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Real-Time Transport Protocol Management Information Base

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Abstract

This memo defines a portion of the Management Information Base (MIB) for use with network management protocols in the Internet community. In particular, it defines objects for managing Real-Time Transport Protocol (RTP) systems (RFC1889).

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1. The SNMP Management Framework

The SNMP Management Framework presently consists of five major components:

- o An overall architecture, described in RFC 2571 [RFC2571].
- o Mechanisms for describing and naming objects and events for the purpose of management. The first version of this Structure of Management Information (SMI) is called SMIv1 and described in STD 16, RFC 1155 [RFC1155], STD 16, RFC 1212 [RFC1212] and RFC 1215 [RFC1215]. The second version, called SMIv2, is described in STD 58, RFC 2578 [RFC2578], RFC 2579 [RFC2579] and RFC 2580 [RFC2580].
- o Message protocols for transferring management information. The first version of the SNMP message protocol is called SNMPv1 and described in STD 15, RFC 1157 [RFC1157]. A second version of the SNMP message protocol, which is not an Internet standards track protocol, is called SNMPv2c and described in RFC 1901 [RFC1901] and RFC 1906 [RFC1906]. The third version of the message protocol is called SNMPv3 and described in RFC 1906 [RFC1906], RFC 2572 [RFC2572] and RFC 2574 [RFC2574].
- o Protocol operations for accessing management information. The first set of protocol operations and associated PDU formats is described in STD 15, RFC 1157 [RFC1157]. A second set of protocol operations and associated PDU formats is described in RFC 1905 [RFC1905].
- o A set of fundamental applications described in RFC 2573 [RFC2573] and the view-based access control mechanism described in RFC 2575 [RFC2575].

A more detailed introduction to the current SNMP Management Framework can be found in RFC 2570 [RFC2570].

Managed objects are accessed via a virtual information store, termed the Management Information Base or MIB. Objects in the MIB are defined using the mechanisms defined in the SMI.

This memo specifies a MIB module that is compliant to the SMIv2. A MIB conforming to the SMIv1 can be produced through the appropriate translations. The resulting translated MIB must be semantically equivalent, except where objects or events are omitted because no translation is possible (use of Counter64). Some machine readable

information in SMIv2 will be converted into textual descriptions in SMIv1 during the translation process. However, this loss of machine readable information is not considered to change the semantics of the $^{\rm MTR}$

2. Overview

An "RTP System" may be a host end-system that runs an application program that sends or receives RTP data packets, or it may be an intermediate-system that forwards RTP packets. RTP Control Protocol (RTCP) packets are sent by senders and receivers to convey information about RTP packet transmission and reception [RFC1889]. RTP monitors may collect RTCP information on senders and receivers to and from an RTP host or intermediate-system.

The key words "MUST", "MUST NOT", "REQUIRED", "SHALL", "SHALL NOT", "SHOULD", "SHOULD NOT", "RECOMMENDED", "MAY", and "OPTIONAL" in this document are to be interpreted as described in RFC 2119.

2.1 Components

The RTP MIB is structured around "Session," "Receiver" and "Sender" conceptual abstractions.

- 2.1.1 An "RTP Session" is the "...association of participants communicating with RTP. For each participant, the session is defined by a particular pair of destination transport addresses (one network address plus a port pair for RTP and RTCP). The destination transport addresses may be common for all participants, as in the case of IP multicast, or may be different for each, as in the case of individual unicast addresses plus a common port pair," as defined in section 3 of [RFC1889].
- 2.1.2 A "Sender" is identified within an RTP session by a 32-bit numeric "Synchronization Source," or "SSRC", value and is "...the source of a stream of RTP packets" as defined in section 3 of [RFC1889]. The sender is also a source of RTCP Sender Report packets as specified in section 6 of [RFC1889].
- 2.1.3 A "Receiver" of a "stream of RTP packets" can be a unicast or multicast Receiver as described in 2.1.1, above. An RTP Receiver has an SSRC value that is unique to the session. An RTP Receiver is a source of RTCP Receiver Reports as specified in section 6 of [RFC1889].

2.2 Applicability of the MIB to RTP System Implementations

The RTP MIB may be used in two types of RTP implementations, RTP Host Systems (end systems) and RTP Monitors, see section 3 of [RFC1889]. Use of the RTP MIB for RTP Translators and Mixers, as defined in section 7 of [RFC1889], is for further study.

- 2.2.1 RTP host Systems are end-systems that may use the RTP MIB to collect RTP session and stream data that the host is sending or receiving; these data may be used by a network manager to detect and diagnose faults that occur over the lifetime of an RTP session as in a "help-desk" scenario.
- 2.2.2 RTP Monitors of multicast RTP sessions may be third-party or may be located in the RTP host. RTP Monitors may use the RTP MIB to collect RTP session and stream statistical data; these data may be used by a network manager for capacity planning and other network-management purposes. An RTP Monitor may use the RTP MIB to collect data to permit a network manager to detect and diagnose faults in RTP sessions or to permit a network manager to configure its operation.
- 2.2.3 Many host systems will want to keep track of streams beyond what they are sending and receiving. In a host monitor system, a host agent would use RTP data from the host to maintain data about streams it is sending and receiving, and RTCP data to collect data about other hosts in the session. For example, an agent for an RTP host that is sending a stream would use data from its RTP system to maintain the rtpSenderTable, but it may want to maintain a rtpRcvrTable for endpoints that are receiving its stream. To do this the RTP agent will collect RTCP data from the receivers of its stream to build the rtpRcvrTable. A host monitor system MUST set the rtpSessionMonitor object to 'true(1)', but it does not have to accept management operations that create and destroy rows in its rtpSessionTable.

