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Headaches From YANG Models?

Using YANG Suite to Automate and Validate your Journey to Programmability

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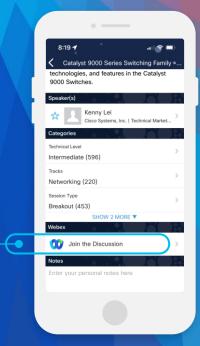
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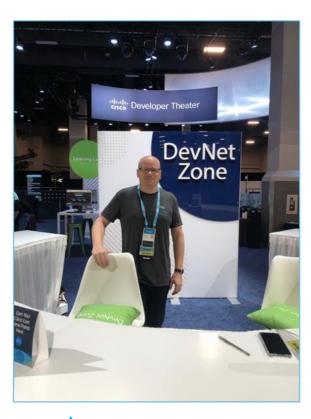
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Who Am I?



Career

- 23+ years in some aspect of Information Technology
- 8+ years in High Frequency Trading networks
- 5 years as Systems Architect at Cisco Systems, Inc.
- · 2nd year as Cisco Live speaker
- Focus
 - 14+ years Automation/Programmability
 - · Current focus on Model-Driven Programmability



Model-Driven Programmability



Model-Driven Programmability Stack

Application

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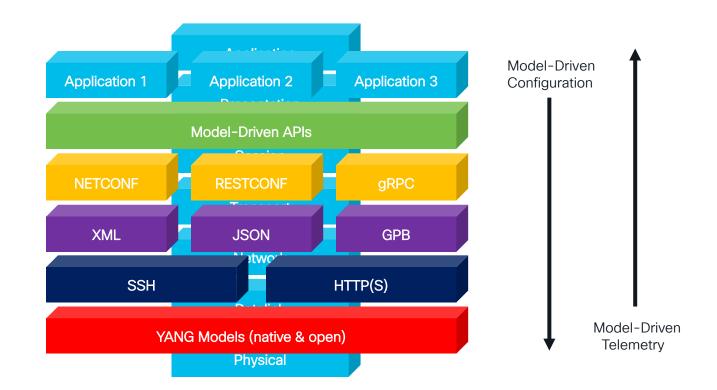
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Transport

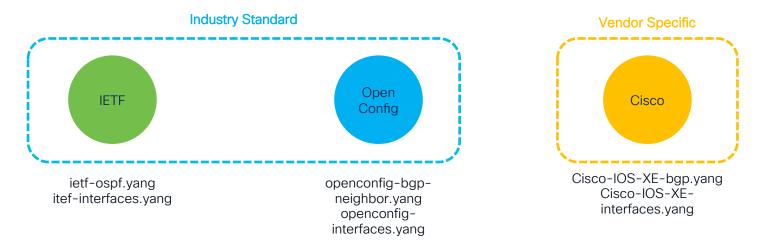
Models





Data Models and YANG

- Data Models
 - A data-models explicitly and precisely determines the structure, syntax, and semantics of the data which is externally available and visible.
 - Ensures completeness and consistency of interactions between systems and clients.





What does a YANG model look like?

Module

module: Cisco-IOS-XE-native

```
rw username* [name]
                                                 Leaf/Key
                                       string
           +--rw name
           +--rw privilege?
                                       uint.8
           +--rw view?
                                       string
           +--rw one-time?
                                       empty
           +--rw mac?
                                       empty
           +--rw serial-number?
                                       empty
List
           +--rw description?
                                       string
           +--rw wlan-profile-name?
                                       string
           +--rw password
                                   enumeration
              +--rw encryption?
                                                Data Type
              +--rw password?
                                   string
           t--rw secret
              +--rw encryption?
                                   enumeration
              +--rw secret?
                                   string
```

username cisco123 privilege 15 secret 0fc5ec3ed9da5f8802...

