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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |
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I think "gray code" should be "Gray code".
SuggestedRemedy

## Change "gray code" to "Gray code"

## Proposed Response <br> Response Status W

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This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch 2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Change "gray code" to "Gray-code" as "Gray" is based on a name and this is how it is written in this and other Clauses.

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Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type E Comment Status D
"Minimum SNR margin" - Minimum should not be capitalized (it isn't the first word or an acronym)
SuggestedRemedy
Change Minimum to minimum.
Proposed Response Response Status W PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to follow IEEE802.3 style.

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Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type E Comment Status D Vendor
"PHY Vendor specific" and "Link Partner vendor specific data" isn't a specific enough name for these registers, in the context of clause 45. These registers are specific to MultiGBASET1. As labeled, they look like general registers for ANY 802.3 PHY type. Suggest change T1. As labeled, they look like general registers for ANY 802.3 PHY type. Suggest change
name to "MultiGBASE-T1 PHY vendor specific data" and "MultiGBASE-T1 link partner PHY name to "MultiGBASE-T1 PHY vendor specific data" and "MultiGBASE-T1 link partner PH
vendor specific data". Note also capitalization and alignment of the link partner register vendor specific data". Note also capitalization and alignment of the link partner register name
SuggestedRemedy
Change as per comment. Also change names in 45.2.1.199 and table 45-155f
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Implement change suggested by comment 1 copied below.
In Table 45-3:
Change the name of register 1.2316 to "MultiGBASE-T1 user defined data" in subclause 45.2.1.199

Change the name of register 1.2317 to "MultiGBASE-T1 link partner user defined data" in subclause 45.2.1.200
ln 45.2.1.199:
Change the title to "MultiGBASE-T1 user defined data register (Register 1.2316)"
Change the text to: "The assignment of bits for the MultiGBASE-T1 user defined data
register is shown in Table 45-155f. The values of the bits in this register are all zeros
unless the PHY identifies the link partner during Auto-Negotiation through communicating
OUls using the NEXT pages."
In Table 45-155f:
Change the title to: "MultiGBASE-T1 user defined data register bit definitions"
Delete the last row of the table.
Change footnote a to "R/W = Read/Write"
In 45.2.1.199.1:
Change the title to: "PHY vendor draftific data (1.2316.15:0)"
Delete 45.2.1.199.2
Create a new level 4 subclause:
"45.2.1.200 MultiGBASE-T1 link partner user defined data register (Register 1.2317)" with ext:
The assignment of bits for the MultiGBASE-T1 link partner user defined data register is shown in Table 45-155g. The values of the bits in this register are all zeros unless the PHY identifies the link partner during Auto-Negotiation through communicating OUls using the NEXT pages."
Create Table $45-155 \mathrm{~g}$ with title "MultiGBASE-T1 link partner user defined data register bit definitions" and a body the same as the last row of Table 45-155f except that the Name entry for $1.2317 .15: 0$ is "Link partner PHY vendor draftific data" and footnote a is "RO = Read only"
Create a new level 5 subclause:

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"45.2.1.200.1 Link partner PHY vendor draftific data (1.2317.15:0)" with text as per the existing 45.2.1.199.2.

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The definition of registers 1.2316 and 1.2317 is not being done in accordance with Clause
45 conventions or in keeping with "user defined data" as used in prior BASE-T PHYs.
The names of the registers are such that when this amendment has been applied to the base standard it will not be clear what they are for.
SuggestedRemedy
In Table 45-3:
Change the name of register 1.2316 to "MultiGBASE-T1 user defined data" in subclause 45.2.1.199

Change the name of register 1.2317 to "MultiGBASE-T1 link partner user defined data" in subclause 45.2.1.200
In 45.2.1.199:
Change the title to "MultiGBASE-T1 user defined data register (Register 1.2316)"
Change the text to: "The assignment of bits for the MultiGBASE-T1 user defined dat
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unless the PHY identifies the link
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In Table 45-155f:
Change the title to: "MultiGBASE-T1 user defined data register bit definitions"
Delete the last row of the table.
Change footnote a to "R/W = Read/Write"
In 45.2.1.199.1:
Change the title to: "PHY vendor specific data (1.2316.15:0)"
Delete 45.2.1.199.2
Create a new level 4 subclause:
"45.2.1.200 MultiGBASE-T1 link partner user defined data register (Register 1.2317)" with text:
"The assignment of bits for the MultiGBASE-T1 link partner user defined data register is shown in Table $45-155 \mathrm{~g}$. The values of the bits in this register are all zeros unless the PHY identifies the link partner during Auto-Negotiation through communicating OUls using the NEXT pages."
Create Table 45-155g with title "MultiGBASE-T1 link partner user defined data register bit definitions" and a body the same as the last row of Table 45-155f except that the Name entry for 1.2317.15:0 is "Link partner PHY vendor specific data" and footnote a is "RO = Read only"
Create a new level 5 subclause:
"45.2.1.200.1 Link partner PHY vendor specific data (1.2317.15:0)" with text as per the existing 45.2.1.199.2
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EZ
PHY names should not break across lines.
SuggestedRemedy
Widen first column of Tables 45-9 and 45-10 and use non-breaking hyphens in BASE-T1
instances. (do both - this way no matter what happens in the future, PHY names won't
break across lines.)
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

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Comment Type E Comment Status D
EZ
The empty rows in Table 45-9 and Table 45-10 should contain an ellipsis
SuggestedRemedy
Add an ellipsis to the empty rows (two instances per table)
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT.


Comment Type E Comment Status D
EZ
"Add" is not a valid editing instruction.
Table 45-21 is not being changed, so should not be shown.
Notes should use the paragraph tag "Note"
SuggestedRemedy
Change the editing instruction to: "Insert the following note below Table 45-21:"
Delete Table 45-21.
Apply Paragraph tag "Note" to the note.
Proposed Response Response Status w PROPOSED ACCEPT.
CI 45 SC 45.2.1.192 $P 35 \quad$ L41

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CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
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Precoder
the changes to allow the user to set precoder selection and the reporting of the link monitor's precoder request have made these registers confusing and duplicate. They are now better delegated to just control the test mode precoder forcing, since the user can force his precoder from the remote device. For testing purposes, an override control could be put in the test mode register as well, but in no normal operation case would you want the control register to modify the precoder (either you do it by link partner request determined by the PHY or by the link partner registers forcing a configuration).
Also, nowhere do we link PrecodeSel to the precoder setting with a requirement (shall).

## SuggestedRemedy

Delete row for 1.2309.10:9 from Table 45-155a (page 35 lines 40-44)
Change reserved row in Table 45-155a (page 35 line 45) from 1.2309.8:0 to 1.2309.10:0
Delete page 36 lines 40-48, subclause 149.2.1.192.4 and renumber
On page 41 line 33, Change Reserved row to be : 1.2313 .12 | Reserved | Value always 0 RO
and insert three new rows below the new reserved row:
1.2313.11 |Local transmitter precoder override | $0=$ Normal Operation

1 = User Overrride | R/W
1.2313.10:9 | Local transmit precoder setting | $00=$ transmit with no precoder
$01=$ transmit with 1-D precoder
$10=$ transmit with 1+D precoder
11 = transmit with 1-D2 precoder | R/W
1.2313.8:2 | Reserved | Value always 0 | RO

On page 41 line 47, add new subclauses after 45.2.1.196.1 and renumber appropriately:
45.2.1.196.2 Local transmitter precoder override (1.2313.11)

When bit 1.2313 .11 is set to one, the local transmitter's precoder shall be controlled by the value of bits 1.2313.10:9, and the precoder requested by the link partner in PrecodeSel shall be ignored. When bit 1.2313 .11 is set to zero, the transmitter shall ignore the bits $1.2313 .10: 9$, and the precoder is set according to the value of PrecodeSel received from the link partner as specified in 149.3.2.2.20. The default value of 1.2313 .11 is zero.
45.2.1.196.3 Local transmit precoder setting (1.2313.10:9)

When bit 1.2313 .11 is set to one, bits $1.2313 .10: 9$ control the precoder setting of the local transmitter, as defined in 149.3.2.2.20 in the variable precoder_type. For testing purposes the precoder can be set using these bits, and the specified test can be carried out in by using these bits, bit 1.2313.11, and enabling test mode 3. During normal operation, bit 1.2313 .11 is set to zero, and the precoder is set according to the value of PrecodeSel received from the link partner, and bits 1.2313.10:9 are ignored.

