

Agenda and General Information

IEEE 802.3
100 Gb/s Backplane and Copper Cable
Study Group

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Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- Approve Agenda
- Approve Mar 11 Minutes
- Goals for this Meeting
- Reflector and Web
- Ground Rules
- IEEE
 - Structure
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 - Call for Patents
 - IEEE Standards Process
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Task Force Decorum



- Press (i.e., anyone reporting publicly on this meeting) are to announce their presence (2007 SASB Op Manual 5.3.3.5)
- Photography or recording by permission only (5.3.3.4)
- Cell phone ringers off
- Wear your badges at all times in meeting areas

Goals for the Week

- Hear presentations related to Objectives and 5 Criteria
- Consensus on Objectives, PAR, 5 Criteria
- Approve requesting IEEE 802.3WG submit project documentation
- Lay the ground work for the next meeting

Reflector and Web

- To subscribe to the 100GCU reflector, send an email to:

ListServ@ieee.org

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*subscribe stds-802-3-100GCU <yourfirstname> <yourlastname>
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- Send 100GCU reflector messages to:

STDS-802-3-100GCU@listserv.ieee.org

- Task Force web page URL:

<http://www.ieee802.org/3/100GCU/index.html>

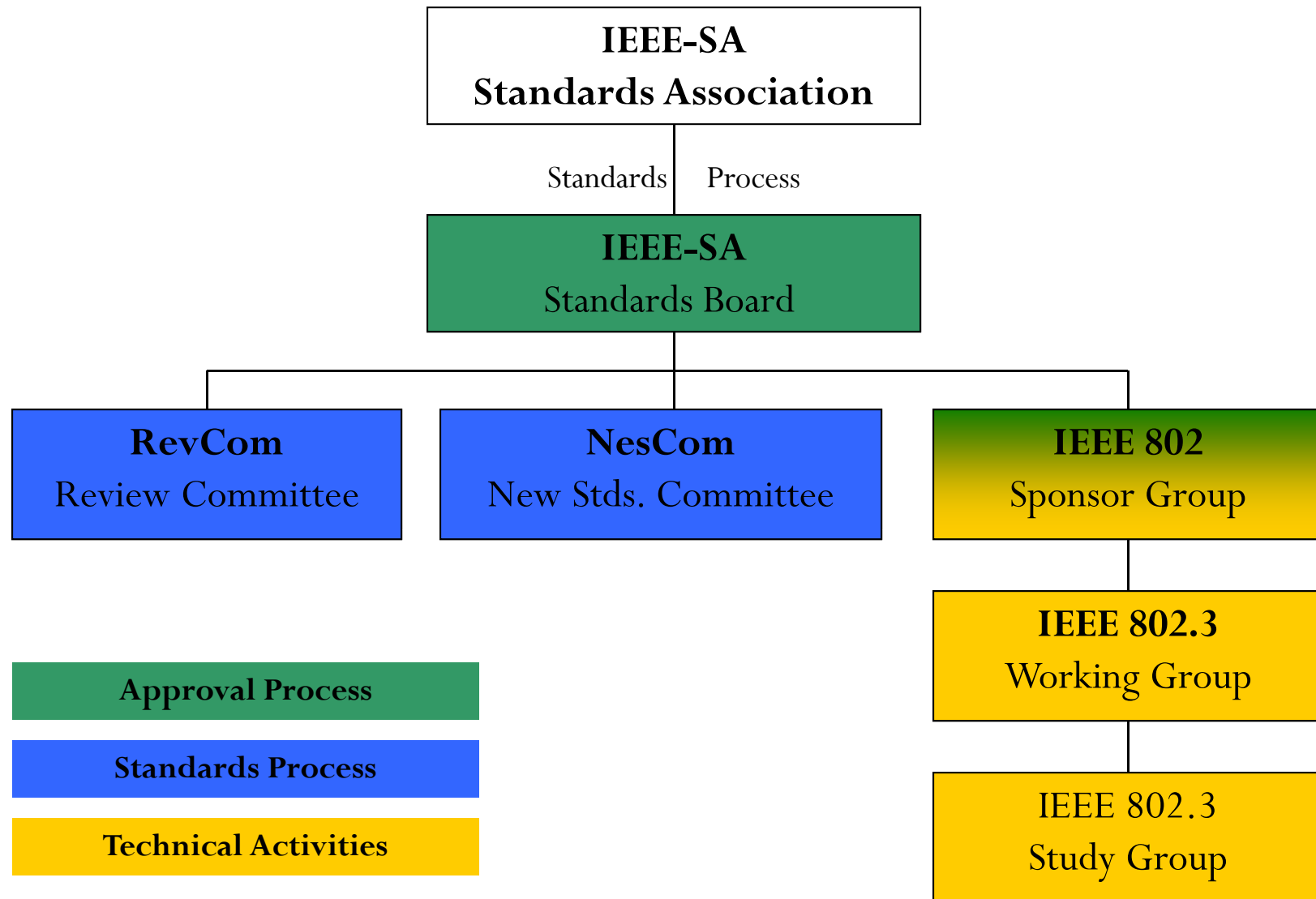
Study Group Private Area

- URL: <http://www.ieee802.org/3/100GCU/private/index.html>
 - Username: xxxxxxxx
 - Password: xxxxxxxx
- Write it down...
- Note - The draft is posted for your review only, and neither the draft nor access information should be copied or redistributed to others in violation of document copyrights.

Ground Rules

- Based upon IEEE 802.3 Rules
 - Foundation based upon Robert's Rules of Order
 - Anyone in the room may speak
 - Anyone in the room may vote
- **RESPECT**... give it, get it
- NO product pitches
- NO corporate pitches
- NO prices!!!
 - This includes costs, ASPs, etc. no matter what the currency
- NO restrictive notices

IEEE Structure



Bylaws and Rules

- **IEEE-SA Operations Manual:**
 - <http://standards.ieee.org/sa/sa-om.pdf>
- **IEEE-SA Standards Board Bylaws:**
 - <http://standards.ieee.org/guides/bylaws/sb-bylaws.pdf>
- **IEEE-SA Standards Board Operations Manual:**
 - <http://standards.ieee.org/guides/opman/sb-om.pdf>
- **IEEE 802 LAN/MAN Standards Committee (LMSC) Policies and Procedures:**
 - http://standards.ieee.org/board/aud/LMSC_2009.pdf
- **IEEE 802 LAN/MAN Standards Committee (LMSC) Operations Manual:**
 - http://www.ieee802.org/PNP/2009-11/LMSC_OM_approved_091120_rev_100213.pdf
- **IEEE 802 LAN/MAN Standards Committee (LMSC) Working Group (WG) Policies and Procedures:**
 - http://www.ieee802.org/PNP/2009-11/LMSC_WG_PandP_approved_091120_rev_100213.pdf
- **IEEE 802.3 Working Group Operating Rules:**
 - http://ieee802.org/3/rules/P802_3_rules.pdf