2.3 The Structure of the RTP MIB

There are six tables in the RTP MIB. The rtpSessionTable contains objects that describe active sessions at the host, or monitor. The rtpSenderTable contains information about senders to the RTP session. The rtpRcvrTable contains information about receivers of RTP session data. The rtpSessionInverseTable, rtpSenderInverseTable, and rtpRcvrInverseTable contain information to efficiently find indexes into the rtpSessionTable, rtpSenderTable, and rtpRcvrTable, respectively.

The reverse lookup tables (rtpSessionInverseTable, rtpSenderInverseTable, and rtpRcvrInverseTable) are optional tables to help management applications efficiently access conceptual rows in other tables. Implementors of this MIB SHOULD implement these tables for multicast RTP sessions when table indexes (rtpSessionIndex of rtpSessionTable, rtpSenderSSRC of rtpSenderTable, and the SSRC pair in the rtpRcvrTable) are not available from other MIBs. Otherwise, the management application may be forced to perform expensive tree walks through large numbers of sessions, senders, or receivers.

For any particular RTP session, the rtpSessionMonitor object indicates whether remote senders or receivers to the RTP session are to be monitored. If rtpSessionMonitor is true(1) then senders and receivers to the session MUST be monitored with entries in the rtpSenderTable and rtpRcvrTable. RTP sessions are monitored by the RTP agent that updates rtpSenderTable and rtpRcvrTable objects with information from RTCP reports from remote senders or remote receivers respectively.

rtpSessionNewIndex is a global object that permits a networkmanagement application to obtain a unique index for conceptual row creation in the rtpSessionTable. In this way the SNMP Set operation MAY be used to configure a monitor.

3. Definitions

RTP-MIB DEFINITIONS ::= BEGIN **TMPORTS**

Counter32, Counter64, Gauge32, mib-2, Integer32,

MODULE-IDENTITY,

OBJECT-TYPE, Unsigned32 FROM SNMPv2-SMI

RowStatus, TAddress, TDomain, TestAndIncr,

TimeStamp, TruthValue

FROM SNMPv2-TC OBJECT-GROUP, MODULE-COMPLIANCE FROM SNMPv2-CONF Utf8String FROM SYSAPPL-MIB

InterfaceIndex

rtpMIB MODULE-IDENTITY

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ION "200010020000Z" -- 2 October 2000 DESCRIPTION "Initial version of this MIB. Published as RFC 2959." $::= \{ mib-2 87 \}$

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-- OBJECTS
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rtpMIBObjects OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { rtpMIB 1 }
rtpConformance OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { rtpMIB 2 }
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-- SESSION NEW INDEX
rtpSessionNewIndex OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TestAndIncr MAX-ACCESS read-write
   SYNIAA
MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                   current
   DESCRIPTION
      "This object is used to assign values to rtpSessionIndex
      as described in 'Textual Conventions for SMIv2'. For an RTP
      system that supports the creation of rows, the network manager
      would read the object, and then write the value back in
      the Set that creates a new instance of rtpSessionEntry. If
      the Set fails with the code 'inconsistentValue,' then the
      process must be repeated; If the Set succeeds, then the object
      is incremented, and the new instance is created according to
      the manager's directions. However, if the RTP agent is not
      acting as a monitor, only the RTP agent may create conceptual
      rows in the RTP session table."
    ::= { rtpMIBObjects 1 }
-- SESSION INVERSE TABLE
rtpSessionInverseTable OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF RtpSessionInverseEntry MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
   STATUS
                   current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Maps rtpSessionDomain, rtpSessionRemAddr, and rtpSessionLocAddr
      TAddress pairs to one or more rtpSessionIndex values, each
      describing a row in the rtpSessionTable. This makes it possible
      to retrieve the row(s) in the rtpSessionTable corresponding to a
      given session without having to walk the entire (potentially
      large) table."
    ::= { rtpMIBObjects 2 }
rtpSessionInverseEntry OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX RtpSessionInverseEntry
   MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
     "Each entry corresponds to exactly one entry in the
      rtpSessionTable - the entry containing the tuple,
      rtpSessionDomain, rtpSessionRemAddr, rtpSessionLocAddr
      and rtpSessionIndex."
    INDEX { rtpSessionDomain, rtpSessionRemAddr, rtpSessionLocAddr,
           rtpSessionIndex }
    ::= { rtpSessionInverseTable 1 }
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RtpSessionInverseEntry ::= SEQUENCE {
       rtpSessionInverseStartTime
                                     TimeStamp
rtpSessionInverseStartTime OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TimeStamp
   MAX-ACCESS
STATUS
                  read-only
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "The value of SysUpTime at the time that this row was
    ::= { rtpSessionInverseEntry 1 }
       SESSION TABLE
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rtpSessionTable OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF RtpSessionEntry
                  not-accessible
   MAX-ACCESS
                  current
   STATUS
   DESCRIPTION
         "There's one entry in rtpSessionTable for each RTP session
         on which packets are being sent, received, and/or
         monitored."
    ::= { rtpMIBObjects 3 }
rtpSessionEntry OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX RtpSessionEntry
                  not-accessible
   MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Data in rtpSessionTable uniquely identify an RTP session. A
      host RTP agent MUST create a read-only row for each session to
      which packets are being sent or received. Rows MUST be created
      by the RTP Agent at the start of a session when one or more
      senders or receivers are observed. Rows created by an RTP agent
      MUST be deleted when the session is over and there are no
      rtpRcvrEntry and no rtpSenderEntry for this session. An RTP
      session SHOULD be monitored to create management information on
      all RTP streams being sent or received when the
      rtpSessionMonitor has the TruthValue of 'true(1)'. An RTP
      monitor SHOULD permit row creation with the side effect of
      causing the RTP System to join the multicast session for the
      purposes of gathering management information (additional
      conceptual rows are created in the rtpRcvrTable and
      rtpSenderTable). Thus, rtpSessionTable rows SHOULD be created
      for RTP session monitoring purposes. Rows created by a
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management application SHOULD be deleted via SNMP operations by

