

# IEEE P802.3dj Task Force Formation

**Joint Session -  
IEEE P802.3df Task Force  
IEEE P802.3dj Task Force**

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# Agenda

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- Task Force Appointments
- Task Force Ad hocs
- Reaffirmation of Relevant IEEE P802.3df Motions
- Proposed IEEE P802.3dj Timeline
- Future Joint Task Force Meetings
- Reminder: Relative Cost Analysis

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**ACTING CHAIR, IEEE P802.3dj**

# Appointments

- **IEEE P802.3dj Secretary – Kent Lusted**
- **IEEE P802.3dj Chief Editor – Matt Brown**
- **IEEE P802.3dj Tracks**
  - **Architecture and Logic Track Chair - Mark Gustlin**
  - **Electrical Track Chair - Kent Lusted**
  - **Optics Track Chair - Mark Nowell**

# IEEE P802.3dj Ad Hocs

The following ad hocs are appointed. They meet with respective IEEE P802.3df ad hocs when announced.

## 1. Architecture and Logic Ad hoc – Mark Gustlin, Ad Hoc Chair

Charter: The Architecture and Logic Ad Hoc is chartered to address the following:

- 1) Develop terminology and definitions for terms related to architecture, including but not limited to FEC Architecture, FEC Scheme, End-to-end FEC, Segmented FEC, Concatenated FEC. .
- 2) Act as forum to discuss architectural requirements and consider proposals related to PCS, FEC, and PMA logic sublayers.

## 2. Electrical Ad Hoc – Kent Lusted, Ad Hoc Chair

Charter: The Electrical Ad Hoc is chartered to address the following:

- 1) Act as forum to discuss and consider technical proposals and contributions:
  - a. Related to electrical interfaces and electrical PMD sublayers
  - b. Related to logic PCS, FEC, and PMA sublayers that may impact electrical interfaces and electrical PMD sublayers
  - c. Electrical interfaces and electrical PMD nomenclature
- 2) Provide inputs based on electrical interfaces and electrical PMD sublayers into any relevant ad hocs

## 3. Optics Ad Hoc – Mark Nowell, Ad Hoc Chair

Charter: The Optical Ad Hoc is chartered to address the following:

- 1) Act as forum to discuss and consider technical proposals and contributions:
  - a. Related to optical PMD sublayers
  - b. Related to logic PCS, FEC, and PMA sublayers that may impact optical PMD sublayers
  - c. Optical PMD nomenclature
- 2) Provide inputs based on optical PMDs into any relevant ad hocs

