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Introduction

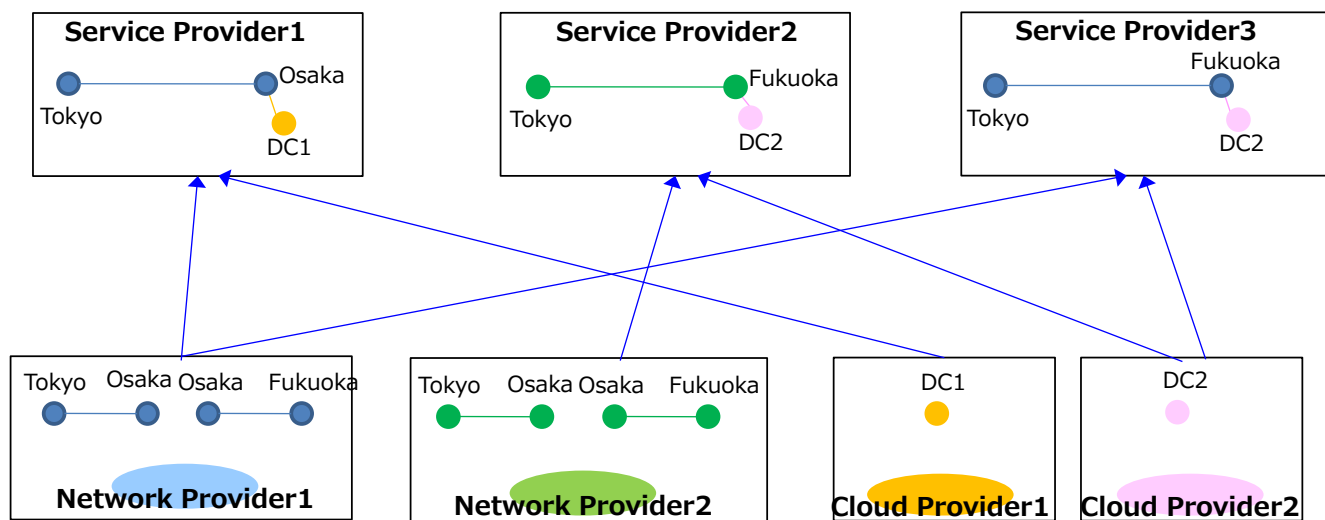
This Service Problem Management API is used for the service providers (Defined as the Middle B) to manage the service problems in their service area. Service problem is generated based on the information declared by Middle B or the event information notified from infrastructure providers (Defined as the First B) who provide the infrastructure of cloud or network. The event information includes alarm information, performance anomaly information, trouble ticket information, SLA violation, maintenance information and prediction information. Middle Bs can refer the service problems and the event information from First Bs and when the service problems occur or its status have been changed, Middle Bs can receive notifications. According to these functions, Middle Bs are able to grasp the service problems quickly and accurately.

SAMPLE USE CASES

We assume following situation:

There are Network Provider 1 (NP1) and 2 (NP2), which provide network infrastructure, and Cloud Provider 1, 2, which provides cloud infrastructure, as First Bs. Using these infrastructure, Service Provider 1 (SP1), 2 (SP2) and 3 (SP3) are providing their services to their end-users as Middle Bs.

Middle B



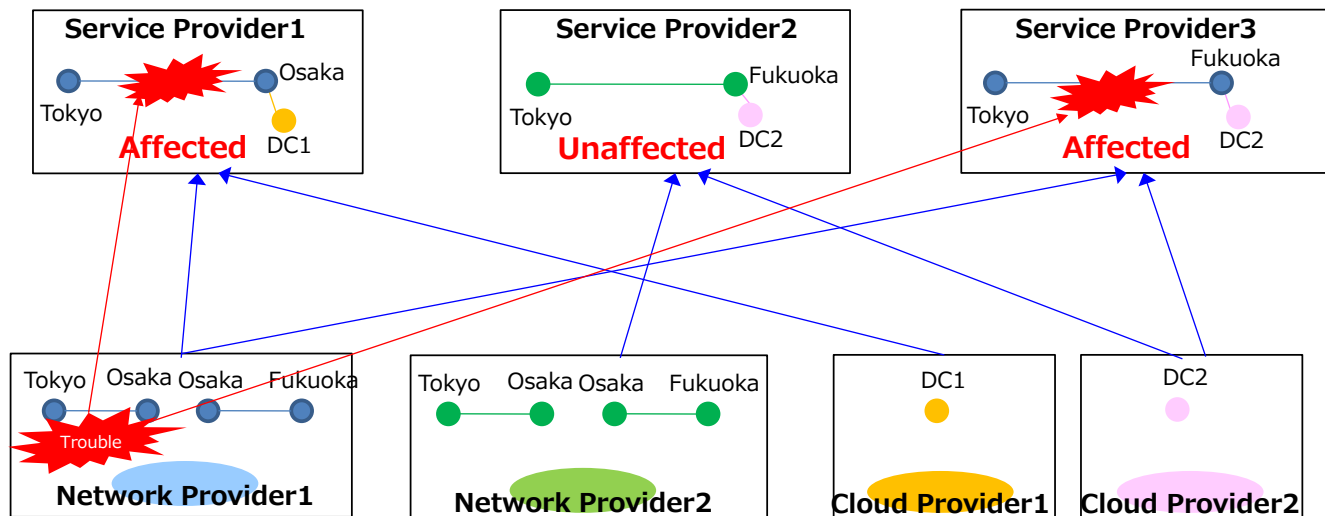
First B

Use case 1

When trouble happened in any resources of NW/Cloud Providers, Service Providers can know their services are affected or not. The specific use case is following:

1. SPM collects configuration information of services provided by service providers in advance using Product Inventory Management API, etc.
2. Each of Middle Bs – Service Provider 1 (SP1), Service Provider 2 (SP2), Service Provider 3 (SP3) – registers the notification destination to SPM SPI.
3. When a fault occurs, SPM receives a trouble ticket from the Network Provider 1 (NP1).
4. SPM creates a Service Problem based on the Trouble Ticket.
5. SPM notifies the Service Problem creation notification to Middle B (SP1, SP3) to notify expected service impact, based on the configuration information collected in advance.
6. When SPM receives a notification that the trouble ticket has changed to "In Progress" state, update the status of the relevant Service Problem. Notify the Service Problem state change notification to Middle B (SP1, SP3).

Middle B



First B

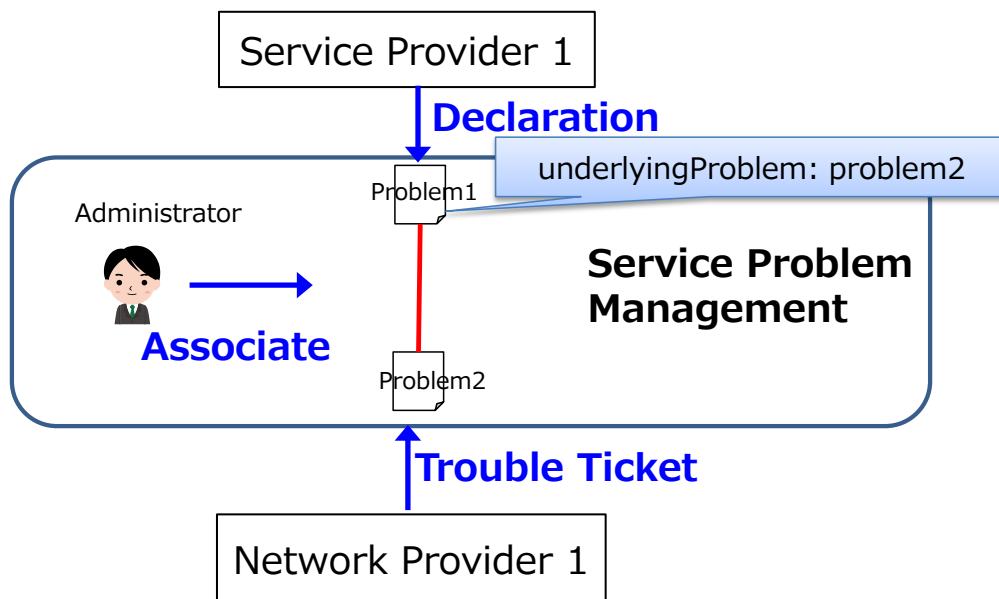
Use case 2

To analyze the past problems, Middle B collects the problem information in the past one year.