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management applications. Rows created by management operations
       are deleted by management operations by setting
       rtpSessionRowStatus to 'destroy(6)'."
    INDEX { rtpSessionIndex }
    ::= { rtpSessionTable 1 }
RtpSessionEntry ::= SEQUENCE {
        rtpSessionIndex
                               Integer32,
                              TDomain,
       rtpSessionDomain
       rtpSessionRemAddr
                              TAddress,
       rtpSessionSenderJoins Counter32,
        rtpSessionReceiverJoins Counter32,
       rtpSessionByes Counter32,
rtpSessionStartTime TimeStamp,
rtpSessionMonitor TruthValue,
rtpSessionRowStatus RowStatus
rtpSessionIndex OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX Integer32 (1..2147483647)
                   not-accessible
    MAX-ACCESS
    STATUS
                   current
    DESCRIPTION
      "The index of the conceptual row which is for SNMP purposes
       only and has no relation to any protocol value. There is
      no requirement that these rows are created or maintained
      sequentially."
    ::= { rtpSessionEntry 1 }
rtpSessionDomain OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX TDomain
    MAX-ACCESS
                  read-create
    STATUS
                  current
    DESCRIPTION
      "The transport-layer protocol used for sending or receiving
      the stream of RTP data packets on this session.
      Cannot be changed if rtpSessionRowStatus is 'active'."
    ::= { rtpSessionEntry 2 }
rtpSessionRemAddr OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX TAddress
    MAX-ACCESS
                   read-create
    STATUS
                   current
    DESCRIPTION
      "The address to which RTP packets are sent by the RTP system.
      In an IP multicast RTP session, this is the single address used
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by all senders and receivers of RTP session data. In a unicast RTP session this is the unicast address of the remote RTP system. 'The destination address pair may be common for all participants, as in the case of IP multicast, or may be different for each, as in the case of individual unicast network address pairs.' See RFC 1889, 'RTP: A Transport Protocol for Real-Time Applications,' sec. 3. The transport service is identified by rtpSessionDomain. For snmpUDPDomain, this is an IP address and even-numbered UDP Port with the RTCP being sent on the next higher odd-numbered port, see RFC 1889, sec. 5." ::= { rtpSessionEntry 3 } rtpSessionLocAddr OBJECT-TYPE TAddress SYNTAX MAX-ACCESS read-only STATUS current "The local address used by the RTP system. In an IP multicast

DESCRIPTION

RTP session, rtpSessionRemAddr will be the same IP multicast address as rtpSessionLocAddr. In a unicast RTP session, rtpSessionRemAddr and rtpSessionLocAddr will have different unicast addresses. See RFC 1889, 'RTP: A Transport Protocol for Real-Time Applications,' sec. 3. The transport service is identified by rtpSessionDomain. For snmpUDPDomain, this is an IP address and even-numbered UDP Port with the RTCP being sent on the next higher odd-numbered port, see RFC 1889, sec. 5."

::= { rtpSessionEntry 4 }

rtpSessionIfIndex OBJECT-TYPE

InterfaceIndex read-create SYNTAX MAX-ACCESS STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The ifIndex value is set to the corresponding value from IF-MIB (See RFC 2233, 'The Interfaces Group MIB using SMIv2'). This is the interface that the RTP stream is being sent to or received from, or in the case of an RTP Monitor the interface that RTCP packets will be received on. Cannot be changed if rtpSessionRowStatus is 'active'."