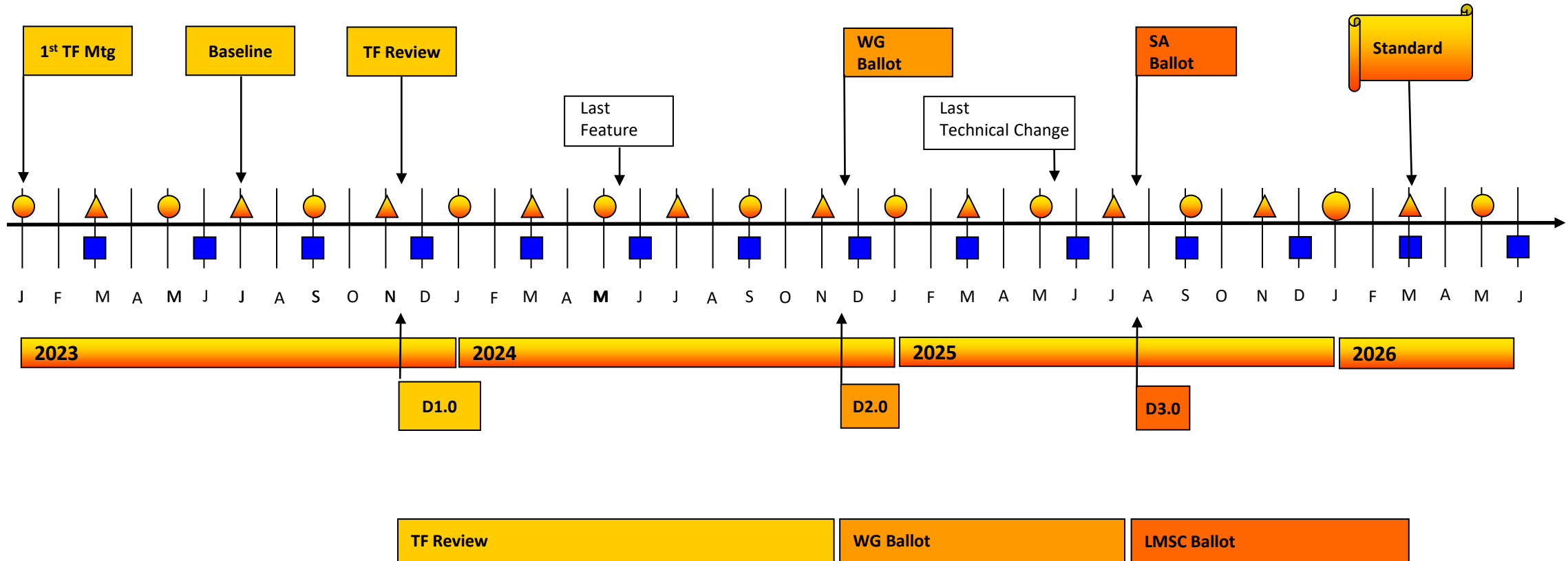
# IEEE P802.3dj Ad hoc Meetings

- **Optics Ad hoc – Wed, 22 Feb, 10am to 12pm ET**
  - Meeting information to be announced
- **Electrical Ad hoc – Thurs, 23 Feb, 10am to 12pm ET**
  - Meeting information to be announced

# P802.3df Motions Requiring Reaffirmation

Session	Motion #	Motion	Referenced File
01-2022	4	Move to adopt the nomenclature in the AUI, BP, Cu cable, MMF 50m and MMF 100m columns of <a href="https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_01/lusted_3df_01_220111.pdf">lusted_3df_01_220111.pdf</a> , slide 25	<a href="https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_01/lusted_3df_01_220111.pdf">https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_01/lusted_3df_01_220111.pdf</a>
03-2022	4	Move to adopt PAM4 optical modulation as the basis for all the 200 Gb/s per lane 500m and 2km SMF reach objectives	
05-2022	1	Move to adopt the architecture described in <a href="https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_05/22_0517/gustlin_3df_01a_220517.pdf">gustlin_3df_01a_220517</a> as the basis for the logic architecture for IEEE P802.3df	<a href="https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_05/22_0517/gustlin_3df_01a_220517.pdf">https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_05/22_0517/gustlin_3df_01a_220517.pdf</a>
05-2022	5	Move to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Adopt the nomenclature for the 500m and 2km SMF solutions listed on <a href="https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_05/22_0602/lusted_3df_02_220602.pdf">lusted_3df_02_220602</a>, slide 3</li></ul>	<a href="https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_05/22_0602/lusted_3df_02_220602.pdf">https://www.ieee802.org/3/df/public/22_05/22_0602/lusted_3df_02_220602.pdf</a>
11-2022	3	Move to adopt RS(544,514,10) as the FEC encoding for the 200G/lane AUIs (C2M and C2C)	
11-2-2022	4	Move to adopt differential PAM4 signaling as the basis for all the 200 Gb/s per lane AUIs (C2M and C2C)	

# Potential IEEE P802.3dj Timeline



**Legend**

- ▲ IEEE 802 Plenary
- IEEE 802.3 Interim
- IEEE-SA Standards Board



# Joint Task Force Meetings

- **Per Motion #11 approved @ IEEE 802.3 Closing, Nov 2022** (see minutes @ <https://www.ieee802.org/3/minutes/nov22/index.html>)
  - **Move that the IEEE 802.3 Working Group grant approval for the P802.3df and P802.3dj Task Forces to take motions during any joint meeting between these task forces only**
- **Joint Task Force meetings will be announced**

# Reminder: Relative Cost Analysis

- Relative Cost analysis is a potential consideration in the 10km PHY debate, but be aware such presentations may require IEEE Risk management review if individuals do not follow guidelines provided in IEEE SA Anti-trust policy available at <<http://standards.ieee.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/antitrust.pdf>>.
- Further information about IEEE 802.3 cost discussion can be found in 'Presentation on Cost Discussions to IEEE 802.3 Working Group' <[https://www.ieee802.org/3/100GNGOPTX/public/may12/lindsay\\_01\\_0512\\_optx.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/100GNGOPTX/public/may12/lindsay_01_0512_optx.pdf)>.
- Please note that such IEEE Risk management review can take up to ~30 days. Individuals not budgeting sufficient time for review may have presentations scheduled for later meetings to allow these reviews.

