

# **NPM Packet Capture [DEPRECATED] v2.0**

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## Resource: job

Information about a capture job

http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/jobs/items/{id}

### JSON

```
{
  "config": {
    "capture_from_all_vifgs": boolean,
    "enabled": boolean,
    "filter": input_filter,
    "indexing": job_indexing,
    "name": string,
    "retention_rules": packet_retention,
    "snap_len": integer,
    "vifgs": [
      integer
    ]
  },
  "id": string,
  "state": {
    "stats": {
      "bytes_written": {
        "last_hour": integer,
        "last_minute": integer,
        "last_second": integer,
        "total": integer
      },
      "packets_written": {
        "last_hour": integer,
        "last_minute": integer,
        "last_second": integer,
        "total": integer
      }
    },
    "status": {
      "capture_disk_space": integer,
      "capture_size": integer,
      "packet_end_time": string,
      "packet_start_time": string,
      "state": string
    }
  }
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>job</i>	<object>	Information about a capture job	Required properties: [config];
<i>job.config</i>	<object>	Configuration of a capture job	Required properties: [name, enabled, vifgs];
<i>job.config.capture_from_all_vifgs</i>	<boolean>	If enabled, this capture job will ignore the field 'vifgs' and will capture from all existing VIFGs	Optional;
<i>job.config.enabled</i>	<boolean>	Whether the capture job is configured to run or not	
<i>job.config.filter</i>	<input_filter>	Packet filter configuration	
<i>job.config.indexing</i>	<job_indexing>	Parameters for Microflow indexing	
<i>job.config.name</i>	<string>	Name of the job	
<i>job.config.retention_rules</i>	<packet_retention>	Packet storage retention rules	
<i>job.config.snap_len</i>	<integer>	It specifies the max number of bytes for every packet that will be stored to disk. If the packet is longer, it will be truncated	Optional; Default is 65535;
<i>job.config.vifgs</i>	<array of integers>	List of VIFGs the capture job is collecting packets from	
<i>job.config.vifgs[items]</i>	<integer>	ID of the VIFG that this capture job captures from	
<i>job.id</i>	<string>	The UUID of the capture job	Read-only; Optional;
<i>job.state</i>	<object>	Information about the state of a capture job	Read-only; Required properties: [stats, status]; Optional;
<i>job.state.stats</i>	<object>	Capture job statistics	Read-only; Required properties: [packets_written, bytes_written];
<i>bytes_written</i>	<object>	Number of bytes written to disk (packets only, without overhead)	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<i>bytes_written.last_hour</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<i>bytes_written.last_minute</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;

<code>bytes_written.last_second</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<code>bytes_written.total</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;
<code>packets_written</code>	<code>&lt;object&gt;</code>	Number of packets written to disk	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<code>packets_written.last_hour</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<code>packets_written.last_minute</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;
<code>packets_written.last_second</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<code>packets_written.total</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;
<code>job.state.status</code>	<code>&lt;object&gt;</code>	Generic information on the capture job and its data	Read-only; Required properties: [state, packet_start_time, packet_end_time, capture_size, capture_disk_space];
<code>job.state.status.capture_disk_space</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	The actual size of the capture job on disk (including overhead)	Read-only;
<code>job.state.status.capture_size</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	The size of all the packets of the capture job (packets only, without overhead)	Read-only;
<code>job.state.status.packet_end_time</code>	<code>&lt;string&gt;</code>	The timestamp of the last packet of the capture job. The string represents a decimal value of seconds since epoch	Read-only;
<code>job.state.status.packet_start_time</code>	<code>&lt;string&gt;</code>	The timestamp of the first packet of the capture job. The string represents a decimal value of seconds since epoch	Read-only;
<code>job.state.status.state</code>	<code>&lt;string&gt;</code>	State of a capture job	Read-only; Values: UNKNOWN, STOPPED, RUNNING;

## Links

### job: clear\_packets

Used to clear capture job data

```
POST http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/jobs/items/{id}/clear
```

#### Request Body

Do not provide a request body.

#### Response Body

On success, the server does not provide any body in the responses.

### job: delete