Guidelines for IEEE-SA Meetings

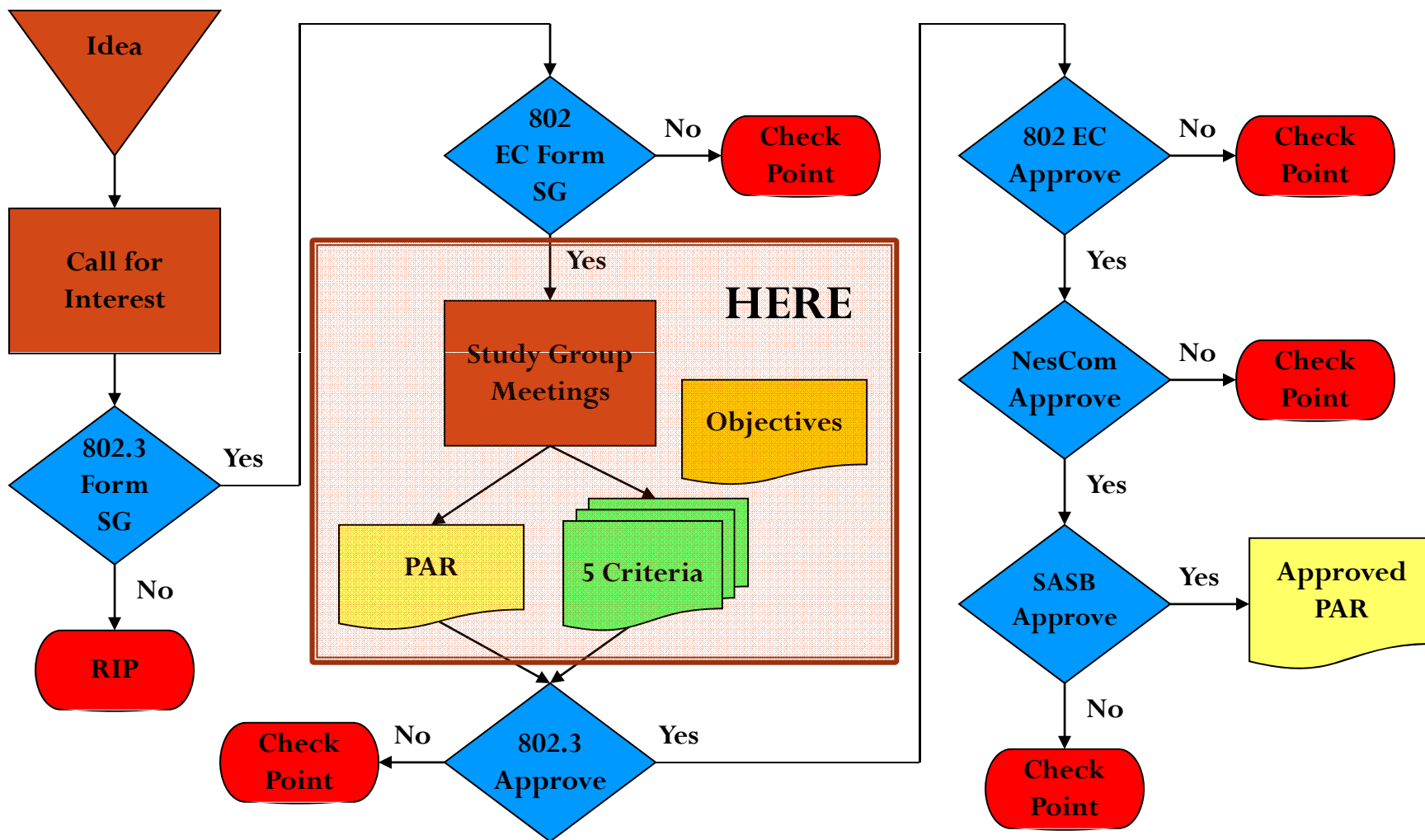
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- Don't discuss specific license rates, terms, or conditions.
 - Relative costs, including licensing costs of essential patent claims, of different technical approaches may be discussed in standards development meetings.
 - Technical considerations remain primary focus
- Don't discuss or engage in the fixing of product prices, allocation of customers, or division of sales markets.
- Don't discuss the status or substance of ongoing or threatened litigation.
- Don't be silent if inappropriate topics are discussed... do formally object.

If you have questions, contact the IEEE-SA Standards Board Patent Committee Administrator at patcom@ieee.org or visit <http://standards.ieee.org/about/sasb/patcom/index.html>

