



# 9920 MIB v21.2.2.0 Reference Guide

MIB Structure, Supported Objects, and Network Management

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## Abstract

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The 9920 MIB Reference Guide for version 21.2.2.0 provides a comprehensive guide on the Management Information Base (MIB) structure and supported MIB objects for Extreme Networks' 9920 platform. It covers the hierarchical organization of MIBs, object identifiers (OIDs), and how to access and query MIB variables using MIB browsers. Key supported MIBs include the Interface Group MIB, System Group MIB, Entity MIB, and ifXTable Extended MIB. Each section outlines the specific OIDs, data types, and functions of the MIB objects, such as interface states, traffic statistics, system information, and entity descriptions. Detailed descriptions of MIB access levels, including read-only, read-write, and read-create permissions, enable effective network management and monitoring. This reference is essential for network administrators managing and troubleshooting Extreme 9920 environments.



# Preface

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Read the following topics to learn about:

- The meanings of text formats used in this document.
- Where you can find additional information and help.
- How to reach us with questions and comments.






## Text Conventions

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**Table 2: Text**

Convention	Description
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<b>Key names</b>	Key names are written in boldface, for example <b>Ctrl</b> or <b>Esc</b> . If you must press two or more keys simultaneously, the key names are linked with a plus sign (+). Example: Press <b>Ctrl+Alt+Del</b>
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**Table 3: Command syntax**

Convention	Description
<b>bold text</b>	Bold text indicates command names, keywords, and command options.
<i>italic text</i>	Italic text indicates variable content.
[ ]	Syntax components displayed within square brackets are optional. Default responses to system prompts are enclosed in square brackets.
{ <b>x</b>   <b>y</b>   <b>z</b> }	A choice of required parameters is enclosed in curly brackets separated by vertical bars. You must select one of the options.
<b>x</b>   <b>y</b>	A vertical bar separates mutually exclusive elements.
< >	Nonprinting characters, such as passwords, are enclosed in angle brackets.
...	Repeat the previous element, for example, <i>member [member...]</i> .
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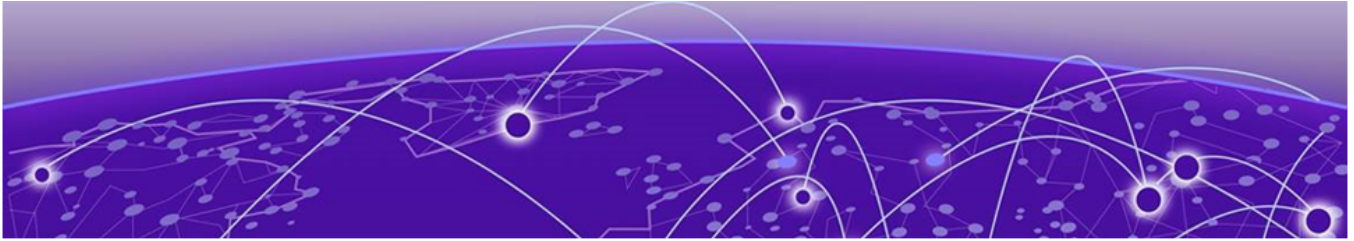
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There are no new updates for Extreme 9920 software, release 21.2.2.0.

For more information about this release, see the [Extreme 9920 Software Release Notes, 21.2.2.0](#).



# MIB Overview

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[Understanding MIBs](#) on page 10

The following topics provide conceptual information about MIBs operation and structure on Extreme 9920.

## Understanding MIBs

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The MIB structure can be represented by a tree hierarchy. The root splits into three main branches:

- International Organization for Standardization (ISO)
- Consultative Committee for International Telegraph and Telephone (CCITT)
- Joint ISO and CCITT

These branches have short text strings and integers (object identifiers) to identify them. Text strings describe object names. Integers allow software to create compact, encoded representations of the names.