Use case 3

Service providers can declare a new service problem based on trouble declarations from their end-users. In addition, the SPM administrator can associate the service problem, based on the Middle B declaration, with another problem based on a First B event such as a Trouble Ticket. The specific use case is following:

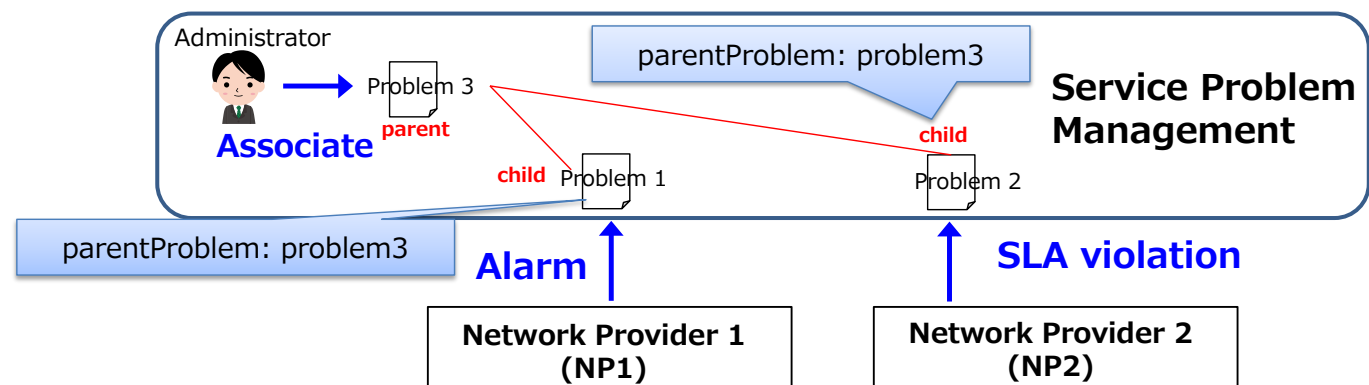
1. Based on the report from the user that there is a problem in the Internet access, Middle B (SP1) gets the current service problem.
2. After SPM collects the current Service Problems, returns that there are no problems related to the service of the Middle B (SP1).
3. In order to request the analysis of this event, Middle B declares a new service problem.
4. Since the SPM administrator found that necessary detailed information was insufficient, SPM administrator requests additional information about the behavior of the Middle B side.
5. SP1 collects the specified additional information and registers it.
6. SPM administrator checks the additional information, and accepts the Service Problem (Problem 1).
7. First B(NP1) registers a detected problem event to the trouble ticket, and notice a new trouble ticket generation to SPM. The SPM creates a Service Problem (Problem 2) based on the trouble ticket.
8. Since the two problems affects the same location, SPM administrator determines that the declared problem (Problem 1) and the new problem based on the new trouble ticket (Problem 2) is associated. SPM administrator associates Problem 1 with 2. In this case, Problem 1 will have Problem2 as the association "underlyingProblem". Note that Problem 1 can have an "parentProblem" as another association if he would like to group those problems.
9. Since the Problem 1 was changed to add a "underlyingProblem", Service Problem Change Notification is sent to SP1.



Use case 4

The SPM administrator can associate and group multiple service problems so that service providers can easily recognize what the real problem is. The specific use case is following:

1. SPM receives an alarm from NP1 and creates a Service Problem based on it (Problem 1).
2. SPM receives an SLA violation from NP2 and creates a Service Problem based on it (Problem 2).
3. By analyzing problems, SPM administrator determines that Problem 1 and 2 are the same problem. SPM administrator creates a new Service Problem (Problem 3) in order to group and associate Problem 1, 2 and 3. In this case, Problem 3 is a parent and Problem 1 and 2 are children.



Service Problem Lifecycle

ServiceProblem states:

Following the available status values for a service problem are listed. The status value is in accordance with Trouble Ticket API. The state graphic gives an overview of the allowed status changes

- Submitted
- Rejected

- Acknowledged
- In Progress
 - Held
 - Pending
- Resolved
- Closed
- Cancelled

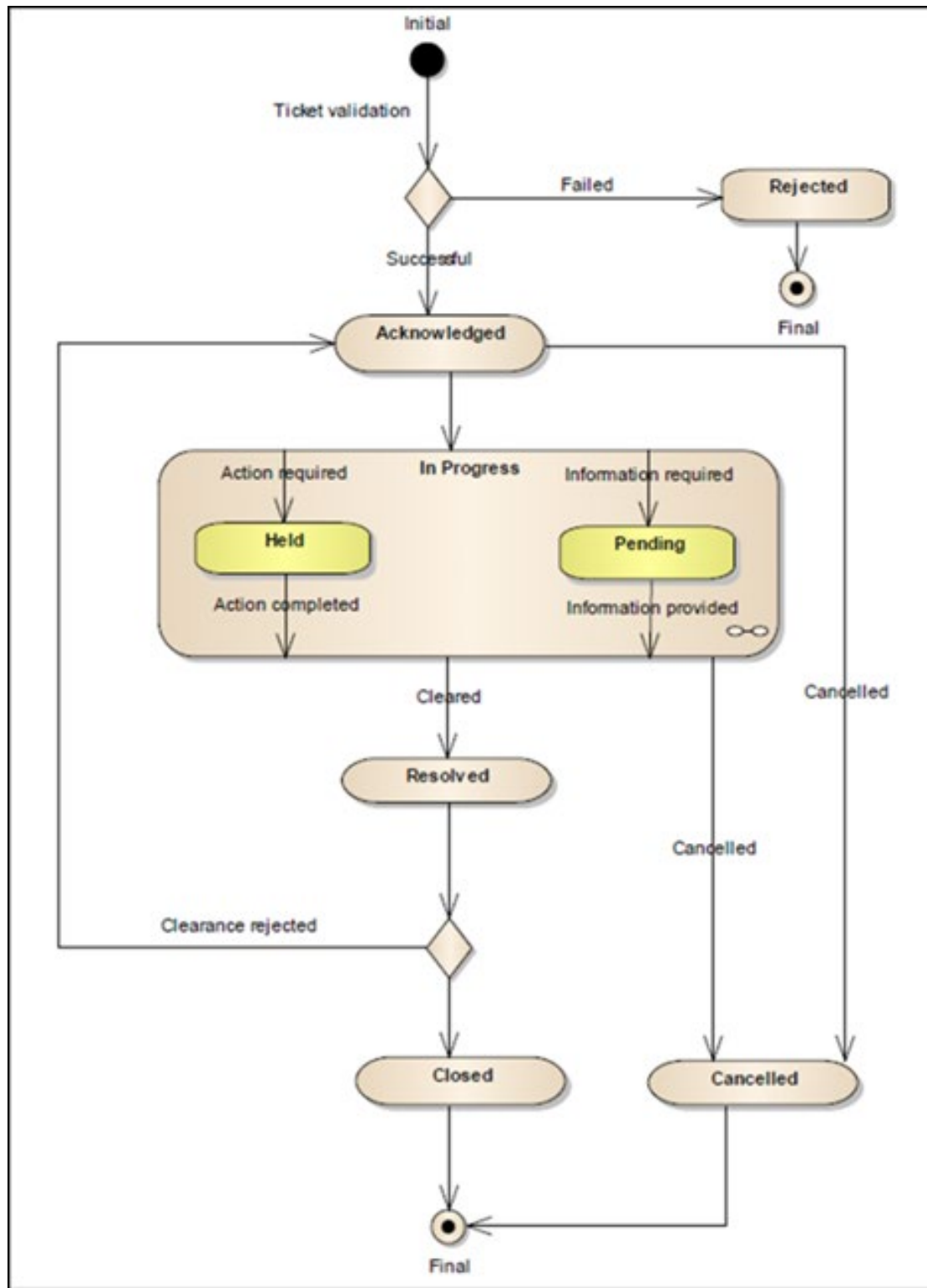


Figure 1 – Life Cycle

| State | Description |
|-----------------------|--|
| Submitted | The initial state of a service problem when created by a service problem originator |
| Acknowledged | The Service Problem was accepted and allocated a unique service problem id by Service problem handler. |
| In Progress | The service problem was validated by the service problem handler and is being processed. |
| Resolved | The fault indicated in the service problem was corrected by the service problem handler and acknowledgement is awaited from its originator. |
| Closed | The service Problem's originator has acknowledged the 'Resolved' state of the service problem, or the timeframe for acknowledgement has passed without response from service problem originator. |
| Rejected | <p>The service problem was rejected because it:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is not submitted • provides invalid information • fails to meet the Business rules in respect of the product which originator is raising a service problem against • is otherwise defective |
| In Progress – Pending | Service problem handler is awaiting further confirmation on details of a Fault from originator before it can progress the Fault. An example is where appointment information is required. |
| In Progress - Held | Service problem handler is confirming further details internally before completing a service problem. An example is where service problem handler for network infrastructure spare parts to progress with the fault rectification. |
| Cancelled | <p>The service problem was cancelled because it:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Was cancelled by service problem originator |

Support of polymorphism and extension patterns

Support of polymorphic collections and types and schema based extension is provided by means of a list of generic meta-attributes that we describe below. Polymorphism in collections occurs when entities inherit from base entities, for instance a RouterProblem and MainSwitchProblem inheriting properties from the ServiceProblem entity.

Generic support of polymorphism and pattern extensions is described in the TMF API Guidelines v3.0 Part 2 document.

The @type attribute provides a way to represent the actual class type of an entity. For example, within a list of ServiceProblem instances some may be instances of RouterProblem where other could be instances of MainSwitchProblem. The @type gives this information. All resources and sub-resources of this API have a @type attributes that can be provided when this is useful.

The @referredType can be used within reference entities (like for instance an ServiceProblemRef object) to explicitly denote the actual entity type of the referred class. Notice that in reference entities the @type, when used, denotes the class type of the reference itself, such as ServiceProblemRef, and not the class type of the referred object. However, since reference classes are rarely sub-classed, @type is generally not useful in reference objects.

The @schemaLocation property can be used in resources to allow specifying user-defined properties of an Entity or to specify the expected *characteristics* of an entity.

The @baseType attribute gives a way to provide explicitly the base of class of a given resource that has been extended.