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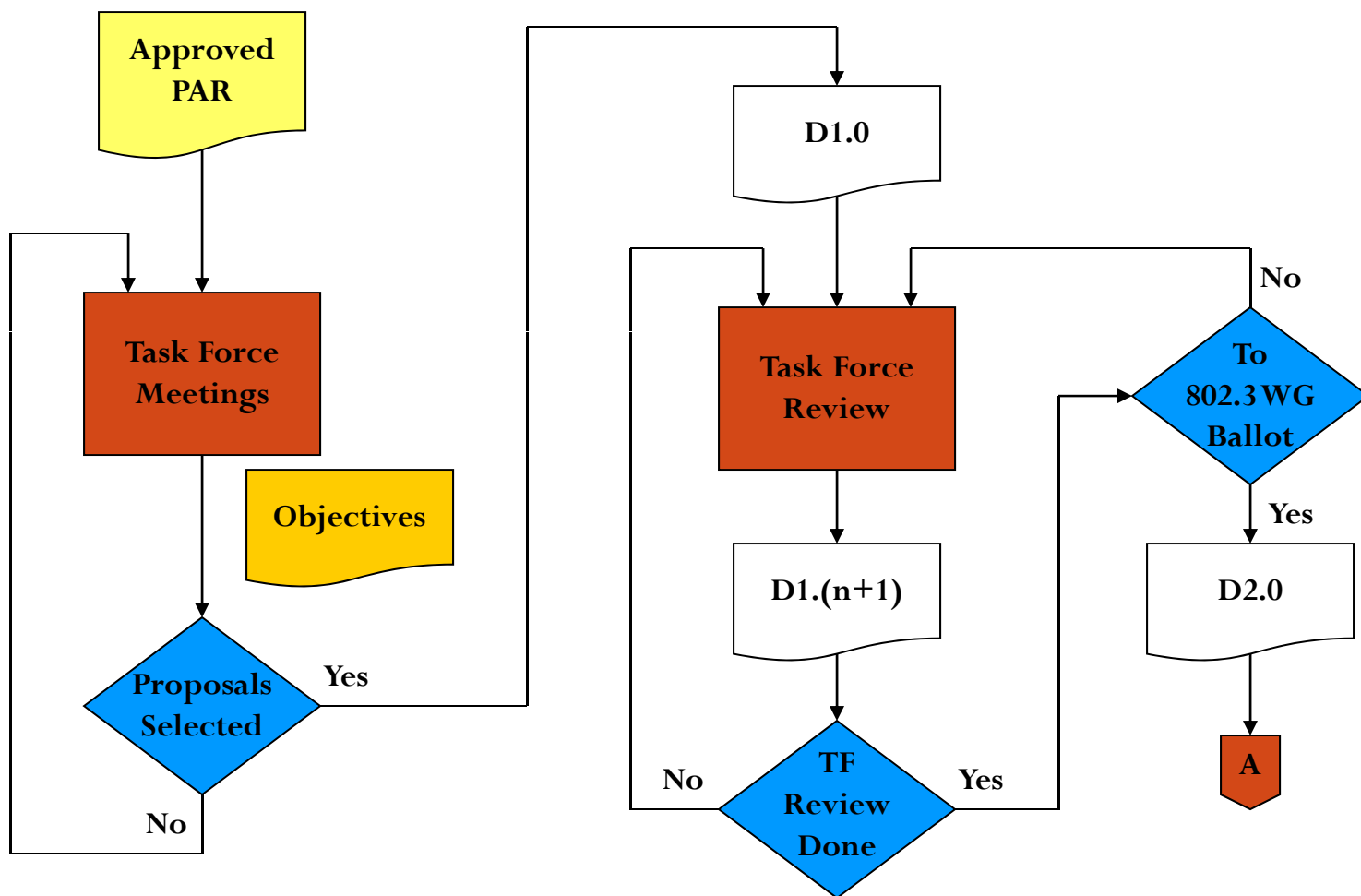
This slide set is available
at <https://development.standards.ieee.org/myproject/Public/mytools/mob/slideset.ppt>

