

IEEE 802.17 RPR Working Group

P802.17/D2.5 Draft and Ballot Status

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Agenda

- Status of draft and recirculation ballot
- Status of comments
- Plan for week

Summary

- D2.5 authorized for recirc by WG in August
- Draft created and posted September 6
 - Ballot period from September 6th through 21th
 - Standard 15-day electronic recirculation ballot period
 - 524 comments received
 - Comments posted on September 22nd
- Recirculation ballot passed

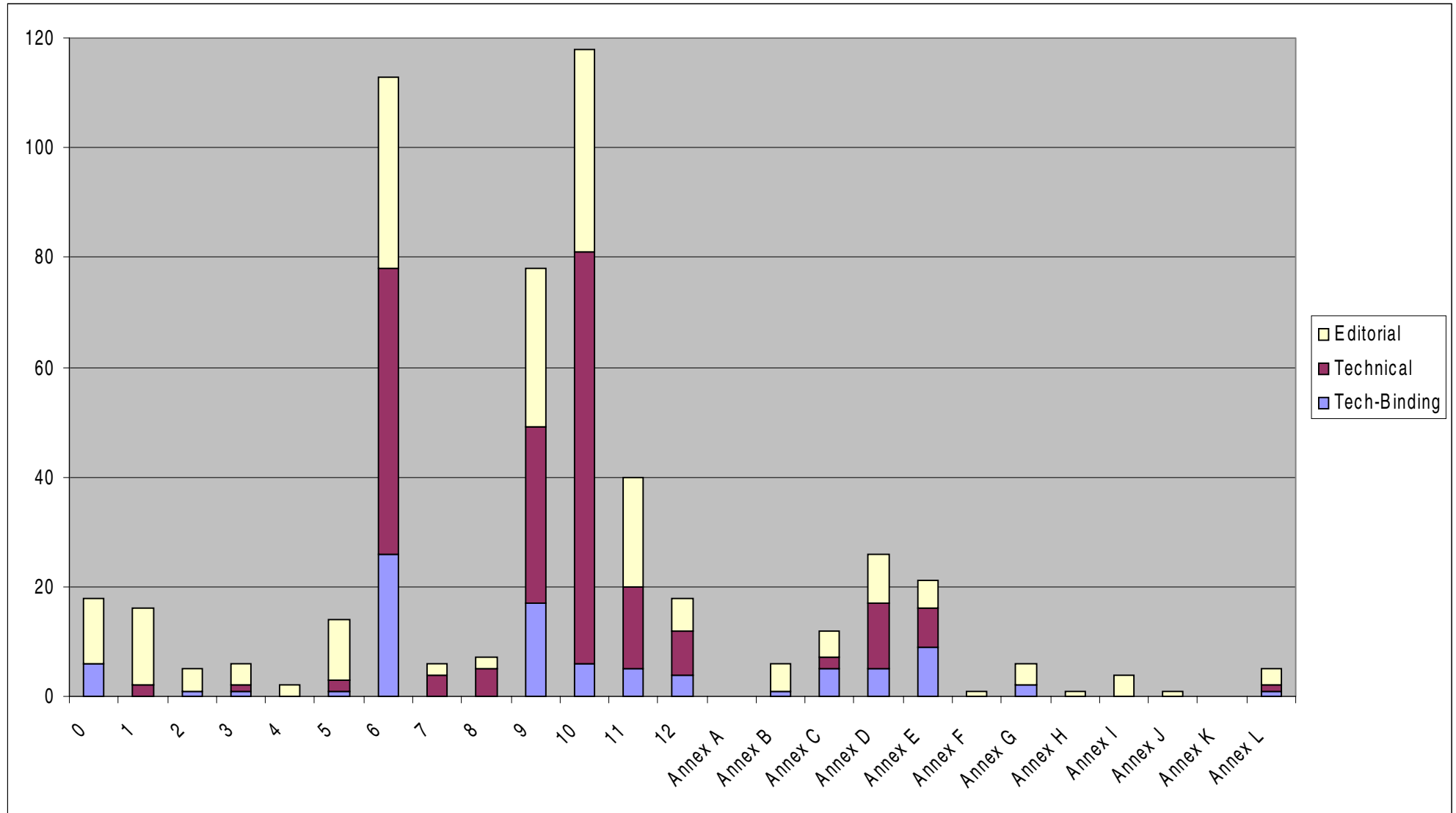
Status of Ballot on D2.5

- 27 ballots received (pool fixed at 81 voters)
- Now: 57 approvals, 10 disapprovals, 3 abstentions
 - 85.07% approval ratio, up from 81.82%
 - 802 requires $\geq 75\%$
 - 4.29% abstention ratio
 - IEEE requires $\leq 30\%$
 - **Ballot passes; approval ratio is increasing**
- Next steps
 - Resolve comments on D2.5, implement them, and recirculate to increase the approval ratio