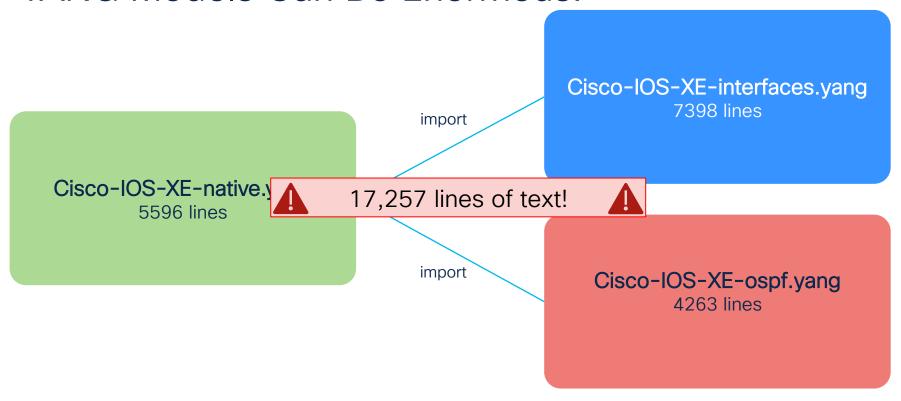


What does a YANG model look like?

```
<devices>
   <device type="Cisco">
     <ip-addr>10.207.65.52</ip-addr>
     <name>R2</name>
     <pavload>
         <config xmlns:xc="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:netconf:base:1.0" xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:netconf:base:1.0">
           <native xmlns="http://cisco.com/ns/yang/Cisco-IOS-XE-native" xmlns:ios-ospf=http://cisco.com/ns/yang/Cisco-IOS-XE-ospf>
                 <router>
                <ios-ospf:ospf>
                   <ios-ospf:id>1</ios-ospf:id>
                   <ios-ospf:network>
                      <ios-ospf:ip>2.2.2</ios-ospf:ip>
                      <ios-ospf:mask>0.0.0.255</ios-ospf:mask>
                      <ios-ospf:area>0</ios-ospf:area>
                   </ios-ospf:network>
                </ios-ospf:ospf>
                </router>
                                                                                            YANG-Defined Models
               </native>
         </config>
                                                                                                                      NETCONF Payload
     </payload>
   </device>
  </devices
                                                                                                                                       XML Data
```



YANG Models Can Be Enormous!

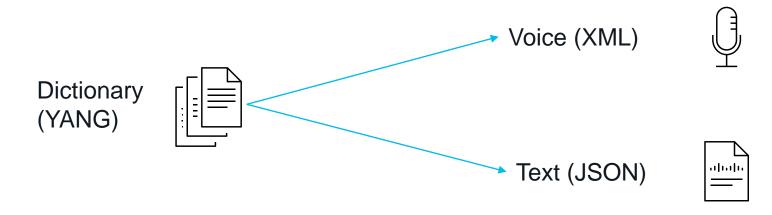




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YANG, XML, or JSON?

- YANG is NOT XML or JSON!
- YANG similar to English language (dictionary)
- XML/JSON are encodings similar to voice or text





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Cisco YANG Suite



YANG Suite In Your Network



Learn and Browse

The core components of YANG Suite is an extensible plugin infrastructure used for testing and validating YANG RPCs and payloads.

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NETCONF, gNMI & gRPC Telemetry

Interact using NETCONF protocol to network devices using YANG data models and payloads. Receive gRPC Dial-Out Model Driven Telemetry.



Interact with Devices

The YANG Suite File Manager works with SCP, Git, NETCONF, or local YANG files.



NETCONF, gNMI, and RESTCONF Programmability

Interact using the various protocols to network devices using YANG data models and payloads.



Migration to YANG

YANG Suite helps with migration from legacy interfaces to YANG.



Datasets and Diffs

The YANG Suite Analytics plugin provides easy transaction of the various metadata in YANG models.



Demo





Conclusion

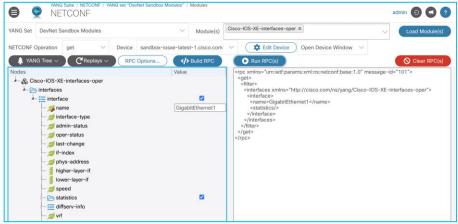




Resources

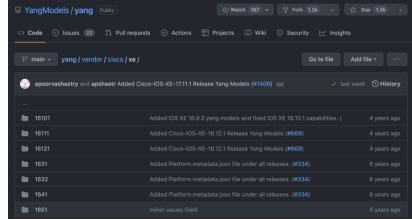
YANG Suite:

https://github.com/CiscoDevNet/yangsuite



YANG Models:

https://github.com/YangModels/yang/tree/master/vendor/cisco





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