Overview of IEEE 802.3 Standards Process (1/5)- Study Group Phase

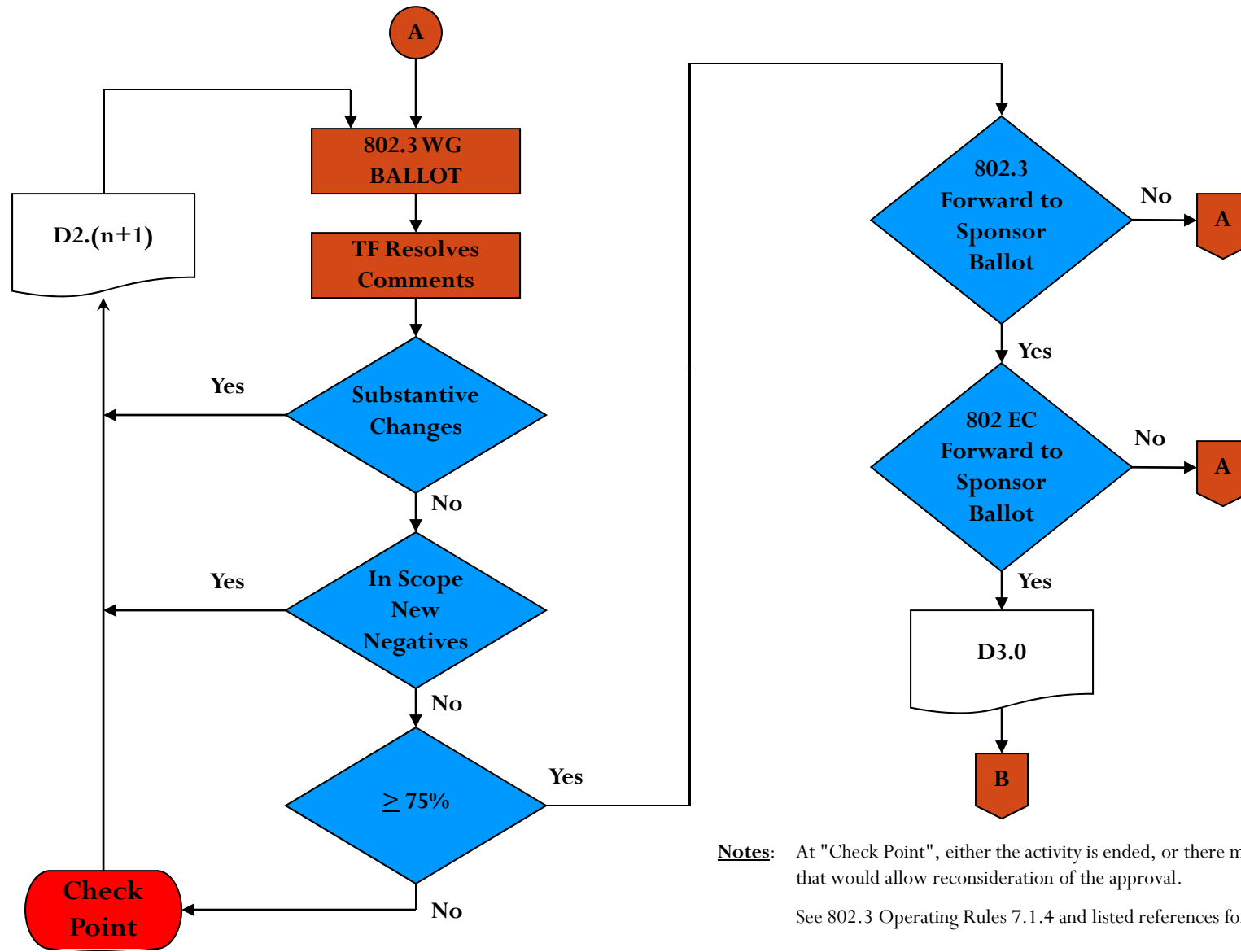


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Overview of IEEE 802.3 Standards Process (2/5) – Task Force Comment Phase



