IEEE802.3ch Timing and Next Steps Rev 2

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Typical Automotive Ethernet PHY IEEE Timing

Timeline from CFI with dates added.

- \rightarrow t₀ Idea for CFI.
- \downarrow t_1 CFI approved. Start to work on PAR Components.
- ► t₂ PAR approved. Start TF meetings and select technology components.
- t_3 D1.0 complete. Refine specification.
- t₄ D2.0 complete. WG ballot begins.
- t_5 D3.0 complete. Sponsor ballot begins.
- t₆ Sponsor ballot complete.
- ▶ t₇ Completed specification available.



IEEE P802.3 P802.3ch NGAUTO Ethernet PHY DRAFT Timeline

- September 2017 Review baseline proposals (Draft 0.1 skeleton)
- March 2018 Draft 0.2 for TF review (link segment)
- September 2018 baselines selected
- November 2018 last technical feature, D1.0 for TF review
 - D1.1 (January), D1.2 (OOS February Interim), D1.3 (March), (OOS April Interim)?
- May 2019 D2.0, start WG ballot
 - 2 recircs, July 2019 (D2.1), September 2019 (D2.2) (OOS interim in October to get to sponsor ballot in November 2019)
- November 2019 D3.0, begin Sponsor ballot
 - D3.1 (January 2020), D3.2 (March) recirculations (Potential April OOS Interim)
- May/June 2020 SASB approval

Timing Questions

- Can we be ready for TF review in 6 months?
 - No, 10-12 months is more realistic based on discussions in TF.

• Final silicon (Engineering Samples) is currently projected to be needed mid 2021. What does this mean for the spec timing?

Goals to Draft 1.0

March 2018

- OEM topology Information and power consumption expectations
- Cabling System Model (IL & RL at a minimum)
- Signaling type and modulation (2.5 Gb/s and 10 Gb/s)
- PHY vendors provide information on what type of EMC test data is preferred
- Consider power budget and impact on PoDL

• May 2018

- Cabling System Model (TCL, ELTCTL)
- Finalized: Signaling type and modulation (2.5 Gb/s and 10 Gb/s)
- MDI RL limit (baseline to be provided to PoDL)
- Provide EMC test data

• July 2018

- Line Coding and FEC initial proposals
- PoDL definition (solicit help from bt)
- OEMs provide results of Early EMC testing

Goals to Draft 1.0

- September 2018
 - Line Coding and FEC updated proposals
 - PoDL definition baseline proposals
 - Initial Register maps, EEE support, PICs
 - PHY Control State diagram proposals (take into account start up time requirements)
- November 2018
 - Line Coding and FEC baseline adopted
 - Complete Register maps, EEE support, PICs
 - PHY Control State diagram finalize