::= { rtpSessionEntry 5 }

rtpSessionSenderJoins OBJECT-TYPE

SYNTAX Counter32 MAX-ACCESS read-only STATUS current

DESCRIPTION

"The number of senders that have been observed to have joined the session since this conceptual row was created

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(rtpSessionStartTime). A sender 'joins' an RTP
      session by sending to it. Senders that leave and then
      re-join following an RTCP BYE (see RFC 1889, 'RTP: A
      Transport Protocol for Real-Time Applications, ' sec. 6.6)
      or session timeout may be counted twice. Every time a new
      RTP sender is detected either using RTP or RTCP, this counter
      is incremented."
    ::= { rtpSessionEntry 6 }
rtpSessionReceiverJoins OBJECT-TYPE
            Counter32
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "The number of receivers that have been been observed to
      have joined this session since this conceptual row was
      created (rtpSessionStartTime). A receiver 'joins' an RTP
      session by sending RTCP Receiver Reports to the session.
      Receivers that leave and then re-join following an RTCP BYE
      (see RFC 1889, 'RTP: A Transport Protocol for Real-Time
      Applications, 'sec. 6.6) or session timeout may be counted
      twice."
    ::= { rtpSessionEntry 7 }
rtpSessionByes OBJECT-TYPE
            Counter32 read-only
    SYNTAX
   MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "A count of RTCP BYE (see RFC 1889, 'RTP: A Transport
      Protocol for Real-Time Applications, 'sec. 6.6) messages
      received by this entity."
    ::= { rtpSessionEntry 8 }
rtpSessionStartTime OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TimeStamp
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
     "The value of SysUpTime at the time that this row was
      created."
    ::= { rtpSessionEntry 9 }
rtpSessionMonitor OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TruthValue
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
    STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
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"Boolean, Set to 'true(1)' if remote senders or receivers in
      addition to the local RTP System are to be monitored using RTCP.
      RTP Monitors MUST initialize to 'true(1)' and RTP Hosts SHOULD
      initialize this 'false(2)'. Note that because 'host monitor'
      systems are receiving RTCP from their remote participants they
      MUST set this value to 'true(1)'."
    ::= { rtpSessionEntry 10 }
rtpSessionRowStatus OBJECT-TYPE
             RowStatus
   SYNTAX
   MAX-ACCESS
                  read-create
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Value of 'active' when RTP or RTCP messages are being
      sent or received by an RTP System. A newly-created
      conceptual row must have the all read-create objects
      initialized before becoming 'active'.
      A conceptual row that is in the 'notReady' or 'notInService'
      state MAY be removed after 5 minutes."
    ::= { rtpSessionEntry 11 }
-- SENDER INVERSE TABLE
rtpSenderInverseTable OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF RtpSenderInverseEntry
   MAX-ACCESS
                   not-accessible
   STATUS
                   current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Maps rtpSenderAddr, rtpSessionIndex, to the rtpSenderSSRC
      index of the rtpSenderTable. This table allows management
      applications to find entries sorted by rtpSenderAddr rather than
      sorted by rtpSessionIndex. Given the rtpSessionDomain and
      rtpSenderAddr, a set of rtpSessionIndex and rtpSenderSSRC values
      can be returned from a tree walk. When rtpSessionIndex is
      specified in the SNMP Get-Next operations, one or more
      rtpSenderSSRC values may be returned."
    ::= { rtpMIBObjects 4 }
rtpSenderInverseEntry OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX RtpSenderInverseEntry
   MAX-ACCESS not-accessible STATUS current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Each entry corresponds to exactly one entry in the
      rtpSenderTable - the entry containing the index pair,
      rtpSessionIndex, rtpSenderSSRC."
    INDEX { rtpSessionDomain, rtpSenderAddr, rtpSessionIndex,
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rtpSenderSSRC }
    ::= { rtpSenderInverseTable 1 }
RtpSenderInverseEntry ::= SEQUENCE {
       rtpSenderInverseStartTime
                                    TimeStamp
rtpSenderInverseStartTime OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TimeStamp
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
                  current
   STATUS
   DESCRIPTION
     "The value of SysUpTime at the time that this row was
      created."
    ::= { rtpSenderInverseEntry 1 }
   SENDERS TABLE
rtpSenderTable OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF RtpSenderEntry
                 not-accessible
   MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Table of information about a sender or senders to an RTP
      Session. RTP sending hosts MUST have an entry in this table
      for each stream being sent. RTP receiving hosts MAY have an
      entry in this table for each sending stream being received by
      this host. RTP monitors MUST create an entry for each observed
      sender to a multicast RTP Session as a side-effect when a
      conceptual row in the rtpSessionTable is made 'active' by a
      manager."
    ::= { rtpMIBObjects 5 }
rtpSenderEntry OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX RtpSenderEntry
   MAX-ACCESS
                 not-accessible
   STATUS
                 current
   DESCRIPTION
     "Each entry contains information from a single RTP Sender
      Synchronization Source (SSRC, see RFC 1889 'RTP: A Transport
      Protocol for Real-Time Applications' sec.6). The session is
      identified to the the SNMP entity by rtpSessionIndex.
      Rows are removed by the RTP agent when a BYE is received
      from the sender or when the sender times out (see RFC
      1889, Sec. 6.2.1) or when the rtpSessionEntry is deleted."
    INDEX { rtpSessionIndex, rtpSenderSSRC }
    ::= { rtpSenderTable 1 }
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RtpSenderEntry ::= SEQUENCE {
       rtpSenderSSRC
                              Unsigned32,
       rtpSenderCNAME
                              Utf8String,
       rtpSenderAuui
rtpSenderPackets
                              TAddress,
                            Counter64,
       rtpSenderOctets
                            Counter64,
Utf8String,
       rtpSenderTool
       rtpSenderSRs
                            Counter32,
       rtpSenderSRTime
                            TimeStamp,
       rtpSenderPT
                             INTEGER,
       rtpSenderStartTime
                            TimeStamp
rtpSenderSSRC OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Unsigned32
   MAX-ACCESS
                 not-accessible
   STATUS
                 current
   DESCRIPTION
      "The RTP SSRC, or synchronization source identifier of the
      sender. The RTP session address plus an SSRC uniquely
      identify a sender to an RTP session (see RFC 1889, 'RTP: A