```
DELETE http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/jobs/items/{id}
```

#### Response Body

On success, the server does not provide any body in the responses.

### job: get

```
GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/jobs/items/{id}
```

#### Response Body

Returns a [job](#) data object.

### job: set

```
PUT http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/jobs/items/{id}
```

#### Request Body

Provide a [job](#) data object.

#### Response Body

Returns a [job](#) data object.

## Resource: job\_defaults

## Default values to use when creating a new capture job

http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/info/job\_defaults

### JSON

```
{
  "capture_from_all_vifgs": boolean,
  "enabled": boolean,
  "indexing": job_indexing,
  "name": string,
  "retention_rules": packet_retention,
  "snap_len": integer
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>job_defaults</i>	<i>&lt;object&gt;</i>	Default values to use when creating a new capture job	Read-only; Required properties: [name, enabled, snap_len, capture_from_all_vifgs, retention_rules, indexing];
<i>job_defaults.capture_from_all_vifgs</i>	<i>&lt;boolean&gt;</i>	Default value for whether the capture job should capture from all VIFGs or not	Read-only;
<i>job_defaults.enabled</i>	<i>&lt;boolean&gt;</i>	Default status of the job	Read-only;
<i>job_defaults.indexing</i>	<i>&lt;job_indexing&gt;</i>	Parameters for Microflow indexing	
<i>job_defaults.name</i>	<i>&lt;string&gt;</i>	Default name of new job	Read-only;
<i>job_defaults.retention_rules</i>	<i>&lt;packet_retention&gt;</i>	Packet storage retention rules	
<i>job_defaults.snap_len</i>	<i>&lt;integer&gt;</i>	Default value for snaplen	Read-only;

## Links

### job\_defaults: get

GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/info/job\_defaults

#### Response Body

Returns a [job\\_defaults](#) data object.

## Resource: jobs

Capture jobs configured on the system

http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/jobs

### JSON

```
{
  "items": [ job ]
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>jobs</i>	<i>&lt;object&gt;</i>	Capture jobs configured on the system	Required properties: [items];
<i>jobs.items</i>	<i>&lt;array of job&gt;</i>	List of capture jobs	
<i>jobs.items[items]</i>	<i>&lt;job&gt;</i>	Information about a capture job	

## Links

### jobs: create

POST http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/jobs

#### Request Body

Provide a [job](#) data object.

## Response Body

Returns a [job](#) data object.

## jobs: get

```
GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/jobs
```

## Response Body

Returns a [jobs](#) data object.

## Resource: packet\_broker\_types

Information about supported packet brokers

```
http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/info/packet_broker_types
```

### JSON

```
[
  {
    "description": string,
    "type": packet_broker_types_type_enum,
    "type_pretty": string
  }
]
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<code>packet_broker_types</code>	<code>&lt;array of &lt;object&gt;&gt;</code>	Information about supported packet brokers	
<code>packet_broker_types[items]</code>	<code>&lt;object&gt;</code>	Information about a single packet broker	Required properties: [type, type_pretty, description];
<code>packet_broker_types[items].description</code>	<code>&lt;string&gt;</code>	Description of the specific type of packet broker	
<code>packet_broker_types[items].type</code>	<code>&lt;packet_broker_types_type_enum&gt;</code>	Enumerative for supported packet brokers	Values: NONE, UNKNOWN, CPACKET_TS_ONLY, CPACKET_TS_AND_SLICE, GIGAMON_HEADER, GIGAMON_TRAILER, GIGAMON_TRAILER_X12, ANUE, ARISTA, ARISTA_BEFORE_FCS;
<code>packet_broker_types[items].type_pretty</code>	<code>&lt;string&gt;</code>	User friendly name for the specific type of packet broker	

## Links

### packet\_broker\_types: get

```
GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/info/packet_broker_types
```

## Response Body

Returns a [packet\\_broker\\_types](#) data object.

