

P802.17 Draft and Comment Status

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Agenda

- Status of draft
- Status of comments
- Plan for week

Current Draft Status

- D0.3 authorized by P802.17 TF in May
 - First complete draft (all Clauses and Annexes present!)
 - However, this must be ratified by the WG
- D0.3 was created by editors and posted June 11
 - Comment period from June 11 to June 23
 - Proposed resolution period from June 23 to July 4

Current Editorial Roster

Section	Section Editor	Technical Editor(s)
Intro Section	Bob Sultan	None
MAC Section	<u>John Lemon</u>	Steve Wood David James (Annexes: CRC, C-code, implementation) Assisted by: Dave & Med
PHY Section	Rhett Brikovskis	Harry Peng
Fairness Section	Anoop Ghanwani	Necdet Uzun
Topology Section	Jason Fan	Jim Kao
Management Section	Glenn Parsons	Gal Mor (Layer Management) Leon Bruckman (OAM&P)
Bridging Section	Bob Castellano	Marc Holness

Note: Sections are now named and not numbered.

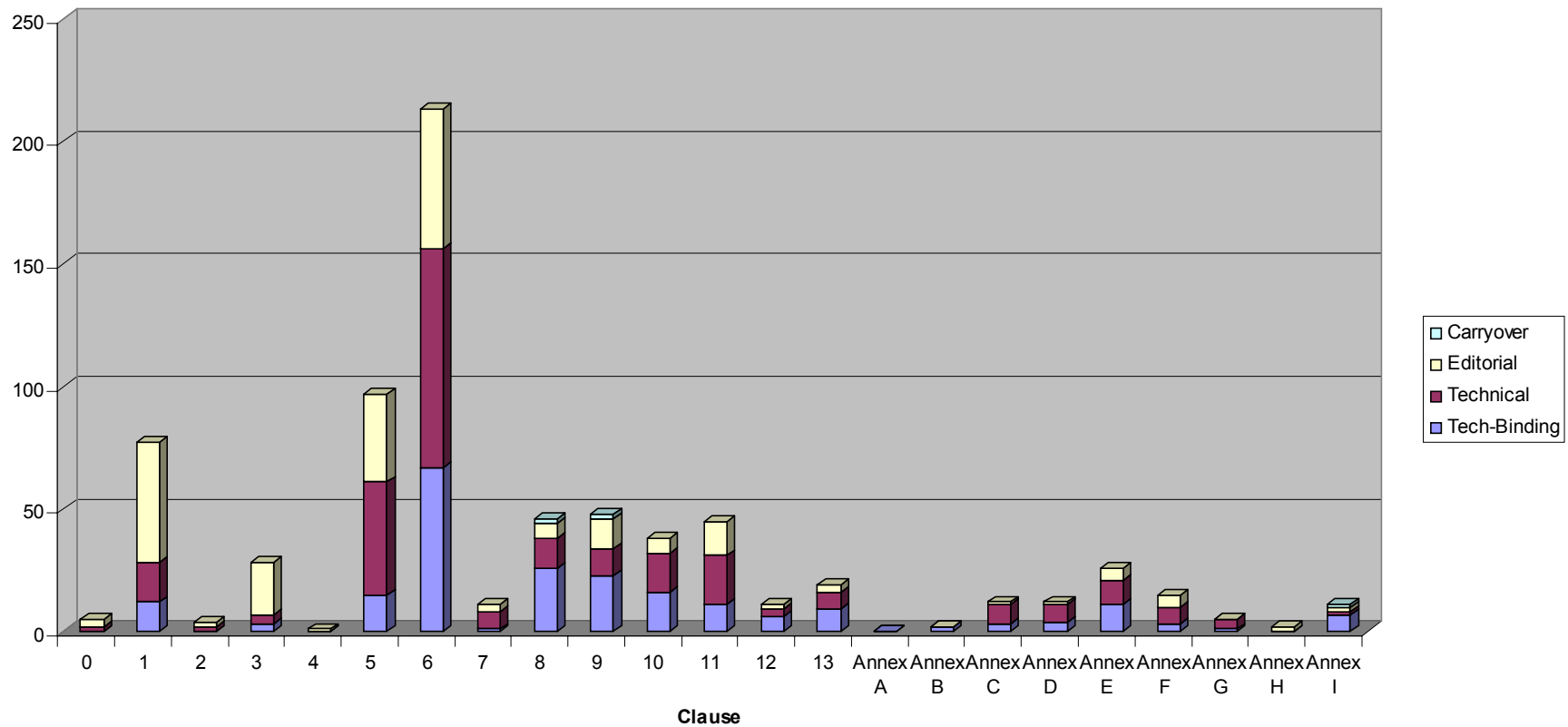
Status of Comments on D0.2

- 723 valid comments were received, plus 5 carryovers
 - 272 Technical, 220 Technical-Binding
 - Only 28 commenters this time
 - Bob Love has the highest tally with 93
 - 5 comments were considered but could not be resolved in Ottawa; we'll be considering them again this week
- As usual, bulk of comments directed at MAC Section
 - Only 374 comments this time around, however (whew!)
- Other clauses have far fewer
 - Average about 60 each
 - Intro Section is (also as usual) the runner up

