

IEEE 802.17 RPR Working Group

# P802.17 Draft and Comment Status

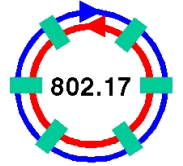
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# Agenda

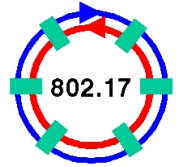


- Status of draft
- Status of comments
- Plan for week



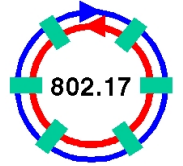
# Current Draft Status

- D1.0 authorized by P802.17 WG in July
  - WG also ratified D0.3 as generated by TF in May
- D1.0 was created by editors and posted August 12
  - Draft review and comment period from August 12 to September 13
    - First 30-day comment period
  - Comments posted on September 15
  - Comment review and proposed resolution period from September 15 to September 27



# Current Editorial Roster

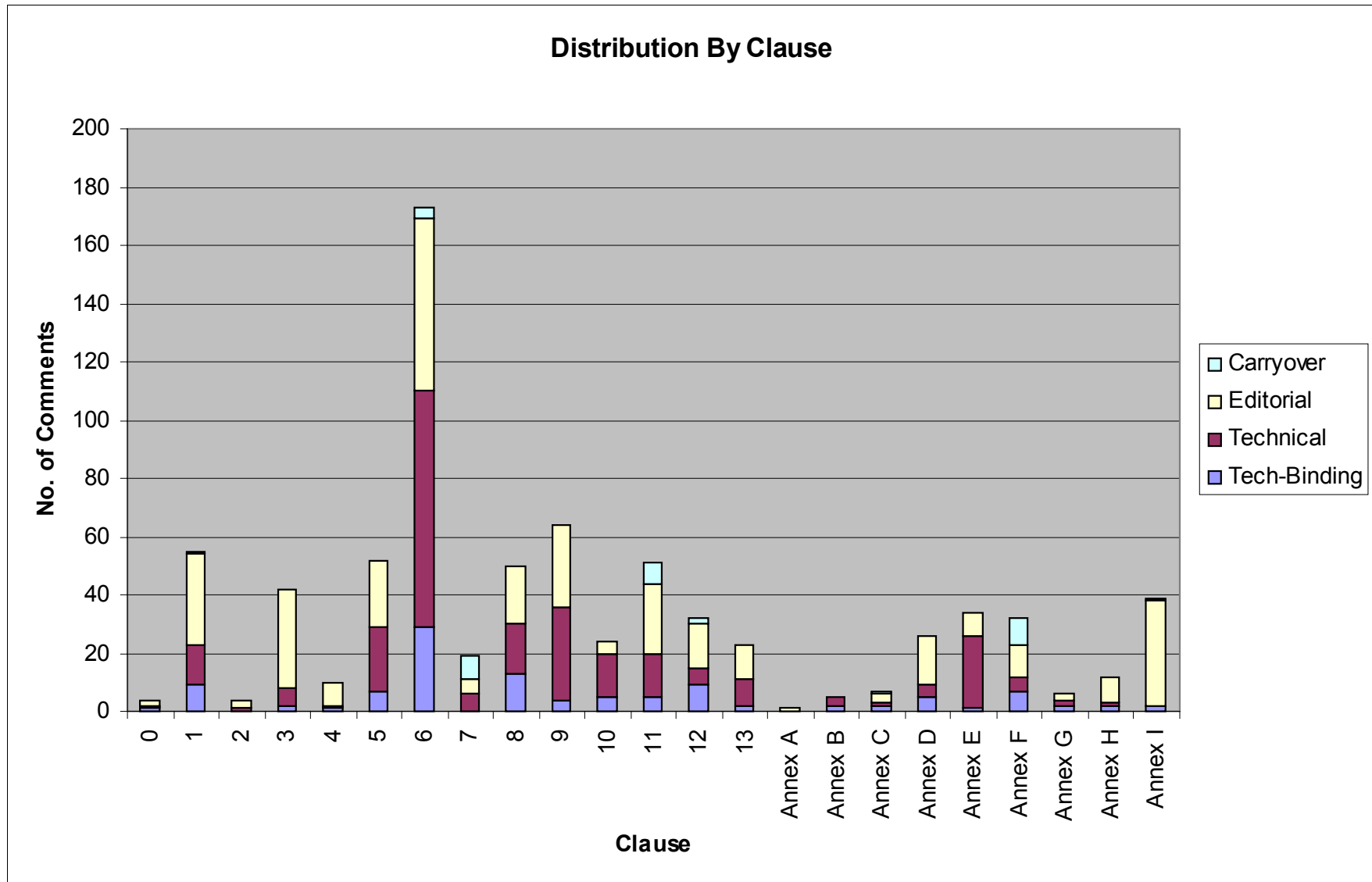
Section	Section Editor	Technical Editor(s)
Intro Section	<u>David James</u> (Clause 1) <u>Tom Alexander</u> (Clauses 2, 3, 4)	None
MAC Section	John Lemon	Steve Wood David James (CRC, C-code, Implementation) Assisted by: Dave & Med
PHY Section	Rhett Brikovskis	Harry Peng
Fairness Section	<u>Bob Sultan</u>	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