      Transport Protocol for Real-Time Applications' sec.3)."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 1 }
rtpSenderCNAME OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Utf8String
                  read-only
   MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "The RTP canonical name of the sender."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 2 }
rtpSenderAddr OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TAddress
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
   STATUS
                 current
   DESCRIPTION
     "The unicast transport source address of the sender. In the
      case of an RTP Monitor this address is the address that the
      sender is using to send its RTCP Sender Reports."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 3 }
rtpSenderPackets OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX
               Counter64
                 read-only
   MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Count of RTP packets sent by this sender, or observed by
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an RTP monitor, since rtpSenderStartTime."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 4 }
rtpSenderOctets OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Counter64
   MAX-ACCESS
                  read-only
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
     "Count of non-header RTP octets sent by this sender, or observed
      by an RTP monitor, since rtpSenderStartTime."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 5 }
rtpSenderTool OBJECT-TYPE
               Utf8String (SIZE(0..127))
   SYNTAX
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
     "Name of the application program source of the stream."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 6 }
rtpSenderSRs OBJECT-TYPE
            Counter32
   SYNTAX
                 read-only
   MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
     "A count of the number of RTCP Sender Reports that have
      been sent from this sender, or observed if the RTP entity
      is a monitor, since rtpSenderStartTime."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 7 }
rtpSenderSRTime OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TimeStamp
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
     "rtpSenderSRTime is the value of SysUpTime at the time that
      the last SR was received from this sender, in the case of a
      monitor or receiving host. Or sent by this sender, in the
      case of a sending host."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 8 }
rtpSenderPT OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX INTEGER (0..127)
   MAX-ACCESS read-only
                 current
   STATUS
   DESCRIPTION
     "Payload type from the RTP header of the most recently received
      RTP Packet (see RFC 1889, 'RTP: A Transport Protocol for
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Real-Time Applications' sec. 5)."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 9 }
rtpSenderStartTime OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TimeStamp
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS current
    STATUS
                   current
    DESCRIPTION
      "The value of SysUpTime at the time that this row was
      created."
    ::= { rtpSenderEntry 10 }
-- RECEIVER INVERSE TABLE
rtpRcvrInverseTable OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF RtpRcvrInverseEntry
                  not-accessible
    MAX-ACCESS
                   current
    STATUS
    DESCRIPTION
      "Maps rtpRcvrAddr and rtpSessionIndex to the rtpRcvrSRCSSRC and
       rtpRcvrSSRC indexes of the rtpRcvrTable. This table allows
       management applications to find entries sorted by rtpRcvrAddr
       rather than by rtpSessionIndex. Given rtpSessionDomain and
       rtpRcvrAddr, a set of rtpSessionIndex, rtpRcvrSRCSSRC, and
       rtpRcvrSSRC values can be returned from a tree walk. When
       rtpSessionIndex is specified in SNMP Get-Next operations, one or
       more rtpRcvrSRCSSRC and rtpRcvrSSRC pairs may be returned."
    ::= { rtpMIBObjects 6 }
rtpRcvrInverseEntry OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX RtpRcvrInverseEntry MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
    STATUS
                  current
    DESCRIPTION
      "Each entry corresponds to exactly one entry in the
      rtpRcvrTable - the entry containing the index pair,
       rtpSessionIndex, rtpRcvrSSRC."
    INDEX { rtpSessionDomain, rtpRcvrAddr, rtpSessionIndex,
            rtpRcvrSRCSSRC, rtpRcvrSSRC }
    ::= { rtpRcvrInverseTable 1 }
\verb"RtpRcvrInverseEntry ::= SEQUENCE \{
        rtpRcvrInverseStartTime
                                    TimeStamp
rtpRcvrInverseStartTime OBJECT-TYPE
                    TimeStamp
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MAX-ACCESS read-only
   STATUS
                   current
   DESCRIPTION
     "The value of SysUpTime at the time that this row was
      created."
    ::= { rtpRcvrInverseEntry 1 }
   RECEIVERS TABLE
rtpRcvrTable OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF RtpRcvrEntry
   MAX-ACCESS
                  not-accessible
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Table of information about a receiver or receivers of RTP
      session data. RTP hosts that receive RTP session packets
      MUST create an entry in this table for that receiver/sender
      pair. RTP hosts that send RTP session packets MAY create
      an entry in this table for each receiver to their stream
      using RTCP feedback from the RTP group. RTP monitors
      create an entry for each observed RTP session receiver as
      a side effect when a conceptual row in the rtpSessionTable
      is made 'active' by a manager."
    ::= { rtpMIBObjects 7 }
rtpRcvrEntry OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX RtpRcvrEntry
MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Each entry contains information from a single RTP
      Synchronization Source that is receiving packets from the
      sender identified by rtpRcvrSRCSSRC (SSRC, see RFC 1889,
      'RTP: A Transport Protocol for Real-Time Applications'
      sec.6). The session is identified to the the RTP Agent entity
      by rtpSessionIndex. Rows are removed by the RTP agent when
      a BYE is received from the sender or when the sender times
      out (see RFC 1889, Sec. 6.2.1) or when the rtpSessionEntry is
      deleted."
    INDEX { rtpSessionIndex, rtpRcvrSRCSSRC, rtpRcvrSSRC }
    ::= { rtpRcvrTable 1 }
RtpRcvrEntry ::= SEQUENCE {
       rtpRcvrSRCSSRC
                             Unsigned32,
       rtpRcvrSSRC
                             Unsigned32,
       rtpRcvrCNAME
                             Utf8String,
       rtpRcvrAddr
                             TAddress,
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rtpRcvrRTT
                                Gauge32,
        rtpRcvrLostPackets Counter64,
rtpRcvrJitter Gauge32,
rtpRcvrTool Utf8String,
rtpRcvrRs Counter32.
                              Counter32,
        rtpRcvrRRs
