YANG model for finite state machine

draft-sambo-netmod-yang-fsm-04

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Objective

- YANG model for finite state machine (FSM) to increase programmability of network elements
- Some examples:
 - Pre-instruct devices on reconfigurations based on current network state
 - Custom data probing in network telemetry applications based on network state
 - Monitoring of packet loss and delay through a network clustering approach based QoS state

YANG model for FSM

```
module: finite-state-machine
+--rw current-state?
                       leafref
+--rw states
                                                         e.g., state [0]= 'normal operation'
   +--rw state [id]
                           state-id-type
      +--rw id
      +--rw description?
                           string
      +--rw transitions
                                                                    e.g., BER increase
         +--rv transition [name type]
                                 string
            +--rw name
                                 transition-type
            +--rw type
            +--rw description?
                                 string
            +--rw filters
                                                 To put a threshold on the BER: e.g., BER>TH
               +--rw filter [filter-id]
                                     yp:filter-id
                  +--rw filter-id
                                                         e.g., change modulation format
              --rw actions
               +--rw action [id]
                  +--rw id
                                       transition-id-type
                                       enumeration
                  +--rw type
                  +--rw conditional
                     +--rw statement
                                         string
                     +--rw true
                                                                    an <rpc> is called
                        +--rw execute
                                              transition-id-type
                        +--rw next-action?
                                              leafref
                        +--rw next-state?
                     +--rw false
                        +--rw execute
                        +--rw next-action?
                                              transition-id-type
                                              leafref
                        +--rw next-state?
                  +--rw simple
                     +--rw execute
                     +--rw next-action?
                                          transition-id-type
                                           leafref
                     +--rw next-state?
```

Relation with other drafts

- This draft originally proposed in opsawg draft-sambo-opsawg-ccamp-supa-ext-yang-fsm-00 June 27 2017
- Moved in netmod: draft-sambo-netmod-yang-fsm-00, October 30 2017
- Now version 4
- Other draft: draft-bryskin-netconf-automation-yang-00, February 21 2018
 - Now version 3 expiring in December 2018
 - YANG model for Events, Conditions, Actions
 - To manipulate network auto-control
- Some similarities
- Possibilities:
 - 1. Is draft-bryskin-netconf-automation-yang-03 going to be updated?
 - Identify differences of the objectives and possibilities of the two approaches
 - 3. Find a way to merge them

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