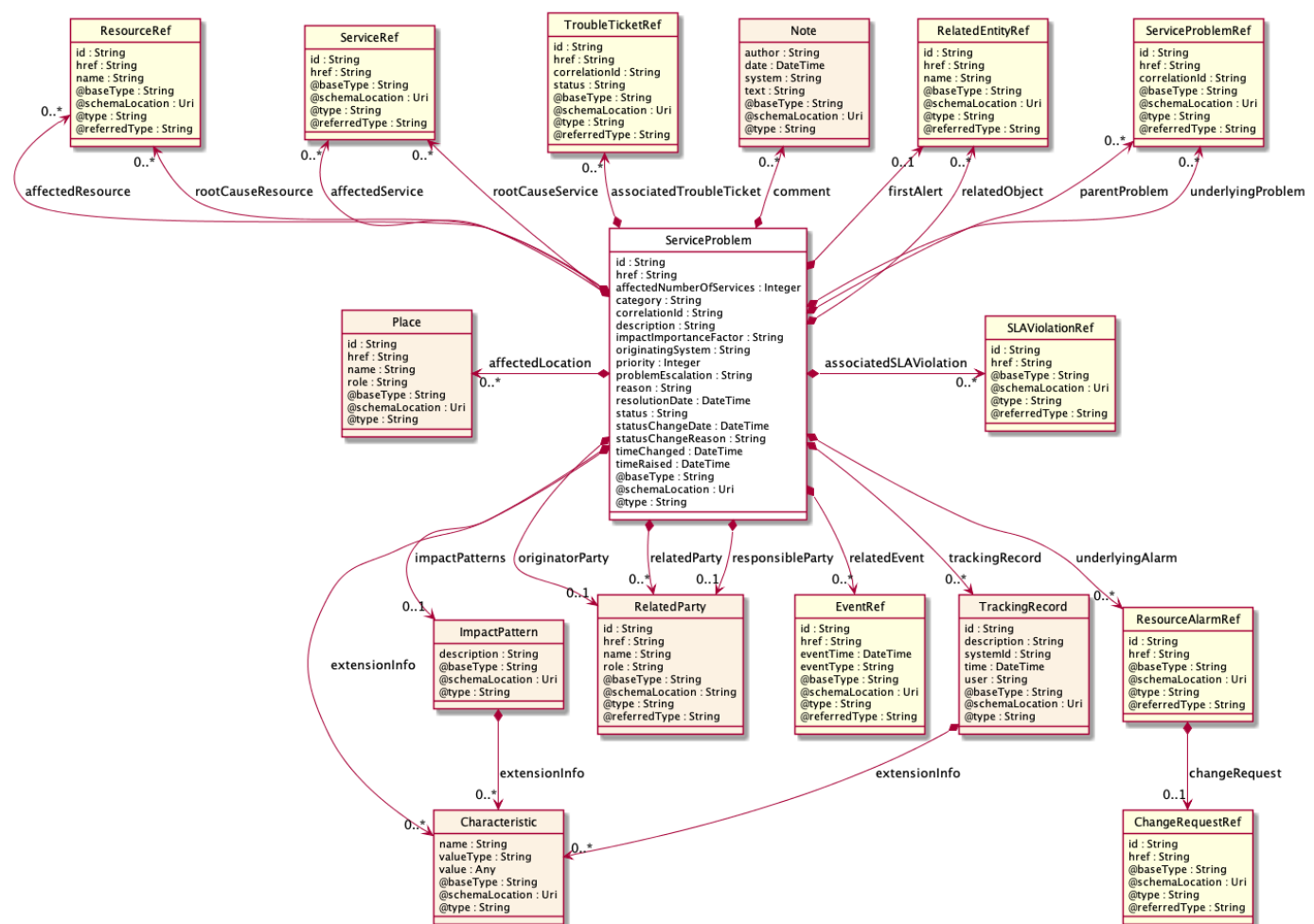
RESOURCE MODEL

Managed Entity and Task Resource Models

Service Problem resource

The problem information for Middle B which is abstracted in the service layer from the issued event information by First B.

Resource model



Field descriptions

ServiceProblem fields

- affectedLocation** A list of places (Place [*]). A list of the locations affected by the problem. At least one of affectedResource, affectedService or affectedLocation should be present.
- affectedNumberOfServices** An integer. Number of affected services.

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| affectedResource | A list of resource references (ResourceRef [*]). A list of the resources affected by the problem. At least one of affectedResource, affectedService or affectedLocation should be present. |
| affectedService | A list of service references (ServiceRef [*]). List of affected services. At least one of affectedResource, affectedService or affectedLocation should be present. |
| associatedSLAViolation | A list of s l a violation references (SLAViolationRef [*]). A List of SLA violations associated with this problem. |
| associatedTroubleTicket | A list of trouble ticket references (TroubleTicketRef [*]). A list of trouble tickets associated with this problem. |
| category | A string. Classifier for the problem. Settable. For example, this is used for distinguish the category of problem originator in [role].[category] format. Example: serviceProvider.declarer, supplier.originated, system.originated. |
| comment | A list of notes (Note [*]). A list of comments or notes made on the problem. |
| correlationId | A string. Additional identifier coming from an external system. |
| description | A string. Free form text describing the Service Problem. |
| extensionInfo | A list of characteristics (Characteristic [*]). A generic list of any type of elements. Used for vendor Extensions or loose element encapsulation from other namespaces. |
| firstAlert | A related entity reference (RelatedEntityRef). Indicates what first alerted the system to the problem. It is not the root cause of the Service Problem. Examples: Threshold crossing alert. |
| href | A string. Reference to the Service Problem. |
| id | A string. Identifier of the service problem. |
| impactImportanceFactor | A string. Impact Importance is characterized by an Impact Importance Factor: overall importance of the impact of all the affected services, e.g. 0 (zero impact) to 100 (worst impact). The Impact Importance is a calculated field which is set by the OSS determining the impact. |
| impactPatterns | An impact pattern (ImpactPattern). Define the patterns of impact (optional)- e.g. other service characteristics- Used when defining impact through another pattern than the predefined attributes. |
| originatingSystem | A string. Indicates where the problem was generated. |
| originatorParty | A related party (RelatedParty). Individual or organization that created the problem. |

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| parentProblem | A list of service problem references (ServiceProblemRef [*]). The parent problem to which this problem is attached. |
| priority | An integer. An indication varying from 1 (highest) to 10 (lowest) of how important it is for the service provider to correct the Service Problem. |
| problemEscalation | A string. Indicates if this service problem has been escalated or not. Possible values are 0 to 10. A value of zero means no escalation. The meanings of values 1-10 are to be determined by the user of the interface, but they show increasing levels of escalation. |
| reason | A string. Free text or optionally structured text. It can be Unknown. |
| relatedEvent | A list of event references (EventRef [*]). List of events associated to this problem. |
| relatedObject | A list of related entity references (RelatedEntityRef [*]). List of objects associated to this problem. |
| relatedParty | A list of related parties (RelatedParty [*]). List of parties or party roles playing a role within the service problem. |
| resolutionDate | A date time (DateTime). Time the problem was resolved. |
| responsibleParty | A related party (RelatedParty). Individual or organization responsible for handling this problem. |
| rootCauseResource | A list of resource references (ResourceRef [*]). Resource(s) that are associated to the underlying service problems that are the Root Cause of this one if any (used only if applicable). |
| rootCauseService | A list of service references (ServiceRef [*]). Service(s) that are associated to the underlying service problems that are the Root Cause of this one if any (used only if applicable). |
| status | A string. The current status of the service problem. Possible values are Submitted, Rejected, Acknowledged, In Progress [Held, Pending], Resolved, Closed, and Cancelled. |
| statusChangeDate | A date time (DateTime). Time the problem was last status changed. |
| statusChangeReason | A string. The reason of state change. |
| timeChanged | A date time (DateTime). Time the problem was last changed. |
| timeRaised | A date time (DateTime). Time the problem was raised. |
| trackingRecord | A list of tracking records (TrackingRecord [*]). List of tracking records that allow the tracking of modifications on the problem. The tracking records should not be |

embedded in the problem to allow retrieving the problem without the tracking records.

underlyingAlarm A list of resource alarm references (ResourceAlarmRef [*]). A list of alarms underlying this problem.

underlyingProblem A list of service problem references (ServiceProblemRef [*]). A list of underlying problems. Relevant only if this problem is derived from other problems.

Characteristic sub-resource

Describes a given characteristic of an object or entity through a name/value pair.

name A string. Name of the characteristic.

value An any (Any). The value of the characteristic.

valueType A string. Data type of the value of the characteristic.

ImpactPattern sub-resource

Define the patterns of impact (optional), such as other service characteristics- Used when defining impact through another pattern than the pre-defined attributes.

description A string. Basic description of the impact pattern.

extensionInfo A list of characteristics (Characteristic [*]). A generic list of any type of elements. Used for extensions or loose element encapsulation from other namespaces.

Note sub-resource

Extra information about a given entity.

author A string. Author of the note.

date A date time (DateTime). Date of the note.

system A string. Describes the system from which the action related to this note was done.

text A string. Text of the note.

Place sub-resource

Place reference. Place defines the places where the products are sold or delivered.

href A string. Unique reference of the place.

id A string. Unique identifier of the place.

name A string. A user-friendly name for the place, such as [Paris Store], [London Store], [Main Home].

role A string. Role of the place, such as: [home delivery], [shop retrieval]).

RelatedParty sub-resource

RelatedParty reference. A related party defines party or party role linked to a specific entity.

@baseType A string. When sub-classing, this defines the super-class.

@referredType A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation.

@schemaLocation A string. A URI to a JSON-Schema file that defines additional attributes and relationships.

@type A string. When sub-classing, this defines the sub-class entity name.

href A string. Reference of the related party, could be a party reference or a party role reference.

id A string. Unique identifier of a related party.

name A string. Name of the related party.

role A string. Role of the related party.

TrackingRecord sub-resource

Tracking records allow the tracking of modifications on the problem. The tracking records should not be embedded in the problem to allow retrieving the problem without the tracking records.

description A string. Describes the action being done, such as: ack, clear.

extensionInfo A list of characteristics (Characteristic [*]). A generic list of any type of elements. Used for vendor Extensions or loose element encapsulation from other namespaces.

id A string. Identifier of the TrackingRecord.

systemId A string. Describes the system Id from which the action was done.

time A date time (DateTime). Describes the time at which the action was done.

user A string. Describes the user doing the action.