Add PICS items MM232 and MM233(editorial license to number and position appropriately):
(Feature | Subclause | Value/comment | Status | Support)
When bit 1.2313.11 is set to one, the value in bits 1.2313.10:9 control the local transmitter's precoder | 45.2.1.196.2 | | M | Yes[] No[]
When bit 1.2313 .11 is set to zero, the value in bits $1.2313 .10: 9$ are ignored and the link partner's request controls the local transmitter's precoder | 45.2.1.196.2 | M | Yes [] No []

On page 102 line 27 (149.3.2.2.20), change "The precoder_type is determined by the PCS decoding two bits in InfoField messages received from the remote PHY during training as:" to: "In normal operation (see 45.2.1.196.3) the value of precoder_type shall be set to the value of PrecodeSel received from the link partner in the InfoField messages (see 149.4.2.4.5):"
(this PICS is already covered by PCT21)
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PROPOSED ACCEPT.

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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |  |
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Comment Type T Comment Status D
After exiting the low-power mode, the PHY should go to either Auto-Negotiation or PHY LInk Synchronization, instead of going to Figure 149-33 PHY Control state diagram.

## SuggestedRemedy

Delete the entire paragraph.
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
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Delete "The MultiGBASE-T1 PHY executes a full retrain as defined in Figure 149-33 after exiting from reset or low-power mode."

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## There are several problems subclause

First - "Setting these bits forces the precoder to the mode set. "
this sentence makes it appear that simply writing to these bits will cause precoder to use
the written setting without other action required when in fact this setting is used only for test mode 3.

Second - "During normal operation, these bits are set according to the precoder requested by the link partner in the Infofield, and reading bits 1.2309.10:9 will represent the value of the request, which has been received and set into the transmitter. "
It is very poor practice to use configuration bits (R/W) also as status bits ( usually RO). It
causes issues when read-modify-write operations are performed. It is also not clear
whether these bits are supposed to act as RO in normal mode but R/W during test mode.
Further, during normal operation the setting of the precoder can already be inferred from $1.2312 .3: 2$ status bits (Link partner precoder requested)

## SuggestedRemedy

change the text as follows:
Bits 1.2309.10:9 determine the precoder setting of the transmitter, as defined in
149.3.2.2.20 in the variable precoder_type while in test mode 3.

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PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
These lines are removed by comment \#124.

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In Table 45-155b, "EEE Ability" should be "EEE ability".

## SuggestedRemedy

Change "EEE Ability" to "EEE ability"

## Proposed Response <br> Response Status W

PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
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Make suggested change to follow IEEE802.3 style.

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Cl 45 SC 45.2.1.193.5 P38 8
Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type TR Comment Status D Precoder
(Comment PRECD1) The language of "Actual precoder requested" or "selected" is all messed up and confusing. Which precoder paramters relate to the local transmitter and which to the request of the link partner's transmitter is not consistent. The "Link partner" ones are all clear, leaving me to think that it is just the local PHY's REQUEST, which is meant here.

SuggestedRemedy
Make the following changes:
Page 37 line 21 (Table 45-155b) change "Actual precoder requested" to "PrecodeSel" Page 38 line 8 (45.2.1.193.5 header) change "Actual precoder selected" to "PrecodeSel", and replace text of 45.2.1.193.5 (P38 lines 10-12) to read as follows:
"Bits 1.2310.4:3 contain the requested precoder setting communicated by the PHY to the link partner via Infofields in the PrecodeSel field (see 149.4.2.4.4)."

Page 39 line 15 (Table 45-155c) and Page 38 line 45 (45.2.1.194.2 header) change "Precoder request override" to "Precoder Selection", and replace text (P38 lines 47-48) to read as follows:
"When 1.2311.5 is set as a one, the PHY shall use 1.2311.3:2 for the value of PrecodeSel and when set to a zero the PHY controls the value of PrecodeSel. PrecodeSel is the desired precoder setting communicated to the link partner via Infofields specified in 149.4.2.4.4."

Page 39 line 23 (Table 45-155c) and Page 39 line 37 (45.2.1.194.4 header) change "Precoder requested" to "User precoder selection", and replace text (P39 lines 38-39) to read as follows:
When bit 1.2311.5 is a one, bits 1.2311.3:2 are the requested precoder setting communicated by the PHY to the link partner via Infofields in the PrecodeSel field (see 149.4.2.4.4).

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PROPOSED ACCEPT.


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Comment Type ER Comment Status D Precoder
"Actual precoder selected" - title of this subclause is not the same as the name of the bit in the table (Actual precoder requested" - suggest the table is more appropriate. (If the larger the table (Actual precoder requested - suggest the table is more appropriate. (If the large language (comment PRECD1) is accepted or accepted in prin
become moot and should be accomodated by the resolution).

## SuggestedRemedy

Change "Actual precoder selected" to "Actual precoder requested".
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PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
Change per comment \#123
Change the title of 45.2.1.193.5 from "Actual precoder selected (1.2310.4:3)" to: "PrecodeSel (1.2310.4:3)"

"Reed-Solomon 'receiver' interleave setting" does not sound right. Delete the word 'receiver'.
SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "... the Reed-Solomon receiver interleave setting ..."
To: "... the Reed-Solomon interleave setting ..."

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PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
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Make suggested change to clarify draft.

| Cl 45 | SC 45.2.1.194 | P39 | L19 | \# 98 |
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In Table 45-155c, change "Slow wake" to "Slow Wake" in order to be consistent.
SuggestedRemedy
Change all occurrences of "Slow wake" and "slow wake" into "Slow Wake" througout the document.
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch
D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make changes defined below to make draft consistent.
P39 L19 - change "Slow wake" to "Slow Wake"
P40 L20, P40 L44, \& P40 L45 - change "slow wake" to "Slow Wake"

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| Anslow, Pete |  |  |  |  |  |
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The convention used in Clause 45 is to use "is one" and "is zero" rather than "is 1 " and "is 0".
SuggestedRemedy
Change "is 1 " to "is one".
Change "is 0 " to "is zero".
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Registers
"This bit shall be set" puts a requirement on the user and is inappropriate for a read/write bit. Reverse the changes from d2.0 in 45.2.1.194.5, 45.2.1.194.6 (note that this language is appropriate for RO registers but not for situations where the MDIO is supposed to write the value into the register, like the ones cited).

## SuggestedRemedy

Change "shall be set" to "should be set" on page 39 line 45 and on page 39 line 52,
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PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
P39 L43 Replace the existing paragraph with:
Support for MultiGBASE-T1 OAM capability shall be advertised if this bit is set to one. Support for MultiGBASE-T1 OAM capability shall not be advertised if this bit is set to zero. Support for MultGBASE-T1 OAM capability should only be advertised if it is supported by the PHY.

And P39 L50 Replace the existing paragraph with:
Support for EEE capability shall be advertised if this bit is set to one. Support for EEE capability shall not be advertised if this bit is set to zero. Support for EEE operation should only be advertised if it is supported by the PHY.

And MM227 Replace the text in the "Feature" column with: Advertisement of support for MultiGBASE-T1 OAM; and in the "Value/Comment" column put: Support is advertised if bit 1.2311.1 is set to one, and not advertised if bit 1.2311.1 is set to zero

And MM228 Replace the text in the "Feature" column with: Advertisement of support for MultiGBASE-T1 OAM; and in the "Value/Comment" column put: Support is advertised if bit 1.2311 .0 is set to one, and not advertised if bit 1.2311 .0 is set to zero

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These bits are requested by the link partner via Infofield. The current text is confusing.
SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "... communicated to the link partner via Infofields ..."
To: "... communicated by the link partner via InfoFields ..."
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PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
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Make requested change to improve clarity.

| Cl 45 | SC | 45.2.1.195.4 | P41 | L5 | \# 70 |
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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |  |
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Both "local device" and "local PHY" are used in this document. Maybe we should stay with "local PHY"?
SuggestedRemedy
Replace all occurrenecs of "local device" by "local PHY" throughout the document.
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## PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

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Change "local device" to "local PHY" at the following locations to make the draft consistent:
P41 L5, P41 L12, P46 L8, P55 L45, P55 L49, P153 L40, P153 L43, P153 L44

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The convention used in Clause 45 for the values of pairs of bis to not include a space between them.

SuggestedRemedy
Change "value of 00 " to "value of 00 "
Change "value of 01 " to "value of 01 "
Change "value of 10 " to "value of 10 "
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The example values do not match the register definitions for 1.2314 and 1.2315. The examples use a resolution of $1 / 2560$ instead of 0.1 dB .

SuggestedRemedy
lines 5 and 13 , delete the example text ", 12.7 dB represented by $0 x F F 00$, and -12.7 dB represented by $0 \times 0100$

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P42, L5 Change "0x8000" to "0x80"
P42, L6 Change "0xFF00" to "0xFF"
P42, L6 Change "0x0100" to "0x01"
P42 L7 Insert the following text: The assignment of bits in the MultiGBASE-T1 SNR operating margin register is shown in Table 45-155x.