## Resource: phys\_interface

Information about a monitoring interface

```
http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/interfaces/items/{name}
```

### JSON

```

{
  "config": {
    "description": string,
    "enabled": boolean,
    "speed_duplex": phys_interface_capabilities_enum
  },
  "name": string,
  "state": {
    "interface_type": string,
    "mtu": integer,
    "speed_duplex": phys_interface_capabilities_enum,
    "stats": {
      "bytes_total": {
        "last_hour": integer,
        "last_minute": integer,
        "last_second": integer,
        "total": integer
      },
      "packets_dropped": {
        "last_hour": integer,
        "last_minute": integer,
        "last_second": integer,
        "total": integer
      },
      "packets_total": {
        "last_hour": integer,
        "last_minute": integer,
        "last_second": integer,
        "total": integer
      }
    }
  },
  "status": string
}

```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>phys_interface</i>	<object>	Information about a monitoring interface	Required properties: [config];
<i>phys_interface.config</i>	<object>	Configuration of a monitoring interface	Required properties: [enabled, description, speed_duplex];
<i>phys_interface.config.description</i>	<string>	A description of the monitoring interface	
<i>phys_interface.config.enabled</i>	<boolean>	Used to enable/disable a monitoring interface	
<i>phys_interface.config.speed_duplex</i>	<phys_interface_capabilities_enum>	The types of supported speed/duplex configurations. AUTONEG * values will try to autonegotiate the corresponding speed in Mbps (AUTNEG will negotiate them all). All other values will force a specific speed in Mbps (FD full duplex, HD half duplex)	Values: UNKNOWN, AUTONEG, AUTONEG_10, AUTONEG_100, AUTONEG_1000, 10_HD, 10_FD, 100_HD, 100_FD, 1000_FD, 10000_FD, 40000_FD, 100000_FD;
<i>phys_interface.name</i>	<string>	The name of the monitoring interface	Read-only; Optional;
<i>phys_interface.state</i>	<object>	Information about the state of a monitoring interface	Read-only; Required properties: [status, interface_type, mtu, speed_duplex, stats]; Optional;
<i>phys_interface.state.interface_type</i>	<string>	The type of interface. It gives a high level information about the type of hardware used (FILE is reserved for internal use)	Read-only; Values: 1G_COPPER, 1G_FIBER, 1G_VIRTUAL, 10G_COPPER, 10G_FIBER, 10G_VIRTUAL, 40G_FIBER, 40G_VIRTUAL, FILE, UNKNOWN;
<i>phys_interface.state.mtu</i>	<integer>	The Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU) of the interface	Read-only;
<i>phys_interface.state.speed_duplex</i>	<phys_interface_capabilities_enum>	The types of supported speed/duplex configurations. AUTONEG * values will try to autonegotiate the corresponding speed in Mbps (AUTNEG will negotiate them all). All other values will force a specific speed in Mbps (FD full duplex, HD half duplex)	Values: UNKNOWN, AUTONEG, AUTONEG_10, AUTONEG_100, AUTONEG_1000, 10_HD, 10_FD, 100_HD, 100_FD, 1000_FD, 10000_FD, 40000_FD, 100000_FD;
<i>phys_interface.state.stats</i>	<object>	Statistics for a monitoring interface	Read-only; Required properties: [bytes_total, packets_total, packets_dropped];
<i>bytes_total</i>	<object>	Total number of bytes received by the interface (including drops)	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<i>bytes_total.last_hour</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<i>bytes_total.last_minute</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;
<i>bytes_total.last_second</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<i>bytes_total.total</i>	<integer>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;

<i>packets_dropped</i>	<object>	Number of packets dropped by the interface	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<i>packets_dropped.last_hour</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_dropped.last_minute</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_dropped.last_second</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_dropped.total</i>	<integer>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;
<i>packets_total</i>	<object>	Total number of packets received by the interface (including drops)	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<i>packets_total.last_hour</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_total.last_minute</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_total.last_second</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_total.total</i>	<integer>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;
<i>phys_interface.state.status</i>	<string>	The state of the interface. UP and DOWN provide link status information. MISSING is used when the interface is no longer detected on the system. DISABLED is used for interfaces that have been manually disabled.	Read-only; Values: UP, DOWN, MISSING, DISABLED, UNKNOWN;

## Links

### phys\_interface: delete

```
DELETE http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/interfaces/items/{name}
```

#### Response Body

On success, the server does not provide any body in the responses.