ChangeRequestRef relationship

Reference to a Change Request.

@referredType A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation.

href A string. The reference link to the change request.

id A string. The identifier of the change request.

EventRef relationship

Events linked with service problem.

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| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| eventTime | A date time (DateTime). Time the event occurred. |
| eventType | A string. Type of the event. |
| href | A string. event reference. |
| id | A string. ID of the event. |

RelatedEntityRef relationship

A reference to an entity, where the type of the entity is not known in advance.

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| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| href | A string. The hyperlink to access an entity. |
| id | A string. The identifier of an entity. |
| name | A string. The name of an entity. |

ResourceAlarmRef relationship

A set of alarm ids identifying the alarms that are underlying this problem.

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|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| changeRequest | A change request reference (ChangeRequestRef). Reference to a Change Request. |
| href | A string. Reference of the Alarm. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the Alarm. |

ResourceRef relationship

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|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| href | A string. Reference of the supporting resource. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the supporting resource. |
| name | A string. Name of the resource supporting the service. |

SLAViolationRef relationship

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| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| href | A string. |
| id | A string. |

ServiceProblemRef relationship

| | |
|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| correlationId | A string. Additional identifier coming from an external system. |
| href | A string. Reference of the Problem. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the Problem. |

ServiceRef relationship

Service reference, for when Service is used by other entities.

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| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| href | A string. reference of the service. |
| id | A string. Id of the service. |

TroubleTicketRef relationship

A trouble ticket represents a record used for reporting and managing the resolution of resource problems.

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|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| correlationId | A string. Additional identifier coming from an external system. |
| href | A string. Reference of the trouble ticket. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the trouble ticket. |
| status | A string. The current status of the Trouble Ticket. |

Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ServiceProblem' resource object

```
{
  "id": "problemxxxx0000",
  "correlationId": "543251",
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"originatingSystem": "System_001",
"category": "supplier.originated",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000",
"impactImportanceFactor": "0",
"priority": "1",
"description": "connection failure between Tokyo and Osaka",
"problemEscalation": "0",
"timeRaised": "2017-10-25T12:14:16.361Z",
"timeChanged": "2017-10-30T12:13:16.361Z",
"statusChangeDate": "2017-10-29T12:00:00.361Z",
"statusChangeReason": "problem analysis has been completed in NP1",
"resolutionDate": "2017-10-29T12:00:00.361Z",
"status": "resolved",
"reason": "Failure of resource NP1_Resource_1 in NP1",
"affectedNumberOfServices": "2",
"firstAlert": {
  "alertType": "TroubleTicket",
  "id": "NP1_TT_0000000",
  "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/troubleTicketManagement/v3/troubleTicket/NP1_TT_000000"
},
"responsibleParty": {
  "role": "Supplier",
  "id": "NP1",
  "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/NP1",
  "@referredType": "Organization"
},
"originatorParty": {
  "role": "Supplier",
  "id": "NP1",
  "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/NP1",
  "@referredType": "Organization"
},
"relatedParty": [
  {
    "role": "Supplier",
    "id": "NP1",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/NP1",
    "@referredType": "Organization"
  },
  {
    "role": "Partner",
    "id": "SP1",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SP1",
    "@referredType": "Organization"
  },
  {
    "role": "Partner",
    "id": "SP3",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SP3",
    "@referredType": "Organization"
  }
],
"affectedService": [
  {
    "id": "NP1_Tokyo_Osaka",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/NW1_Tokyo_Osaka"
  }
]

```

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    },
    {
      "id": "NP1_Tokyo_xxxx",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/NW1_Tokyo_xxxx"
    }
  ],
  "affectedResource": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_RES_0001",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/resourceInventoryManagement/v3/resource/NW1_RES_0001"
    }
  ],
  "affectedLocation": [
    {
      "id": "Loc000000",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/geographicAddressManagement/v3/geographicAddress/Loc000000/",
      "name": "144 Main Street Tokyo 51663556",
      "role": "VPN Endpoint",
      "@type": "GeographicAddress"
    },
    {
      "id": "Loc000001",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/geographicAddressManagement/v3/geographicAddress/Loc000001/",
      "name": "351 Main Street Osaka 3546365",
      "role": "VPN Endpoint",
      "@type": "GeographicAddress"
    }
  ],
  "associatedTroubleTicket": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_TT_0000000",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/troubleTicketManagement/v3/TroubleTicketRef/NP1_TT_000000"
    }
  ],
  "underlyingAlarm": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_A_0000000",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/alarmManagement/v3/resourceAlarm/NP1_A_000000",
      "@referredType": "ResourceAlarm"
    }
  ],
  "associatedSLAViolation": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_SLA_0000000",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/SLAManagement/v3/SLAViolationRef/NP1_SLA_000000"
    }
  ],
  "relatedEvent": [
    {
      "eventType": "prediction",
      "id": "prediction_0001",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/eventManagement/v3/event/prediction_0001",
      "eventTime": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z"
    }
  ],
  "relatedObject": [

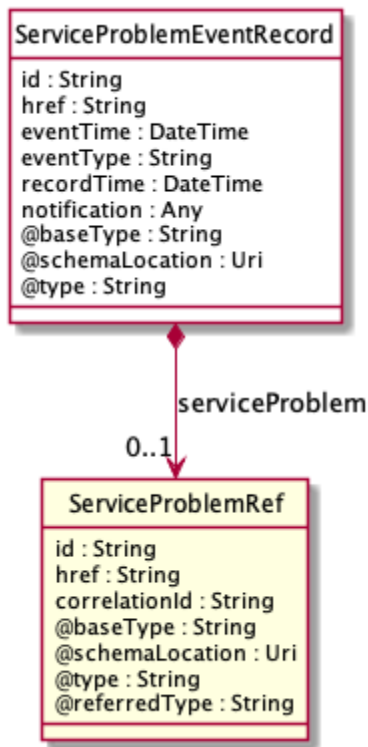
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{
  "id": "product0001",
  "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/productInventoryManagement/v3/product/product0001",
  "@referredType": "Product"
},
"rootCauseService": [
  {
    "id": "NP1_Tokyo_Osaka",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/NW1_Tokyo_Osaka"
  }
],
"rootCauseResource": [
  {
    "id": "NP1_Resource_1",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/resourceInventoryManagement/v3/resource/NP1_Resource_1"
  }
],
"parentProblem": [
  {
    "id": "problemxxxx0001",
    "correlationId": "xxxxxxx",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0001"
  }
],
"underlyingProblem": [
  {
    "id": "problemxxxx0001",
    "correlationId": "xxxxxxx",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0001"
  }
],
"trackingRecord": [
  {
    "description": "yyy cleared the problem",
    "systemId": "xxxx",
    "time": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "user": "NPUSER1",
    "id": "TR_xxxx",
    "extensionInfo": [
      {
        "name": "vendorComment",
        "valueType": "string",
        "value": "Watch out for the dog"
      }
    ]
  }
],
"comment": [
  {
    "author": {
      "id": "SPM_handler_01",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SPM_handler_01",
      "@referredType": "Individual"
    },
    "date": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
```

```
{
  "systemId": "System_002",
  "text": "receive trouble ticket from NP1, and create this Service Problem"
},
{
  "author": {
    "id": "NP1_handler_11",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/NP1_handler_11",
    "@referredType": "Individual"
  },
  "date": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
  "systemId": "System_002",
  "text": "status changed to Progress-Held"
}
],
"impactPatterns": {
  "description": "Many services are at risk in this problem",
  "extensionInfo": [
    {
      "name": "ImpactProbability",
      "valueType": "boolean",
      "value": true
    }
  ]
},
"extensionInfo": [
  {
    "name": "EstimatedCost",
    "valueType": "integer",
    "value": 20
  }
]
}
```

Service Problem Event Record resource

A record of an event (related to a service problemn) received from another system.

Resource model**Field descriptions***ServiceProblemEventRecord* fields

| | |
|----------------|---|
| eventTime | A date time (DateTime). Time at which the event occurred. |
| eventType | A string. Type of the recorded event. |
| href | A string. reference to this resource. |
| id | A string. Identifier of the service problem event record. |
| notification | An any (Any). A notification from the possible notifications for Service Problem (such as creation, status change, information required, change). |
| recordTime | A date time (DateTime). Time at which the record was created. |
| serviceProblem | A service problem reference (ServiceProblemRef). The service problem to which this record applies. |

ServiceProblemRef relationship

| | |
|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
|---------------|--|

| | |
|---------------|---|
| correlationId | A string. Additional identifier coming from an external system. |
| href | A string. Reference of the Problem. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the Problem. |

Json representation sample

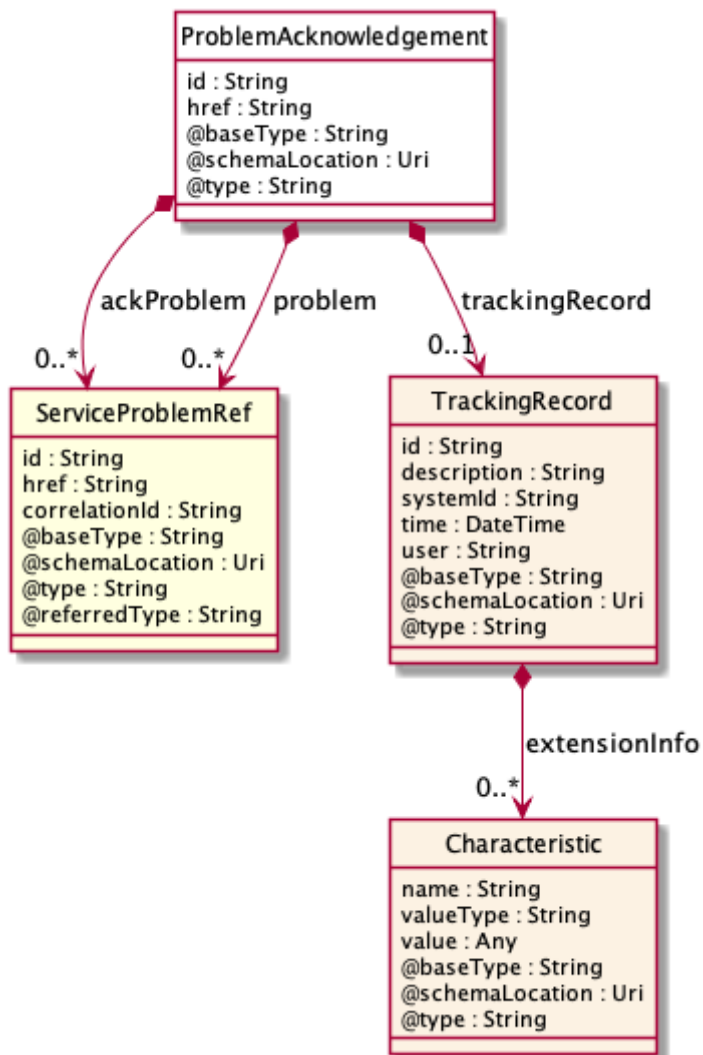
We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ServiceProblemEventRecord' resource object