Add a register bit definition table (45-155x) with the following 2 content rows:
1.2314.15:8 | MultiGBASE-T1 SNR operating margin | value of current SNR operating margin in dB | RO
1.2314.7:0 | Reserved | Value always 0 |RO

With the following note on the table: ^aRO = Read only
P42, L13 Change " $0 \times 8000$ " to " $0 \times 80$ "
P42, L13 Change "0x8000" to "0x80"
P42, L13 Change " $0 \times 0100$ " to " $0 \times 01$ "
P42 L15 Insert the following text: The assignment of bits in the MultiGBASE-T1 Minimum SNR margin register is shown in Table 45-155y.

Add a register bit definition table (45-155y) with the following 2 content rows:
1.2315.15:8 | MultiGBASE-T1 Minimum SNR margin | value of minimum observed SNR margin in dB | RO
1.2315.7:0 | Reserved | Value always 0 | RO

With the following note on the table: ^aRO = Read only

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Cl 45 SC 45.2.3.72 P43 L42

Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type ER Comment Status D

OAM
Table 45-241 bit 3.2308.15 description and 45.2.3.71.1 contain a triplicate shalls to the one in the OAM state diagram ( 45.2.3.72.1 and the shall on the OAM state diagram, and reads odd, referring to 'state machine' inappropriately. The 'shall' on this bit clearing is actually the state diagram.
This is similar to the changes in the receive register 45-243, subject of maintenance request 1327 and I plan to submit it as a maintenance request.
Another comment fixes the defect that the OAM state diagrams don't have shall's
associated with them. This defect is also in clause 97 and makes the maintenance request complicated, because there are NO PICS in clause 97 for OAM...
SuggestedRemedy
In Table 45-241, Change the second sentence in Description of 2313.15
from: "This bit shall self clear when register 3.2317 is read."
to : "This bit self clears when register 3.2317 is read."
In 45.2.3.72.1 change "shall be set to one", to "is set to one" (P44 L27), and on line 29 change "This register shall be cleared by the state machine" to: "This bit self-clears".
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
P46 L19-Change: This register shall be cleared when register 3.2317 is read. To: This bit shall self-clear when register 3.2317 is read.

P46 L34 - Delete: Register 3.2313 .15 shall be cleared when register 3.2317 is read.
Bring in PICS RM134 and change "Feature": Register 3.2313 is cleared when register 3.2317 is read.

To: Bit 3.2313 .15 self clears when register 3.2317 is read.
Bring in PICS RM135 and RM136 and "delete" them.
P43 L42-Change: This bit shall self-clear when registers are loaded by the state machine.
To: This bit self clears when registers are loaded by the OAM transmit state diagram.
P44 L29-Change: This register shall be cleared by the state machine to indicate ... To: This bit self-clears to indicate .

Bring in PICS RM125, RM126, and RM129 and "delete" them.
Cl 45 SC 455.33 P54


The highest inserted item is MM231.
SuggestedRemedy
Change "through MM227" to "through MM231"
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

remove the override for the bottom ruling of Table 78-2
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| CI 78SC 78.5 <br> Anslow, Pete | P59 | L17 |
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Comment Type E Comment Status D
EZ
"Insert an 10th paragraph" should be "Insert a 10th paragraph"
SuggestedRemedy
Change "an" to "a"
Proposed Response
Response Status
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PROPOSED ACCEPT.

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| CI 98 | SC 98.5.1 | P63 | $L 10$ |
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| Lo, William | Axonne Inc. | \# 52 |  |

Comment Type TR Comment Status D


Cannot condense into 1 variable (mGigT1). If one device can do 2.5 G only and another can do 10G only how would the incompatible_link work as both would assert mGigT1? Fixing the footnote in page 156 is the proper way to address D2.0 comment 224.

## SuggestedRemedy

Undo changes from D2.0 comment 224
Page 156 line 22 change
link_control_mGigT1 and link_status_mGigT1 to
link_control_mGigT1 and link_status_mGigT1 where mGigT1 is $2.5 \mathrm{GigT} 1,5 \mathrm{GigT} 1$, or 10GigT1.

## Proposed Response Response Status W

PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| Cl $\mathbf{1 0 4}$ SC 104.5.6.4 | P66 | L40 | \# 23 |
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| Wienckowski, Natalie | General Motors |  |  |
| Comment Type E | Comment Status D |  | EZ |

SuggestedRemedy
Make "Table 104-7" a hyperlink.
Also, P67 L4

Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| CI 104 | SC 104.5.6.4 | P67 | L5 | \# 24 |
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| Wienckowski, Natalie | General Motors |  |  |  |
| Comment Type E | Comment Status D |  |  |  |

SuggestedRemedy
Make "Table 104-7" a hyperlink and remove the "forrest green" color. Also, P67 L6, P67 L11, P67 L14.
Proposed Response Response Status w PROPOSED ACCEPT.

Anslow, Pete Ciena
The editing instruction at the top of page 68 is redundant as each change has its own diting instruction
"Modify" is not a valid editing instruction
The instruction is too vague to be of any use anyway
SuggestedRemedy
Delete the editing instruction at the top of page 68
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| Cl 104 | SC 104.9.3 | P68 | L8 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Anslow, Pete | Ciena |  | \#11 |

Comment Type E Comment Status
EZ
The two items *PSETE and *PDTE are being inserted by IEEE Std 802.3cg-20xx. The redundant editing instruction at the top of the page (proposed to be deleted in another comment) does not change the fact that this editing instruction should include this.

SuggestedRemedy
Change "in the table in 104.9.3 as follows" to "in the table in 104.9.3 (as modified by IEEE Std 802.3cg-20xx) as follows"
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| CI 104 SC 104.9.4.3 | P69 | L3 | \# 12 |  |
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| Anslow, Pete |  | Ciena |  |  |
| Comment Type | E | Comment Status D |  | EZ |

Comment Type E Comment Status D
EZ
"Modify" is not a valid editing instruction.
SuggestedRemedy
Change "Modify item" to "Change item"
Proposed Response Response Status PROPOSED ACCEPT.

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| $C I 149$ | SC 149.1.3.3 | P78 27 | \# 130 |
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Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type T Comment Status D
EZ
"The transition to or from LPI mode shall not cause any MAC frames to be lost or" is a fragment of a sentence and an untestable shall....

SuggestedRemedy
delete sentence fragment, or change it to read: "The transition to or from LPI mode should not cause any MAC frames to be lost or corrupted."

Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
The word "corrupted" was acccidentally deleted from the end of the sentence. Add it back per coment \#100.


The last part of the sentence is missing?

| CI 149 | $S C$ | 149.1.3.3 | P78 | L33 | \# |
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Graba, Jim Broadcom

Comment Type T Comment Status D
Reject OOS
PHY Health status is only available when the optional OAM is enabled.
SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "When the PHY Health status received ..."
To: "When the optional MultiGBASE-T1 OAM is enabled and the PHY Health status received ..."
Proposed Response Response Status PROPOSED REJECT.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

PHY Health status is only received when MultiGBASE-T1 OAM is enabled, so making this change would add redundancy.
If the commenter still wants this change, he is encouraged to resubmit this comment at SA ballot.

SuggestedRemedy
Based on D2.0, change last part of sentence from: "... to be lost or" To: "... to be lost or corrupted."
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT

| CI 149 SC 149.1.3.3 | P78 | L 27 | \# 42 |
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| Slavick, Jeff | Broadcom |  |  |

Comment Type E Comment Status D EZ
Extra or instead of a period.
SuggestedRemedy
Replace the or with a "."
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
The word "corrupted" was acccidentally deleted from the end of the sentence. Add it back per coment \#100.

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Li 33

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| CI 149 | SC 149.1.3.4 | P78 | L45 |
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| Graba, Jim | Broadcom |  | \# 102 |

Comment Type T Comment Status D Synchronization

More details are needed in the sentences between line 45 and line 47. Recommend to use
Clause 97 as the baseline, and apply the scaling from 1 usec (Clause 97 ) to 1.25 usec (Clause 149).

## SuggestedRemedy

Change line 45 to line 47 from: "The MASTER PHY sends a synchronization sequence. If there is no response from the SLAVE, the MASTER repeats by sending a synchronization sequence. If the slave detects the sequence, it responds with a synchronization sequence."

