



**Redfish**

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Redfish provides a RESTful interface designed to manage IT infrastructure and is implemented using a modern toolchain (HTTP(s)/TLS/JSON).

Redfish supports the operations listed in this section.

## BIOS Configuration Schema

The BIOS schema contains properties related to the BIOS attribute registry. The attribute registry describes the system-specific BIOS attributes and actions for changing to BIOS settings. It is likely that a client finds the @Redfish.Settings term in this resource, and if it is found, the client makes requests to change BIOS settings by modifying the resource identified by the @Redfish.Settings annotation.

URI	/redfish/v1/Systems/{ComputerSystemId}/Bios
Schema file	http://redfish.dmtf.org/schemas/v1/Bios.v1_1_1.json
Operations	GET; PATCH

Example response:

```
{
  "@Redfish.Settings": {
    "@odata.type": "#Settings.v1_3_5.Settings",
    "SettingsObject": {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/Bluefield/Bios/Settings"
    }
  },
  "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/Bluefield/Bios",
  "@odata.type": "#Bios.v1_2_0.Bios",
  "Actions": {
    "#Bios.ChangePassword": {
      "target": "/redfish/v1/Systems/Bluefield/Bios/Actions/Bios.ChangePassword"
    },
    "#Bios.ResetBios": {
      "target": "/redfish/v1/Systems/Bluefield/Bios/Actions/Bios.ResetBios"
    }
  },
  "Attributes": {
    "Boot Partition Protection": false,
  }
}
```

```
"CurrentUefiPassword": "",
"DateTime": "2024-04-24T19:56:59Z",
"DefaultPasswordPolicy": true,
"Disable PCIe": false,
"Disable SPMI": false,
"Disable TMFF": false,
"EmmcWipe": false,
"Enable 2nd eMMC": false,
"Enable OP-TEE": false,
"Enable SMMU": true,
"Field Mode": false,
"Host Privilege Level": "Privileged",
"Internal CPU Model": "Embedded",
"LegacyPasswordEnable": true,
"NicMode": "DpuMode",
"NvmeWipe": false,
"OsArgs": "",
"ResetEfiVars": false,
"SPCR UART": "Disabled",
"UefiArgs": "",
"UefiPassword": ""
},
"Description": "BIOS Configuration Service",
"Id": "BIOS",
"Links": {
  "SoftwareImages": [
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_ATF"
    },
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_BOARD"
    },
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_BSP"
    },
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_NIC"
    },
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_NODE"
    },
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_OFED"
    }
  ]
}
```

```

    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_OS"
    },
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_SYS_IMAGE"
    },
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/UpdateService/FirmwareInventory/DPU_UEFI"
    }
  ],
  "SoftwareImages@odata.count": 9
},
"Name": "BIOS Configuration",
"ResetBiosToDefaultsPending": false
}

```

The following table explains each of the attributes listed in the code:

Attribute	Description
Boot Partition Protection	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
CurrentUefiPassword	See "Set Password" in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
DateTime	See "Set RTC" in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
DefaultPasswordPolicy	See "Password Settings" in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Disable PCIe	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Disable SPMI	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Disable TMFF	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
EmmcWipe	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Enable 2nd eMMC	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Enable OP-TEE	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Enable SMMU	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Field Mode	See description in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Host Privilege Level	See "BlueField Modes" in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>
Internal CPU Model	See "BlueField Modes" in section <a href="#">"System Configuration"</a>

Attribute	Description
LegacyPasswordEnable	See "Password Settings" in section " <a href="#">System Configuration</a> "
NicMode	See "BlueField Modes" under section " <a href="#">System Configuration</a> "
NvmeWipe	See description in section " <a href="#">System Configuration</a> "
OsArgs	Arguments to pass to the OS kernel
ResetEfiVars	See "Reset EFI Variables" in section " <a href="#">System Configuration</a> "
SPCR UART	See " Select SPCR UART " in section " <a href="#">System Configuration</a> "
UefiArgs	Arguments to pass to the UEFI
UefiPassword	See "Set Password" in section " <a href="#">System Configuration</a> "

### Info

To change the configuration of any of these BIOS attributes using Redfish, refer to section "[Changing BIOS Attributes Value](#)" in the *BMC Software User Manual*.