```
{
  "id": "42",
  "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblemEventRecord/42",
  "recordTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:30.0Z",
  "eventType": "ServiceProblemCreationNotification",
  "eventTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:25.0Z",
  "serviceProblemId": "SP001",
  "notification": {
    "eventType": "ServiceProblemCreationNotification",
    "eventTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:25.0Z",
    "eventId": "92775",
    "event": {}
  },
  "serviceProblem": {
    "id": "problemxxxx0000",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000"
  }
}
```

Problem Acknowledgement resource

Task resource that requests acknowledgement of problems by the problem handler.

Resource model



Field descriptions

ProblemAcknowledgement fields

| | |
|----------------|--|
| ackProblem | A list of service problem references (ServiceProblemRef [*]). The problems that were acknowledged, populated in the output to this task. |
| href | A string. Reference to this task resource. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of this task resource. |
| problem | A list of service problem references (ServiceProblemRef [*]). The problems to be acknowledged, relevant in the input to this task. |
| trackingRecord | A tracking record (TrackingRecord). A record of the action taken in this acknowledgement. |

Characteristic sub-resource

Describes a given characteristic of an object or entity through a name/value pair.

| | |
|-----------|---|
| name | A string. Name of the characteristic. |
| value | An any (Any). The value of the characteristic. |
| valueType | A string. Data type of the value of the characteristic. |

TrackingRecord sub-resource

Tracking records allow the tracking of modifications on the problem. The tracking records should not be embedded in the problem to allow retrieving the problem without the tracking records.

| | |
|---------------|--|
| description | A string. Describes the action being done, such as: ack, clear. |
| extensionInfo | A list of characteristics (Characteristic [*]). A generic list of any type of elements. Used for vendor Extensions or loose element encapsulation from other namespaces. |
| id | A string. Identifier of the TrackingRecord. |
| systemId | A string. Describes the system Id from which the action was done. |
| time | A date time (DateTime). Describes the time at which the action was done. |
| user | A string. Describes the user doing the action. |

ServiceProblemRef relationship

| | |
|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| correlationId | A string. Additional identifier coming from an external system. |
| href | A string. Reference of the Problem. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the Problem. |

Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ProblemAcknowledgement' resource object

```
{
  "problem": [
    {
      "id": "41",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41"
    },
    {
      "id": "42",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42"
    },
    {

```

```

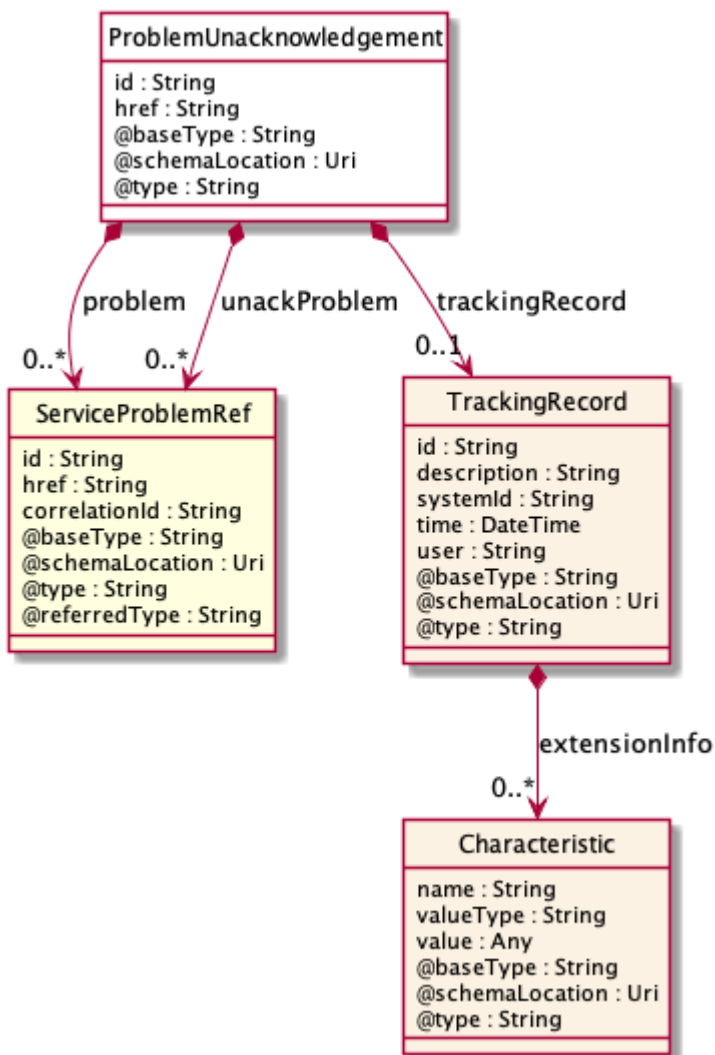
    "id": "43",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
  },
  "trackingRecord": {
    "description": "yyy ack the problem",
    "systemId": "xxxx",
    "time": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "user": "NP1"
  }
}

```

Problem Unacknowledgement resource

Task resource that requests unacknowledgement of problems, rolling back the status of the problems from Acknowledged to Submitted.

Resource model



Field descriptionsProblemUnacknowledgement fields

| | |
|----------------|--|
| href | A string. Reference to this task resource. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of this task resource. |
| problem | A list of service problem references (ServiceProblemRef [*]). The problems to be unacknowledged, relevant in the input to this task. |
| trackingRecord | A tracking record (TrackingRecord). A record of the action taken in this acknowledgement. |
| unackProblem | A list of service problem references (ServiceProblemRef [*]). The problems that were unacknowledged, populated in the output to this task. |

Characteristic sub-resource

Describes a given characteristic of an object or entity through a name/value pair.

| | |
|-----------|---|
| name | A string. Name of the characteristic. |
| value | An any (Any). The value of the characteristic. |
| valueType | A string. Data type of the value of the characteristic. |

TrackingRecord sub-resource

Tracking records allow the tracking of modifications on the problem. The tracking records should not be embedded in the problem to allow retrieving the problem without the tracking records.

| | |
|---------------|--|
| description | A string. Describes the action being done, such as: ack, clear. |
| extensionInfo | A list of characteristics (Characteristic [*]). A generic list of any type of elements. Used for vendor Extensions or loose element encapsulation from other namespaces. |
| id | A string. Identifier of the TrackingRecord. |
| systemId | A string. Describes the system Id from which the action was done. |
| time | A date time (DateTime). Describes the time at which the action was done. |
| user | A string. Describes the user doing the action. |

ServiceProblemRef relationship

| | |
|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
|---------------|--|

| | |
|---------------|---|
| correlationId | A string. Additional identifier coming from an external system. |
| href | A string. Reference of the Problem. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the Problem. |

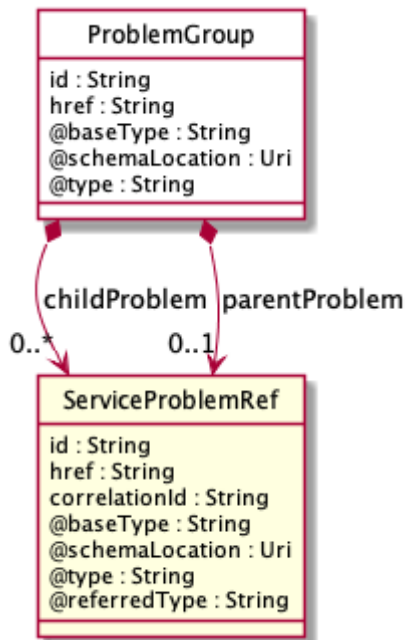
Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ProblemUnacknowledgement' resource object

```
{
  "problem": [
    {
      "id": "41",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41"
    },
    {
      "id": "42",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42"
    },
    {
      "id": "43",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
    }
  ],
  "trackingRecord": {
    "description": "yyy unack the problem",
    "systemId": "xxxx",
    "time": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "user": "NP1"
  }
}
```

Problem Group resource

Task resource that requests Service Problems to be grouped together into a parent and set of children.

Resource model**Field descriptions**ProblemGroup fields

| | |
|---------------|--|
| childProblem | A list of service problem references (ServiceProblemRef [*]). List of problems to be grouped under a parent problem. |
| href | A string. Reference to this task resource. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of this task resource. |
| parentProblem | A service problem reference (ServiceProblemRef). The parent problem to which the problems are to be grouped. |

ServiceProblemRef relationship

| | |
|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| correlationId | A string. Additional identifier coming from an external system. |
| href | A string. Reference of the Problem. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the Problem. |

Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ProblemGroup' resource object