## MIB Structure

Each MIB variable is assigned an object identifier (OID). The OID is the sequence of numeric labels on the nodes along a path from the root to the object. For example, as shown in the following figure, the `sysDescr` is:

```
1.3.6.1.2.1.1.1
```

The corresponding name is:

```
iso.org.dod.internet.mgmt.mib-2.system.sysDescr
```

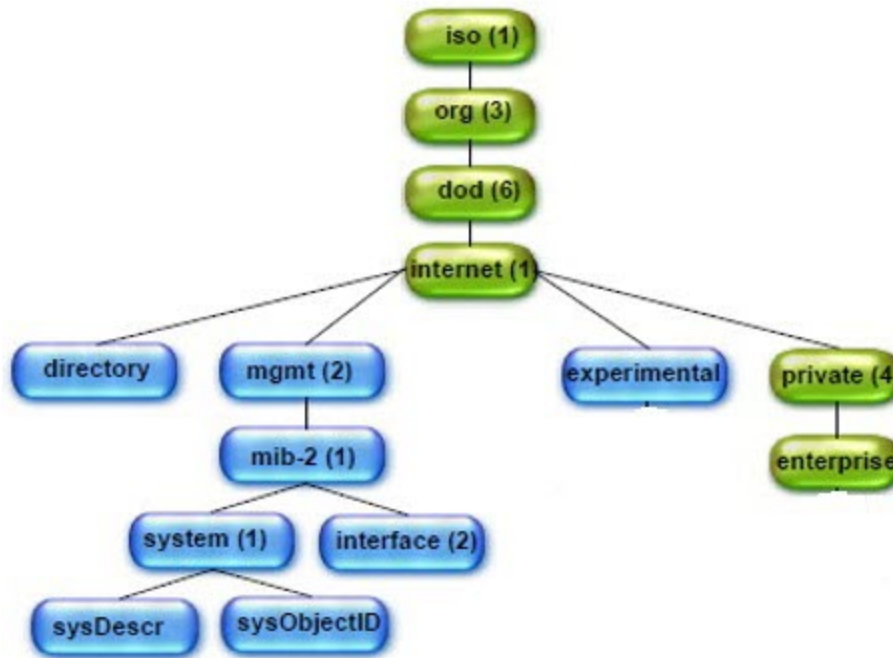
```
1.3.6.1.2.1.47
```

The corresponding name is:

```
iso.org.dod.internet.mgmt.mib-2.entityMIB
```

The other branches are part of the standard MIBs.

**Figure 1: MIB tree**



### Access to MIB Variables

You can use a MIB browser to access the MIB variables. All MIB browsers load MIBs and perform queries.

Once the MIBs are loaded, read-only access provides access levels between the agent and management station. The access levels are described in the following table.

**Table 4: MIB access levels**

Access level	Description
Not accessible/None	You cannot read or write to this variable.
Read-create	Specifies a tabular object that can be read, modified, or created as a new row in a table.
Read-only	You can only monitor information.
Read-write	You can read or modify this variable.
Accessible-to-notify	You can read this information only through traps.

### Supported MIBs

The following MIBs are distributed with Extreme 9920 software in a concatenated file.

- Entity MIB. For more information, see [Entity MIB](#) on page 17.
- Interface Group MIB. For more information, see [Interface Group MIB](#) on page 14.

- System Group MIB. For more information, see [System Group MIB](#) on page 16.
- ifXTable Extended MIB. For more information, see [ifXTable Extended MIB](#) on page 19.



## Supported MIBs

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[Entity MIB](#) on page 17

[ifXTable Extended MIB](#) on page 19

The following topics list the MIBs and MIB objects supported by Extreme 9920.

## Interface Group MIB

The Interfaces Group MIB (ifMIB) is specified in [RFC 2863](#). Extreme 9920 software supports the following.

**Table 5: Supported MIB objects**

Name	OID	Syntax	Description
ifNumber	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.1	Integer32	Number of network interfaces on the system
ifIndex	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.1	InterfaceIndex	Value between 1 and the value of the ifNumber
ifDescr	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.2	DisplayString (Octet string)	Description of the interface
ifType	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.3	IANAifType	
ifMtu	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.4	Integer32	Size of the largest packet that can be sent or received on the interface
ifSpeed	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.5	Gauge32	Estimation of the interface bandwidth in bits per second
ifPhysAddress	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.6	PhysAddress(Octet string)	Interface address at the protocol sub-layer
ifAdminStatus	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.7	Integer	Administrative state of the interface: up (1), down (2), testing (3)
ifOperStatus	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.8	Integer	Operational state of the interface: up (1), down (2), testing (3), unknown (4), dormant (5), not present (6) lower layer down (7)
ifLastChange	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.9	TimeTicks	Value of sysUpTime when the interface entered the current operational state
ifInOctets	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.10	Counter32	Number of octets received on the interface
ifInUcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.11	Counter32	Number of unicast packets delivered by the sublayer to a higher sublayer
ifInNUcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.12	Counter32	Number of multicast or broadcast packets delivered by the sublayer to a higher sublayer
ifInDiscards	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.13	Counter32	Number of discarded inbound packets