To: "The MASTER PHY sends a synchronization sequence for $1.25 \mu \mathrm{~s}$. If there is no response from the SLAVE, the MASTER repeats by sending a synchronization sequence every $6.25 \mu \mathrm{~s}$. If the slave detects the sequence, it responds with a synchronization sequence for $1.25 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ (after the MASTER has stopped transmitting)."
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
Change line 45 to line 47 from: "The MASTER PHY sends a synchronization sequence. If there is no response from the SLAVE, the MASTER repeats by sending a synchronization sequence. If the slave detects the sequence, it responds with a synchronization sequence."

| Cl 149 | SC 149.1.6 | P80 | L41 |
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| Zimmerman, George | CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco |  |  |
| Comment Type T | Comment Status D |  |  |

IEEE 802.3 state diagrams do not have precedence defined other than parentheses. To avoid parentheses around logical functions of relational operators (>, $=,<$, etc.) or combinations of AND and OR operations, adopting precedence is recommended.
Fortunately, 802.3bt did this work and it is in clause 145.
SuggestedRemedy
Change "The notation used in the state diagrams follows the conventions of 21.5." to "The notation used in the state diagrams follows the conventions of state diagrams as described in 21.5, along with the extensions described in 145.2.5.2.
Proposed Response
Response Status

## PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change as current state transitions in our diagrams assume this precedence.
to: The MASTER PHY sends a synchronization sequence for send_s_timer $\mu \mathrm{s}$. If there is no response from the SLAVE, the MASTER repeats by sending a synchronization sequence every (send_s_timer + sigdet_wait_timer) $\mu \mathrm{s}$. If the slave detects the sequence, it responds with a synchronization sequence for send_s_timer $\mu \mathrm{s}$ (after the MASTER has stopped transmitting).

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| CI 149 | SC 149.2.1.1 | P81 | L16 |
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| Crent |  |  |  |

## Comment Type E Comment Status D :hnology Dependent Interface

 It is sufficient to say "PHY Link Synchronization". Delete "algorithm".SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "... the PHY Link Synchronization algorithm to ..."
To: "... the PHY Link Synchronization to ..."
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the following change to correct the draft.
Change page 81, line 16 and line 17 from:
"This primitive allows the Auto-Negotiation or the PHY Link Synchronization algorithm to enable and disable operation of the PMA, as draftified in 98.4.2, redrafttively."

To:
"This primitive allows the Auto-Negotiation to enable and disable operation of the PMA, as draftified in 98.4.2"

| CI 149 | SC 149.2.1.1.1 | P81 | L24 | \# 75 |
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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status D
PMA_Link.request can be set by either the Auto-Negotiation or the PHY Link Synchronization.
SuggestedRemedy
Change line 24 and 25 to:
DIABLE Used by the Auto-Negotiation or PHY Link Synchronization function to disable the PHY.
ENABLE Used by the Auto-Negotiation or PHY Link Synchronization function to enable the PHY.

Proposed Response Response Status Z
PROPOSED REJECT.
This comment was WITHDRAWN by the commenter.

| CI 149 | SC 149.2.1.1.2 | P81 | L 30 | \# 76 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tu, Mike | Broadcom |  |  |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status D
$E Z$
PMA Link.request can be set by either the Auto-Negotiation or the PHY Link Synchronization.

SuggestedRemedy
Change start of this sentence from: "Auto-Negotiation generates ..."
To: "Auto-Negotiation or PHY Link Synchronization generates ..."
Proposed Response Response Status Z
PROPOSED REJECT.
This comment was WITHDRAWN by the commenter.


PMA_Link.indication also goes to the PHY Link Synchronization.
SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "..., and the Auto-Negotiation functions ... "
To: "..., and the Auto-Negotiation or PHY Link Synchronization function ..."
Proposed Response Response Status Z
PROPOSED REJECT.
This comment was WITHDRAWN by the commenter.


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| CI 149 | SC 149.3.2.2 | P91 | L 33 | \# 149 |
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| McClellan, Brett | Marvell |  |  |  |

Comment Type E Comment Status D
$E Z$
incorrect reference. this links to the Link Monitor function.
Instead should point to 149.4.2.4
SuggestedRemedy
change to 149.4.2.5 to 149.4.2.4
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Correct the link to improve readability of the draft.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.2.2 | P91 | L41 | \# 80 |  |
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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |  |
| Comment Type | T | Comment Status D |  |  | PCS |

I think the last sentence is talking about superframes. So scale both number by L.
SuggestedRemedy
Change " 3600 bits" to " $3600 x L$ bits", and change " 1800 PAM4 symbols" to " $1800 x L$ PAM4 symbols".
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
Delete this sentence per comment \#156

| CI 149 | 149.3.2.2 | L 41 | \# 156 |
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| Marvell |  |
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| McClellan, Brett | Comment Status D |

"The 3600 bits in this frame are then encoded into 1800 PAM4 symbols and transferred sequentially to the PMA."
This statement is incorrect
Following the RS-FEC interleaving, there is no longer a 3600 bit frame for $L=2$ or 4.
Further, the bits are scrambled prior to PAM4 mapping.

## SuggestedRemedy

Delete this sentence.
Proposed Response Response Status W PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.2.2 | P92 | L2 | Marvell |  |
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| McClellan, Brett |  | Comment Status D |  |  |  |
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Comment Type T Comment Status D

Per Figure $78-1$ and 46.4 it is not the MAC but the RS and LPI Client that controls entry to LPI mode.

SuggestedRemedy
Change 'MAC' to 'RS'
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to fix an error in the draft.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.2.2 | P92 | L5 | \# 81 |  |
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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |  |
| Comment Type | E | Comment Status D |  | EZ |  |

The block diagramis "shown" in Figure 149-5.
SuggestedRemedy
Change the sentence to: "A block diagram of the PCS Transmit functions is shown in Figure 149-5."
Proposed Response Response Status W

## PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the following change to be consistent with wording used throughout this draft.
Change: A block diagram of the PCS Transmit functions is in Figure 149-5.
To: A block diagram of the PCS Transmit function is shown in Figure 149-5.

| CI 149 SC 149.3.2.2 | P92 | L 12 | \# 150 |
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| McClellan, Brett | Marvell |  |  |

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SuggestedRemedy
change 's_n' to 'S_n'
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to be consistent with the terminology used throughout this document.

| Cl $149 \quad$ SC 149.3.2.2.3 | P93 | L17 | \# 103 |  |
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| Graba, Jim |  | Broadcom |  |  |
| Comment Type | E | Comment Status D |  |  |

To be consistent, "TxB" should be "tx_coded" and "RxB" should be "rx_coded".

## SuggestedRemedy

Change "The bits of a transmitted or received block are labeled $T x B<31: 0>$ and $R x B<31: 0>$ where $T x B<0>$ and $R x B<0>$ represent the first transmitted bit."
To "The bits of a transmitted or received block are labeled tx_coded<64:0> and
rx_coded<64:0> respectively where tx_coded<0> and rx_coded<0> represent the first transmitted bit.".
Proposed Response

## Response Status

PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change so the text matches the Figure.

| Cl 149 |  | P93 | L22 | \# | 158 |  |
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| McClella |  | Marvell |  |  |  |  |
| Comme |  | tus D |  |  |  | EZ |

There's no signals defined as TXD<32> to TXD<63>. Only the XGMII TXD<0> to TXD<31>.

SuggestedRemedy
delete $\mathrm{TXD}<0>, \mathrm{TXD}<31>, \mathrm{TXD}<32>$, and TXD<63> and move the XGMII line with signal labels down to align with the arrows
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make change as requested as the current implementation could cause additional comments in the future.


Figures 149-6 and 149-7 now contain two notes each.
When there is more than one note, the IEEE-SA Standards Style Manual includes "Multiple notes in sequence should be numbered "NOTE 1-", "NOTE 2-", etc."
Also, there should be no spaces either side of the em-dash.
SuggestedRemedy
In Figures 149-6 and 149-7:
Change "Note - This" to "NOTE 1—This"
Change "Note - Figure" to "NOTE 2—Figure"
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

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| CI 149 | SC 149.3.2.2.3 | P94 | L3 |
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| McClellan, Brett | Marvell |  | \# 159 |

## Comment Type T Comment Status D

There's no signals defined as $R X D<32>$ to $R X D<63>$. Only the XGMII $R X D<0>$ to RXD<31>.

SuggestedRemedy
delete $R X D<0>, R X D<31>, R X D<32>$, and $R X D<63>$ and move the XGMII line with signal labels down to align with the arrows.

Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make change as requested as the current implementation could cause additional comments in the future.
Cl 149 SC 149.3.2.2.3 P94
McClellan, Brett Marvell

Comment Type E Comment Status D
arrows are in wrong direction and should point toward the XGMII

## SuggestedRemedy

reverse the arrow directions
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

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Edem, Brian Aquantia
Comment Type Eomment Status D EZ

In Figure 149.7 the eight arrows from the "Input to decoder function 65B block" to the XGMII at the top of the drawing should be pointing up towards the XGMII
SuggestedRemedy
Reverse the arrows
Proposed Response Response Status W PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| Cl 149 | SC | 149.3.2.2.3 | P94 | L24 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- |
| McClellan, Brett |  | Marvell |  | \# 152 |
| Comment Type | E | Comment Status D |  |  |
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Comment Type E Comment Status D
149.3.2.3.2 uses the term 'descrambler' for the receiver. Should probably match it in this figure.