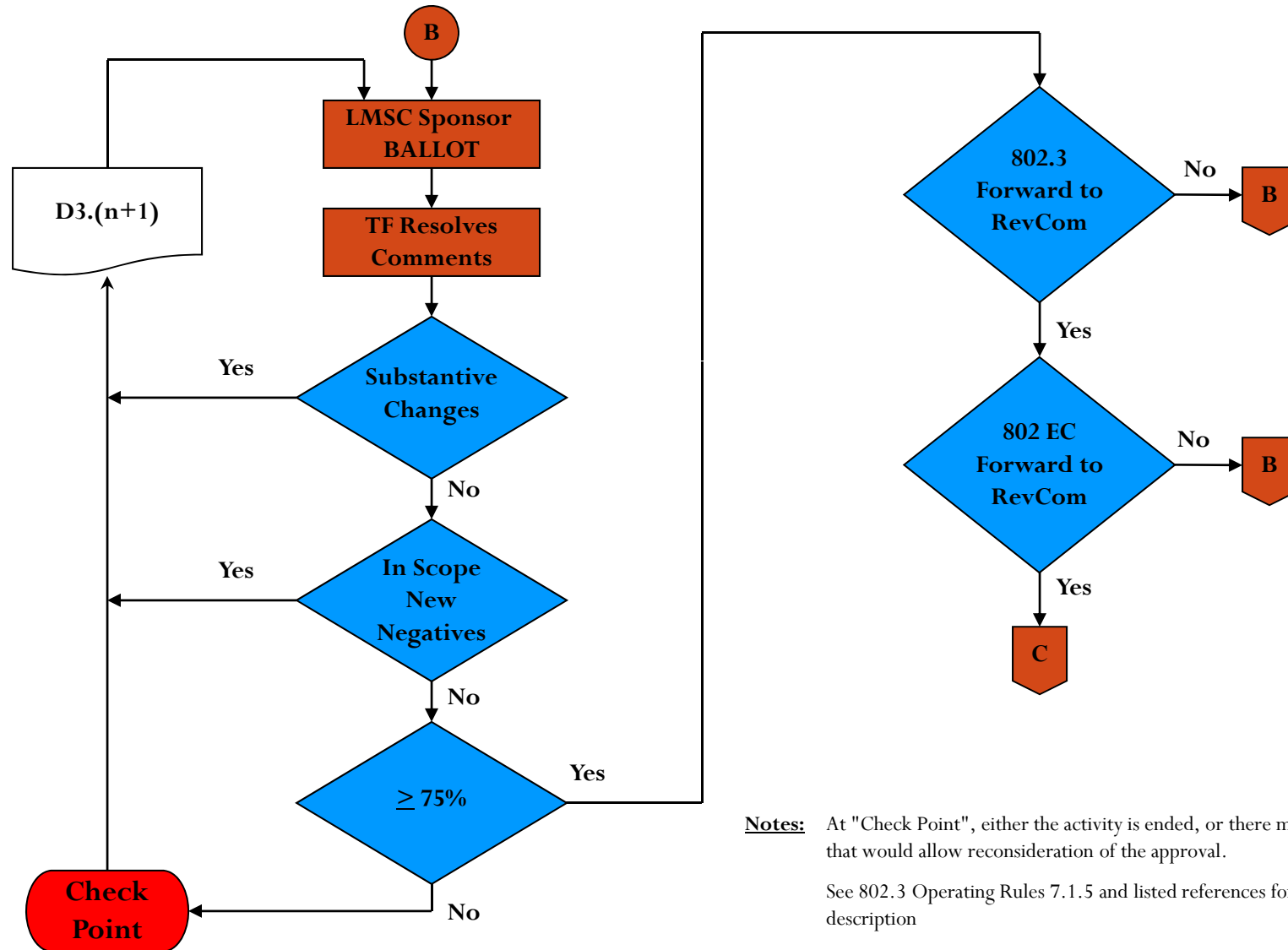
Overview of IEEE 802.3 Standards Process (3/5) – Working Group Ballot Phase