**Table 5: Supported MIB objects (continued)**

ifInErrors	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.14	Counter32	Number of inbound packets containing errors that prevented delivery to a higher-layer protocol
ifInUnknownProtos	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.15	Counter32	Number of packets received from the interface that were discarded for an unknown or unsupported protocol
ifOutOctets	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.16	Counter32	Number of octets sent from the interface
ifOutUcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.17	Counter32	Number of packets requested by a higher-level protocol that were addressed to a unicast address
ifOutNUcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.18	Counter32	Number of packets requested by a higher-level protocol that were addressed to a multicast or broadcast address
ifOutDiscards	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.19	Counter32	Number of discarded outbound packets
ifOutErrors	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.20	Counter32	Number of outbound packets containing errors that prevented transmission
ifOutQLen	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.21	Gauge32	Length of the outbound packet queue
ifSpecific	.1.3.6.1.2.1.2.2.1.22	Object Identifier	OID of the MIB

## System Group MIB

The System Group MIB is specified in [RFC 1213](#). Extreme 9920 software supports the following.

**Table 6: Supported MIB objects**

Name	OID	Syntax	Description
sysDescr	.1.3.6.1.2.1.1.1	DisplayString (Octet string)	Description of the entity
sysObjectID	.1.3.6.1.2.1.1.2	Object Identifier	OID of the device model
sysUpTime	.1.3.6.1.2.1.1.3	TimeTicks	Amount of time since the network management subsystem was last initialized
sysContact	.1.3.6.1.2.1.1.4	DisplayString (octet string)	Description of the contact person for the entity
sysName	.1.3.6.1.2.1.1.5	DisplayString (octet string)	Name of the entity. Usually the FQDN.
sysLocation	.1.3.6.1.2.1.1.6	DisplayString (octet string)	Physical location of the entity
sysServices	.1.3.6.1.2.1.1.7	Integer	Description of the services that the entity offers



## Entity MIB

The Entity MIB is specified in [RFC 4133](#). Extreme 9920 software supports the following.

**Table 7: Supported MIB objects**

Name	OID	Syntax	Description
entPhysicalIndex	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.1	PhysicalIndex	Value that uniquely identifies the physical entity
entPhysicalDescr	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.2	SnmpAdminString	Description of the physical entity
entPhysicalVendorType	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.3	AutonomousType	Vendor-specific indicator of the hardware type for the physical entity
entPhysicalContainedIn	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.4	PhysicalIndexOrZero	Value of entPhysicalIndex of the physical entity that contains this physical entity
entPhysicalClass	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.5	PhysicalClass	Indicator of the hardware type of the physical entity
entPhysicalParentRelPos	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.6	Integer32	Indicator of this child component relative to its sibling components
entPhysicalName	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.7	SnmpAdminString	Name of the physical entity
entPhysicalHardwareRev	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.8	SnmpAdminString	Vendor-specific identifier of the hardware revision for the physical entity
entPhysicalFirmwareRev	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.9	SnmpAdminString	Vendor-specific identifier of the firmware revision for the physical entity
entPhysicalSoftwareRev	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.10	SnmpAdminString	Vendor-specific identifier of the software revision for the physical entity
entPhysicalSerialNum	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.11	SnmpAdminString	Vendor-specific serial number for the physical entity

