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# **Tx Function to Rx Function AdHoc**

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# Scope

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- This Ad Hoc was chartered at the April 2019 Interim with primary focus to consider Tx Function to Rx Function channel characteristics and possible refinements to the alien crosstalk specifications.

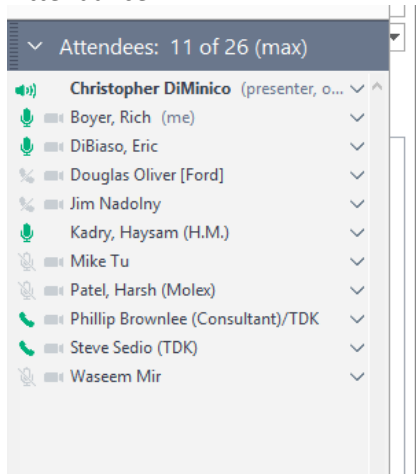
# Meeting Agenda – 5-10-19

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- Patent policy
- Review Minutes
- Review contributions
  - *Tx-Rx Channel Ad Hoc 5-10-19.pdf (Chris DiMinico)*

# May 3 Meeting Minutes:

Attendance:



- 11:22 AM EST call for patents was made and no one responded

- Review of Tx-Rx Channel Ad Hoc.pdf and discussion

Next Meeting: May 10 (action items)

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- Insertion diagram from TPO (TX)----TP5(RX) Objective 802.3ch topology – (Chris DiMinico)
- FR4 insertion loss – measurements, Haysam (next meeting)
- Length (4.5” max and (<1in min) TPO-TP1 (Haysam)
- MDI/ECU connector IL – Cable IL – Eric (Next Meeting)

Future: May 17 (action items)

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- Refinements to the alien crosstalk specifications – Chris DiMinico, Eric, Thomas..
- Return loss tradeoff - Rich Mellitz, Haysam

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**Early identification of holders of potential  
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- Provide the chair of this group with the identity of the holder(s) of any and all such claims as soon as possible; or
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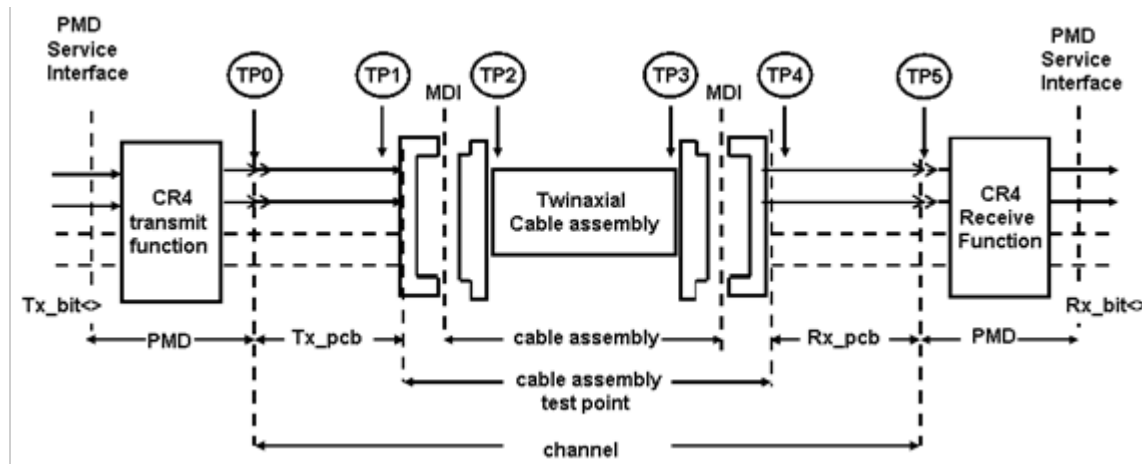
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# 100GBASE-CR4 Channel and link Definitions

- The channel is defined between the transmitter and receiver blocks to include the transmitter and receiver differential controlled impedance printed circuit board and the cable assembly.
- The Media dependent interfaces (MDIs) refer to the connector interfaces. 100GBASE-CR4 specifies the quad small form factor pluggable (QSFP28) plug and receptacle.

