IEEE 802.3 NEA Ad hoc Meeting - May 2025 Interim Meeting

Unapproved Meeting Minutes, prepared by John D'Ambrosia Session called to order at 7:00 pm CDT (all times CT), 12 May 2025 Meeting called to order by Jon Lewis, Chair - IEEE 802.3 NEA Ad hoc

Chair gave meeting introduction.

Presentation #1 Agenda and General Information

Presenter Jon Lewis

URL https://www.ieee802.org/3/ad_hoc/ngrates/public/25_05/agenda_nea_250512.pdf

Agenda – chair asked if there were any comments on the agenda

- . There were none. Chair asked if there were any objections to the agenda, there were none, and the agenda was considered approved.
 - Minutes –20 March Electronic Meeting https://www.ieee802.org/3/ad hoc/ngrates/public/calls/25 0320/minutes nea 250320 unapproved.pdf

Chair asked if there were any modifications of the minutes needed. No one responded.

Chair asked if there were any objections to the approval of the minutes. There were none, and the chair ruled the minutes were approved.

Chair reviewed Slide #4 – NEA ICAID Status Report. The status report will be reviewed at the July Plenary meeting prior to the WG Closing Report.

Chair reviewed IEEE SA Pre-PAR Patent Policy. See Slide #6.

Chair presented Slides #8, 10, 11

Mr. D'Ambrosia reminded everyone to declare their affiliation in the participants list.

Chair reviewed Slide #14 – IEEE 802.3 NEA Ad hoc Information

Chair reviewed Ground Rules, and Important Bylaws, Rules, and References. See Slides #15-16.

Chair noted IEEE 802.3 NEA background information in Slides #17-19.

Chair reviewed future meetings for all NEA activities. See Slide #20.

Mr. D'Ambrosia put the information into IMAT chat window. The chair noted that IMAT would be used for recording attendance. The chair noted to the group that payment of registration to attend the meeting was necessary.

Presentation #2 Consensus Building for 200G/wavelength MMF optical PMDs CFI

Presenters Mabud Choudhury, Earl Parsons, Guangcan Mi, Yu (Helen) Xu, Ramana Murty, Chris Kocot, Ernest

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URL https://www.ieee802.org/3/ad hoc/ngrates/public/25 05/200G%20MMF CFI market%20driver%20t

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Discussion

There were questions of clarification and discussion on the presentation.

Meeting recessed for the day @ 9:17pm

Meeting reconvened 7:00 pm CT (all times CDT), 13 May 2025 Meeting called to order by Jon Lewis, Chair - IEEE 802.3 NEA Ad hoc

Chair made opening comments. He noted that participation in this meeting requires registration and payment of registration fee. This meeting does not count towards IEEE 802.3 Working Group voting membership. Also, that attendance would be taken by the IMAT tool and Zoom. He noted that Mr. D'Ambrosia would be running the queue for the presentation, and would be serving as sargent of arms for the call.

Presentation #3 Consensus Building for Ethernet Metadata Services

Presenters Dave Ofelt

URL https://www.ieee802.org/3/ad hoc/ngrates/public/25 05/ems-consensus-v1.0.pdf

D'Ambrosia noted at 7:15pm via the Zoom chat window that participation in the meeting requires registration and payment of registration fee; this meeting does not count towards IEEE 802.3 Working Group voting membership; and attendance will be taken by IMAT and Zoom tools. IMAT information was provided to the Ad hoc.

Discussion

There were questions of clarification and discussion on the presentation.

Given feedback regarding crispness of messaging of the presentation, the presenter indicated he may want to hold a follow-up meeting prior to the CFI Consensus call, tentatively scheduled for 22 July 2025.

Meeting adjourned for the day @ 7:51pm

IMAT Attendance – 12 May 2025

Name	Employer	Affiliation
Bernier, Eric	Huawei Technologies Canada Co., Ltd.	Huawei Technologies Canada Co., Ltd.
Brooks, Paul	Viavi solutions GmbH	Viavi Solutions
Bruckman, Leon	NVIDIA	NVIDIA
Calvin, John	Keysight Technologies	Keysight Technologies
Castro, Jose	Panduit	Panduit Corp.
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Donahue, Curtis	Rohde & Schwarz	Rohde & Schwarz
Dsilva, Hansel		Amphenol Corporation
Dudek, Michael	Marvell	Marvell
Estes, David	Spirent Communications	Spirent Communications
Ferretti, Vincent	Corning Incorporated	Corning Incorporated
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Kocot, Chris		Coherent
Kocsis, Sam	Amphenol Corporation	Amphenol Corporation
Lambert, Angela	Corning Incorporated	Corning Incorporated
Landry, Gary	Texas Instruments Inc.	Texas Instruments Inc.
Lewis, Jon	Dell Technologies	Dell Technologies
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Li, Pei-Rong	MediaTek Inc.	MediaTek Inc.
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