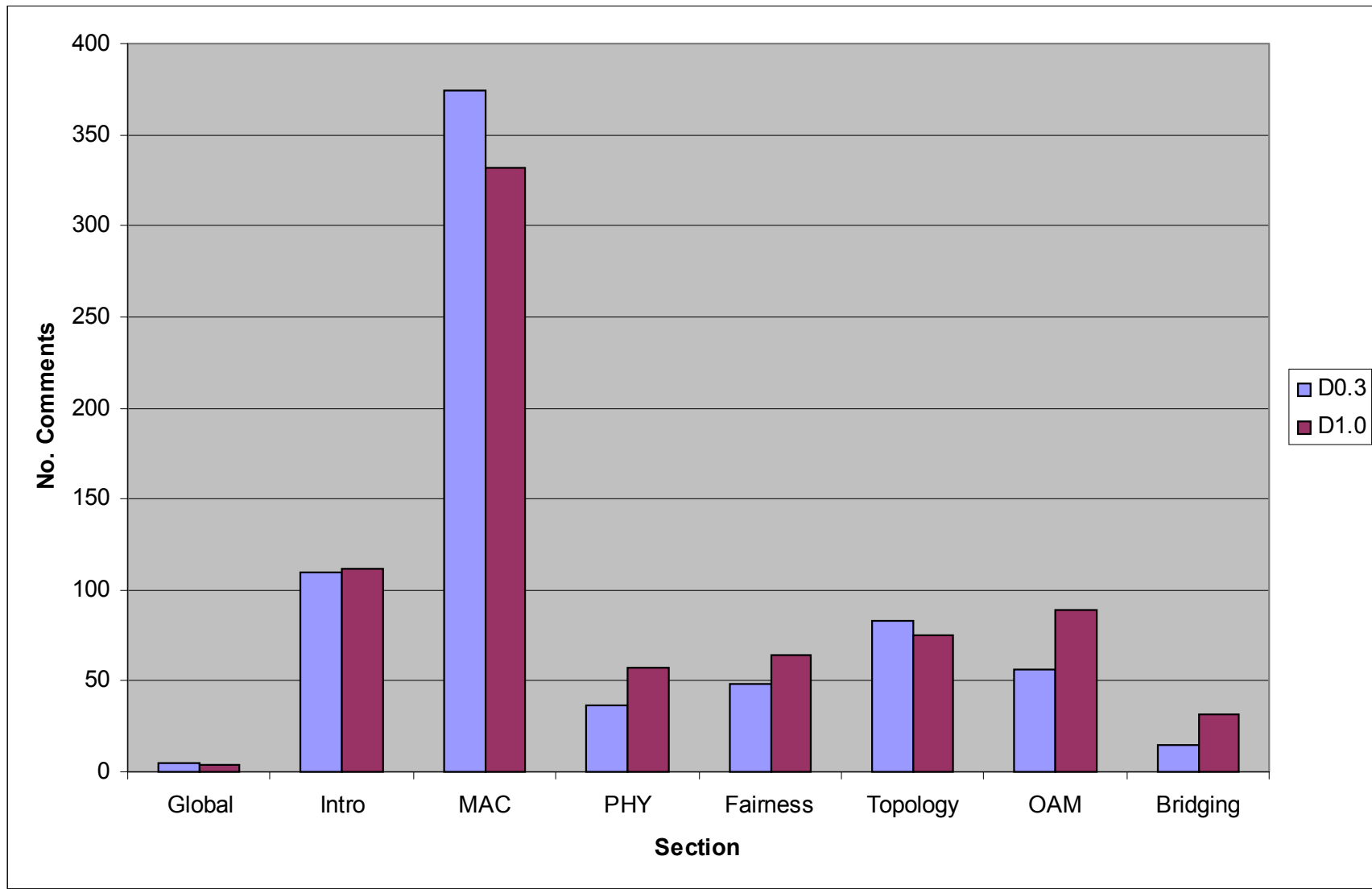
# Status of Comments on D1.0

- 732 valid comments were received, plus 5 carryovers
  - 267 Technical, 110 Technical-Binding
  - Still too few commenters (only 31 this time)
  - John Lemon has the highest tally with 235 (wow!)
  - 33 comments carried over from July plenary
- As usual, bulk of comments directed at MAC Section
  - 332 comments (down from 372 last time)
- Also as usual, other clauses have much less
  - About 70 each
- Three proposed resolutions to comments received
  - Posted