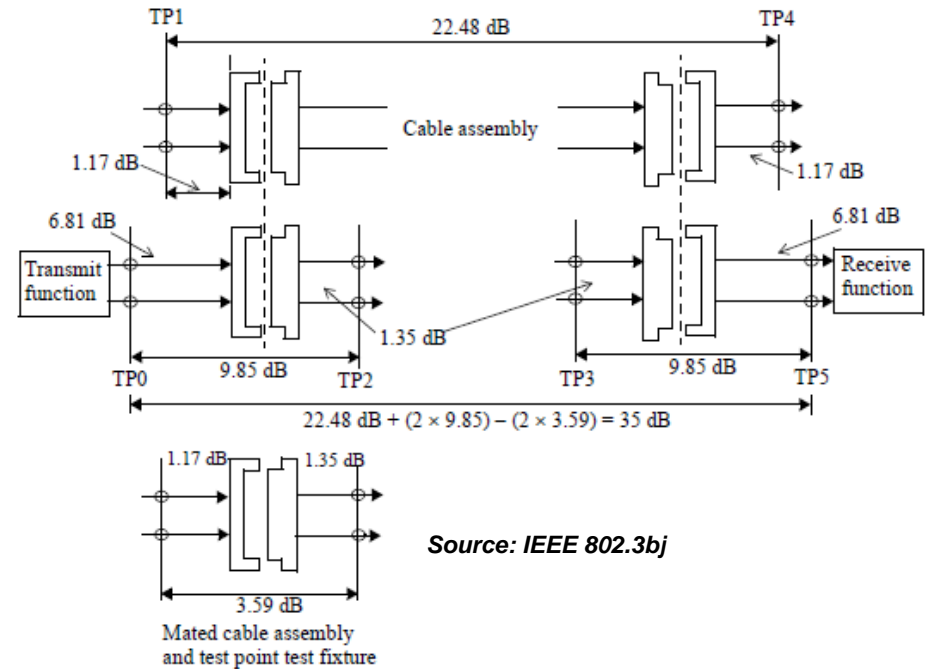




# 100GBASE-CR4 Channel Parameters and Insertion Loss Budgets

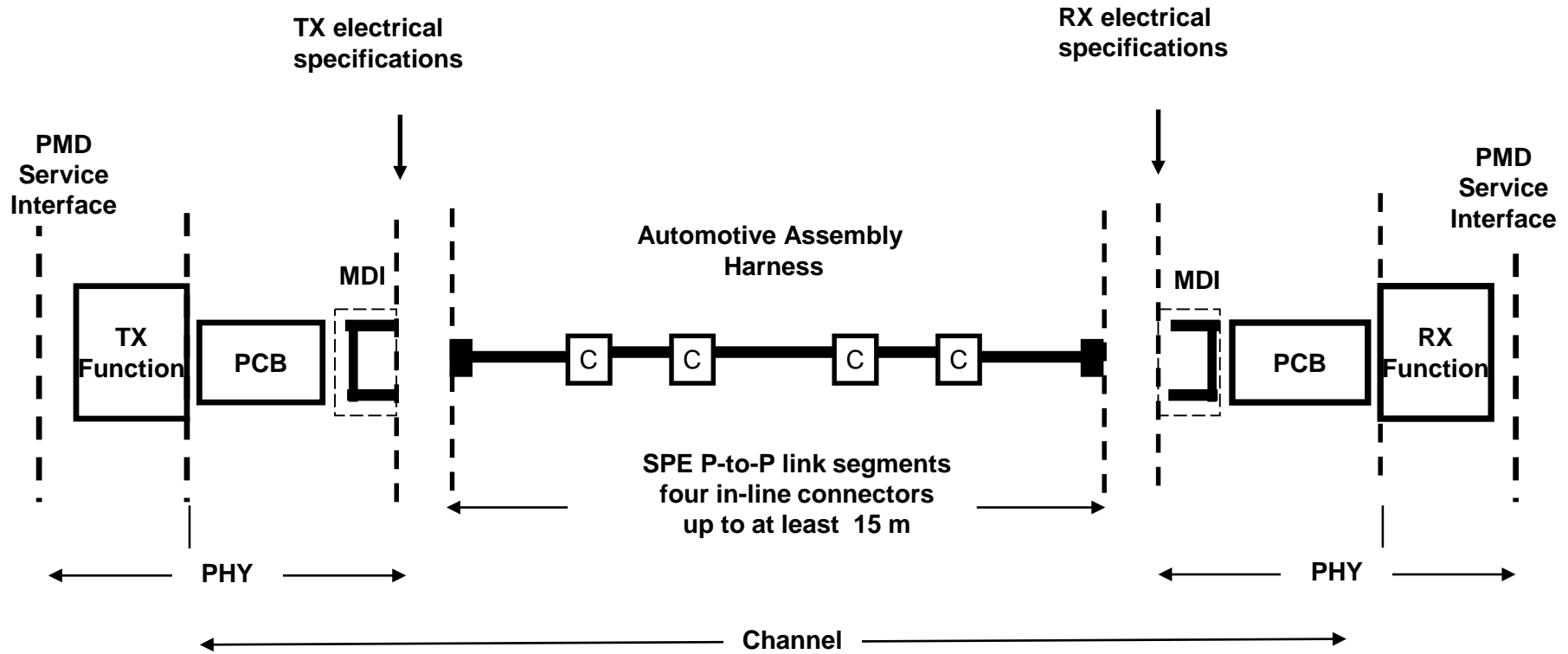
- TP0 and TP5 may not be accessible in an implemented system
- Information (not required for conformance) of channel transmission characteristics and insertion loss budgets provided in Annex's.