```

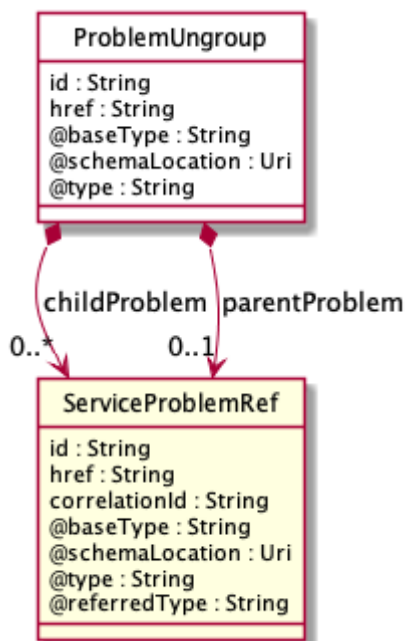
{
  "childProblem": [
    {
      "id": "41",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41"
    },
    {
      "id": "42",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42"
    },
    {
      "id": "43",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
    }
  ],
  "parentProblem": {
    "id": "43",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
  }
}

```

Problem Ungroup resource

Task resource that requests Service Problems to be ungrouped from a parent.

Resource model



Field descriptions

ProblemUngroup fields

| | |
|---------------|---|
| childProblem | A list of service problem references (ServiceProblemRef [*]). List of problems to be ungrouped from a parent problem. |
| href | A string. Reference to this task resource. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of this task resource. |
| parentProblem | A service problem reference (ServiceProblemRef). The parent problem from which the problems are to be ungrouped. |

ServiceProblemRef relationship

| | |
|---------------|--|
| @referredType | A string. The actual type of the target instance when needed for disambiguation. |
| correlationId | A string. Additional identifier coming from an external system. |
| href | A string. Reference of the Problem. |
| id | A string. Unique identifier of the Problem. |

Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ProblemUngroup' resource object

```
{
  "childProblem": [
    {
      "id": "41",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41"
    },
    {
      "id": "42",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42"
    },
    {
      "id": "43",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
    }
  ],
  "parentProblem": {
    "id": "43",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
  }
}
```

Notification Resource Models

4 notifications are defined for this API

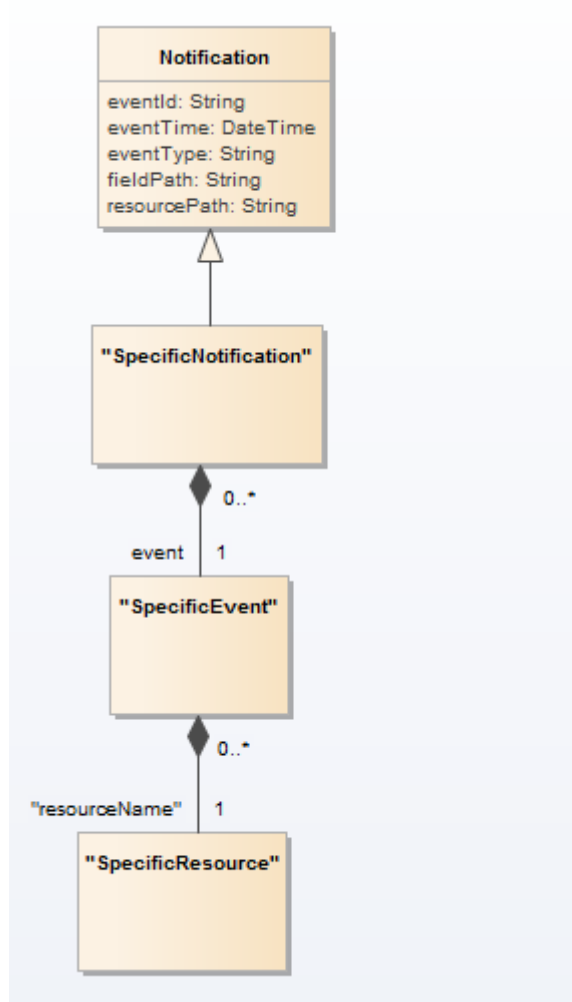
Notifications related to ServiceProblem:

- ServiceProblemCreateNotification
- ServiceProblemStateChangeNotification
- ServiceProblemAttributeValueChangeNotification
- ServiceProblemInformationRequiredNotification

The notification structure for all notifications in this API follow the pattern depicted by the figure below.

A notification resource (depicted by "SpecificNotification" placeholder) is a sub class of a generic Notification structure containing an id of the event occurrence (eventId), an event timestamp (eventTime), and the name of the notification resource (eventType).

This notification structure owns an event structure ("SpecificEvent" placeholder) linked to the resource concerned by the notification using the resource name as access field ("resourceName" placeholder).



Service Problem Create Notification

Notification ServiceProblemCreateNotification case for resource ServiceProblem

Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ServiceProblemCreateNotification' notification object

```
{
  "eventId": "00001",
  "eventTime": "2015-11-16T16:42:25-04:00",
  "eventType": "ServiceProblemCreateNotification",
  "event": {
    "serviceProblem":
      {-- SEE ServiceProblem RESOURCE SAMPLE --}
  }
}
```

Service Problem State Change Notification

Notification ServiceProblemStateChangeNotification case for resource ServiceProblem

Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ServiceProblemStateChangeNotification' notification object

```
{
  "eventId": "00001",
  "eventTime": "2015-11-16T16:42:25-04:00",
  "eventType": "ServiceProblemStateChangeNotification",
  "event": {
    "serviceProblem":
      {-- SEE ServiceProblem RESOURCE SAMPLE --}
  }
}
```

Service Problem Attribute Value Change Notification

Notification ServiceProblemAttributeValueChangeNotification case for resource ServiceProblem

Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ServiceProblemAttributeValueChangeNotification' notification object

```
{
  "eventId": "00001",
  "eventTime": "2015-11-16T16:42:25-04:00",
  "eventType": "ServiceProblemAttributeValueChangeNotification",
  "event": {
    "serviceProblem":
      {-- SEE ServiceProblem RESOURCE SAMPLE --}
  }
}
```

```
}
```

Service Problem Information Required Notification

Notification ServiceProblemInformationRequiredNotification case for resource ServiceProblem

Json representation sample

We provide below the json representation of an example of a 'ServiceProblemInformationRequiredNotification' notification object

```
{
  "eventId": "00001",
  "eventTime": "2015-11-16T16:42:25-04:00",
  "eventType": "ServiceProblemInformationRequiredNotification",
  "event": {
    "serviceProblem":
      {-- SEE ServiceProblem RESOURCE SAMPLE --}
  }
}
```

API OPERATIONS

Remember the following Uniform Contract:

| Operation on Entities | Uniform API Operation | Description |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Query Entities | GET Resource | GET must be used to retrieve a representation of a resource. |
| Create Entity | POST Resource | POST must be used to create a new resource |
| Partial Update of an Entity | PATCH Resource | PATCH must be used to partially update a resource |
| Complete Update of an Entity | PUT Resource | PUT must be used to completely update a resource identified by its resource URI |
| Remove an Entity | DELETE Resource | DELETE must be used to remove a resource |
| Execute an Action on an Entity | POST on TASK Resource | POST must be used to execute Task Resources |
| Other Request Methods | POST on TASK Resource | GET and POST must not be used to tunnel other request methods. |

Filtering and attribute selection rules are described in the TMF REST Design Guidelines Part 1 Document.

Notifications are also described in a subsequent section.

Operations on Service Problem

List service problems

GET /serviceProblem?fields=...&{filtering}

Description

This operation list service problem entities.

Attribute selection is enabled for all first level attributes.

Filtering may be available depending on the compliance level supported by an implementation.

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for retrieving multiple service problems, in this example closed items first reported from a specific service

| Request |
|--|
| GET {apiRoot}/serviceProblem?fields=id,href,statusChangeDate,category&status=closed&priority=1&firstAlert.id=NP1_TT_000000 Accept: application/json |
| Response |
| 200 [{ "id": "5351", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/5351", "statusChangeDate": "2017-10-29T12:00:00.361Z", "category": "supplier.Originated" }, { "id": "5352", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/5352", "name": "vDPI serial 1355445", "category": "serviceProvider.Originated" }] |

Retrieve service problem

GET /serviceProblem/{id}?fields=...&{filtering}

Description

This operation retrieves a service problem entity.

Attribute selection is enabled for all first level attributes.

Filtering on sub-resources may be available depending on the compliance level supported by an implementation.

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for retrieving a specific service problem.

| Request |
|---|
| GET {apiRoot}/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000 Accept: application/json |
| Response |
| 200 { "id": "problemxxxx0000", "correlationId": "543251", "originatingSystem": "System_001", "category": "supplier.originated", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000", "impactImportanceFactor": "0", "priority": "1", "description": "connection failure between Tokyo and Osaka", "problemEscalation": "0", "timeRaised": "2017-10-25T12:14:16.361Z", "timeChanged": "2017-10-30T12:13:16.361Z", "statusChangeDate": "2017-10-29T12:00:00.361Z", "statusChangeReason": "problem analysis has been completed in NP1", "resolutionDate": "2017-10-29T12:00:00.361Z", "status": "resolved", "reason": "Failure of resource NP1_Resource_1 in NP1", "affectedNumberOfServices": "2", "firstAlert": { "alertType": "TroubleTicket", "id": "NP1_TT_0000000", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/troubleTicketManagement/v3/troubleTicket/NP1_TT_0000000" }, "responsibleParty": { "role": "Supplier", "id": "NP1", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/NP1", "@referredType": "Organization" }, "originatorParty": { |


