



Standard OData Annotations Used by Redfish

Core annotations

- OData.Description: Informative documentation
- OData.LongDescription: Normative documentation
- OData.Permissions: Client's ability to read/write a property
- OData.AdditionalProperties: If implementations can add more properties
- OData.AutoExpandReferences: Expands the navigation property reference
- OData.AutoExpand: Service will expand entities even if not requested

Measures annotations

Measures.Unit: Documents units for a value; UCUM notation used

Capabilities annotations

- Capabilities.InsertRestrictions: If a client can add to a collection
- Capabilities. UpdateRestrictions: If a client can modify a resource
- Capabilities.DeleteRestrictions: If a client can remove from a collection



Base Redfish Schemas

- RedfishExtensions_v1.xml
 - Defines Redfish specific annotations
- Resource_v1.xml
 - Defines base class for all resources
 - Resource and ResourceCollection
 - Defines common properties and types
 - Id, Name, Description, Oem
 - Links object base definition
 - Status object definition
 - Location object definition
 - Common enumerated lists



Defining Redfish Resources

- Resources are singular entities, such as Thermal
- All Resources inherit from Resource.v1_0_0.Resource
- Id is used as the key property
- Name is mandatory, but Description is optional
- Many resources define a Links property that inherits from the Resource's definition of Links
 - Links is an object that only contains navigation properties
 - The links are references to related resources
- A generic Oem object is made available for implementations to extend upon the schema as needed



Defining Redfish Resource Collections

- Resource Collections contain a set of resources of the same type, such as the Chassis Collection containing the different Chassis Resources
- All Resource Collections inherit from Resource.v1_0_0.ResourceCollection
- Name is used as the key property
- Description is optional
- All Resource Collections define a Members property as an array of the Resource type they list



Redfish Schema Versioning

- All Resources have a specific naming convention with their namespaces
 - The first namespace is "unversioned" and contains no properties
 - Subsequent namespaces are versioned, and inherit from each other
- Namespaces are named as:
 - Unversioned: ResourceName
 - Versioned: ResourceName.vX_Y_Z
 - X is the major version
 - Y is the minor version
 - Z is the errata version
- Adding a property will generate a new namespace with a new minor version
- Correcting an existing file will generate a new namespace with a new errata version



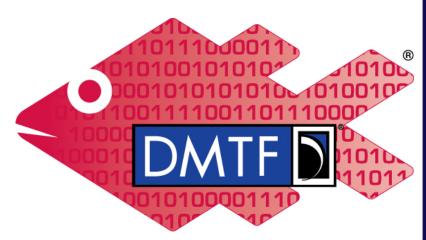
Relationship to JSON Schema

- CSDL schemas are used to generate JSON schemas via scripts
- Different number of files
 - CSDL: one file per resource type (Manager_v1.xml)
 - JSON: one file per version per resource type (Manager.json, Manager.v1_0_0.json, Manager.v1_0_1.json, etc)
- CSDL and JSON schemas are intended to be functionally equivalent



Thank you for watching!

- Redfish Standards
 - Schemas, Specs, Mockups, White Papers, FAQ, Educational Material & more
 - http://www.dmtf.org/standards/redfish
- Redfish Developer Hub
 - Redfish Interactive Explorer, Hosted Schema at Namespace & other links
 - http://redfish.dmtf.org
- SPMF (WG that defines Redfish)
 - Companies involved, Upcoming Schedules & Future work, Charter, Information on joining.
 - http://www.dmtf.org/standards/spmf



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