                              TimeStamp,
        rtpRcvrRRTime
        rtpRcvrPT INTEGER,
rtpRcvrPackets Counter64,
rtpRcvrOctets Counter64,
rtpRcvrStartTime TimeStamp
rtpRcvrSRCSSRC OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX Unsigned32
    MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION
      "The RTP SSRC, or synchronization source identifier of the
       sender. The RTP session address plus an SSRC uniquely
       identify a sender or receiver of an RTP stream (see RFC
       1889, 'RTP: A Transport Protocol for Real-Time
       Applications' sec.3)."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 1 }
rtpRcvrSSRC OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX Unsigned32
MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION
      "The RTP SSRC, or synchronization source identifier of the
       receiver. The RTP session address plus an SSRC uniquely
       identify a receiver of an RTP stream (see RFC 1889, 'RTP:
       A Transport Protocol for Real-Time Applications' sec.3)."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 2 }
rtpRcvrCNAME OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX Utf8String
    MAX-ACCESS read-only
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION
      "The RTP canonical name of the receiver."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 3 }
rtpRcvrAddr OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX TAddress
    MAX-ACCESS read-only
    STATUS
                 current
    DESCRIPTION
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"The unicast transport address on which the receiver is
      receiving RTP packets and/or RTCP Receiver Reports."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 4 }
rtpRcvrRTT OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Gauge32
   MAX-ACCESS read-only
   STATUS current
   DESCRIPTION
      "The round trip time measurement taken by the source of the
      RTP stream based on the algorithm described on sec. 6 of
      RFC 1889, 'RTP: A Transport Protocol for Real-Time
      Applications.' This algorithm can produce meaningful
      results when the RTP agent has the same clock as the stream
      sender (when the RTP monitor is also the sending host for the
      particular receiver). Otherwise, the entity should return
      'noSuchInstance' in response to queries against rtpRcvrRTT."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 5 }
rtpRcvrLostPackets OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Counter64
                 read-only
   MAX-ACCESS
                 current
   STATUS
   DESCRIPTION
      "A count of RTP packets lost as observed by this receiver
      since rtpRcvrStartTime."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 6 }
rtpRcvrJitter OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Gauge32
                 read-only
   MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                 current
   DESCRIPTION
      "An estimate of delay variation as observed by this
      receiver. (see RFC 1889, 'RTP: A Transport Protocol
      for Real-Time Applications' sec.6.3.1 and A.8)."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 7 }
rtpRcvrTool OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Utf8String (SIZE(0..127))
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
   STATUS
                 current
   DESCRIPTION
     "Name of the application program source of the stream."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 8 }
rtpRcvrRRs OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX
                  Counter32
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MAX-ACCESS
                  read-only
   STATUS
                   current
   DESCRIPTION
     "A count of the number of RTCP Receiver Reports that have
      been sent from this receiver, or observed if the RTP entity
      is a monitor, since rtpRcvrStartTime."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 9 }
rtpRcvrRRTime OBJECT-TYPE
               TimeStamp
   SYNTAX
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
   STATUS
                 current
   DESCRIPTION
      "rtpRcvrRRTime is the value of SysUpTime at the time that the
      last RTCP Receiver Report was received from this receiver, in
      the case of a monitor or RR receiver (the RTP Sender). It is
      the value of SysUpTime at the time that the last RR was sent by
      this receiver in the case of an RTP receiver sending the RR."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 10 }
rtpRcvrPT OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX INTEGER (0..127)
                 read-only
   MAX-ACCESS
   STATUS
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Static or dynamic payload type from the RTP header (see
      RFC 1889, 'RTP: A Transport Protocol for Real-Time
      Applications' sec. 5)."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 11 }
rtpRcvrPackets OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Counter64
   MAX-ACCESS
                 read-only
                  current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Count of RTP packets received by this RTP host receiver
      since rtpRcvrStartTime."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 12 }
rtpRcvrOctets OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX Counter64
   MAX-ACCESS read-only
   STATUS
                 current
   DESCRIPTION
      "Count of non-header RTP octets received by this receiving RTP
      host since rtpRcvrStartTime."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 13 }
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rtpRcvrStartTime OBJECT-TYPE
   SYNTAX TimeStamp
MAX-ACCESS read-only
STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION
      "The value of SysUpTime at the time that this row was
      created."
    ::= { rtpRcvrEntry 14 }
-- MODULE GROUPS
-- There are two types of RTP Systems, RTP hosts and RTP Monitors.
-- Thus there are three kinds of objects: 1) Objects common to both
-- kinds of systems, 2) Objects unique to RTP Hosts and 3) Objects
-- unique to RTP Monitors. There is a fourth group, 4) Objects that
-- SHOULD be implemented by Multicast hosts and RTP Monitors
rtpGroups OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { rtpConformance 1 }
rtpSystemGroup
                    OBJECT-GROUP
    OBJECTS
                    {
                    rtpSessionDomain,
                    rtpSessionRemAddr,
                    rtpSessionIfIndex,
                    rtpSessionSenderJoins,
                    rtpSessionReceiverJoins,
                    rtpSessionStartTime,
                    rtpSessionByes,
                    rtpSessionMonitor,
                    rtpSenderCNAME,
                    rtpSenderAddr,
                    rtpSenderPackets,
                    rtpSenderOctets,
                    rtpSenderTool,
                    rtpSenderSRs,
                    rtpSenderSRTime,
                    rtpSenderStartTime,
                    rtpRcvrCNAME,
                    rtpRcvrAddr,
                    rtpRcvrLostPackets,
                    rtpRcvrJitter,
                    rtpRcvrTool,