SuggestedRemedy
change 'scrambler' to 'descrambler'
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change so the Figure matches the text.


Proposed Response Response Status W PROPOSED REJECT.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

This needs to be carefully reviewed to see if this has any other impacts. $2.5 \mathrm{G} / 5 \mathrm{G} / 10 \mathrm{GBASE}-\mathrm{T} 1$ was intentionally left in the draft in some places.

Commenter is encouraged to resubmit this comment at SA ballot if it is deemed not to impact the draft.

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| CI 149 | $S C$ 149.3.2.2.14 | P98 | L28 | \# 91 |
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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status D
Figure 149-6 shows the PCS bit ordering, not Figure 149-8.
SuggestedRemedy
Change "Figure 149-8" to "Figure 149-6"
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| CI 149 | SC 149.3.2.2.14 | P98 | L 31 |
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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |

## Comment Type T Comment Status D

$E Z$
The RS-FEC encoder input of 3260 bits consist of tx_group50x65B AND the 10-bit OAM.

## SuggestedRemedy

Change line 31 from: "... takes the 3260-bit vector tx_group50x65B, and ..."
To: "... takes the 3260-bit vector tx_group50x65B and the 10-bit OAM_field, and ..."
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch
D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the following change to fix an error in the draft.
Change line 31 from: "... takes the 3260-bit vector tx_group50x65B, and ..."
To: "... takes the 3260-bit vector, consisting of tx_group50x65B and the 10-bit OAM_field, and ..."

| Cl 149 | SC | 149.3.2.2.17 | P100 | L10 | \# 83 |
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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |  |
| Comment Type | T | Comment Status D |  |  | EZ |

The additive scrambler is added after the encoder and interleaver. So this sentence is not quite correct.
SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "tx_RSmessage<3259:0> prior to additive scrambling is formed as follows."
To: "tt_RSmessage<3259:0> prior to the RS-FEC $(360,326)$ encoder is formed as follows:"
Also add indents at line 12 and line 14.
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to fix an error in the draft.


The mapping on line 12 and line 14 is inconsistent with Figure 149-6. The OAM symbol is appended after the fifty 65B blocks, and should be the last symbol entering into each RS FEC encoder. But the mapping on line 12 and line 14 will make the OAM symbol the first one to enter the RS FEC encoder.
SuggestedRemedy
Change line 12 from: "tx_RSmessage<3259:10> =tx_group50x65B<3249:0>."
To: "tx_RSmessage<3249:0> = tx_group50x65B<3249:0>."
Change line 14 from: "tx_RSmessage<9:0> = OAM_field<9:0>."
To: "tx_RSmessage<3259:3250> = OAM_field<9:0>."
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to fix an error in the draft

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| Zimmerman, George | CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco |  |  |  |

Comment Type E Comment Status D

## EZ

Missing comma on parenthetical phrase: "Each pair of bits, $\{A, B\}$, where $A$ is the bit arriving first is converted to"

## SuggestedRemedy

change "Each pair of bits, $\{A, B\}$, where $A$ is the bit arriving first is converted to" to "Each pair of bits, $\{A, B\}$, where $A$ is the bit arriving first, is converted to"

Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to improve readability.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.2.2.20 | P102 | L27 | \# 45 |
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| Slavick, Jeff |  | Broadcom |  |  |
| Comme | TR | atus D |  |  |

The precoder_type is suppose to be assigned to two bits from the InfoFields, which contains 96 bits of information. So which 2 bits should be used?

SuggestedRemedy
Change "two bits in the InfoField messages" to "the PrecodeSel field from the InfoField messages (see 149.4.2.4.5)"
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to increase reader understanding.


PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to increase reader understanding.


Comment Type E
Comment Status D

SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "... separated into a 10-bit OAM field, separated from the 64B/65B blocks, and fifty 64B/65B blocks."
To: "... separated into a 10-bit OAM field and fifty 64B/65B blocks."
Proposed Response
Response Status W

## PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to increase reader understanding.

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| Zimmerman, George | CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco |  |  |  |

Comment Type
CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco Comment Status D
"and subject to the timing requirements of 46.1.7" - there are no timing requirements in
46.1.7. 46.1 . 7 is the mapping of primitives. Do you mean 46.3.1.5 Transmit direction LPI transition?

## SuggestedRemedy

Change 46.1.7 to 46.3.1.5
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

| Cl 149 S | SC 149.3.2.3.1 | P105 | L37 | \# 8 | 87 |
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| Tu, Mike |  | Broadcom |  |  |  |
| Comment Type | T | Comment Status D |  |  | Reject OOS |

## SuggestedRemedy

Change from: "... from rx_PAM4_0 to rx_PAM4_1799 (see Figure 149-7)."
To: "... from rx_PAM4_0 to rx_PAM4_1800xL-1, where L is the interleaving depth (see Figure 149-7 for the $\mathrm{L}=1$ case)."
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED REJECT.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

In addition, the current text matches the names in Figure 149-7 on the received frame.
Commenter may want to submit a similar comment at SA ballot changing the Figure and the text.
Cl 149 SC 149.3 .6
Marvell
McClellan, Brett
Comment Type T Comment Status D EZ
"The transmit function of the PHY initiates a transition to the LPI transmit
mode when it generates 8 RS-FEC frames composed entirely of LPI control characters, as described in 149.3.2.2.22. The transmit function of the link partner signals the transition using the sleep signal"
awkward language and why reference the link partner? This text is about the local device and LPI signaling.

## SuggestedRemedy

change to
"The transmit function of the PHY initiates a transition to the LPI transmit mode by generating the sleep signal comprised of 8 RS-FEC frames composed entirely of LPI control characters, as described in 149.3.2.2.22. "
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to increase reader understanding.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.6 | P108 | L 31 | \# 154 |
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| McClellan, Brett | Marvell |  |  |  |

Marvel
Comment Type E Comment Status D
"offset by the link partner's."
awkward language
SuggestedRemedy
change to "offset between the link partners."
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make requested change to improve clarity.

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| CI 149 | SC | 149.3.6 | P 109 | L 37 | \# 161 |
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| McClellan, Brett |  | Marvell |  |  |  |
| Comment Type | T | Comment Status D |  |  | EZ |

The prior paragraphs talk about the transmitter and signaling, suddenly this paragraph changed topic to receiver behavior.

## SuggestedRemedy

Change text to
"The end of LPI mode occurs at the transmission of the alert signal indicating the end of quiet-refresh cycle."
also move this orphaned text prior to figure 149-14
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the requested change to increase reader understanding.
The editor will try to move the text.

| CI 149 | SC 149.3.6.1 | P109 | L 45 | Marvell |
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Comment Type T Comment Status D EEE
"An EEE-capable PHY in SLAVE mode is responsible for synchronizing its Partial PHY
frame Count..."
This is not correct. All PHYs in slave mode must sync.
SuggestedRemedy
change ""An EEE-capable PHY"
to "A PHY"
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make reqested change to fix an error in the draft.


The wording of this sentence is confusing and redundant. A better specification regarding PFC counter alignment can be found in 149.4.2.4.10, page 147 line 26 :
"During startup, prior to entering the COUNTDOWN state, the SLAVE shall align its transmit 65B RS-FEC frame to within $+0 /-4 \times$ S (See Table 149-1 for definition of $S$. partial PHY frames of the MASTER as seen at the SLAVE MDI. The SLAVE InfoField partial PHY frame Count shall match the MASTER InfoField partial PHY frame Count for the aligned frame."
SuggestedRemedy
Replace the last two sentences: "For 10GBASE-T1, 5GBASE-T1, and 2.5GBASE-T1 the SLAVE's PFC24 are $+0 /-4,+0 /-2$, and $+0 /-1$ partial frames respectively with respect to the MASTER's PFC24."
To: "For the requirements on the SLAVE and the MASTER frame alignment, see 149.4.2.4.10."

Proposed Response
Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the suggested change to eliminate redundant specifications in the draft.