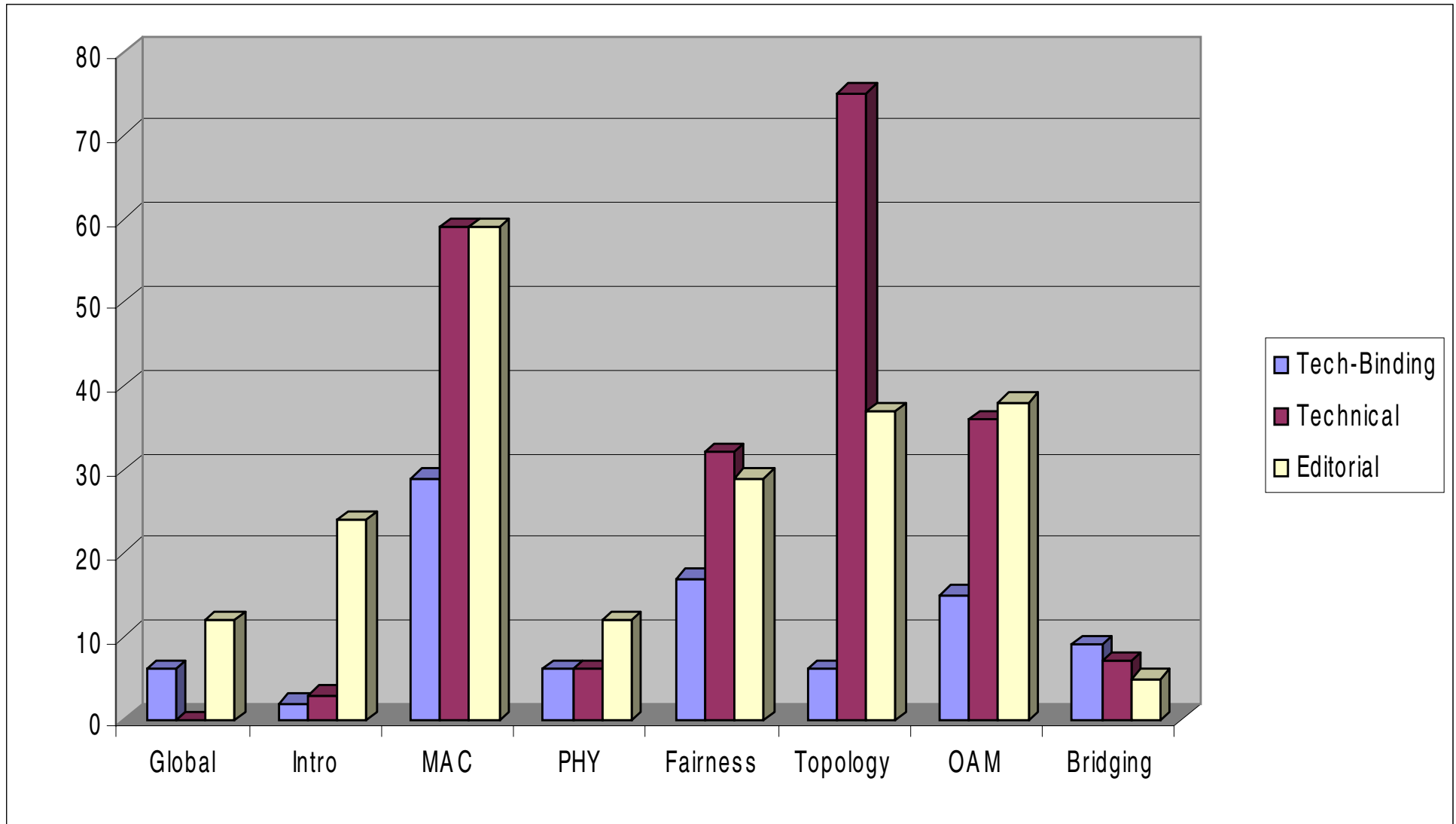
Status of Comments on D2.5

- 524 valid comments received
 - 218 Technical non-binding, 90 Technical-Binding
 - 16 commenters (down slightly from 18 in D2.4)
 - John Lemon wins the cheap wine award (again!): **167** comments
- MAC section again received maximum comments
 - 147 comments, 88 of which are technical
 - Topology is runner-up again (118 comments)
- About 1.5 days to resolve all comments
 - Part of Tuesday and all of Wednesday