### phys\_interface: get

```
GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/interfaces/items/{name}
```

#### Response Body

Returns a [phys\\_interface](#) data object.

### phys\_interface: reset\_stats

Used to reset the statistics of the monitoring interface

```
POST http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/interfaces/items/{name}/reset_stats
```

#### Request Body

Do not provide a request body.

#### Response Body

On success, the server does not provide any body in the responses.

### phys\_interface: set

```
PUT http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/interfaces/items/{name}
```

#### Request Body

Provide a [phys\\_interface](#) data object.

#### Response Body

Returns a [phys\\_interface](#) data object.

## Resource: phys\_interface\_capabilities

## Information about supported capabilities of a monitoring interface

http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/interfaces/items/{name}/capabilities

### JSON

```
{
  "name": string,
  "speed_duplex": [ phys_interface_capabilities_enum ]
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>phys_interface_capabilities</i>	<object>	Information about supported capabilities of a monitoring interface	Required properties: [name, speed_duplex];
<i>phys_interface_capabilities.name</i>	<string>	The name of the monitoring interface	
<i>phys_interface_capabilities.speed_duplex</i>	<array of <phys_interface_capabilities_enum>>	An array of the speeds supported by the interface	
<i>phys_interface_capabilities.speed_duplex</i> [items]	<phys_interface_capabilities_enum>	The types of supported speed/duplex configurations. AUTONEG_* values will try to autonegotiate the corresponding speed in Mbps (AUTNEG will negotiate them all). All other values will force a specific speed in Mbps (FD full duplex, HD half duplex)	Values: UNKNOWN, AUTONEG, AUTONEG_10, AUTONEG_100, AUTONEG_1000, 10_HD, 10_FD, 100_HD, 100_FD, 1000_FD, 10000_FD, 40000_FD, 100000_FD;

## Links

### phys\_interface\_capabilities: get

GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/interfaces/items/{name}/capabilities

#### Response Body

Returns a [phys\\_interface\\_capabilities](#) data object.

## Resource: phys\_interfaces

Monitoring interfaces detected on the system

http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/interfaces

### JSON

```
{
  "items": [ phys_interface ]
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>phys_interfaces</i>	<object>	Monitoring interfaces detected on the system	Required properties: [items];
<i>phys_interfaces.items</i>	<array of <phys_interface>>	List of monitoring interfaces	
<i>phys_interfaces.items</i> [items]	<phys_interface>	Information about a monitoring interface	

## Links

### phys\_interfaces: get

GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/interfaces

#### Response Body

Returns a [phys\\_interfaces](#) data object.