## Example of Setting BIOS Attributes

The following is an example of fetching and setting a BlueField BIOS attribute.

1. Check UEFI attributes and their values by doing a GET on Bios URL. Look for Attributes property.

```
curl -vk -X GET -u "user:password" https://<bmc_ip>/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/Bios | python3 -m json.tool

{
  ....
  "Attributes": {
    "Boot Partition Protection": false,
    "CurrentUefiPassword": "",
    "DateTime": "2022-07-05T16:02:12Z",
    "Disable PCIe": false,
    "Disable SPMI": false,
```

```
"Disable TMFF": false,  
"Enable 2nd eMMC": false,  
"Enable OP-TEE": false,  
"Enable SMMU": true,  
"Field Mode": false,  
"Host Privilege Level": "Privileged",  
"Internal CPU Model": "Embedded",  
"ResetEfiVars": false,  
"SPCR UART": "Disabled",  
"UefiPassword": ""  
},  
....  
}
```

### Note

For Security reasons, CurrentUefiPassword and UefiPassword strings might be empty.

2. The following example updates the UEFI password. Perform PATCH to Bios pending settings URI as follows:

```
curl -vk -X PATCH -d '{"Attributes":{"CurrentUefiPassword": "CURRENTPASSWD", "UefiPassword":  
"NEWPASSWORD"}}' -u "user:password"  
https://<bmc_ip>/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/Bios/Settings | python3 -m json.tool
```

### Note

To update the password, both the current password and the new password (requesting) should be specified as demonstrated above. Otherwise, the change does not work. To modify other attributes no password is required.

3. To confirm whether the PATCH request is successful, perform a GET to the BIOS pending settings URI:

```
curl -vk -X GET -u "user:password" https://<bmc_ip>/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/Bios/Settings |  
python3 -m json.tool
```

4. For requests to take effect, reboot BlueField. If the CurrentUefiPassword is correct, then the UEFI password is updated during the UEFI Redfish phase of boot.

### Info

The UEFI password is only required to enter the UEFI menu using the serial console.

## BlueField Platform Inventory

The NVIDIA® BlueField® networking platform (DPU or SuperNIC) provides inventory information in the ComputerSystemCollection schema. To identify the BlueField ComputerSystem instance, fetch the ComputerSystemCollection first.

BlueField devices are identified with the SystemType attribute DPU. The BlueField instance identifier value (DPU.Embedded.1\_NIC.Slot.2 in this case) differs from one server vendor to another but will uniquely identify BlueField in all cases.

The following is a simple example of fetching Redfish inventory information from a server's BMC:

```
root@localhost:~$ python3 /usr/local/bin/redfishtool.py -r <bmc_ip> -u <USER> -p <PASSWORD> raw  
GET /redfish/v1/Systems/  
{  
  "@odata.context": "/redfish/v1/$metadata#ComputerSystemCollection.ComputerSystemCollection",  
  "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems",  
  "@odata.type": "#ComputerSystemCollection.ComputerSystemCollection",  
  "Description": "Collection of Computer Systems",  
  "Members": [  

```



```

    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/System.Embedded.1"
    },
    {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2"
    }
  ],
  "Members@odata.count": 2,
  "Name": "Computer System Collection"
}

```

```

root@localhost:~$ python3 /usr/local/bin/redfishtool.py -r <bmc_ip> -u <USER> -p <PASSWORD> raw
GET /redfish/v1/Systems/DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2

