



Using Segment Routing OAM

Segment Routing Operations, Administration, and Maintenance (OAM) helps service providers to monitor label-switched paths (LSPs) and quickly isolate forwarding problems to assist with fault detection and troubleshooting in the network. The Segment Routing OAM feature provides support for Nil-FEC (forwarding equivalence classes) LSP Ping and Traceroute functionality.

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MPLS LSP Ping and Traceroute Nil FEC Target

The Nil-FEC LSP ping and traceroute operations are extensions of regular MPLS ping and traceroute.

Nil-FEC LSP Ping/Traceroute functionality supports segment routing and MPLS Static. It also acts as an additional diagnostic tool for all other LSP types. This feature allows operators to provide the ability to freely test any label stack by allowing them to specify the following:

- label stack
- outgoing interface
- nexthop address

In the case of segment routing, each segment nodal label and adjacency label along the routing path is put into the label stack of an echo request message from the initiator Label Switch Router (LSR); MPLS data plane forwards this packet to the label stack target, and the label stack target sends the echo message back.

The following table shows the syntax for the ping and traceroute commands.

Table 1: LSP Ping and Traceroute Nil FEC Commands

Command Syntax
ping mpls nil-fec labels {label[,label]} [output { interface tx-interface} [nexthop nexthop-ip-addr]]
traceroute mpls nil-fec labels {label[,label]} [output { interface tx-interface} [nexthop nexthop-ip-addr]]

Examples: LSP Ping and Traceroute for Nil_FEC Target

These examples use the following topology:

```
Node loopback IP address: 172.18.1.3  172.18.1.4  172.18.1.5  172.18.1.7
Node label:                16004      16005      16007
Nodes:                     Arizona ---- Utah ----- Wyoming ---- Texas

Interface:                 GigabitEthernet0/2/0/1  GigabitEthernet0/2/0/1
Interface IP address:      10.1.1.3                10.1.1.4
```

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router-utah# show mpls forwarding
```

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Tue Jul  5 13:44:31.999 EDT
Local  Outgoing  Prefix      Outgoing    Next Hop    Bytes
Label  Label      or ID      Interface   -----
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16004  Pop        No ID      Gi0/2/0/1   10.1.1.4    1392
      Pop        No ID      Gi0/2/0/2   10.1.2.2     0
16005  16005     No ID      Gi0/2/0/0   10.1.1.4     0
      16005     No ID      Gi0/2/0/1   10.1.2.2     0
16007  16007     No ID      Gi0/2/0/0   10.1.1.4   4752
      16007     No ID      Gi0/2/0/1   10.1.2.2     0
24000  Pop        SR Adj (idx 0)  Gi0/2/0/0   10.1.1.4     0
24001  Pop        SR Adj (idx 2)  Gi0/2/0/0   10.1.1.4     0
24002  Pop        SR Adj (idx 0)  Gi0/2/0/1   10.1.2.2     0
24003  Pop        SR Adj (idx 2)  Gi0/2/0/1   10.1.2.2     0
24004  Pop        No ID          tt10        point2point   0
24005  Pop        No ID          tt11        point2point   0
24006  Pop        No ID          tt12        point2point   0
24007  Pop        No ID          tt13        point2point   0
24008  Pop        No ID          tt30        point2point   0
```

Ping Nil FEC Target

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router-arizona# ping mpls nil-fec labels 16005,16007 output interface
GigabitEthernet 0/2/0/1 nexthop 10.1.1.4 repeat 1
```

```
Sending 1, 72-byte MPLS Echos with Nil FEC labels 16005,16007,
  timeout is 2 seconds, send interval is 0 msec:
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```
Codes: '!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,
'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,
'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,
'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no label entry,
'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,
'R' - transit router, 'I' - unknown upstream index,
'l' - Label switched with FEC change, 'd' - see DDMAP for return code,
'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0
```

```
Type escape sequence to abort.
```

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!
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Success rate is 100 percent (1/1), round-trip min/avg/max = 1/1/1 ms
Total Time Elapsed 0 ms
```

Traceroute Nil FEC Target

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router-arizona# traceroute mpls nil-fec labels 16005,16007 output interface
GigabitEthernet 0/2/0/1 nexthop 10.1.1.4
```

```
Tracing MPLS Label Switched Path with Nil FEC labels 16005,16007, timeout is 2 seconds
```

```
Codes: '!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,
'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,
'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,
'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no label entry,
'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,
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'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0
```

```
Type escape sequence to abort.
```

```
0 10.1.1.3 MRU 1500 [Labels: 16005/16007/explicit-null Exp: 0/0/0]
L 1 10.1.1.4 MRU 1500 [Labels: implicit-null/16007/explicit-null Exp: 0/0/0] 1 ms
L 2 10.1.1.5 MRU 1500 [Labels: implicit-null/explicit-null Exp: 0/0] 1 ms
! 3 10.1.1.7 1 ms
```