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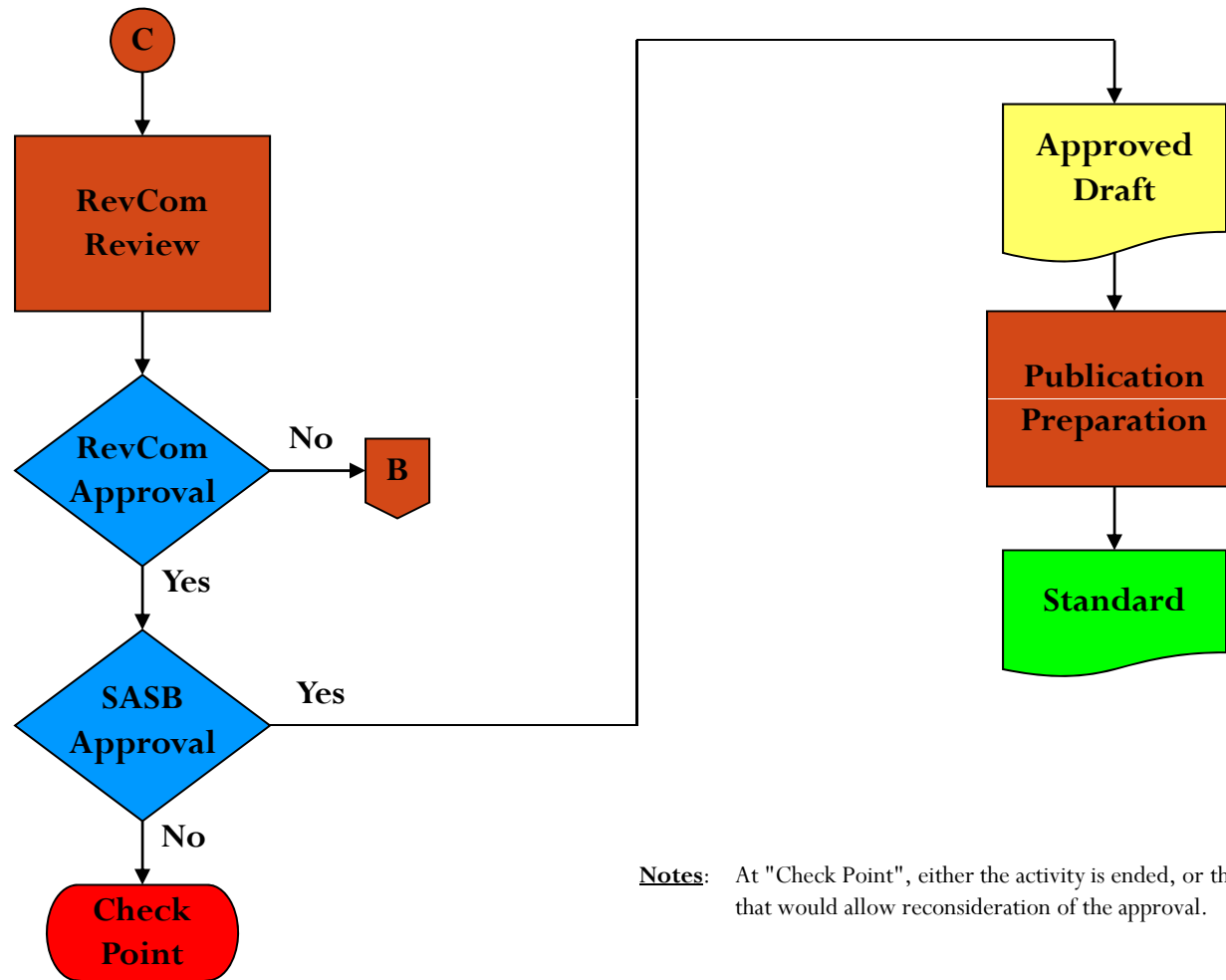
Overview of IEEE 802.3 Standards Process (4/5)- Sponsor Ballot Phase