Parameter description	f(GHz)	Unit
Transmitter and receiver differential printed circuit board trace loss (host PCB insertion loss 6.81 dB @12.89 GHz)	$0.05 \leq f \leq 19$	dB
Channel Insertion Loss (6.81 dB @12.89 GHz)	$0.05 \leq f \leq 19$	dB
Maximum channel insertion Loss (35 dB @12.89 GHz)	$0.05 \leq f \leq 19$	dB



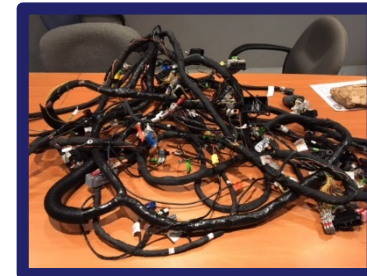
Insertion loss budget @ 12.89 GHz

# Channel and link definition



## Automotive Ethernet PHYs

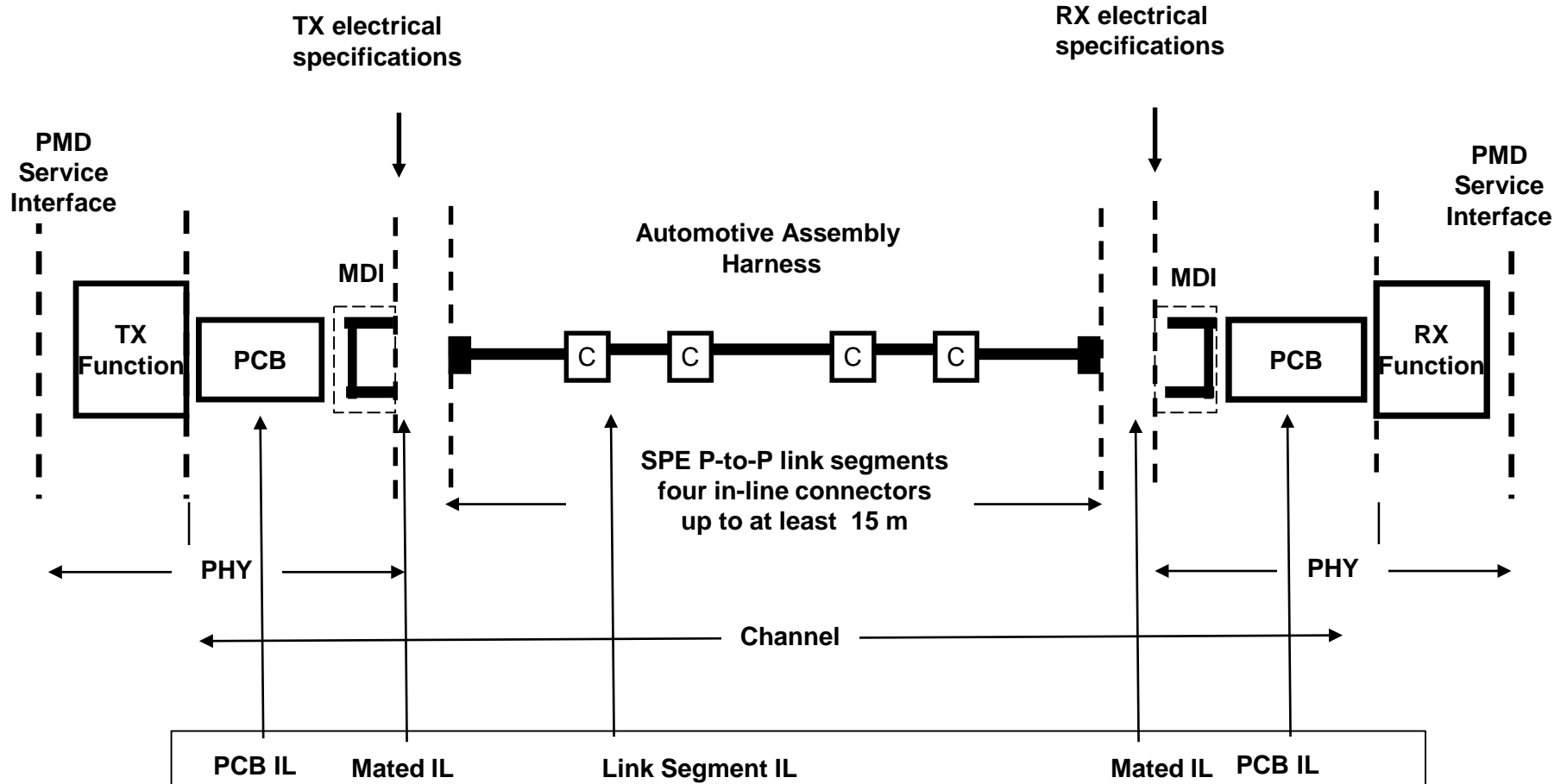
- 10M – 802.3cg
- 100M - 802.3cw
- 1G - 802.3bp
- 2.5G/5G/10G - 802.3ch



# Link Segment (2.5/5/10 Gb/s) – 2.5/5/10GBASE-T1

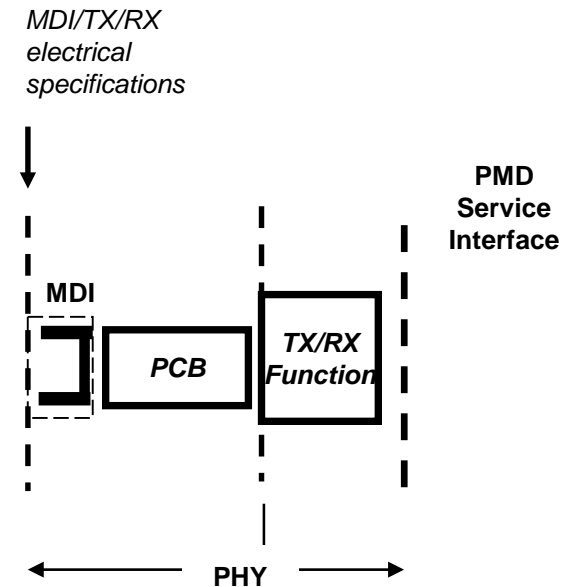
- Link transmission parameters (up to at least 15 m)
  - Frequency range specified
    - Characteristic impedance
    - Insertion loss -  $1 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq S \cdot f_{\text{max}} \text{ MHz}$
    - Return loss
      - 2.5GBASE-T1 -  $1 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 1000 \text{ MHz}$
      - 5GBASE-T1 -  $1 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 2000 \text{ MHz}$  – RL mag limit is specified in relationship to IL@1.5 GHz
      - 10GBASE-T1 -  $1 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 4000 \text{ MHz}$  – RL mag limit is specified in relationship to IL@3 GHz
    - Coupling Attenuation -  $1 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 5500 \text{ MHz}$
    - Shielding Effectiveness -  $30 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq S \cdot f_{\text{max}} \text{ MHz}$
    - Maximum Link Delay -  $2 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq S \cdot f_{\text{max}} \text{ MHz}$
  - For 2.5GBASE-T1, 5GBASE-T1, and 10GBASE-T1, the maximum applicable frequency for the Link Segments specifications is  $4000 \text{ MHz} \times S$ . For 2.5GBASE-T1,  $S = 0.25$ ; for 5GBASE-T1,  $S = 0.5$ ; and for 10GBASE-T1,  $S = 1$ .