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| McClella |  | Marvell |  |  |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status D EZ
"For 10GBASE-T1, 5GBASE-T1, and 2.5GBASE-T1 the SLAVE's PFC24 are $+0 /-4,+0 /-2$,
and $+0 /-1$ partial frames respectively with respect to the MASTER's PFC24."
This sentence contradicts the prior sentence which requires the slave to match the PFC24 of the master.
SuggestedRemedy
delete the sentence
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.
Make the change suggested by comment 104 to remove redundant specifications in the draft.
Replace the last two sentences: "For 10GBASE-T1, 5GBASE-T1, and 2.5GBASE-T1 the SLAVE's PFC24 are $+0 /-4,+0 /-2$, and $+0 /-1$ partial frames redraftively with redraftt to the MASTER's PFC24."
To: "For the requirements on the SLAVE and the MASTER frame alignment, see 149.4.2.4.10."

| CI 149 | SC 149.3.6.1 | P109 | L52 |
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| Graba, Jim | Broadcom | \# 105 |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status
EEE
The formula may result in non-integer output for the RS-FEC frame count.
SuggestedRemedy
Change the formula to: " RS-FEC frame count = floor $($ PFC24 / 4) $\bmod 96 . "$
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the suggested change to correct an error in the draft.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.6.1 | P110 | L3 |
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| Graba, $\operatorname{Jim}$ |  | Broadcom | \# 106 |
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Comment Type T Comment Status D
EEE
Inconsistent usage of the term "RS-FEC frame count".
The term "RS-FEC frame count" is a continous counter of the RS-FEC frames. But in Table 149-5, it is used to indicate the length of LPI signals.
SuggestedRemedy
In Table 149-5, change the top row of the second column from "RS-FEC frame count" to "Number of RS-FEC frame periods".
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the suggested change to correct an error in the draft.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.6.1 | P110 | L26 | \# 51 |
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| Lo, William | Axonne Inc. |  |  |  |
| Comment Type T | Comment Status D |  |  |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status D PCS
The paragraph mentions 2 benefits. The first one listed does not sound like a benefit. The intended benefit is that the ALERTs do not overlap, but we determined that they may overlap a little bit given the tolerance in the standard. The fact that the ALERTs mostly do not overlap is still a benefit. Rephrase as shown below.
SuggestedRemedy

## Change

may overlap" to
"mostly will not overlap"
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

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There are several problems with this paragraph. Twice it references 149.3.4 however the Infofield and the training sequence are not specified in 149.3.4. It also fails to refer to the appropriate PAM2 mapping.

## SuggestedRemedy

change "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated using the PMA side-stream change "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated using the PMA side-stream the exception that the Infofield consists of a sequence of 128 zeros. The 10-bit OAM symbol to be transmitted is XORed with the last 10 bits of the PAM2 refresh transmission. The training sequence described in 149.3 .4 shall be used during the LPI mode, with the scramblers free-running from PCS Reset. "
to "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated from the T_n mapping defined in 149.3.5.1 of S_n defined in 149.3.5 with the exception that the Infofield consists of a sequence of 128 zeros. The 10-bit OAM symbol to be transmitted is XORed with the last 10 bits of the PAM2 refresh transmission."

## Proposed Response Response Status W

PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the following change to correct an error in the draft.
change "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated using the PMA side-stream scrambler polynomials described in 149.3.4 and exactly as is shown in Figure 149-11 with the exception that the Infofield consists of a sequence of 128 zeros. The 10-bit OAM symbol to be transmitted is XORed with the last 10 bits of the PAM2 refresh transmission The training sequence described in 149.3.4 shall be used during the LPI mode, with the scramblers free-running from PCS Reset. "
to "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated from the T $n$ mapping defined in
149.3.5.1 of S n defined in 149.3.5, with the exception that the Infofield consists of zeros. 149.3.5.1 of S_n defined in 149.3.5, with the exception that the infofield consists of zeros.
The 10-bit OAM symbol to be transmitted is XORed with the last 10 bits of the PAM2 refresh transmission."

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| Graba, Jim | Broadcom |  | \# 109 |

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Broadcom
Comment Type T Comment Status D EEE

Mention of Infofield is distracting. And there aren't 128 InfoField bits.

## SuggestedRemedy

Remove " with the exception that the
Infofield consists of a sequence of 128 zeros".
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the following change to correct an error in the draft.
change "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated using the PMA side-stream scrambler polynomials described in 149.3.4 and exactly as is shown in Figure 149-11 with the exception that the Infofield consists of a sequence of 128 zeros. The 10-bit OAM symbol to be transmitted is XORed with the last 10 bits of the PAM2 refresh transmission. The training sequence described in 149.3.4 shall be used during the LPI mode, with the scramblers free-running from PCS Reset. "
to "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated from the T_n mapping defined in
149.3.5.1 of S_n defined in 149.3.5, with the exception that the Infofield consists of zeros. The 10 -bit OAM symbol to be transmitted is XORed with the last 10 bits of the PAM2 refresh transmission."

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.6.3 | P111 | L11 |
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| Graba, Jim | Broadcom | \# 110 |  |
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Comment Type E Comment Status D
EEE
The statement "The training sequence described in 149.3.4 shall be used during the LPI mode, with the scramblers free-running from PCS Reset" is confusing and adds no new information.

SuggestedRemedy
Delete this sentence.
Proposed Response
Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the following change to correct an error in the draft.
change "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated using the PMA side-stream scrambler polynomials described in 149.3.4 and exactly as is shown in Figure 149-11 with the exception that the Infofield consists of a sequence of 128 zeros. The 10-bit OAM symbol to be transmitted is XORed with the last 10 bits of the PAM2 refresh transmission The training sequence described in 149.3.4 shall be used during the LPI mode, with the scramblers free-running from PCS Reset. "
to "Two-level PAM refresh symbols are generated from the T_n mapping defined in 149.3.5.1 of S_n defined in 149.3.5, with the exception that the Infofield consists of zeros. The 10-bit OAM symbol to be transmitted is XORed with the last 10 bits of the PAM2 refresh transmission."

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.7.3 | P116 | L 50 | \# 111 |  |
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| Graba, Jim |  | Broadcom |  |  |  |
| Comment Type | T | Comment Status D |  |  | EZ |

The RFER Monitor state monitors the RS-FEC frame error ratio.
SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "... monitors the received signal for high Reed Solomon frame error ratio." To: "... monitors the received signal for high RS-FEC frame error ratio."
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make requested change to improve clarity.

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"65B-RS_FEC" should be "65B RS-FEC".
In Figure 149-16, there are no states named "SEND_LPI" or "SEND_WAKE". In Figure 14920, there is SEND_WAKE, but no SEND_LPI. The text should refer to the correct states in Figure 149-17.
SuggestedRemedy

1. Change "SEND_LPI" to "TX_L".
2. Change "SEND_WAKE" to "TX_WN".
3. Change "Figure 149-16" to "Figure "149-17".

Proposed Response
Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested changes to fix errors in the draft.

| CI 149 | SC 149.3.8.2 | P121 | L 14 |
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| Lo, William | Axonne Inc. |  | \# 53 |

Comment Type TR Comment Status D
EEE
Fix corner case out of sync condition between Figure 149-17 and 149-20 Scenario:
LPI is send at the initial RS frame just as Ip_low_snr=1
TX_L state is entered and tx_lpi_req never gets set to true
Stuck in TX_L state since it is waiting for tx_lpi_active to go true.
Meanwhile in Figure 149-20 stuck at TX_NORMAL since tx_lpi_req remains false
so never enters into SEND_SLEEP to set tx_lpi_active to true.
So we are deadlocked Figure 149-17 waiting for tx_lpi_active to go true
while Figure 149-20 is waiting for tx_lpi_req to go true.
Remedy below breaks the dead lock
SuggestedRemedy
Change:
(lp_low_snr + T_TYPE(tx_raw) = (C + D + E + S + T )) * tx_lpi_active
(Ip_low_snr + T_TYPE(tx_raw) $=(\mathrm{C}+\mathrm{D}+\mathrm{E}+\mathrm{S}+\mathrm{T})$ ) * (!tx_lpi_req + tx_lpi_active)
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

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| CI 149 | SC 149.3.8.3 | P125 | L3 |
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| Tu, Mike | Broadcom | \# 88 |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status D EZ
Although both 3.0.14 and 3.2322.14 are copies of each other, I thnk it is better to refer to 3.2322.14 here.

## SuggestedRemedy

Change "3.0.14" to "3.2322.14".
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make change to improve understanding. Other Clauses reference their specific bits instead of the generic bits even though they have the same impact.
Cl 149 SC 149.3.9 P125

Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type TR Comment Status D OAM There is no requirement for the OAM state diagrams.