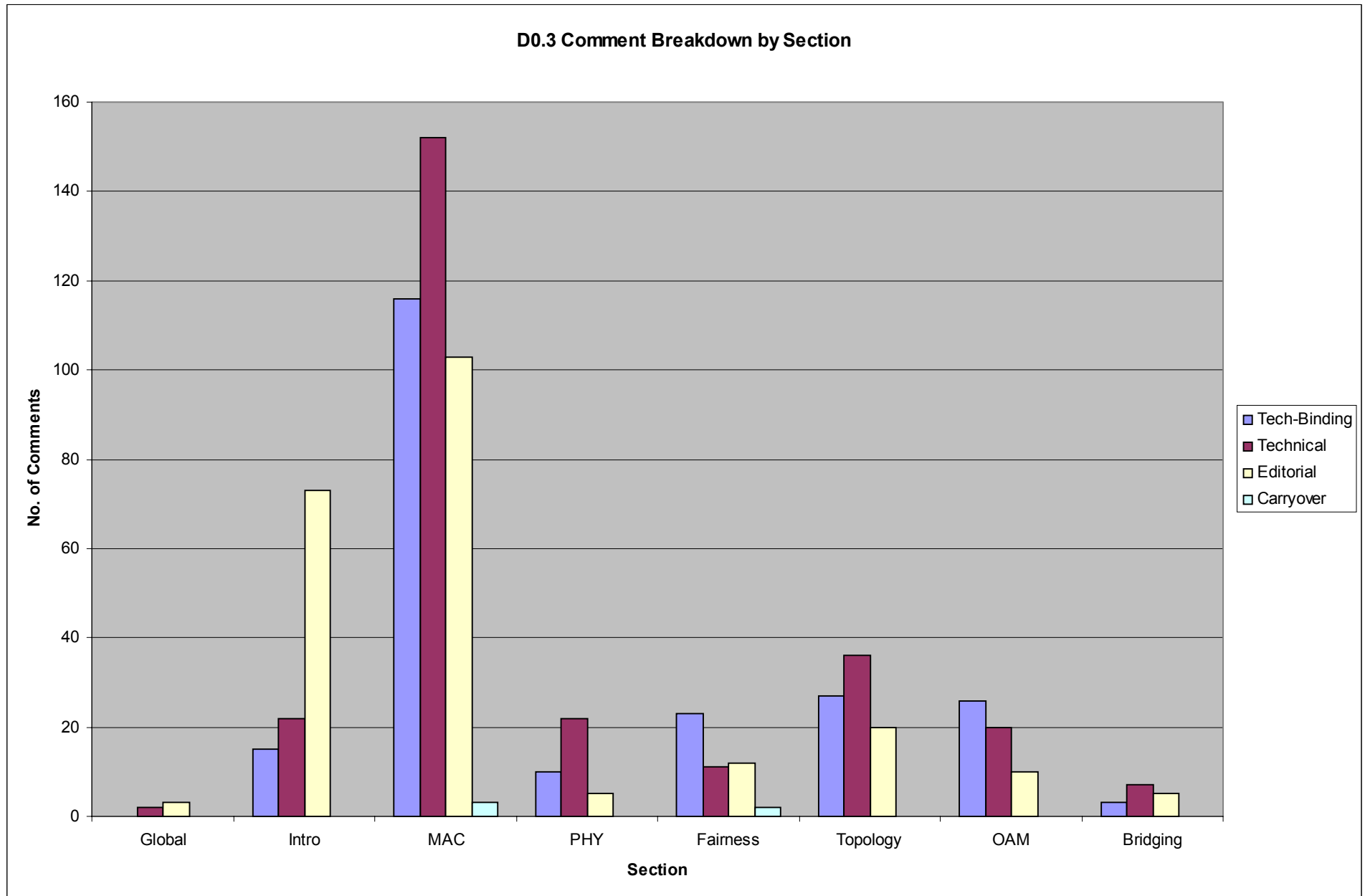
Note: The D0.3 Comment Resolution Database was updated with WG proposed resolutions (to 2 comments) and editor's proposed resolutions (Intro Section) on July 6.