# Comment Distribution By Clause

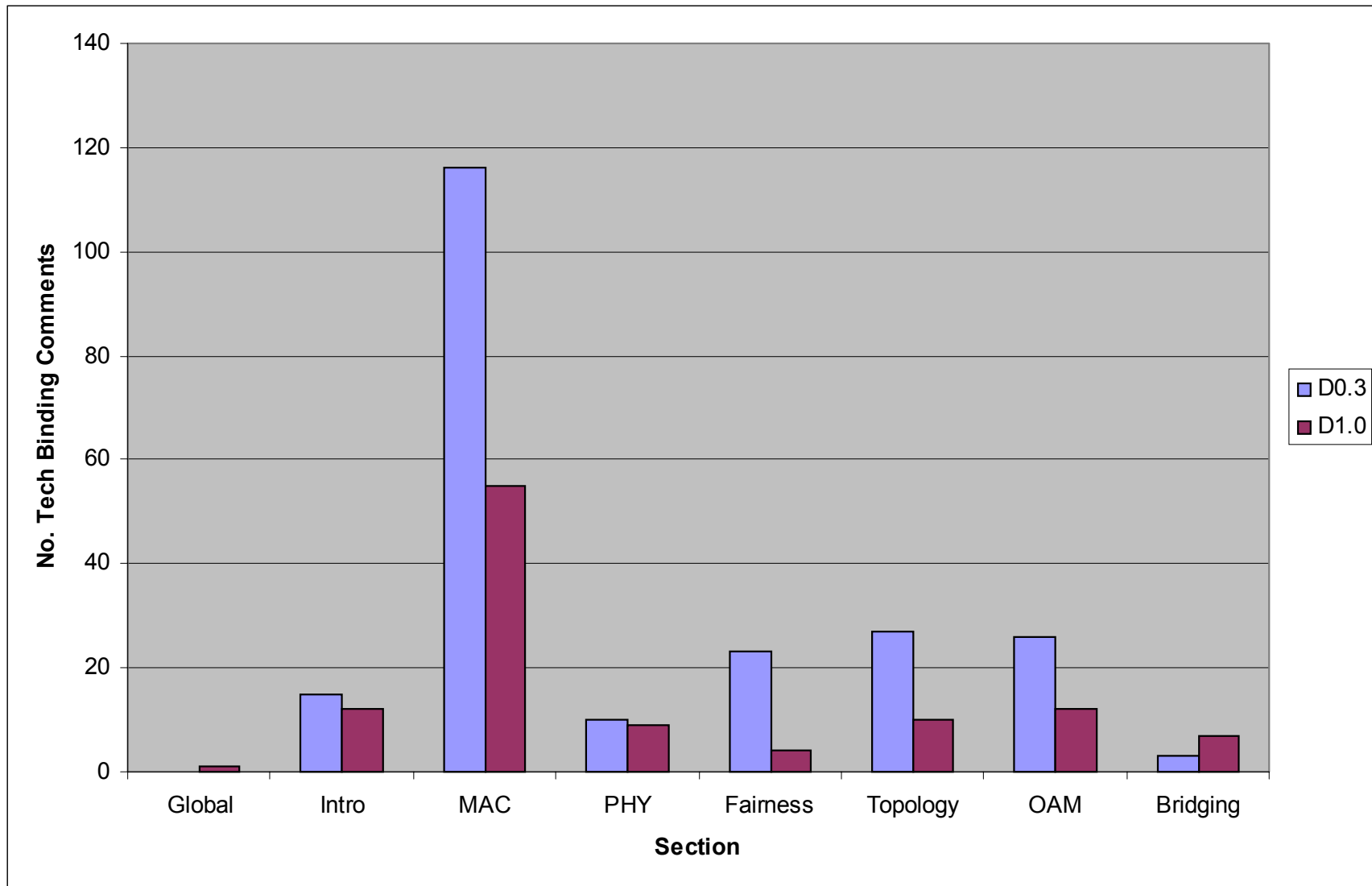


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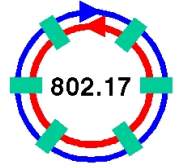




# Technically Binding Comments

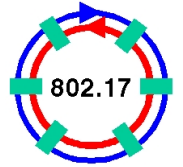






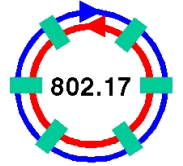
# Goals For This Meeting

- Resolve comments on D1.0
  - 765 total comments
- Produce instructions for generating D1.1 from D1.0
  - Generate instructions to editors and adopt text from proposals
- Authorize creation of D1.1 based on instructions
- Get ready for **real** ballot cycles



# Plan For Rest of Week

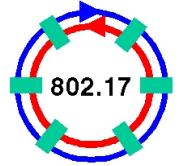
- Editorial schedule:
  - Monday: Presentations
  - Tuesday morning: Break into 3 tracks as usual
  - Wednesday morning, afternoon: More comment resolution
  - Thursday morning: Last round of comment resolution (possible joint CRG sessions)
  - Rest of Thursday: Editors' reports and Motion Madness



# Track Breakdown

- Track A: MAC
  - Total of 332 comments, 178 technicals
- Track B: Fairness, Topology, OAM
  - Total of 228 comments, 128 technicals
- Track C: Intro, PHY, Bridging, Global
  - Total of 205 comments, only 71 technicals

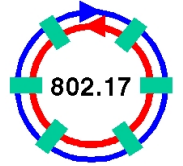
Room assignments, updates and instructions will be posted  
outside doors; **please check frequently!!!**



# Posting of CRDs and Reports

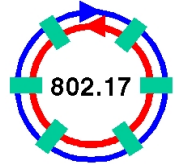
- CRDs will be posted by editors on the file server
  - Posting will be done as soon as possible after comment resolution session ends (and editors have had a chance to clean up CRD)
  - Posting will also be done on a nightly basis if comment resolution session spans 2 or more days
  - To retrieve the CRDs, look in the directory “latest\_CRD”
  - File names will be of the form “*section\_CRD\_date\_time*.USR” where *section*, *date* and *time* will be filled in by the editors
    - For example: MAC\_CRD\_10-1-02\_9PM.USR
- Editors reports will also be posted when done
  - To retrieve, look in the directory “editor\_reports”
  - File names will be of the form “*section\_report.ppt*” or “*section\_report.pdf*”

Posted files will be kept up to date on a best-efforts basis!



# 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 D1.0 comments that will appear in the D1.1 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