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Overview of IEEE 802.3 Standards Process (5/5) – Final Approvals / Standard Release



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The Study Group

- Normal function is to draft a complete PAR and Five Criteria
- Provide a plenary week tutorial to the LMSC.
- Gain approval at the WG 802.3, 802 SEC, IEEE NesCom and IEEE-SA Standards Board.
- SG only exists for 6 months
 - Extensions can be requested, voted on by 802.3, ratified by SEC
- Development of Objectives helps set the goals for the Task Force
- Consensus (>75%) required to move forward
- Not a goal – choosing a solution.

Request for Formation of Study Group (as per Nov '10 Plenary Motion)

**Move the IEEE 802.3 Working Group
authorizes the formation of a study group for
“100GbE Electrical Backplane and Twinaxial
Copper Cable Assemblies.”**

Project Documentation (Slide 1 of 2)

- Objectives

- See http://www.ieee802.org/3/100GCU/objectives_0311.pdf

- Adopted by Study Group (not approved by 802.3)

- Support full-duplex operation only
- Preserve the 802.3 / Ethernet frame format utilizing the 802.3 MAC
- Preserve minimum and maximum FrameSize of current 802.3 standard

- Objective Forms Adopted by Study Group

- Define a 4-lane 100 Gb/s PHY for operation over links consistent with copper traces on “**improved FR-4**” with lengths up to at least “**X**” m.
- Define a 4-lane 100 Gb/s PHY for operation over links consistent with copper twin-axial cables with lengths up to at least “**Y**” m.
- Support a BER of better than or equal to 10^{-N} at the MAC/PLS service interface
- Notes - **N**, **X**, **Y**, and **Improved FR-4** require definition

Project Documentation (Slide 2 of 2)

- PAR
 - Title – What are we calling this?
 - Scope – The Focus
 - Purpose – Why do we want to do this?
 - Proposed Responses -
http://www.ieee802.org/3/100GCU/public/may11/dambrosia_01_0511.pdf
- 5 Criteria
 - Broad Market Potential
 - Compatibility with IEEE Std. 802.3
 - Distinct Identity
 - Technical Feasibility
 - Economic Feasibility
 - Proposed Responses -
http://www.ieee802.org/3/100GCU/public/may11/frazier_01_0511.pdf

Liaisons and Communications

- None

Action Items

Volunteer	Action	Date Assigned	Status
Adam Healey	Create spreadsheet related to simulation details	Mar-15-11	
Megha Shanbhag	Provide channel data related to presentation shanbhag_01_0311.pdf	Mar-15-11	
Megha Shanbhag	Provide channel data related to presentation tracy_01_0311.pdf	Mar-15-11	
Will Bliss	Action item from January on latency has been withdrawn	Mar-16-11	closed

Attendance

- URL (Valid for this meeting only)
 - <http://seabass.ieee.org/imat>
 - Password will be provided
- Tutorial Material on attendance tool
 - http://ieee802.org/3/minutes/mar11/0311_imat.pdf

Presentations (1 of 2)

Note –Times listed are subject to change.

