



# IEEE 802.3az Energy Efficient Ethernet

## Closing Plenary Report

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# Reflector and Web

- Our latest draft is D2.1
- Task Force *private* web page URL:

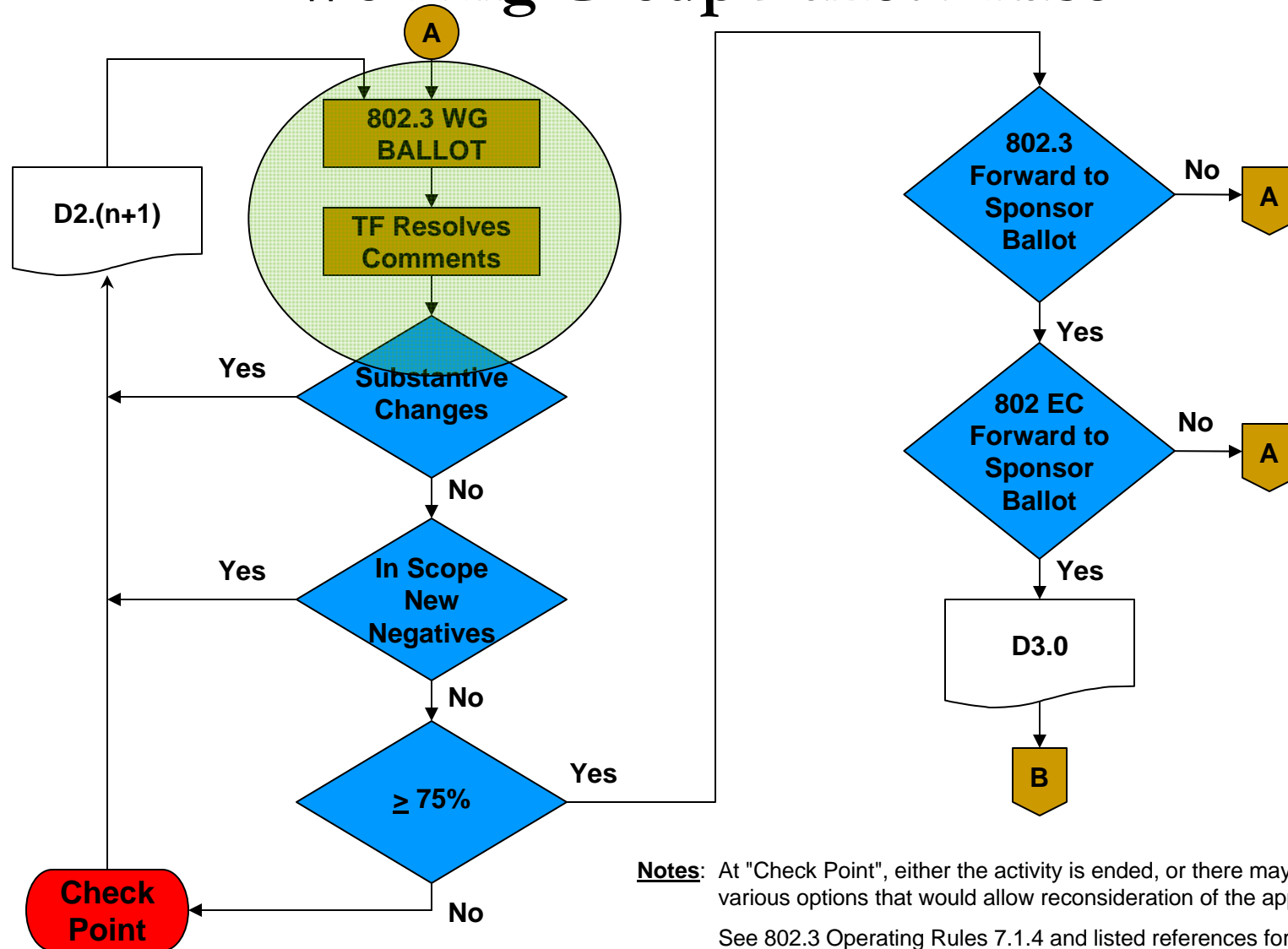
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# Overview of IEEE 802.3 Standards Process (3/5)

## Working Group Ballot Phase



**Notes:** At "Check Point", either the activity is ended, or there may be various options that would allow reconsideration of the approval.

See 802.3 Operating Rules 7.1.4 and listed references for complete description

# Progress at this Meeting

- Processed comments against D2.1
  - All comments were considered
  - In response to comment #258 the Task Force agreed to:
    - Extend LPI signaling across XAUI
    - Specify LPI mode for XAUI based on LPI mode of KX4
  
- Assigned the task of developing a proposal for 10GBASE-T fast link recovery to the 10GBASE-T ad-hoc
  - Gavin Parnaby is chair of the ad-hoc
  - Meeting announcements will be sent to the P802.3az reflector
  - To deliver the complete proposal in time for next ballot

# Progress at this Meeting

- Directed editorial team to produce D2.2
- Will include maintenance item #1214 in D2.2 per WG motion
- Big ticket item(s)
  - Remaining unsatisfied negative comments: 19
    - Started with 21, satisfied 8, 6 new
  - 10GBASE-T fast link recovery proposal

# 802.3az Task Force Report

## ■ Motions

### Motion #02 -

Accept comment resolutions from D2.1 as recorded in the comment database.

Direct the IEEE P802.3az editorial team to generate Draft 2.2, based on Draft 2.1 and the resolution of comments against Draft 2.1.