# Insertion Loss Budgets



# MDI – Medium Dependent Interface

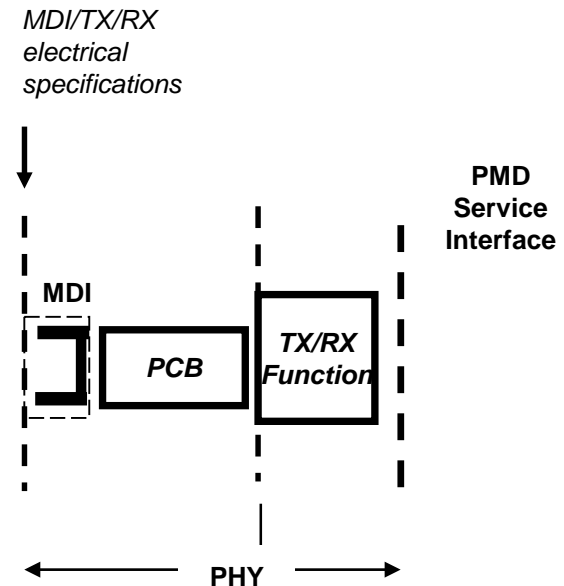
- 802.3cg 10BASE-T1S (10 Mb/s) - MDI connector
  - 3-pin connector and optional SHIELD or alternatively a 2-pin connector with an optional additional mechanical shield connection .
- 802.3cg 10BASE-T1L (10 Mb/s) – MDI jack connector and plug
  - IEC 63171-1 or IEC 61076-3-125 connectors; plug connector on cabling and MDI jack connector on the PHY.
- 802.3bw 100BASE-T1 (100 Mb/s) - MDI connector
  - The mechanical interface to the balanced cabling is a 2-pin connector or 2 pins of a multi-pin connector
- 802.3bp 1000BASE-T1 (1000 Mb/s- MDI connector type A and type B)
  - The mechanical interface to the balanced cabling is a 2-pin connector or 2 pins of a multi-pin connector
- 802.3ch 2.5/5/10GBASE-T1 - MDI connector
  - The mechanical interface to the balanced cabling is a 2-pin connector or 2 pins of a multi-pin connector



 = PHY is coupled to the cabling at the MDI.  
= MDI requirements: mechanical (to ensure complete compatibility) and electrical.

# MDI – Medium Dependent Interface

- **802.3cg**
  - **10BASE-T1L - MDI connector**
    - **Return Loss  $100 \text{ KHz} \leq f \leq 20 \text{ MHz}$**
  - **10BASE-T1S - MDI connector**
    - **Impedance  $300 \text{ KHz} \leq f \leq 40 \text{ MHz}$**
- **802.3bw 100BASE-T1 - MDI connector**
  - **Return Loss  $1 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 66 \text{ MHz}$**
  - **Mode conversion  $1 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 200 \text{ MHz}$**
- **802.3bp 1000BASE-T1 - MDI connector**
  - **Return Loss  $2 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 600 \text{ MHz}$**
  - **Mode conversion  $55 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 600 \text{ MHz}$**
- **802.3ch 2.5/5/10GBASE-T1 - MDI connector**
  - **Return Loss  $1 \text{ MHz} \leq f \leq 4000 \times S^* \text{ MHz}$**
  - **MDI coupling attenuation (place holder)**



\* For 2.5GBASE-T1, 5GBASE-T1, and 10GBASE-T1, the maximum applicable frequency for the MDI return loss is  $4000 \text{ MHz} \times S$ . For 2.5GBASE-T1,  $S = 0.25$ ; for 5GBASE-T1,  $S = 0.5$ ; and for 10GBASE-T1,  $S = 1$ .