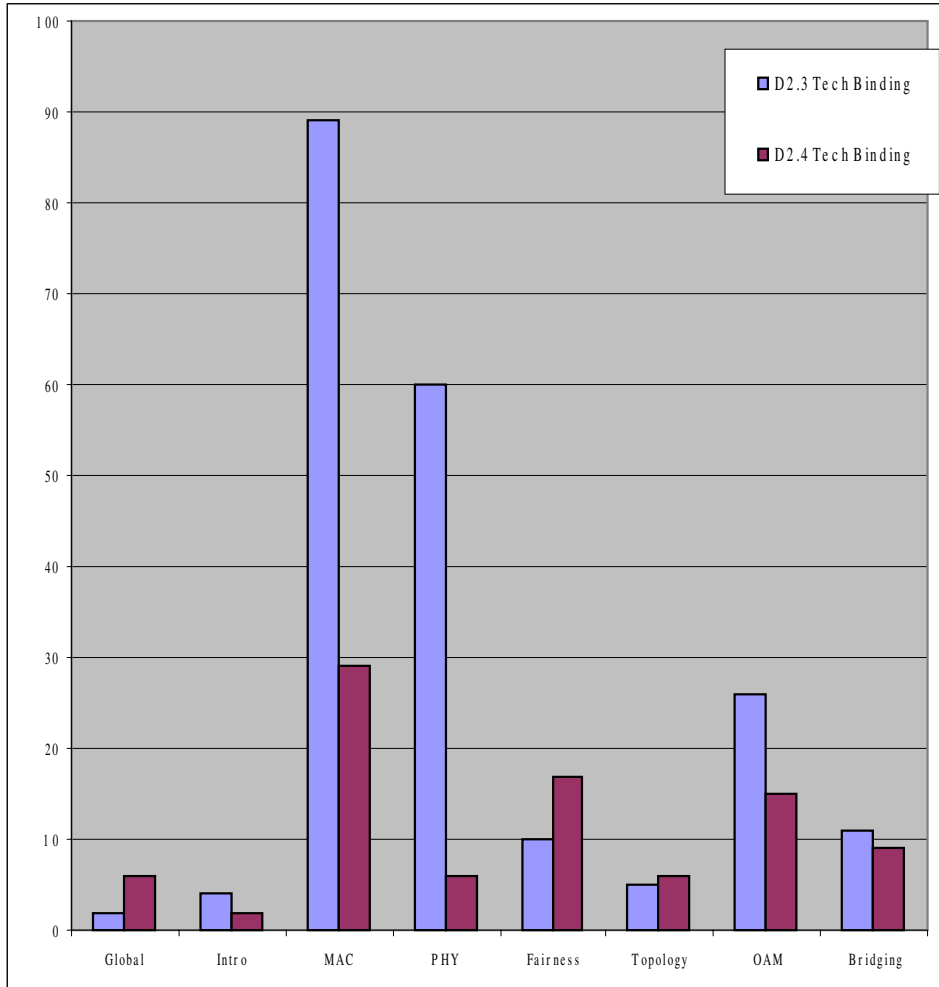
Comment Distribution By Clause



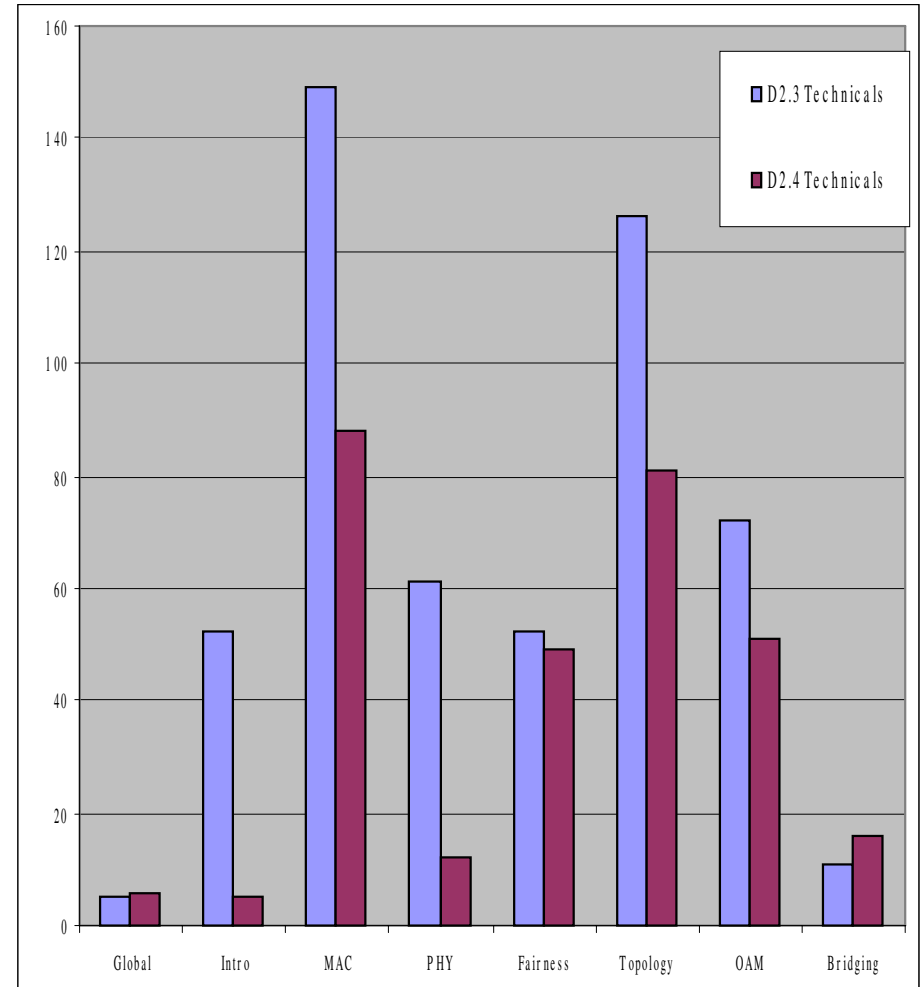
Distribution By Section



Comparison to D2.4



Technically Binding Only



All Technical Comments

Status of Draft

- Jumped to 744 pages
 - Was 684 last time
- Draft is getting even better
 - A lot of the stylistic issues have been fixed
 - New IEEE-blessed template being used

Current Editorial Roster

Section	Editors
Intro Section	David James (Clause 1); Tom Alexander (Cls 2, 3, 4)
MAC Section	John Lemon; Steve Wood
PHY Section	Rhett Brikovskis (in absentia); Harry Peng
Fairness Section	Bob Sultan; Necdet Uzun
Topology Section	Jason Fan; Jim Kao
OAM Section	Glenn Parsons; Gal Mor (MIB); Leon Bruckman (OAM&P) (in absentia)
Bridging Section	Bob Castellano; Marc Holness

Goals For This Meeting

- Resolve comments on D2.5 to produce D2.6
- Produce instructions for generating the next draft
- Authorize creation of D2.6 based on instructions
- Authorize D2.6 to be sent out for 15-day WG recirculation ballot
 - Try and get to about 90% approval ratio before going to the SEC for Sponsor Ballot approval

Plan For Rest of Week

- Editorial schedule:
 - Tuesday: Comment resolution following morning meeting
 - Wednesday: Comment resolution
 - Thursday: Editors' reports, punted comments, Motion Madness
 - The usual stuff ...

Track Breakdown

- Track 1: MAC, Fairness, Bridging
 - 153 Technical / Technical Binding comments
 - Held in the LARGE conference room
- Track 2: Topology, OAM, PHY, Global+Intro
 - 155 Technical / Technical Binding comments
 - Held in the SMALL conference room (Boardroom)

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_5-20-03_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!

Handling of 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
- Rejected technically-binding comments 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 (in this case, they submit their own technically binding comments)
 - However, the rejected comment is closed and will not appear in new database
- Unresolved comments will be carried forward
- Resolve comments to maintain approval ratio
 - Objective is to convert disapproves to approves
 - If the resolution of a comment would convert an approve to a disapprove, then look for alternate resolutions
- **Editors must obtain signoffs (agree/disagree) from voters on rejected technically-binding comments**