## SuggestedRemedy

Insert new second sentence in first paragraph of 149.3.9 "When OAM is implemented, behavior shall conform to the state diagrams in Figure 149-24 and Figure 149-25." Add new first PICS item to 149.11.4.2.8 OAM:
State diagram behavior | 149.3.9.4 | Conforms to Figure 149-24 and 149-25 | OAM: M | Yes [] No []
Proposed Response Response Status w
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

| CI 149 | SC 149.3.9.1 | P125 | L 36 | \# |
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| Zimmerman, George | CME Consulting/ADI, APL | Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco |  |  |

Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco Comment Type E Comment Status D defining the OAM field as the OAM field isn't useful
SuggestedRemedy
Change "The OAM10-bit field in each PHY frame" to "A 10-bit field in each PHY frame reserved for the OAM symbol"
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to clarify draft.
In addition, on P125 L21 change "OAM 10-bit field" to "10-bit OAM field".

| Cl 149 | SC 149.3.9.2.12 | P129 | L 17 | \# | 27 |
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| Wienckowski, NatalieComment Type E |  | General Motors |  |  |  |
|  |  | Comment Status D EZ |  |  |  |

SuggestedRemedy
Change: 149B
To: Annex 149B
Proposed Response Response Status W

## PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Correct the link to improve readability of the draft.

Make suggested changes to clarify requirement when OAM is implemented.

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| CI 149 | SC 149.3.9.2.13 | P130 | L6 |
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| Anslow, Pete | Ciena | \# 14 |  |

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Anslow, Pete
Comment Type $\quad$ E $\quad$ Comment Status D

Figure 149-23 has been changed so that the coefficient "A2 = 1" is adjacent to an arrow that just points to another line. Previously, this was an input to a multiply function that just points to another line. Previously, this was an input to a multiply function
In this version of the figure it is unclear what function is performed with "A2 $=1$ "

## SuggestedRemedy

If the intent is to simply multiply by 1 , then reinstate the multiply symbol.
If the intent is different from this then clarify what it is.
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
Remove arrows from all "A_x" and just put the name by the symbol/line as is done in Figure 149-10

| Cl 149 | SC 149.4.2.1 | P142 | L16 | CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco |
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Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco Comment Type T Comment Status D Startup
"The MultiGBASE-T1 PMA shall take no longer than 100 ms to enter the PCS_DATA state after exiting from reset or low power mode." is a non-interoperable way of stating a startup time requirement. The startup time may be allocated to one training state in one phy and another training state in another phy. To get interoperability, startup time must be allocated to phy control states.

SuggestedRemedy
Task force to discuss. (this requires some consensus building - sorry!)
Proposed Response Response Status W

## PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

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Discuss comment \#169 first - if no change is made to bring the 100 ms time into Figure 149-33, this comment should be rejected for the reason above

Otherwise:
Change: The MultiGBASE-T1 PMA shall take no longer than 100 ms to enter the PCS_DATA state after exiting from reset or low power mode.

To: The MultiGBASE-T1 PMA takes no longer than 100 ms to enter PCS_DATA state after exiting from reset or low power mode (see Figure 149-33).

And: Delete PICS item PR2 (149.11.4.3.1, page 181 line 47)

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| CI 149 | SC 149.4.2.2 | P142 | L29 |
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| Souvignier, Tom | Broadcom |  | \#2 |

Comment Type TR Comment Status D
The PMA Transmit electrical specifications are given in 149.5.2.
SuggestedRemedy
Change "149.1.3" to "149.5.2".

Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Correct the link to improve readability of the draft.

| CI 149 SC 149.4.2.4 | P143 | L 31 | \# 93 |
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| Souvignier, Tom | Broadcom |  |  |

Comment Type TR Comment Status D
It is not clear what is meant by "each InfoField" since the PFC 24 and CRC16 values will be changing after each PAM2 PHY training frame.
SuggestedRemedy
Change this sentence from: "Each InfoField shall be transmitted at least 256 times ..." To: "InfoField shall be transmitted at least 256 times with each change to octets $7-10$ to ensure detection at link partner."
Proposed Response Response Status w PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the suggested change to improve clarity.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.4.2.4 | P143 | L 37 |
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| Souvignier, Tom | Broadcom |  | \# 96 |

Comment Type T Comment Status D EZ
Field "MSG24" in Figure 149-27 not defined. Figure 149-27 not needed since it is shown in figures 149-28 and Figure 149-29 for both PMA states.
SuggestedRemedy
Remove Figure 149-27 and change first sentence of paragraph on page 143 line 30 to "The 12-octet InfoField shall include the fields in 149.4.2.4.2 through 149.4.2.4.8, also shown in Figure 149-28 and Figure 149-29."
Proposed Response Response Status
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to remove issue which could lead to comments during SA ballot.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.4.2.4 | P143 | L46 | \# 95 |
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| Souvignier, Tom | Broadcom |  |  |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status D
EZ
Figure 149-28-InfoField TRAINING format octets $8 / 9 / 10$ should be labeled "PHY Capability Bits" as indicated in subclause 149.4.2.4.5 and Table 149-12
SuggestedRemedy
Change "UsrCfgCap" to "PHY Capability Bits" in Figure 149-28
Proposed Response Response Status W

## PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to remove issue which could lead to comments during SA ballot.

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| CI 149 | SC 149.4.2.4.5 | P145 | L 47 |  | 72 |
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| Tu, Mike | Broadcom |  |
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| Comment Type | T Comment Status D | Vendor |

Need to define the bit mapping of VendorSpecificData.
SuggestedRemedy
Change line 47 from" "Oct8<7:0> = VendorSpecificData, and Oct9<7:0> = VendorSpecificData."
To: "Oct8<7:0> = VendorSpecificData[7:0], and Oct9<7:0> = VendorSpecificData[15:8]."
Proposed Response
Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT.

SuggestedRemedy
Add new final sentence to end of paragraph in 149.4.2.4.6: "DataSwPFC24 shall be a minimum of 64 and a maximum of 512 from the current PFC24 value."

## Proposed Response <br> Response Status W

PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make requested change to fix deficiency in current draft.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.4.2.4.10 | P147 | L 26 | \# 94 |
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| Souvignier, Tom | Broadcom |  |  |  |

Comment Type TR Comment Status D $\quad$ PMA
The SLAVE should align its tranmit frames before it starts transmision. Otherwise MASTER will need to redo frame alignments during training.
SuggestedRemedy
Change from: "During startup, prior to entering the COUNTDOWN state, the SLAVE shall align ..."
To: "During startup, prior to entering the TRAINING state, the SLAVE shall align ..."
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make requested change to fix deficiency in current draft.

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| CI 149 | SC 149.4.2.4.10 | P147 | L 35 |
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| Razavi, Alireza | Aquantia |  | \# 169 |

## Comment Type

Comment Status D
To ensure interoperability during the training phase, certain timing allocations between
Master, Slave and other steps of training must be observed. We propose to the text of
802.3bz for interoperability and just scale the timing of 10 G mode and deduct the timing for

PCS_TEST that is set by min_wait_timer.
SuggestedRemedy
tModify Flgure 149_33 as attached and Include the associated Table 145.15 in section
149.4.2.4.10 page 147 , line 35 to read as follows

MASTER SLAVE MAX REQUIRED TIME

| Traning | Silent | 40.00 msec |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Training | Training | 57.02 msec |
| PCS Test | PCS Test | 0.98 msec |
| TOTAL |  | 98.00 msec |

Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

P154 L39 Add the following definitions to 149.4.4.2, before minwait_timer:
max_silent_timer
A timer used to determine the maximum amount of time the PHY Control stays in the SILENT state. This timer shall expire 40 msec after being started.
max_training timer
A timer used to determine the maximum amount of time the PHY Control stays in the TRAINING state. When config = MASTER, the timer shall expire 97.02 msec after being started. When config = SLAVE, the timer shall expire 57.02 msec after being started.

Update Figure 149-33 as shown in farjadrad_3ch_001_0919.pdf, with editorial license to conform to IEEE802.3 stlye.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.4.2.6.4 | P151 | L25 | \#15 |
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Aquantia
Edem, Brian
Comment Type $\quad$ E $\quad$ Comment Status D

Figure 149-32, transition from SIGDET_WAIT to SILENT_WAIT the condition is misspelled
SuggestedRemedy
Change send_s_sidget to send_s_sigdet
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to fix typo.

| CI 149 | SC 149.4.2.6.4 | P151 | L25 |
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| Wienckowski, Natalie | General Motors |  | \# 15 |

Comment Type Eomment Status D EZ
In state diagrams, the transitions shouldn't include "=true" or "=false", instead you should have the variable_name for true and !variable_name for false.
SuggestedRemedy
In Figure 149-32, change the following:
L25 \& L31: "send_s_sigdet = false" to "!send_s_sidgdet"
L39: "power_on = true" to "power_on"
L40: "mr_main_reset = true" to "mr_main_reset"
L40: "mr_autoneg_enable = true" to "mr_autoneg_enable"
L49: "mr_autoneg_enable = false" to "!mr_autoneg_enable"
Proposed Response
Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot

Make the suggested change to match the IEEE802 style. In addition, correct the spelling of send_s_sigdet.