                    rtpRcvrRRs,
                    rtpRcvrRRTime,
                    rtpRcvrStartTime
    STATUS
                    current
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DESCRIPTION
        "Objects available to all RTP Systems."
    ::= { rtpGroups 1 }
rtpHostGroup
                OBJECT-GROUP
    OBJECTS
                rtpSessionLocAddr,
                rtpSenderPT,
                rtpRcvrPT,
                rtpRcvrRTT,
                rtpRcvrOctets,
                rtpRcvrPackets
    STATUS
                current
    DESCRIPTION
           "Objects that are available to RTP Host systems, but may not
            be available to RTP Monitor systems."
    ::= { rtpGroups 2 }
rtpMonitorGroup OBJECT-GROUP
    OBJECTS
              {
                rtpSessionNewIndex,
                rtpSessionRowStatus
    STATUS
               current
    DESCRIPTION
        "Objects used to create rows in the RTP Session Table. These
        objects are not needed if the system does not create rows."
    ::= { rtpGroups 3 }
rtpInverseGroup OBJECT-GROUP
    OBJECTS
                rtpSessionInverseStartTime,
                rtpSenderInverseStartTime,
                rtpRcvrInverseStartTime
    STATUS
                current
    DESCRIPTION
            "Objects used in the Inverse Lookup Tables."
    ::= { rtpGroups 4 }
   Compliance
rtpCompliances OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { rtpConformance 2 }
rtpHostCompliance MODULE-COMPLIANCE
    STATUS
                    current
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DESCRIPTION
       "Host implementations MUST comply."
         RTP-MIB
MANDATORY-GROUPS {
                rtpSystemGroup,
                 rtpHostGroup
GROUP
                rtpMonitorGroup
DESCRIPTION
    "Host systems my optionally support row creation and deletion.
    This would allow an RTP Host system to act as an RTP Monitor."
                rtpInverseGroup
DESCRIPTION
    "Multicast RTP Systems SHOULD implement the optional
    tables."
    OBJECT rtpSessionNewIndex
       MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
            DESCRIPTION
             "RTP system implementations support of
             row creation and deletion is OPTIONAL so
              implementation of this object is OPTIONAL."
    OBJECT rtpSessionDomain
      MIN-ACCESS read-only
            DESCRIPTION
             "RTP system implementation support of
              row creation and deletion is OPTIONAL.
              it is not supported so write access is
              OPTIONAL."
    OBJECT rtpSessionRemAddr
       MIN-ACCESS read-only
          DESCRIPTION
           "Row creation and deletion is OPTIONAL so
           read-create access to this object is OPTIONAL."
    OBJECT rtpSessionIfIndex
       MIN-ACCESS read-only
          DESCRIPTION
           "Row creation and deletion is OPTIONAL so
           read-create access to this object is OPTIONAL."
    OBJECT rtpSessionRowStatus
        MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
          DESCRIPTION
           "Row creation and deletion is OPTIONAL so
           read-create access to this object is OPTIONAL."
    OBJECT rtpSessionInverseStartTime
       MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
          DESCRIPTION
           "Multicast RTP Systems SHOULD implement the optional
            tables."
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OBJECT rtpSenderInverseStartTime
            MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
              DESCRIPTION
               "Multicast RTP Systems SHOULD implement the optional
                tables."
        OBJECT rtpRcvrInverseStartTime
            MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
              DESCRIPTION
               "Multicast RTP Systems SHOULD implement the optional
                tables."
    ::= { rtpCompliances 1 }
rtpMonitorCompliance MODULE-COMPLIANCE
    STATUS
                    current
    DESCRIPTION
          "Monitor implementations must comply. RTP Monitors are not
          required to support creation or deletion."
    MODULE
                    RTP-MIB
    MANDATORY-GROUPS
                         {
                         rtpSystemGroup,
                         rtpMonitorGroup
    GROUP
                         rtpHostGroup
    DESCRIPTION
        "Monitor implementations may not have access to values in the
         rtpHostGroup."
    GROUP
                         rtpInverseGroup
    DESCRIPTION
        "Multicast RTP Systems SHOULD implement the optional
         tables."
        OBJECT rtpSessionLocAddr
            MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
              DESCRIPTION
               "RTP monitor sourcing of RTP or RTCP data packets
                is OPTIONAL and implementation of this object is
                OPTIONAL."
        OBJECT rtpRcvrPT
            MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
              DESCRIPTION
               "RTP monitor systems may not support
                retrieval of the RTP Payload Type from the RTP
                header (and may receive RTCP messages only). When
                queried for the payload type information"
        OBJECT rtpSenderPT
            MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
              DESCRIPTION
               "RTP monitor systems may not support
                retrieval of the RTP Payload Type from the RTP
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header (and may receive RTCP messages only). When
           queried for the payload type information."
   OBJECT rtpRcvrOctets
       MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
         DESCRIPTION
          "RTP monitor systems may receive only the RTCP messages
           and not the RTP messages that contain the octet count
           of the RTP message. Thus implementation of this
           object is OPTIONAL"
   OBJECT rtpRcvrPackets
       MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
         DESCRIPTION
          "RTP monitor systems may receive only the RTCP messages
           and not the RTP messages that contain the octet count
           of the RTP message. Thus implementation of this
           object is OPTIONAL."
   OBJECT rtpSessionIfIndex
       MIN-ACCESS read-only
         DESCRIPTION
          "Row creation and deletion is OPTIONAL so
           read-create access to this object is OPTIONAL."
   OBJECT rtpSessionInverseStartTime
       MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
         DESCRIPTION
          "Multicast RTP Systems SHOULD implement the optional
           tables."
   OBJECT rtpSenderInverseStartTime
       MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
         DESCRIPTION
          "Multicast RTP Systems SHOULD implement the optional
           tables."
   OBJECT rtpRcvrInverseStartTime
       MIN-ACCESS not-accessible
         DESCRIPTION
          "Multicast RTP Systems SHOULD implement the optional
::= { rtpCompliances 2 }
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END