```

```

{
  "@odata.context": "/redfish/v1/$metadata#ComputerSystem.ComputerSystem",
  "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2",
  "@odata.type": "#ComputerSystem.v1_12_0.ComputerSystem",
  "Actions": {
    "#ComputerSystem.Reset": {
      "target": "/redfish/v1/Systems/DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2/Actions/ComputerSystem.Reset",
      "ResetType@Redfish.AllowableValues": [
        "ForceRestart",
        "Nmi"
      ]
    }
  },
  "Bios": {
    "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2/Bios"
  },
  "BiosVersion": null,
  "Boot": {
    "BootOptions": {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2/BootOptions"
    },
    "BootOrder": [],
    "BootOrder@odata.count": 0,
    "BootSourceOverrideEnabled": null,
    "BootSourceOverrideMode": null,
    "BootSourceOverrideTarget": null,
    "UefiTargetBootSourceOverride": null,
    "BootSourceOverrideTarget@Redfish.AllowableValues": []
  },
  "Description": "DPU System",
  "Id": "DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2",

```

```
"Manufacturer": "DELL",
"Model": "NVIDIA Bluefield-2 25GbE 2p Crypto DPU",
"Name": "DPU System",

"Oem": {
  "Dell": {
    "@odata.type": "#DellComputerSystem.v1_1_0.DellComputerSystem",
    "DPUConfig": {
      "FQDD": "DPU.Embedded.1:NIC.Slot.2",
      "BootStatus": "OSBooting",
      "DPUBootSynchronization": "Enabled",
      "DPUTrust": "Enabled",
      "IdenticalSBDF": [
        "0:23:0:0",
        "0:23:0:1"
      ],
      "LastResetReason": null,
      "OSName": null,
      "OSReadyTimeout": 20,
      "OSInstallationTimeout": 30,
      "OSVersion": null,
      "OSVendor": null,
      "OSStatus": "Unknown",
      "Slot": "2",
      "PCleSlotState": "Enabled",
      "PostCode": null,
      "VendorID": "0x15B3",
      "DeviceID": "0xA2D6",
      "SubVendorID": "0x15B3",
      "SubDeviceID": "0x0129"
    },
    "Name": "DPUConfig",
    "Id": "DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2"
  }
},
"PartNumber": "JNDCMX01",
"SecureBoot": {
  "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2/SecureBoot"
},
"SerialNumber": "IL740311A5000A",
"SKU": "0JNDCM",
"Status": {
```

```

    "Health": "Ok",
    "HealthRollup": "Ok",
    "State": "Enabled"
  },
  "SystemType": "DPU",
  "UUID": "ec6dd921-882a-ec11-8000-08c0eb5180ba",
  "@Redfish.Settings": {
    "@odata.context": "/redfish/v1/$metadata#Settings.Settings",
    "@odata.type": "#Settings.v1_3_3.Settings",
    "SettingsObject": {
      "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/DPU.Embedded.1_NIC.Slot.2/Settings"
    }
  }
}

```

## Boot Override

This example demonstrates how to boot a BlueField Platform while overriding the existing boot options and using HTTP boot to obtain the image.

Check the current boot override settings by doing a GET on ComputerSystem schema. Look for the Boot property.

```

curl -vk -X GET -u "user:password" https://<bmc_ip>/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/ | python3 -m
json.tool
{
...
"Boot": {
  "BootNext": "",
  "BootOrderPropertySelection": "BootOrder",
  "BootSourceOverrideEnabled": "Disabled",
  "BootSourceOverrideMode": "UEFI",
  "BootSourceOverrideTarget": "None",
  "UefiTargetBootSourceOverride": "None",
  ....
},
...
"BootSourceOverrideEnabled@Redfish.AllowableValues": [
  "Once",
  "Continuous",
  "Disabled"

```

```

    ],
    "BootSourceOverrideTarget@Redfish.AllowableValues": [
        "None",
        "Pxe",
        "UefiHttp",
        "UefiShell",
        "UefiTarget",
        "UefiBootNext"
    ],
    ....
}

```

The sample output above shows the `BootSourceOverrideEnabled` property is Disabled and `BootSourceOverrideTarget` is None. The `BootSourceOverrideMode` property should always be set to UEFI. Allowable values of `BootSourceOverrideEnabled` and `BootSourceOverrideTarget` are defined in the meta-data `BootSourceOverrideEnabled@Redfish.AllowableValues` and `BootSourceOverrideTarget@Redfish.AllowableValues` respectively.