Comment Distribution By Clause

D0.3 Comment Breakdown by Clause



Distribution By Section



Goals For This Meeting

- Ratify TF decisions on D0.3
- Resolve comments on D0.3
 - 728 total comments
- Produce instructions for generating D1.0 from D0.3
 - Generate instructions to editors and adopt text from proposals
- Authorize creation of D1.0 based on instructions
- Open debate on new schedule
 - The old one's clearly history!

Plan For Rest of Week

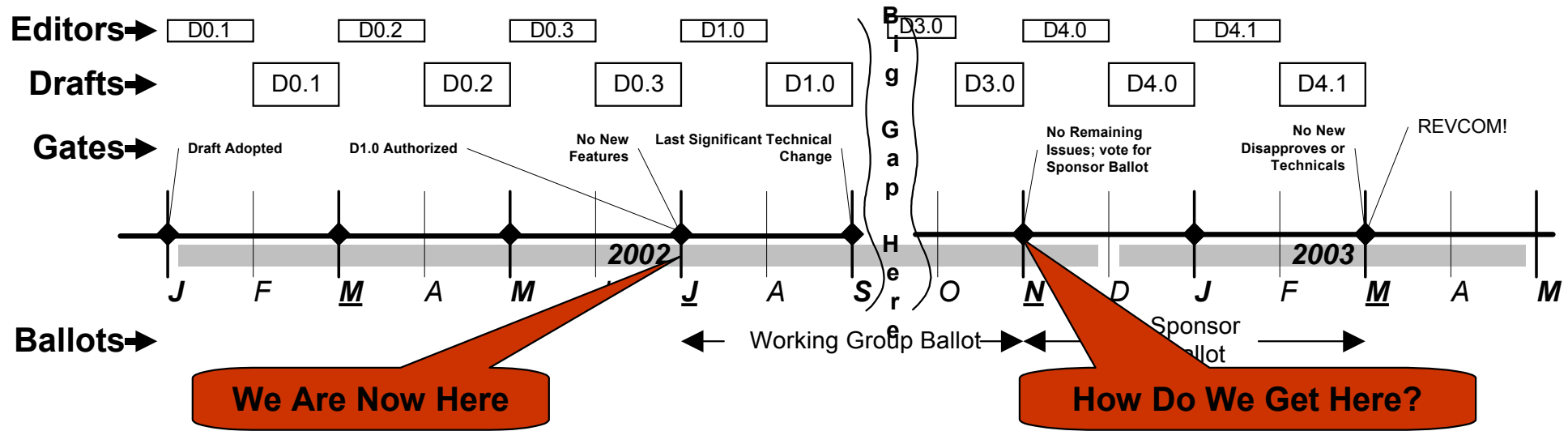
- Editorial schedule:
 - Monday: Presentations
 - Tuesday morning, afternoon: Break into 3 tracks for comment resolution
 - Wednesday morning, afternoon: More comment resolution
 - Wednesday evening: Late-night sessions if necessary
 - Thursday: Editors' reports and Motion Madness

Track Breakdown

- Track A: MAC
 - Total of 374 comments, 268 technicals
- Track B: Fairness, Topology, Bridging
 - Total of 146 comments, 107 technicals
 - Lots of contentious stuff here, though
- Track C: Intro, PHY, OAM, Global
 - Total of 208 comments, only 117 technicals

Room assignments and updates will be posted outside doors

Timeline



Major Drafts

- D0.x - Incomplete P802.17 drafts
- D1.x - Complete P802.17 RPR draft, but with new features being added
- D2.x - No new features, WG ballot begins
- D3.x - No significant technical changes, issues resolved
- D4.x - Sponsor Ballot drafts
- D5.0 - Send to RevCom

A Comment about Comments

- The disposition of each comment is determined at this meeting
 - A comment may be accepted (or accepted-modified) – closed
 - A comment may be rejected – closed, but see below
 - A comment may be unresolved – open
- Closed comments are not carried forward
 - Rejected technical comments (later, limited to technically binding) will be circulated with the new draft for review
 - This is done to see if anyone will change their vote on the basis of the rejection of that technically binding comment (in this case, they submit their own technically binding comments)
 - The rejected comment is still considered closed, however, and will not appear in the new database
- Unresolved comments are carried forward
 - Either the committee could not agree on a resolution, or the committee did not get enough time to consider the comments
 - Either way, these are the only D0.3 comments that will appear in the D1.0 comment database

Improving Efficiency

- Stay focused
 - Technical editors will be moderating debate in the interests of progress
- Resolve conflicts outside the comment resolution group
 - If Technical Editors determine that issue cannot be resolved quickly, they will take a vote to table, then move on and return to the issue later
 - Or forward to an ad-hoc for detailed discussions
- Avoid wordsmithing
 - If it's close enough, let it go and move on
 - Contact Section Editors after meeting to assist in proper implementation of instructions in comment resolution