## Resource: settings



## Global settings for packet capture

http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/settings

### JSON

```
{
  "deduplication": {
    "entries": integer,
    "esp_alg_enabled": boolean,
    "esp_timeout": string,
    "tcp_syn_ack_enabled": boolean,
    "tcp_syn_ack_timeout": string,
    "timeout": string,
    "udp_alg_enabled": boolean,
    "udp_timeout": string
  },
  "packet_broker": {
    "type": packet_broker_types_type_enum
  },
  "packet_export_acceleration": {
    "read_enabled": boolean,
    "write_enabled": boolean
  }
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
settings	<object>	Global settings for packet capture	Required properties: [packet_broker, deduplication, packet_export_acceleration];
settings.deduplication	<object>	Packet deduplication advanced settings	Required properties: [entries, timeout, udp_timeout, udp_alg_enabled, tcp_syn_ack_timeout, tcp_syn_ack_enabled, esp_timeout, esp_alg_enabled];
settings.deduplication.entries	<integer>	Size of internal queues used by packet deduplication engine	
settings.deduplication.esp_alg_enabled	<boolean>	Enable/Disable deduplication on ESP packets with IP identification equal to 0	
settings.deduplication.esp_timeout	<string>	Time window used for ESP packets (with IP identification equal to 0) instead of the global 'timeout'. The string represents a decimal value of seconds	
settings.deduplication.tcp_syn_ack_enabled	<boolean>	Enable/Disable deduplication on TCP SYN/ACK packets with IP identification equal to 0	
settings.deduplication.tcp_syn_ack_timeout	<string>	Time window used for TCP SYN/ACK packets (with IP identification equal to 0) instead of the global 'timeout'. The string represents a decimal value of seconds	
settings.deduplication.timeout	<string>	Time window within which packet deduplication is guaranteed. If two duplicate packets are received further apart than this timeout, they will not be considered duplicates. The string represents a decimal value of seconds	
settings.deduplication.udp_alg_enabled	<boolean>	Enable/Disable deduplication on UDP packets	
settings.deduplication.udp_timeout	<string>	Time window used for UDP packets instead of the global 'timeout'. The string represents a decimal value of seconds	
settings.packet_broker	<object>	Packet Broker settings	Required properties: [type];
settings.packet_broker.type	<packet_broker_types_type_enum>	Enumerative for supported packet brokers	Values: NONE, UNKNOWN, CPACKET_TS_ONLY, CPACKET_TS_AND_SLICE, GIGAMON_HEADER, GIGAMON_TRAILER, GIGAMON_TRAILER_X12, ANUE, ARISTA, ARISTA_BEFORE_FCS;
settings.packet_export_acceleration	<object>	Settings related to the Packet Export Acceleration feature	Required properties: [read_enabled, write_enabled];

<code>settings.packet_export_acceleration.read_enabled</code>	<code>&lt;boolean&gt;</code>	Enable acceleration engine during read operations (if indexes are present)	
<code>settings.packet_export_acceleration.write_enabled</code>	<code>&lt;boolean&gt;</code>	Enable generation of indexes while writing packets to disk	

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## Links

### settings: get

```
GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/settings
```

#### Response Body

Returns a [settings](#) data object.

### settings: set

```
PUT http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/settings
```

#### Request Body

Provide a [settings](#) data object.

#### Response Body

Returns a [settings](#) data object.

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## Resource: vifg

Information about a Virtual Interface Group (VIFG)

```
http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs/items/{id}
```

JSON