Tues 24-May-11

Time	Presenter	Affiliation	Title	File Name
9:00 AM	John D'Ambrosia	Force10 Networks	Agenda and General Information	agenda_01_0311.pdf
9:30 AM	Mark Gustlin	Cisco	System Vendors View on 100 Gb/s Backplane and Copper Study Group Issues	gustlin_01_0511.pdf
9:50 AM	Joel Goergen	Cisco	Circuit Board Technology: An Introduction to Fabrication Issues in High Speed Channels	goergen_02_0311.pdf
10:30 AM	Break			
10:45 AM	Joel Goergen	Cisco	IEEE802.3ap Materials Review: Past Review and Future Recommendations	goergen_01_0511.pdf
11:25 AM	Vasu Parthasarathy	Broadcom	Scaling KR channel characteristics – Proposed channel targets for 100 Gb/s operation	parthasarathy_02_0511.pdf
11:55 AM	Lunch			
1:00 PM	Ziad Hatab	Vitesse	SNR Budget Analysis for 25 Gb/s over Backplane Channels	hatab_01_0511.pdf
1:30 PM	Mounir Meghelli	IBM	25Gb/s 100GbE Backplane Links	meghelli_01_0511.pdf
2:00 PM	Adee Ran	Intel	Time-domain SNR analysis of contributed channels	ran_01_0511.pdf
2:30 PM	Vasu Parthasarathy	Broadcom	Feasibility of 100 Gb/s operation on installed backplane channels	parthasarathy_01_0511.pdf
3:00 PM	Break			
3:15 PM	Mike Li	Altera	A Study of 25 Gbps Signaling Over Complied 10G-KR Channels	li_01_0511.pdf
3:45 PM	Mark Gustlin	Cisco	FEC Striping options	gustlin_02_0511.pdf
4:15 PM	Zhongfeng Wang	Broadcom	Feasibility of 100G-KR FEC	wang_01_0511.pdf
4:45 PM			Discussion & Straw Polls	
6:00 PM	Break for the Day			

Presentations (2 of 2)

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Wed 25-May-11

Time	Presenter	Affiliation	Title	File Name
9:00 AM	John D'Ambrosia	Force10 Networks	Opening Comments	
9:05 AM	Charles Moore	Avago	Evaluation of Channels Submitted to Study Group	moore_01_0511.pdf
9:35 AM	Chris DiMinico	MC Communications	Media Reach Objectives for Twinaxial Cable Assemblies	diminico_01_0511.pdf
10:05 AM	Break			
10:25 AM	Mark Bugg	Molex	100Gbps Copper Cable Assemblies	bugg_01_0501.pdf
10:55 AM	Ali Ghiasi	Broadcom	100GbE Front Panel Ports Based on 4 Lanes	ghiasi_01_0511.pdf
11:25 AM	Howard Frazier	Broadcom	Proposed Responses to PAR Questions	dambrosia_01_0511.pdf
11:55 AM	Lunch			
1:15 PM	Howard Frazier	Broadcom	Proposed Responses 100Gb/s Backplane and Copper Cable 5 Criteria	frazier_01_0511.pdf
1:45 PM			Discussion / Straw Polls / Motions	
3:00 PM	Break			
3:20 PM			Discussion / Straw Polls / Motions / Action Items	
			Closing Business	
5:00 PM	Adjourn			

Future Meetings (<http://www.ieee802.org/3/interims/index.html>)

- July 2011 Plenary
 - San Francisco, CA, USA
 - Week of July 17
 - Hyatt Regency San Francisco at Embarcadero Center
- Sept 2011 Interim
 - Date: week of Sept 12, 2011
 - Location TBD
- Nov 2011 Plenary
 - Atlanta, GA, USA
 - Week of Nov 6
 - Hyatt Regency Atlanta
- Anyone interested in hosting a meeting contact me.

Thank You!