```
"role": "Supplier",
"id": "NP1",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/NP1",
"@referredType": "Organization"
},
"relatedParty": [
{
"role": "Supplier",
"id": "NP1",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/NP1",
"@referredType": "Organization"
},
{
"role": "Partner",
"id": "SP1",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SP1",
"@referredType": "Organization"
},
{
"role": "Partner",
"id": "SP3",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SP3",
"@referredType": "Organization"
}
],
"affectedService": [
{
"id": "NP1_Tokyo_Osaka",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/NW1_Tokyo_Osaka"
},
{
"id": "NP1_Tokyo_xxxx",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/NW1_Tokyo_xxxx"
}
],
"affectedResource": [
{
"id": "NP1_RES_0001",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/resourceInventoryManagement/v3/resource/NW1_RES_0001"
}
],
"affectedLocation": [
{
"id": "Loc000000",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/geographicAddressManagement/v3/geographicAddress/Loc000000/",
"name": "144 Main Street Tokyo 51663556",
"role": "VPN Endpoint",
"@type": "GeographicAddress"
},
{
"id": "Loc000001",
"href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/geographicAddressManagement/v3/geographicAddress/Loc000001/",
"name": "351 Main Street Osaka 3546365",
"role": "VPN Endpoint",
"@type": "GeographicAddress"
}
```

```
    }
  ],
  "associatedTroubleTicket": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_TT_0000000",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/troubleTicketManagement/v3/TroubleTicketRef/NP1_TT_0000000"
    }
  ],
  "underlyingAlarm": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_A_0000000",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/alarmManagement/v3/resourceAlarm/NP1_A_0000000",
      "@referredType": "ResourceAlarm"
    }
  ],
  "associatedSLAViolation": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_SLA_0000000",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/SLAManagement/v3/SLAViolationRef/NP1_SLA_0000000"
    }
  ],
  "relatedEvent": [
    {
      "eventType": "prediction",
      "id": "prediction_0001",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/eventManagement/v3/event/prediction_0001",
      "eventTime": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z"
    }
  ],
  "relatedObject": [
    {
      "id": "product0001",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/productInventoryManagement/v3/product/product0001",
      "@referredType": "Product"
    }
  ],
  "rootCauseService": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_Tokyo_Osaka",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/NW1_Tokyo_Osaka"
    }
  ],
  "rootCauseResource": [
    {
      "id": "NP1_Resource_1",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/resourceInventoryManagement/v3/resource/NP1_Resource_1"
    }
  ],
  "parentProblem": [
    {
      "id": "problemxxxx0001",
      "correlationId": "xxxxxxx",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0001"
    }
  ],
],
```

```
"underlyingProblem": [
  {
    "id": "problemxxxx0001",
    "correlationId": "xxxxxxx",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0001"
  }
],
"trackingRecord": [
  {
    "description": "yyy cleared the problem",
    "systemId": "xxxx",
    "time": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "user": "NPUSER1",
    "id": "TR_xxxx",
    "extensionInfo": [
      {
        "name": "vendorComment",
        "valueType": "string",
        "value": "Watch out for the dog"
      }
    ]
  }
],
"comment": [
  {
    "author": {
      "id": "SPM_handler_01",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SPM_handler_01",
      "@referredType": "Individual"
    },
    "date": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "systemId": "System_002",
    "text": "receive trouble ticket from NP1, and create this Service Problem"
  },
  {
    "author": {
      "id": "NP1_handler_11",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/NP1_handler_11",
      "@referredType": "Individual"
    },
    "date": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "systemId": "System_002",
    "text": "status changed to Progress-Held"
  }
],
"impactPatterns": {
  "description": "Many services are at risk in this problem",
  "extensionInfo": [
    {
      "name": "ImpactProbability",
      "value": {
        "@type": "boolean",
        "value": true
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

```

    ]
  },
  "extensionInfo": [
    {
      "name": "EstimatedCost",
      "value": {
        "@type": "integer",
        "value": "20"
      }
    }
  ]
}

```

Create service problem

POST /serviceProblem

Description

This operation creates a service problem entity.

Mandatory and Non Mandatory Attributes

The following tables provides the list of mandatory and non mandatory attributes when creating a ServiceProblem, including any possible rule conditions and applicable default values. Notice that it is up to an implementer to add additional mandatory attributes.

| Mandatory Attributes | Rule |
|----------------------|------|
| category | |
| priority | |
| description | |
| reason | |
| originatorParty | |

| Non Mandatory Attributes | Default Value | Rule |
|--------------------------|---------------|------|
| affectedLocation | | |
| affectedNumberOfServices | 0 | |
| affectedResource | | |
| affectedService | | |
| associatedSLAViolation | | |
| associatedTroubleTicket | | |
| comment | | |
| correlationId | | |
| extensionInfo | | |
| firstAlert | | |
| impactImportanceFactor | | |
| impactPatterns | | |
| originatingSystem | | |
| parentProblem | | |

| Non Mandatory Attributes | Default Value | Rule |
|--------------------------|---------------|------|
| problemEscalation | | |
| relatedEvent | | |
| relatedObject | | |
| relatedParty | | |
| resolutionDate | | |
| responsibleParty | | |
| rootCauseResource | | |
| rootCauseService | | |
| status | | |
| statusChangeDate | | |
| statusChangeReason | | |
| timeChanged | | |
| timeRaised | | |
| trackingRecord | | |
| underlyingAlarm | | |
| underlyingProblem | | |

Additional Rules

The following table provides additional rules indicating mandatory fields in sub-resources or relationships when creating a ServiceProblem resource.

| Context | | Mandatory Sub-Attributes |
|--------------|--|--------------------------|
| relatedParty | | id, href |

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for creating a specific service problem. In this example the request only passes mandatory attributes.

| Request |
|---|
| POST {apiRoot}/serviceProblem Content-Type: application/json <pre>{ "category": "serviceProvider.declared", "priority": "1", "description": "Internet connection error", "reason": "unknown", "originatorParty": { "role": "ServiceProvider ", "id": " SP_00001", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SP_00001", "@referredType": "Organization" }, "affectedService": [{</pre> |

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    "id": "SP00001_Service_001",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/SP00001_Service_001"
  }
]
}

```

Response

201

```

{
  "id": "sp_001",
  "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/sp_001",
  "category": "serviceProvider.declared",
  "priority": "1",
  "description": "Internet connection error",
  "reason": "unknown",
  "originatorParty": {
    "role": "ServiceProvider",
    "id": "SP_00001",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SP_00001",
    "@referredType": "Organization"
  },
  "affectedService": [
    {
      "id": "SP00001_Service_001",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/SP00001_Service_001"
    }
  ]
}

```

Patch service problem

PATCH /serviceProblem/{id}

Description

This operation allows partial updates of a service problem entity. Support of json/merge (<https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc7386>) is mandatory, support of json/patch (<http://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc5789>) is optional.

Note: If the update operation yields to the creation of sub-resources or relationships, the same rules concerning mandatory sub-resource attributes and default value settings in the POST operation applies to the PATCH operation. Hence these tables are not repeated here.

Patchable and Non Patchable Attributes

The tables below provide the list of patchable and non patchable attributes, including constraint rules on their usage.

| Patchable Attributes | Rule |
|--------------------------|------|
| affectedLocation | |
| affectedNumberOfServices | |
| affectedResource | |
| affectedService | |
| associatedSLAViolation | |
| associatedTroubleTicket | |
| category | |
| comment | |
| description | |
| extensionInfo | |
| impactImportanceFactor | |
| impactPatterns | |
| originatorParty | |
| parentProblem | |
| priority | |
| problemEscalation | |
| reason | |
| relatedEvent | |
| relatedObject | |
| relatedParty | |
| resolutionDate | |
| responsibleParty | |
| rootCauseResource | |
| rootCauseService | |
| status | |
| statusChangeDate | |
| statusChangeReason | |
| timeChanged | |
| underlyingAlarm | |
| underlyingProblem | |

| Non Patchable Attributes | Rule |
|--------------------------|------|
| correlationId | |
| firstAlert | |
| href | |
| id | |
| originatingSystem | |
| timeRaised | |
| trackingRecord | |

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for patching a service problem. In this example, a new description is set.

| Request |
|---|
| PATCH {apiRoot}/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000 Content-Type: application/merge-patch+json <pre>{ "description": "connection failure between Tokyo and Osaka at 5:00" }</pre> |
| Response |
| 200 <pre>{ "id": "sp_001", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/sp_001", "category": "serviceProvider.declared", "priority": "1", "description": "connection failure between Tokyo and Osaka at 5:00", "reason": "unknown", "originatorParty": { "role": "Service Provider", "id": "SP_00001", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SP_00001", "@referredType": "Supplier" }, "affectedService": [{ "id": "SP00001_Service_001", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/SP00001_Service_001" }] }</pre> |

Here's an example of a request for patching a service problem. In this example, an affected service is added.

| Request |
|---|
| PATCH {apiRoot}/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000 Content-Type: application/json-patch+json <pre>{ "op": "add", "path": "/affectedService", "value": {</pre> |


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    "id": "44",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/service/44"
  }
}

```

Response

200

```

{
  "id": "sp_001",
  "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/sp_001",
  "category": "serviceProvider.declared",
  "priority": "1",
  "description": "connection failure between Tokyo and Osaka at 5:00",
  "reason": "unknown",
  "originatorParty": {
    "role": "Service Provider",
    "id": "SP_00001",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/partyManagement/v3/party/SP_00001",
    "@referredType": "Supplier"
  },
  "affectedService": [
    {
      "id": "SP00001_Service_001",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/SP00001_Service_001"
    },
    {
      "id": "44",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceInventoryManagement/v3/service/44"
    }
  ]
}

```

Delete service problem**DELETE /serviceProblem/{id}****Description**

This operation deletes a service problem entity.