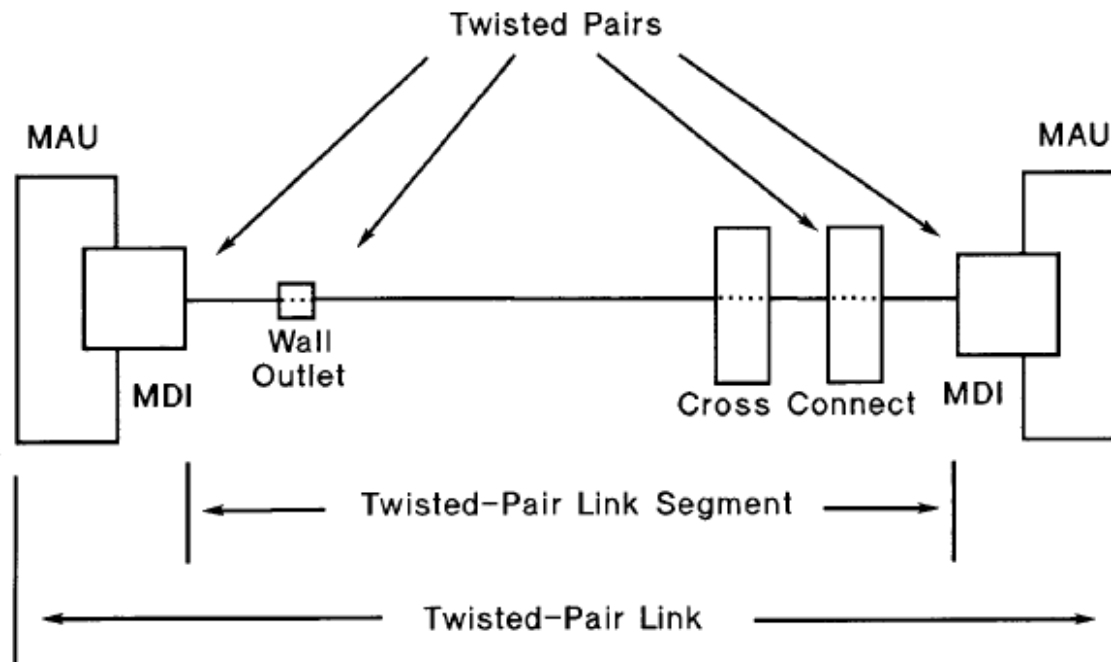
# IEEE Std 802.3™-2015 - MDI

- 1.4.269 Medium Dependent Interface (MDI): The mechanical and electrical or optical interface between the transmission medium and the MAU (e.g., 10BASE-T) or the PHY (e.g., 1000BASE-T) and also between the transmission medium and any associated (optional per IEEE Std 802.3, Clause 33) Powered Device (PD) or Endpoint Power Sourcing Equipment (PSE).
  
- 1.1.3.2 Compatibility interfaces: The following important compatibility interfaces are defined within what is architecturally the Physical Layer.
  - a) *Medium Dependent Interfaces (MDI)*. To communicate in a compatible manner, all stations shall adhere rigidly to the exact specification of physical media signals defined in the appropriate clauses in this standard, and to the procedures that define correct behavior of a station. The medium-independent aspects of the LLC sublayer and the MAC sublayer should not be taken as detracting from this point; communication in an Ethernet Local Area Network requires complete compatibility at the Physical Medium interface (that is, the physical cable interface).
  
- PMD is coupled to the cabling at the MDI.
  
- MDI requirements: mechanical (to ensure complete compatibility) and electrical.

# Link Segment

**1.4.242 link segment:** The point-to-point full-duplex medium connection between two and only two Medium Dependent Interfaces (MDIs).

- **Example 10BASE-T**



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Figure 14-2—Twisted-pair link