

Meeting Minutes: IEEE P802.3dg Long-Reach Single Pair Ethernet Task Force

September 24, 2025, Electronic Interim Meeting
via Webex

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IEEE P802.3dg Task Force meeting was called to order at 09/24/2025, 9:03 AM by the task force chair, George Zimmerman.

The meeting was held electronically using Webex.

Attendance is listed in Appendix A.

All presentations referenced in these minutes are located on the Task Force Public web page:
https://www.ieee802.org/3/dg/public/May_2025/index.htm

The Chair displayed and proceeded to review the agenda in
https://www.ieee802.org/3/dg/public/May_2025/agenda_3dg_01_20250924.pdf

MOTION #1:

Move to approve the agenda as shown on agenda_3dg_01_20250924.pdf slide 3

M: Val Maguire

S: Peter Jones

Procedural (> 50%)

Motion passes by unanimous consent

The agenda was approved at 9:06 AM.

Approval of meeting minutes

Minutes from September 16, 2025, Interim and today's meeting minutes will be considered by the task force in the November plenary meeting.

The chair continued the agenda deck.

Members of the Press, at 9:07 AM the chair asked for any press members to identify themselves. None heard.

Goals for the Meeting

- Respond to comments on initial working group ballot of 802.3dg

The chair reviewed slides with the task force pertaining to Meeting Fees, Reflector and Web, Task Force Private Area, Ground Rules, and Attendance.

Attendance, the Chair advised the group that the attendance would be taken from Webex.

At 9:10 AM, the Chair resumed review of the agenda deck, including the following items – a review of the participation policy, a review of the IEEE copyright policy, a review of the IEEE policy on dominance, and a review of the IEEE Standards process. There were no questions.

IEEE Patent Policy, The Chair displayed the slides relating to the patent policy.

The **Call for Patents** was made at 9:12 AM and **none** responded.

The Chair resumed review of the agenda deck material after the call for patents.

At 9:13 AM, the chair reviewed the slides concerning IEEE SA Copyright policy, participant behavior, individual process, fair and equitable consideration, and position of this project in the IEEE 802.3 process.

The chair said there are no liaisons or communications for the task force to consider at this meeting. The chair reviewed the revised timeline with the task force.

Comment Resolution

The chair began comment resolution at 9:18 AM with comments pertaining to State Diagrams. Having completed comments in the State Diagrams category, at 10:11 AM, the task force moved to comments pulled from the E-Z Bucket. E-Z Bucket comments completed. Unresolved comment count stands at 56.

5-minute pause for the cause.

At 10:34 AM the task force was asked to consider approving remaining Editorial comments as a bucket. The chair encouraged members to consider any Editorial comments they may want to pull. Comment resolution continued with comments from the PCS category. PCS category comments completed at 11:22 AM. Next category considered was Editorial comments. Editorial comments complete at 11:40AM. 21 comments remaining. The chair asked to extend quorum by 15 minutes until quarter past the hour. The task force agreed.

Comment resolution completed at 12:17PM.

MOTION #2:

Move to accept the resolutions approved at https://www.ieee802.org/3/dg/comments/Resolved_IEEE_P802p3dg_D2p0.xlsx , and instruct the editor to prepare draft 2.1 for Working Group recirculation
M: Peter Jones
S: Steffen Graber

Technical (≥ 75%) MOTION PASSES BY VOICE WITHOUT OBJECTION

MOTION #3:

Move to request the sharing of the 802.3dg D2.1 draft when available with PROFINET international.
M: Brian Murray
S: Steffen Graber
Motion passes by unanimous consent

Next Meetings

- November 2025 802 Plenary, Bangkok, Thailand
 - o November 10 – 14, 2025, TF days TBD
 - o Marriott Marquis Queen's Park – Bangkok, Thailand
 - o In-person with remote access – REGISTRATION REQUIRED
 - See <https://www.ieee802.org/3/interims/index.html> for informati

Having exhausted the allotted time and the agenda for this meeting, the chair adjourned the meeting at 12:20PM.

Appendix A: IEEE P802.3dg Long-Reach Single Pair Ethernet Task Force Attendance

First Name	Last Name	Affiliation
David	Brandt	Rockwell Automation
Philip	Curran	Analog Devices)
Steffen	Graber	Pepperl+Fuchs)
Chad	Jones	Cisco
Peter	Jones,	Cisco
Valerie	Maguire	Copperopolis, aff'l w/ CME Consulting, Cisco, and ADI
Brian	Murray	Analog Devices
Jason	Potterf	Cisco
Jacobo	Riesco	ADI
Dieter	Schicketanz	Reutlingen University
Bob	Voss	Panduit
Yan	Zhuang	Huawei
George	Zimmerman	CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Cisco, Infineon, OnSemi, Sony