```

{
  "config": {
    "bandwidth_capacity": integer,
    "dedup": boolean,
    "description": string,
    "enabled": boolean,
    "filter": input_filter,
    "flow_export": flow_export_filter,
    "is_other_vifg": boolean,
    "members": [
      string
    ],
    "name": string
  },
  "id": integer,
  "state": {
    "bandwidth_capacity": integer,
    "mtu": integer,
    "stats": {
      "bytes_received": {
        "last_hour": integer,
        "last_minute": integer,
        "last_second": integer,
        "total": integer
      },
      "packets_duped": {
        "last_hour": integer,
        "last_minute": integer,
        "last_second": integer,
        "total": integer
      },
      "packets_received": {
        "last_hour": integer,
        "last_minute": integer,
        "last_second": integer,
        "total": integer
      }
    }
  }
}

```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
vifg	<object>	Information about a Virtual Interface Group (VIFG)	Required properties: [config];
vifg.config	<object>	Configuration of a Virtual Interface Group (VIFG)	Required properties: [name, members, enabled];
vifg.config.bandwidth_capacity	<integer>	Custom value for the capacity of the VIFG (in Mbps). If set to zero, it will use default values (see the field bandwidth_capacity in the 'state' object)	Optional;
vifg.config.dedup	<boolean>	Whether or not packet deduplication is enabled on this VIFG	Optional;
vifg.config.description	<string>	Description of the VIFG	Optional;
vifg.config.enabled	<boolean>	Whether or not the VIFG is enabled (disabled VIFGs will drop all the their traffic)	
vifg.config.filter	<input_filter>	Packet filter configuration	
vifg.config.flow_export	<flow_export_filter>	Filter settings used for Flow Export	
vifg.config.is_other_vifg	<boolean>	Whether or not this VIFG is the 'other vifg'	Optional;
vifg.config.members	<array of <string>>	List of members associated with this VIFG	
vifg.config.members[items]	<string>	A monitoring interface (in PHYSICAL_INTERFACE mode) or a VLAN ID (in VLAN mode) that belongs to the VIFG. The VLAN ID can be one of: an integer (0-4095), a colon-separated list of integers to represent QinQ (1:4:5), or 'UNTAGGED'	
vifg.config.name	<string>	Unique name of the VIFG	
vifg.id	<integer>	The unique ID of the Virtual Interface Group (VIFG)	Read-only; Optional;
vifg.state	<object>	Information about the state of a Virtual Interface Group (VIFG)	Read-only; Required properties: [stats, bandwidth_capacity, mtu]; Optional;
vifg.state.bandwidth_capacity	<integer>	The (read-only) capacity of the VIFG in Mbps. In PHYSICAL_INTERFACE mode, it's the sum of the speeds of the interfaces that the VIFG collects. In VLAN mode, the sum of the speeds of all interfaces. It can also be configured to a custom value (see the field bandwidth_capacity in the 'config' object)	Read-only;
vifg.state.mtu	<integer>	In PHYSICAL_INTERFACE mode, the max Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU) of the interfaces that the VIFG collects. In VLAN mode, the max MTU of all interfaces	Read-only;

<i>vifg.state.stats</i>	<object>	Statistics of a Virtual Interface Group (VIFG)	Read-only; Required properties: [bytes_received, packets_received, packets_duped];
<i>bytes_received</i>	<object>	Number of bytes correctly received by VIFG (including duplicates)	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<i>bytes_received.last_hour</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<i>bytes_received.last_minute</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;
<i>bytes_received.last_second</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<i>bytes_received.total</i>	<integer>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;
<i>packets_duped</i>	<object>	Number of duplicate packets	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<i>packets_duped.last_hour</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_duped.last_minute</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_duped.last_second</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_duped.total</i>	<integer>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;
<i>packets_received</i>	<object>	Number of packets correctly received by VIFG (including duplicates)	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<i>packets_received.last_hour</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_received.last_minute</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_received.last_second</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<i>packets_received.total</i>	<integer>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;

## Links

### vifg: delete

```
DELETE http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs/items/{id}
```

#### Response Body

On success, the server does not provide any body in the responses.

### vifg: get

```
GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs/items/{id}
```

#### Response Body

Returns a [vifg](#) data object.

### vifg: reset\_stats

Used to reset the statistics of the Virtual Interface Group (VIFG)

```
POST http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs/items/{id}/reset_stats
```

#### Request Body

Do not provide a request body.

#### Response Body

On success, the server does not provide any body in the responses.

### vifg: set

```
PUT http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs/items/{id}
```

#### Request Body

Provide a [vifg](#) data object.

#### Response Body

Returns a [vifg](#) data object.

## Resource: vifg\_global\_state

## Global state for Virtual Interface Groups (VIFGs)

http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/vifgs/state

### JSON

```
{
  "autodiscovery": {
    "maximum_reached": boolean
  }
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>vifg_global_state</i>	<object>	Global state for Virtual Interface Groups (VIFGs)	Read-only; Required properties: [autodiscovery];
<i>vifg_global_state.autodiscovery</i>	<object>	Information about the status of VIFG autodiscovery	Read-only;
<i>vifg_global_state.autodiscovery.maximum_reached</i>	<boolean>	True if the maximum number of VIFGs has already been automatically discovered and no more VIFGs will be created. False, otherwise. The maximum is currently set to 2000 (including the 'other vifg')	Read-only; Optional;

## Links

### vifg\_global\_state: get

GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/vifgs/state

### Response Body

Returns a [vifg\\_global\\_state](#) data object.