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for deleting a service problem.

Request

| |
|---|
| DELETE {apiRoot}/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000 |
| Response |
| 204 |

Operations on Service Problem Event Record

List service problem event records

GET /serviceProblemEventRecord?fields=...&{filtering}

Description

This operation list service problem event record entities.

Attribute selection is enabled for all first level attributes.

Filtering may be available depending on the compliance level supported by an implementation.

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for retrieving multiple event records for a service problems

| |
|--|
| Request |
| GET {apiRoot}/serviceProblemEventRecord?serviceProblem.id=problemxxxx0000 Accept: application/json |
| Response |
| 200 [{ "id": "42", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblemEventRecord/42", "recordTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:30.OZ", "eventType": "ServiceProblemCreationNotification", "eventTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:25.OZ", "serviceProblemId": "SP001", "notification": { "eventType": "ServiceProblemCreationNotification", "eventTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:25.OZ", "eventId": "92775", } }] |

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    "event": {}
  },
  "serviceProblem": {
    "id": "problemxxxx0000",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000"
  }
}
]

```

Retrieve service problem event record

GET `/serviceProblemEventRecord/{id}?fields=...&{filtering}`

Description

This operation retrieves a service problem event record entity.

Attribute selection is enabled for all first level attributes.

Filtering on sub-resources may be available depending on the compliance level supported by an implementation.

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for retrieving a specific service problem event record.

| Request |
|---|
| GET {apiRoot}/serviceProblemEventRecord/42 Accept: application/json |
| Response |
| 200 <pre> { "id": "42", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblemEventRecord/42", "recordTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:30.0Z", "eventType": "ServiceProblemCreationNotification", "eventTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:25.0Z", "serviceProblemId": "SP001", "notification": { "eventType": "ServiceProblemCreationNotification", "eventTime": "2016-08-08T10:45:25.0Z", "eventId": "92775", "event": {} }, "serviceProblem": { "id": "problemxxxx0000", </pre> |

```

    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/problemxxxx0000"
  }
}

```

Operations on Problem Acknowledgement

Create problem acknowledgement

POST /problemAcknowledgement

Description

This operation creates a problem acknowledgement entity.

Mandatory and Non Mandatory Attributes

The following tables provides the list of mandatory and non mandatory attributes when creating a ProblemAcknowledgement, including any possible rule conditions and applicable default values. Notice that it is up to an implementer to add additional mandatory attributes.

| Mandatory Attributes | Rule |
|----------------------|------|
| problem | |

| Non Mandatory Attributes | Default Value | Rule |
|--------------------------|---------------|------|
| ackProblem | | |
| trackingRecord | | |

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for acknowledging service problem. In this example the request is handled synchronously so the task resource is not persisted.

| Request |
|--|
| POST {apiRoot}/problemAcknowledgement Content-Type: application/json <pre> { "problem": [{ "id": "41", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41" }, { "id": "42", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42" }, { </pre> |

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      "id": "43",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
    }
  ],
  "trackingRecord": {
    "description": "yyy ack the problem",
    "systemId": "xxxx",
    "time": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "user": "NP1"
  }
}

```

Response

201

```

{
  "problem": [
    {
      "id": "41",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41"
    },
    {
      "id": "42",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42"
    },
    {
      "id": "43",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
    }
  ],
  "trackingRecord": {
    "description": "yyy ack the problem",
    "systemId": "xxxx",
    "time": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "user": "NP1"
  }
}

```

Operations on Problem Unacknowledgement

Create problem unacknowledgement

POST /problemUnacknowledgement

Description

This operation creates a problem unacknowledgement entity.

Mandatory and Non Mandatory Attributes

The following tables provides the list of mandatory and non mandatory attributes when creating a ProblemUnacknowledgement, including any possible rule conditions and applicable default values. Notice that it is up to an implementer to add additional mandatory attributes.

| Mandatory Attributes | Rule |
|----------------------|------|
| problem | |

| Non Mandatory Attributes | Default Value | Rule |
|--------------------------|---------------|------|
| trackingRecord | | |
| unackProblem | | |

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for reversing the acknowledgment of a service problem. In this example the request is handled synchronously so the task resource is not persisted.

| Request |
|--|
| POST {apiRoot}/problemUnacknowledgement Content-Type: application/json <pre>{ "problem": [{ "id": "41", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41" }, { "id": "42", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42" }, { "id": "43", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43" }], "trackingRecord": { "description": "yyy unack the problem", "systemId": "xxxx", "time": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z", "user": "NP1" } }</pre> |
| Response |

```

201
{
  "problem": [
    {
      "id": "41",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41"
    },
    {
      "id": "42",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42"
    },
    {
      "id": "43",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
    }
  ],
  "trackingRecord": {
    "description": "yyy unack the problem",
    "systemId": "xxxx",
    "time": "2014-12-20T17:00:00Z",
    "user": "NP1"
  }
}

```

Operations on Problem Group

Create problem group

POST /problemGroup

Description

This operation creates a problem group entity.

Mandatory and Non Mandatory Attributes

The following tables provides the list of mandatory and non mandatory attributes when creating a ProblemGroup, including any possible rule conditions and applicable default values. Notice that it is up to an implementer to add additional mandatory attributes.

| Mandatory Attributes | Rule |
|----------------------|------|
| parentProblem | |
| childProblem | |

| Non Mandatory Attributes | Default Value | Rule |
|--------------------------|---------------|------|
|--------------------------|---------------|------|

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for requesting service problems to be grouped together with a parent. In this example the request is handled synchronously so the task resource is not persisted.

| Request |
|--|
| <pre>POST {apiRoot}/problemGroup Content-Type: application/json { "childProblem": [{ "id": "41", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41" }, { "id": "42", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42" }, { "id": "43", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43" }], "parentProblem": { "id": "43", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43" } }</pre> |
| Response |
| <pre>201 { "childProblem": [{ "id": "41", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41" }, { "id": "42", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42" }, { "id": "43", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43" }], "parentProblem": {</pre> |


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    "id": "43",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
  }
}

```

Operations on Problem Ungroup

Create problem ungroup

POST /problemUngroup

Description

This operation creates a problem ungroup entity.

Mandatory and Non Mandatory Attributes

The following tables provides the list of mandatory and non mandatory attributes when creating a ProblemUngroup, including any possible rule conditions and applicable default values. Notice that it is up to an implementer to add additional mandatory attributes.

| Mandatory Attributes | Rule |
|----------------------|------|
| parentProblem | |
| childProblem | |

| Non Mandatory Attributes | Default Value | Rule |
|--------------------------|---------------|------|
|--------------------------|---------------|------|

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for requesting service problems to be ungrouped from a parent. In this example the request is handled synchronously so the task resource is not persisted.

| Request |
|---|
| POST {apiRoot}/problemUngroup Content-Type: application/json <pre> { "childProblem": [{ "id": "41", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41" }, { "id": "42", "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42" }, { </pre> |

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    "id": "43",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
  },
  "parentProblem": {
    "id": "43",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
  }
}
```

Response

201

```
{
  "childProblem": [
    {
      "id": "41",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/41"
    },
    {
      "id": "42",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/42"
    },
    {
      "id": "43",
      "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
    }
  ],
  "parentProblem": {
    "id": "43",
    "href": "https://mycsp.com:8080/tmf-api/serviceProblemManagement/v3/serviceProblem/43"
  }
}
```

API NOTIFICATIONS

For every single of operation on the entities use the following templates and provide sample REST notification POST calls.

It is assumed that the Pub/Sub uses the Register and UnRegister mechanisms described in the REST Guidelines part 1. Refer to the guidelines for more details.

Register listener

POST /hub

Description

Sets the communication endpoint address the service instance must use to deliver information about its health state, execution state, failures and metrics. Subsequent POST calls will be rejected by the service if it does not support multiple listeners. In this case DELETE /api/hub/{id} must be called before an endpoint can be created again.

Behavior

Returns HTTP/1.1 status code 204 if the request was successful.

Returns HTTP/1.1 status code 409 if request is not successful.

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for registering a listener.

| Request |
|---|
| POST /api/hub Accept: application/json {"callback": "http://in.listener.com"} |
| Response |
| 201 Content-Type: application/json Location: /api/hub/42 {"id": "42", "callback": "http://in.listener.com", "query": null} |

Unregister listener

DELETE /hub/{id}

Description

Clears the communication endpoint address that was set by creating the Hub.

Behavior

Returns HTTP/1.1 status code 204 if the request was successful.

Returns HTTP/1.1 status code 404 if the resource is not found.

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a request for un-registering a listener.

| Request |
|--|
| DELETE /api/hub/42 Accept: application/json |
| Response |
| 204 |

Publish Event to listener

POST /client/listener

Description

Clears the communication endpoint address that was set by creating the Hub.

Provides to a registered listener the description of the event that was raised. The /client/listener url is the callback url passed when registering the listener.

Behavior

Returns HTTP/1.1 status code 201 if the service is able to set the configuration.

Usage Samples

Here's an example of a notification received by the listener. In this example “EVENT TYPE” should be replaced by one of the notification types supported by this API (see Notification resources Models section) and EVENT BODY refers to the data structure of the given notification type.

| Request |
|--|
| POST /client/listener Accept: application/json { "event": { EVENT BODY }, "eventType": "EVENT_TYPE" } |
| Response |
| 201 |

For detailed examples on the general TM Forum notification mechanism, see the TMF REST Design Guidelines Part 1 document.

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