4. Security Considerations

In most cases, MIBs are not themselves security risks; if SNMP security is operating as intended, the use of a MIB to view information about a system, or to change some parameter at the system, is a tool, not a threat. However, there are a number of management objects defined in this MIB that have a MAX-ACCESS clause of read-write and/or read-create. Such objects may be considered sensitive or vulnerable in some network environments. The support for SET operations in a non-secure environment without proper protection can have a negative effect on network operations.

None of the read-only objects in this MIB reports a password, though some SDES [RFC1889] items such as the CNAME [RFC1889], the canonical name, may be deemed sensitive depending on the security policies of a particular enterprise. If access to these objects is not limited by an appropriate access control policy, these objects can provide an attacker with information about a system's configuration and the services that that system is providing. Some enterprises view their network and system configurations, as well as information about usage and performance, as corporate assets; such enterprises may wish to restrict SNMP access to most of the objects in the MIB. This MIB supports read-write operations against rtpSessionNewIndex which has the side effect of creating an entry in the rtpSessionTable when it is written to. Five objects in rtpSessionEntry have read-create access: rtpSessionDomain, rtpSessionRemAddr, rtpSessionIfIndex, rtpSessionRowStatus, and rtpSessionIfAddr identify an RTP session to be monitored on a particular interface. The values of these objects are not to be changed once created, and initialization of these objects affects only the monitoring of an RTP session and not the operation of an RTP session on any host end-system. Since write operations to rtpSessionNewIndex and the five objects in rtpSessionEntry affect the operation of the monitor, write access to these objects should be subject to the appropriate access control policy.

Confidentiality of RTP and RTCP data packets is defined in section 9 of the RTP specification [RFC1889]. Encryption may be performed on RTP packets, RTCP packets, or both. Encryption of RTCP packets may pose a problem for third-party monitors though "For RTCP, it is allowed to split a compound RTCP packet into two lower-layer packets, one to be encrypted and one to be sent in the clear. For example, SDES information might be encrypted while reception reports were sent in the clear to accommodate third-party monitors [RFC1889]."

SNMPvl by itself is not a secure environment. Even if the network itself is secure (for example by using IPSec), there is no control as to who on the secure network is allowed to access and GET/SET

(read/change/create/delete) the objects in this MIB. It is recommended that the implementers consider the security features as provided by the SNMPv3 framework. Specifically, the use of the User-based Security Model RFC 2574 [RFC2574] and the View-based Access Control Model RFC 2575 [RFC2575] is recommended. It is then a customer/user responsibility to ensure that the SNMP entity giving access to an instance of this MIB, is properly configured to give access to the objects only to those principals (users) that have legitimate rights to indeed GET or SET (change/create/delete) them.

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