Describe parsing of common data format (XML, JSON, and YAML) to Python data structures

## YAML

## OCG\_yaml\_sample.yaml

```
---
interface:
  name: GigabitEthernet2
  description: Wide Area Network
  enabled: true
  ipv4:
    address:
    - ip: 172.16.0.2
    netmask: 255.255.255.0
```

## working\_with\_yaml.py

```
import yaml
with open("OCG_yaml_sample.yaml") as data:
   yaml_sample = data.read()
# Convert the yaml file to a dictionary
yaml_dict = yaml.load(yaml_sample, Loader=yaml.FullLoader)
# Print the dictionary
print(yaml_dict) # {'interface': {'name': 'GigabitEthernet2', 'description': 'Wide
Area Network', 'enabled': True, 'ipv4': {'address': [{'ip': '172.16.0.2', 'netmask':
'255.255.255.0'<sub>}]}}}</sub>
# Change parameters
yaml_dict["interface"]["name"] = "GigabitEthernet1"
yaml_dict["interface"]["ipv4"]["address"][0]["ip"] = "10.1.1.1"
yaml_dict["interface"]["ipv4"]["address"][0]["netmask"] = "255.255.255.255"
# Print in yaml format
print(yaml.dump(yaml_dict, default_flow_style=False))
#Output
.....
interface:
 description: Wide Area Network
 enabled: true
 ipv4:
   address:
   - ip: 10.1.1.1
      netmask: 255.255.255.255
 name: GigabitEthernet1
```

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# Write to new yaml file
with open("OCG_yaml_sample_changed.yaml", "w") as data:
    data.write(yaml.dump(yaml_dict, default_flow_style=False))
```

## OCG\_yaml\_sample\_changed.yaml

```
interface:
    description: Wide Area Network
    enabled: true
    ipv4:
       address:
       - ip: 10.1.1.1
        netmask: 255.255.255
name: GigabitEthernet1
```