## Resource: vifg\_settings

### Global settings for Virtual Interface Groups (VIFGs)

http://{device}/api/npm.packet\_capture/2.0/vifgs/settings

### JSON

```
{
  "autodiscovery": {
    "default": {
      "dedup": boolean,
      "filter": input filter,
      "flow_export": flow_export filter
    },
    "enabled": boolean
  },
  "enable_aggregation": boolean,
  "grouping_type": string,
  "supported_grouping_types": [
    string
  ]
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>vifg_settings</i>	<object>	Global settings for Virtual Interface Groups (VIFGs)	Required properties: [grouping_type, supported_grouping_types, enable_aggregation, autodiscovery];
<i>vifg_settings.autodiscovery</i>	<object>	Global settings for the VIFG autodiscovery feature	Required properties: [enabled, default];
<i>vifg_settings.autodiscovery.default</i>	<object>	Default values for VIFGs created by autodiscovery	Required properties: [filter, dedup, flow_export];
<i>vifg_settings.autodiscovery.default.dedup</i>	<boolean>	Enable or disable packet deduplication on VIFGs created by autodiscovery	
<i>vifg_settings.autodiscovery.default.filter</i>	<input filter>	Packet filter configuration	
<i>vifg_settings.autodiscovery.default.flow_export</i>	<flow_export filter>	Filter settings used for Flow Export	

<code>vifg_settings.autodiscovery.enabled</code>	<code>&lt;boolean&gt;</code>	Enable or disable VIFG autodiscovery	
<code>vifg_settings.enable_aggregation</code>	<code>&lt;boolean&gt;</code>	Enable or disable VIFG aggregation in downstream processing	
<code>vifg_settings.grouping_type</code>	<code>&lt;string&gt;</code>	The type of grouping used for incoming packets	
<code>vifg_settings.supported_grouping_types</code>	<code>&lt;array of &lt;string&gt;&gt;</code>	Valid values for the field 'grouping_types'	Read-only;
<code>vifg_settings.supported_grouping_types [items]</code>	<code>&lt;string&gt;</code>	Supported grouping types	Read-only; Values: UNKNOWN, PHYSICAL_INTERFACE, VLAN;

## Links

### vifg\_settings: get

GET `http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs/settings`

#### Response Body

Returns a [vifg\\_settings](#) data object.

### vifg\_settings: set

PUT `http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs/settings`

#### Request Body

Provide a [vifg\\_settings](#) data object.

#### Response Body

Returns a [vifg\\_settings](#) data object.

## Resource: vifgs

Virtual Interface Groups (VIFGs) configured on the system

`http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs{?sort,is_other_vifg,limit,sortby,offset}`

#### JSON

```
{
  "count": integer,
  "items": [ vifg ]
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<code>vifgs</code>	<code>&lt;object&gt;</code>	Virtual Interface Groups (VIFGs) configured on the system	Required properties: [items];
<code>vifgs.count</code>	<code>&lt;integer&gt;</code>	The total number of Virtual Interface Groups (VIFGs)	Optional;
<code>vifgs.items</code>	<code>&lt;array of &lt;vifg&gt;&gt;</code>	List of Virtual Interface Groups (VIFGs)	
<code>vifgs.items[items]</code>	<code>&lt;vifg&gt;</code>	Information about a Virtual Interface Group (VIFG)	

## Links

### vifgs: create

POST `http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs{?sort,is_other_vifg,limit,sortby,offset}`

#### Request Body

Provide a [vifg](#) data object.

#### Response Body

Returns a [vifg](#) data object.

## vifgs: get

```
GET http://{device}/api/npm.packet_capture/2.0/vifgs/{?sort,is_other_vifg,limit,sortby,offset}
```

### Response Body

Returns a [vifgs](#) data object.

## Type: flow\_export\_filter

Filter settings used for Flow Export

### JSON

```
{
  "enabled": boolean,
  "filter": input_filter
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>flow_export_filter</i>	< <i>object</i> >	Filter settings used for Flow Export	Required properties: [enabled, filter];
<i>flow_export_filter.enabled</i>	< <i>boolean</i> >	Enable or disable Flow Export filtering	
<i>flow_export_filter.filter</i>	< <i>input_filter</i> >	Packet filter configuration	

## Type: input\_filter

Packet filter configuration

### JSON

```
{
  "type": string,
  "value": string
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>input_filter</i>	< <i>object</i> >	Packet filter configuration	Required properties: [type, value];
<i>input_filter.type</i>	< <i>string</i> >	The type of filter to be processed	Values: UNKNOWN, STEELFILTER, BPF;
<i>input_filter.value</i>	< <i>string</i> >	String representation of the filter	