**Table 7: Supported MIB objects (continued)**

entPhysicalMfgName	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.1.12	SnmpAdminString	Name of the manufacturer of the physical entity
entPhysicalModelName	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.1.13	SnmpAdminString	Vendor-specific model name for the physical entity
entPhysicalAlias	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.1.14	SnmpAdminString	Alias for the physical entity, as specified by the network manager
entPhysicalAssetID	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.1.15	SnmpAdminString	Tracking identifier for the physical entity, as specified by the network manager
entPhysicalIsFRU	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.1.16	TruthValue	Indicates whether the vendor considers this physical entity to be a field replaceable unit
entPhysicalMfgDate	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.1.17	DateAndTime	Date that the physical entity was manufactured
entPhysicalUris	.1.3.6.1.2.1.47.1.1.1.1.18	Octet String	Extra information about the physical entity

## ifXTable Extended MIB

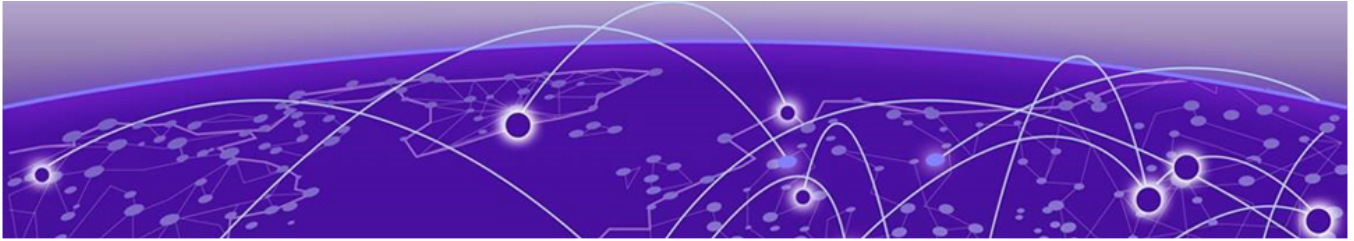
The ifXTable Extended MIB is specified in [RFC 2863](#), which also specifies the Interface Group MIB. Extreme 9920 software supports the following.

**Table 8: Supported MIB objects**

Name	OID	Syntax	comments
ifName	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.1	DisplayString (Octet string)	Name of the interface
ifInMulticastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.2	Counter32	Number of packets addressed to a multicast address at this sublayer
ifInBroadcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.3	Counter32	Number of packets addressed to a broadcast address at this sublayer
ifOutMulticastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.4	Counter32	Number of packets requested by a higher-level protocol that were addressed to a multicast address at this sublayer
ifOutBroadcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.5	Counter32	Number of packets requested by a higher-level protocol that were addressed to a broadcast address at this sublayer
ifHCInOctets	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.6	Counter64	Number of octets received on the interface
ifHCInUcastPktss	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.7	Counter64	Number of unicast packets delivered by the sublayer to a higher sublayer
ifHCInMulticastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.8	Counter64	Number of multicast packets delivered by the sublayer to a higher sublayer
ifHCInBroadcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.9	Counter64	Number of broadcast packets delivered by the sublayer to a higher sublayer
ifHCOctets	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.10	Counter64	Number of octets sent from the interface

**Table 8: Supported MIB objects (continued)**

ifHCOOutUcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.11	Counter64	Number of packets requested by a higher-level protocol that were addressed to a unicast address at this sublayer
ifHCOOutMulticastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.11	Counter64	Number of packets requested by a higher-level protocol that were addressed to a multicast address at this sublayer
ifHCOOutBroadcastPkts	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.12	Counter64	Number of packets requested by a higher-level protocol that were addressed to a broadcast address at this sublayer
ifLinkUpDownTrapEnable	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.13	Integer	Indicates whether linkUp and linkDown traps are generated for the interface
ifHighSpeed	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.14	Gauge32	Estimation of the interface's current bandwidth
ifPromiscuousMode	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.16	TruthValue	Value of false (2) if the interface accepts only those packets or frames that are addressed to the interface. Value of true (1) if the interface accepts all packets and frames.
ifConnectorPresent	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.17	TruthValue	Value of true (1) if the sublayer has a physical connector. Value of false (2) if the sublayer does not have a physical connector.
ifAlias	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.18	DisplayString	Alias for the interface, as specified by the network manager
ifCounterDiscontinuityTime	.1.3.6.1.2.1.31.1.1.1.19	TimeStamp	Value of sysUpTime at the most recent occurrence of discontinuity for any of the interface's counters



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