# MARK GUSTLIN

# Key Logic Issues Going Forward

## ■ Baselines needed!

- **Baselines should address all speeds as applicable (200G – 1.6T)**
- **PCS definition for 1.6T**
  - Must support 100G/lane AUI and 200G/lane PMDs/AUIs
  - Expecting a baseline proposal in this meeting
- **FEC definition for 200G/lane AUIs**
  - FEC code choice (RS544) – **Adopted**
  - FEC distribution on 200G lanes (bit muxing or symbol muxing etc.) – Expecting proposals in this session
- **FEC definition for 200G/lane PMDs**
  - 500m/2km
  - Segmented or concatenated FEC scheme?
- **PCS/FEC definition for 10km PMDs**
  - Depends on IMDD vs. coherent decision
  - Need proposals with logic definition
- **PCS/FEC definition for 40km PMDs**
  - Assuming Segmented FEC scheme?
- **Where does CR fit into the above?**
  - What FEC is needed?

# KENT LUSTED

# Key Electrical Issues Going Forward

- **Baseline proposals needed – target is July!**

- Some progress on 200G/lane AUI C2M

- **More channel contributions are needed**

- Channels with OTB architectures and NPO approaches

- **Technical considerations to address**

- AUIs
  - interaction with optical PMDs development
  - link training
- Reference transmitter and receiver models
  - COM parameters and values
  - Error effects on FEC scheme (segmented and/or concatenated)
  - MSLE
- Test methodologies
  - How to define the test points and where they are located?
  - Bandwidth considerations and test equipment
- Package loss
- CR PHYs
  - Host loss considerations: same or different from AUI?
  - Passive and/or Active cables specifications?
  - Where is the MDI for OTB (NPC, CPC)?
- Backplane PHY objectives interest

- **Complete:**

- 200G/lane AUI signaling type = differential PAM4

# MARK NOWELL

# Key Optical Issues Going Forward

## ■ All baseline proposals needed for P802.3dj Task Force!

- 200G DR1, FR1
- 400G DR2
- 800G DR4, DR4-2, FR4, (LR4/LR1), ER1
- 1.6T DR8, DR8-2

## ■ Technical considerations to address

- BER / Error Models per PMD; FEC requirements
- Interaction with AUI development
- Interop: Optical PMD specs must be independent of host AUI speed
- 10 km SMF PMD -
  - Observed options:
    - Option #1 - pick a path, refine a baseline
    - Option #2 - Re-evaluate 10km objective
  - Leadership concern: Relative Cost analysis (see next page)
- Potential future topics post-baseline but baseline adoption may need confidence around approach
  - Test methodologies for coherent based PMDs
  - Optical Link Budget Methodologies optimizations
  - SMF Fiber parameter investigation



# MOTIONS

# Task Force Motion

- **Move to approve motions related to “IEEE P802.3dj 200 Gb/s, 400 Gb/s, 800 Gb/s, and 1.6 Tb/s Ethernet” previously approved by IEEE P802.3df Task Force noted on Slide #5 of [https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/23\\_01/23\\_0116/dambrosia\\_3dj\\_01\\_230116.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/23_01/23_0116/dambrosia_3dj_01_230116.pdf)**
- **M:**
- **S:**
- **Technical ( $\geq 75\%$ )**

# Task Force Motion

- **Move to adopt timeline for IEEE P802.3dj noted on slide #6 of [https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/23\\_01/23\\_0116/dambrosia\\_3dj\\_01\\_230116.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/23_01/23_0116/dambrosia_3dj_01_230116.pdf)**
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