Request Working Group Chair to Conduct an IEEE 802.3 WG recirculation ballot for P802.3az/D2.2.

Moved by: J. Barnette

Second by: M. Hajduczenia

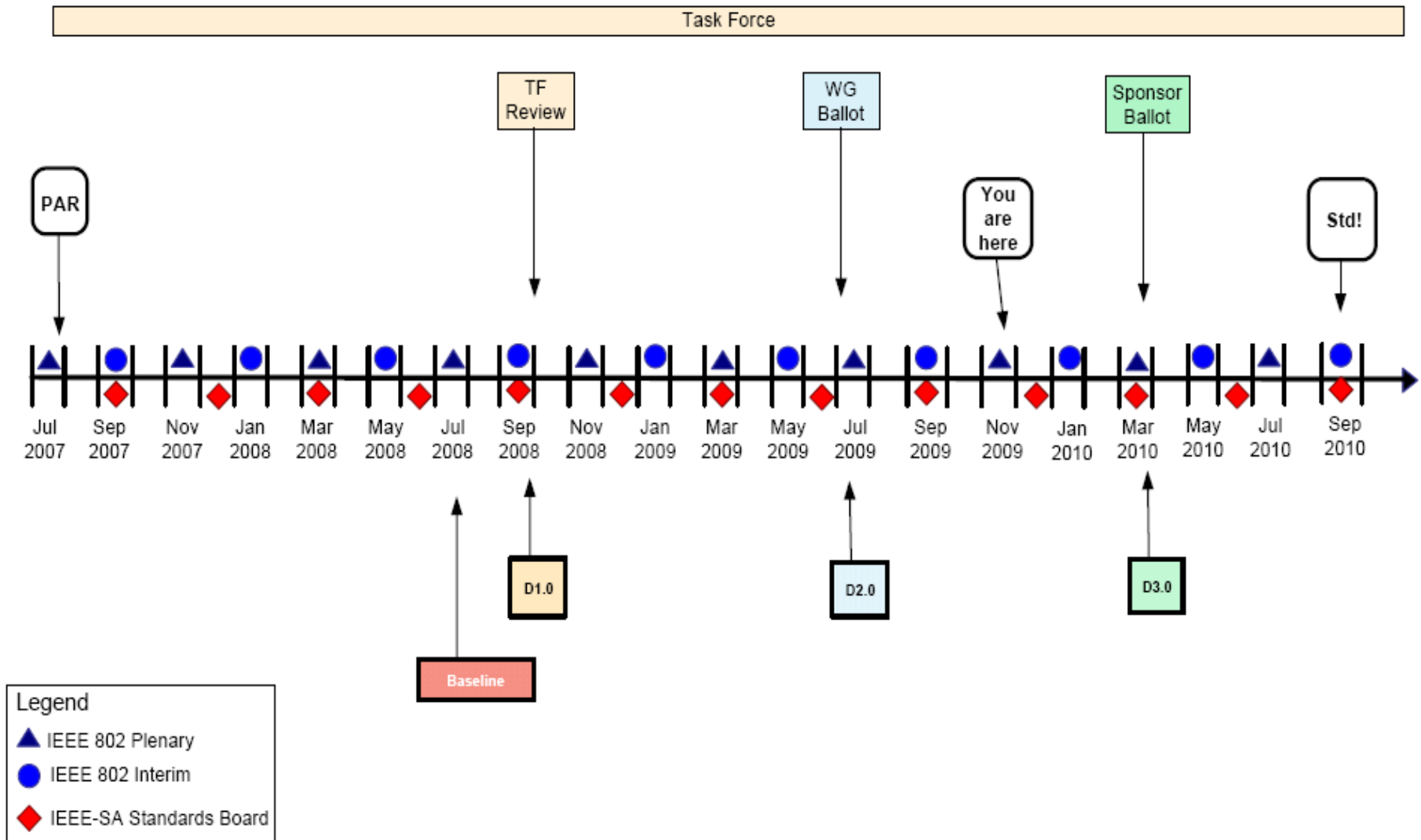
All Y:20 N:0 A:0 Technical;  $\geq 75\%$  required to pass  
Motion passed



# Progress at this Meeting

- Proposed schedule for recirculation
  - Begin editing Draft 2.2: 11/19/2009
  - WG recirc ballot against D2.2 opens: 12/22/2009
  - WG recirc ballot against D2.2 closes: 1/11/2010
  - Proposed responses posted: 1/20/2010

# 802.3az timeline



# Objectives

**Define a mechanism to reduce power consumption during periods of low link utilization for the following PHYs**

- 100BASE-TX (Full Duplex)**
- 1000BASE-T (Full Duplex)**
- 10GBASE-T**
- 1000BASE-KX**
- 10GBASE-KR**
- 10GBASE-KX4**

- Define a protocol to coordinate transitions to or from a lower level of power consumption**
- The link status should not change as a result of the transition**
- No frames in transit shall be dropped or corrupted during the transition to and from the lower level of power consumption**
- The transition time to and from the lower level of power consumption should be transparent to upper layer protocols and applications**

# Objectives

- **Define a 10 megabit PHY with a reduced transmit amplitude requirement such that it shall be fully interoperable with legacy 10BASE-T PHYs over 100 m of Class D (Category 5) or better cabling to enable reduced power implementations.**
- **Any new twisted-pair and/or backplane PHY for EEE shall include legacy compatible auto negotiation**



Thank You!