To perform boot override, you must perform a PATCH to pending settings URI:

```

curl -vk -X PATCH -d '{"Boot": {"BootSourceOverrideEnabled": "Once",
"BootSourceOverrideMode": "UEFI", "BootSourceOverrideTarget": "UefiHttp",
"HttpBootUri": "http://<HTTP-Server-Ip>/Image.iso"}}' -u "user:password"
https://<bmc_ip>/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/Settings | python3 -m json.tool

```

After performing the above PATCH successfully, reboot the BlueField Platform. Once UEFI has completed, check whether the settings are applied by performing a GET on ComputerSystem schema.

Note that the `HttpBootUri` property is parsed by the Redfish server and the URI is presented to BlueField as part of DHCP lease when BlueField performs the HTTP boot.

```

curl -vk -X GET -u "user:password" https://<bmc_ip>/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/ | python3 -m
json.tool
{
...
"Boot": {
    "BootNext": "",
    "BootOrderPropertySelection": "BootOrder",

```

```

    "BootSourceOverrideEnabled": "Once",
    "BootSourceOverrideMode": "UEFI",
    "BootSourceOverrideTarget": "UefiHttp",
    "UefiTargetBootSourceOverride": "None",
    ....
  },
  ....
}

```

After confirming the settings are applied (see PATCH properties above), reboot BlueField for the settings to take effect. If `BootSourceOverrideEnabled` is set to `Once`, boot override is disabled and any related properties are reset to their former values to avoid repetition. If it is set to `Continuous`, then on every reboot, BlueField would keep performing boot override (HTTPBoot).

## Boot Order

The following is an example of changing the boot order and fetching the details of a boot option.

1. Check the current boot order by doing GET on the `ComputerSystem` schema. Look for the `BootOrder` attribute under the `Boot` property.
2. Get the details of a particular entity in the `BootOrder` array by performing a GET to the respective `BootOption` URL. For example, to get details of `Boot0006`, run:

```

curl -vk -X GET -u "user:password"
https://<bmc_ip>/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/BootOptions/Boot0006 | python3 -m json.tool

{
  "@odata.type": "#BootOption.v1_0_3.BootOption",
  "@odata.id": "/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/BootOptions/Boot0006",
  "Id": "Boot0006",
  "BootOptionEnabled": true,
  "BootOptionReference": "Boot0006",
  "DisplayName": "UEFI HTTPv6 (MAC:B8CEF6B8A006)",
  "UefiDevicePath":
  "PciRoot(0x0)/Pci(0x0,0x0)/Pci(0x0,0x0)/Pci(0x0,0x0)/Pci(0x0,0x0)/MAC(B8CEF6B8A006,0x1)/IPv6(00C
}

```

3. To change the boot order, the entire `BootOrder` array must be PATCHed to the pending settings URI. For the above example of the `BootOrder` array, if you intend to have `Boot0006` at the beginning of the array, then the PATCH operation is as follows.

```
curl -vk -X PATCH -d '{ "Boot": { "BootOrder": [ "Boot0006", "Boot0017", "Boot0001", "Boot0002",  
"Boot0003", "Boot0004", "Boot0005", "Boot0007", ] }}' -u "user:password"  
https://<bmc_ip>/redfish/v1/Systems/SystemId/Settings | python3 -m json.tool
```

### **Note**

Updating the `BootOrder` array results in a permanent boot order change (persistent across reboots).

After a successful PATCH, reboot BlueField and check if the settings were applied by doing a GET on the `ComputerSystem` schema. If the `BootOrder` array is updated as intended, then the settings were applied and the BlueField Platform should boot as per the order in proceeding cycles.

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