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| CI 149 | SC 149.4.2.6.4 | P151 | L 25 | $\# 135$ |
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| Zimmerman, George | CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco |  |  |  |

Comment Type E Comment Status D EZ typo: send_s_sidget $=$ true
SuggestedRemedy
change send_s_sidget to send_s_sigdet
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to fix typo.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.4.5 | P155 | L4 | \# |  |
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| Wiencko | , Natalie | General |  |  |  |

Comment Type E Comment Status D
In state diagrams, the transitions shouldn't include "=true" or "=false", instead you should have the variable_name for true and !variable_name for false.
SuggestedRemedy
In Figure 149-33, change the following:
L4 \& L12: "auto_neg_imp = true" to "auto_neg_imp"
L4 \& L12: "mr_autoneg_enable = true" to "mr_autoneg_enable"
L6 \& L14: "auto_neg_imp = false" to "!auto_neg_imp"
L6 \& L14: "mr_autoneg_enable = false" to "!mr_autoneg_enable"
L45: "hi_rfer = false" to "!hi_rfer"
L46: "hi-rfer = true" to "hi rfer"
L46: "block_lock = true" to "block lock"
L47: "block_lock = false" to "!block_lock"
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch
D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the suggested change to match the IEEE802 style.

| Cl 149 | SC 149.4.5 | P156 |
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| Wienckowski, Natalie | General Motors |  |
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EZ
In state diagrams, the transitions shouldn't include "=true" or "=false", instead you should have the variable_name for true and !variable_name for false.

SuggestedRemedy
In Figure 149-34, change the following
L2: "auto_neg_imp = true" to "auto_neg_imp"
L2: "mr_autoneg_enable = true" to "mr_autoneg_enable"
L4: "auto_neg_imp = false" to "!auto_neg_imp"
L4: "mr_autoneg_enable = false" to "!mr_autoneg_enable"
L12: "pcs_data_mode = true" to "pcs_data_mode"
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the suggested change to match the IEEE802 style.

| Cl $149 \quad$ SC 149.5.1.1 | P158 | L24 | \# | 46 |
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| Gubow, Marty |  | Keysight Technologies |  |  |
| Comment Type T | Comment Status D |  | testing |  |

Comment Type T Comment Status D testing The most common transmitter connection to an oscilloscope utilizes two 50 -ohm channels Figure 149-36 should be updated.
SuggestedRemedy
Receommned new figure 149-36

Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
Replace Figure 149-36 with the figure in gubow_3ch_01_0919.pdf.

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Cl 149 SC 149.7.1.1 $P 164 \quad$ L $30 \quad$ \# 142

Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type E Comment Status D
EZ
While Fmax is used for several link segment parameters, it only gets defined for insertion loss. This definition (Equation 149-18) needs to be moved up to 149.7

SuggestedRemedy
Insert new second paragraph in 149.7: "For the three different PHY types, link segment parameters are specified to different upper frequencies, given by the parameter Fmax shown in Equation 149-17"
Insert (new) Equation 149-17, which is the current Equation 149-18: Fmax $=4000$ X S Followed by "See Table 149-1 for definition of S."
Delete lines 30 through 33, so that 149.7.1.1 after the equation (currently 149-17, now 14918) reads:
f is the frequency in $\mathrm{MHz} ; 1<=\mathrm{f}<=$ Fmax.
The insertion loss is illustrated in Figure 149-42.
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to clarify draft.
Cl 149 SC 149.7.1.3 P165 $\quad$ L31

Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type E Comment Status D
EZ
The Return loss section actually is 3 subclauses, one for each PHY type.
SuggestedRemedy
Divide 149.7.1.3 into 149.7.1.3.1 2.5GBASE-T1 link segment return loss, 149.7.1.3.2 5GBASE-T1 link segment return loss, and 149.7.1.3.3 10GBASE-T1 link segment return loss.

Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to help the reader
Cl 149 SC 149.713 P166
Ohni, Josef MD Elektronik

## Comment Type E Comment Status D

## $E Z$

In the equation defined by parts (149-22). The frequency point 480/2N belongs only to the first part. The frequency point 3000 belongs to the second and third part. This ist not consistent.
SuggestedRemedy
Change the second part " $480 / 2 \mathrm{~N} \leq \mathrm{f} \leq 3000 \mathrm{MHz}$ " to " $480 / 2 \mathrm{~N} \leq \mathrm{f}<3000$ "
Proposed Response
Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make change to fix typo.
Cl 149 SC 149.7.1.3 P167 L23

Zimmerman, George
CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type T Comment Status D
EZ
While the title for Figure 149-43 says there are 5 curves, the figure only shows 2 curves (this is due to frequency overlaps), but is confusing. Also, 2.5 G no longer has the "N" factor, which makes the figure even more confusing.

## SuggestedRemedy

Divide Figure 149-43 into 3 figures, one for 2.5 G , one for 5 G and one for 10 G . Alternately, delete the figure.
Proposed Response Response Status W

## PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make suggested change to help the reader.

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| Ohni, Josef | MD Elektronik |  | \# 63 |

Comment Type E
Comment Status D
$E Z$
In the equation defined by parts (149-24). The frequency point 750 belongs to the first and second part.

## SuggestedRemedy

Change the first part " $30 \leq f \leq 750 \mathrm{MHz}$ " to " $30 \leq \mathrm{f}<750 \mathrm{MHz}$ "
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make change to fix typo.
Cl $149 \quad$ SC 149.7.2.1 $\quad$ P169

Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco
Comment Type TR Comment Status D Reject OOS
It is important to limit the noise ingress even outside the bandwidth of the PHY, especially if
multiple rates of PHYs are to be used together in the same system. As such, the
PSANEXT and PSAFEXT characteristic needs to be specified to the same frequency for all PHY types

## SuggestedRemedy

Replace Fmax on Page 169 line 9 and Page 170 line 6 with 4000 MHz.
Proposed Response Response Status W PROPOSED REJECT.

This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

The commenter is encouraged to discuss this with the task force during ad hoc calls and consider entering a comment for SA ballot.
It is up to the implementer to design their application to work at the maximum planned speed
Cl 149 SC 149.9.2.1 P172

Zimmerman, George CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco Comment Type E Comment Status D testing

IEEE Std 802.3 does not specify equipment, and can't put a 'shall' on "All equipment
subject to this clause...shall conform to the potential environmental stresses", or to the systems integrating the PHY (149.9.2.2). 802.3cg had similar language in ballots and the suggested language is drawn from the remedies there.
SuggestedRemedy
Change "shall conform" to "is expected to conform" in 149.9.2.1, and "shall comply" with "is expected to comply" in 149.9.2.2.
Proposed Response Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

Make the suggested change to conform with latest agreed text in other projects.
Cl $149 \quad$ SC 149.9.2.2 P172

Zimmerman, George
Comment Type T
CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Aquantia, BMW, Cisco not restrict the EMC test methods ("PHY shall be tested according to CISPR 25 test methods"). The integrating system will specify the test methods to be used and even though they usually are CISPR25, there is no need to put that here, and inappropriate to require it.
SuggestedRemedy
Delete "The PHY shall be tested according to CISPR 25 test methods defined to measure the PHY's EMC performance in terms of radio frequency (RF) immunity and RF emissions."
Proposed Response
Response Status W
PROPOSED ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE
This comment does not apply to the substantive changes between IEEE P802.3ch D2.0 and D2.1 or the unsatisfied negative comments from earlier ballots. Hence it is not within the scope of the recirculation ballot.

While automotive testing requires the use of CISPR 25, other applications may not use this. P172 L45-48 make it clear that CISPR25 is used for automotive applications.

Remove the text as suggested and remove PICS ES5 on P190 L20

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| Lo, William | Axonne Inc. | \# 49 |  |

## Comment Type E Comment Status D

Table fix gap in column 3 numbers
SuggestedRemedy
Remove the gaps in all the numbers in column 3
Proposed Response Response Status Z
PROPOSED REJECT.
This comment was WITHDRAWN by the commenter.



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Change Max PCB length from $4.5^{\prime \prime}$ to $3^{\prime \prime}$ more representative of MAX implementations.
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In Figure 149C-1 delete 4.5" two places.
In equation (149C-1) change $4.5^{\prime \prime}$ to 3 ".
In equation (149C-4) change 4.5 " to $3^{\prime \prime}$
Change Table $149 \mathrm{C}-1$ values per supporting presentation.
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Make the suggested text changes
Replace Table 149C-1 with the table at the bottom of slide 3 in diminico_3ch_01_0919.pdf.

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