanged.  
             (2)If route-unchanged is not configured, all routes  
                 in the routing table are deleted and then  
                 re-added.";  
    }  
}  
case enable-simple-alert {  
    leaf simple-alert {  
        type boolean;  
        default "false";  
        description  
            "Indicates that when the number of VPN route prefixes  
             exceeds number, prefixes can still join the VPN  
             routing table and alarms are displayed.";  
    }  
}  
}  
}  
  
container routing-table-limit {  
    description  
        "The routing-table limit command sets a limit on the maximum  
         number of routes that the IPv4 or IPv6 address family of a  
         VPN instance can support.  
         By default, there is no limit on the maximum number of  
         routes that the IPv4 or IPv6 address family of a VPN  
         instance can support, but the total number of private  
         network and public network routes on a device cannot  
         exceed the allowed maximum number of unicast routes.";  
  
    leaf routing-table-limit-number {  
        type uint32 {  
            range "1..4294967295";  
        }  
        description
```



```
    "Specifies the maximum number of routes supported by a
     VPN instance. ";
}

choice routing-table-limit-action {
    description ".";
    case enable-alert-percent {
        leaf alert-percent-value {
            type uint8 {
                range "1..100";
            }
        description
            "Specifies the percentage of the maximum number of
             routes. When the maximum number of routes that join
             the VPN instance is up to the value
             (number*alert-percent)/100, the system prompts
             alarms. The VPN routes can be still added to the
             routing table, but after the number of routes
             reaches number, the subsequent routes are
             dropped.";
        }
    }
    case enable-simple-alert {
        leaf simple-alert {
            type boolean;
        description
            "Indicates that when VPN routes exceed number, routes
             can still be added into the routing table, but the
             system prompts alarms.
             However, after the total number of VPN routes and
             network public routes reaches the unicast route limit
             specified in the License, the subsequent VPN routes
             are dropped.";
        }
    }
}
}

container import-global-rib {
    description
        "Route Leaking from a Global Routing Table into a VRF.';

leaf protocol {
    type enumeration {
        enum ALL {
            value "0";
            description "ALL:";
        }
    }
}
```



```
enum Direct {
    value "1";
    description "Direct:";
}
enum OSPF {
    value "2";
    description "OSPF:";
}
enum ISIS {
    value "3";
    description "ISIS:";
}
enum Static {
    value "4";
    description "Static:";
}
enum RIP {
    value "5";
    description "RIP:";
}
enum BGP {
    value "6";
    description "BGP:";
}
enum OSPFV3 {
    value "7";
    description "OSPFV3:";
}
enum RIPNG {
    value "8";
    description "RIPNG:";
}
enum INVALID {
    value "9";
    description "INVALID:";
}
}
description
"Specifies the protocol from which routes are imported.
At present, In the IPv4 unicast address family view,
the protocol can be IS-IS,static, direct and BGP.";
```

```
leaf processId {
    type uint32 {
        range "0..4294967295";
    }
    default "0";
```



```
description
  "Specifies the process ID if the protocol from routes
   are imported is IS-IS.";
}

leaf bgp-valid-route {
  type boolean;
  description ".";
}

leaf route-policy-name {
  type string;
  description
    "Policy Id for import routes";
}

}

}

augment "/rt:routing/rt:routing-instance" {
  description ".";
  container l3vpn {
    when "routing-instance-type-ref = 'vrf-routing-instance'" {
      description ".";
    }
    description ".";
    container ipv4-family {
      description
        "The IPv4 address family is enabled for the VPN
         instance.";
      uses bgp-parameters-grp;
      uses vpn-af-config;
    }

    container ipv6-family {
      description
        "The IPv6 address family is enabled for the VPN
         instance.";
      uses bgp-parameters-grp;
      uses vpn-af-config;
    }
  } //End of case type
} //End of augment "/rt:routing/rt:routing-instance"
}
```


</CODE ENDS>

5. IANA Considerations

This document makes no request of IANA.

6. Security Considerations

This document does not introduce any new security risk.

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