## Type: job\_indexing

Parameters for Microflow indexing

### JSON

```
{
  "enabled": boolean,
  "retention_rules": packet_retention
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>job_indexing</i>	< <i>object</i> >	Parameters for Microflow indexing	Required properties: [enabled, retention_rules];
<i>job_indexing.enabled</i>	< <i>boolean</i> >	Enable or disable Microflow indexing on the capture job	
<i>job_indexing.retention_rules</i>	< <i>packet_retention</i> >	Packet storage retention rules	

## Type: packet\_broker\_types\_type\_enum

Enumerative for supported packet brokers

### JSON

*string*

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>packet_broker_types_type_enum</i>	<i>&lt;string&gt;</i>	Enumerative for supported packet brokers	Values: NONE, UNKNOWN, CPACKET_TS_ONLY, CPACKET_TS_AND_SLICE, GIGAMON_HEADER, GIGAMON_TRAILER, GIGAMON_TRAILER_X12, ANUE, ARISTA, ARISTA_BEFORE_FCS;

## Type: packet\_retention

Packet storage retention rules

JSON

```
{
  "max_disk_space": integer,
  "max_retention_time": string,
  "min_disk_space": integer,
  "min_retention_time": string
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>packet_retention</i>	<i>&lt;object&gt;</i>	Packet storage retention rules	
<i>packet_retention.max_disk_space</i>	<i>&lt;integer&gt;</i>	Maximum disk space for captured packets (i.e. the capture job cannot store more than N bytes worth of packets). Value in bytes. If equal to zero or not set, the paramter will be ignored	Optional;
<i>packet_retention.max_retention_time</i>	<i>&lt;string&gt;</i>	Maximum retention time for captured packets (i.e. the capture job cannot store more than N seconds worth of packets). The string represents a decimal value of seconds since epoch. If equal to zero or not set, the parameter will be ignored	Optional;
<i>packet_retention.min_disk_space</i>	<i>&lt;integer&gt;</i>	Minimum disk space for captured packets (i.e. best effort to have at least N bytes worth of packets in the capture job). Value in bytes. If equal to zero or not set, the parameter will be ignored	Optional;
<i>packet_retention.min_retention_time</i>	<i>&lt;string&gt;</i>	Minimum retention time for captured packets (i.e. best effort to have at least N seconds worth of packets in the capture job). The string represents a decimal value of seconds since epoch. If equal to zero or not set, the parameter will be ignored	Optional;

## Type: phys\_interface\_capabilities\_enum

The types of supported speed/duplex configurations. AUTONEG\_\* values will try to autonegotiate the corresponding speed in Mbps (AUTNEG will negotiate them all). All other values will force a specific speed in Mbps (FD full duplex, HD half duplex)

JSON

*string*

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>phys_interface_capabilities_enum</i>	<i>&lt;string&gt;</i>	The types of supported speed/duplex configurations. AUTONEG_* values will try to autonegotiate the corresponding speed in Mbps (AUTNEG will negotiate them all). All other values will force a specific speed in Mbps (FD full duplex, HD half duplex)	Values: UNKNOWN, AUTONEG, AUTONEG_10, AUTONEG_100, AUTONEG_1000, 10_HD, 10_FD, 100_HD, 100_FD, 1000_FD, 10000_FD, 40000_FD, 100000_FD;

## Type: recent\_stats

Statistics about last second/minute/hour (and total)

JSON



```
{
  "last_hour": integer,
  "last_minute": integer,
  "last_second": integer,
  "total": integer
}
```

Property Name	Type	Description	Notes
<i>recent_stats</i>	<object>	Statistics about last second/minute/hour (and total)	Read-only; Required properties: [total];
<i>recent_stats.last_hour</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last hour	Read-only; Optional;
<i>recent_stats.last_minute</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistics in the last minute	Read-only; Optional;
<i>recent_stats.last_second</i>	<integer>	The value of the statistic in the last second	Read-only; Optional;
<i>recent_stats.total</i>	<integer>	Total number of the statistic	Read-only;