Chief Editor's Report
P802.3dt D1.0

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Editorial Team

Editor	Duties
Eugene Opsasnick	Chief Editor, Clause editor for changes to PCS & FEC clauses
Viet Tran	Clause editor 195 (new EMS clause)
Ulf Parkholm	Cause editor 30, 45 (Management and MDIO)
Gary Nicholl	Advisor

Activities since July Interim

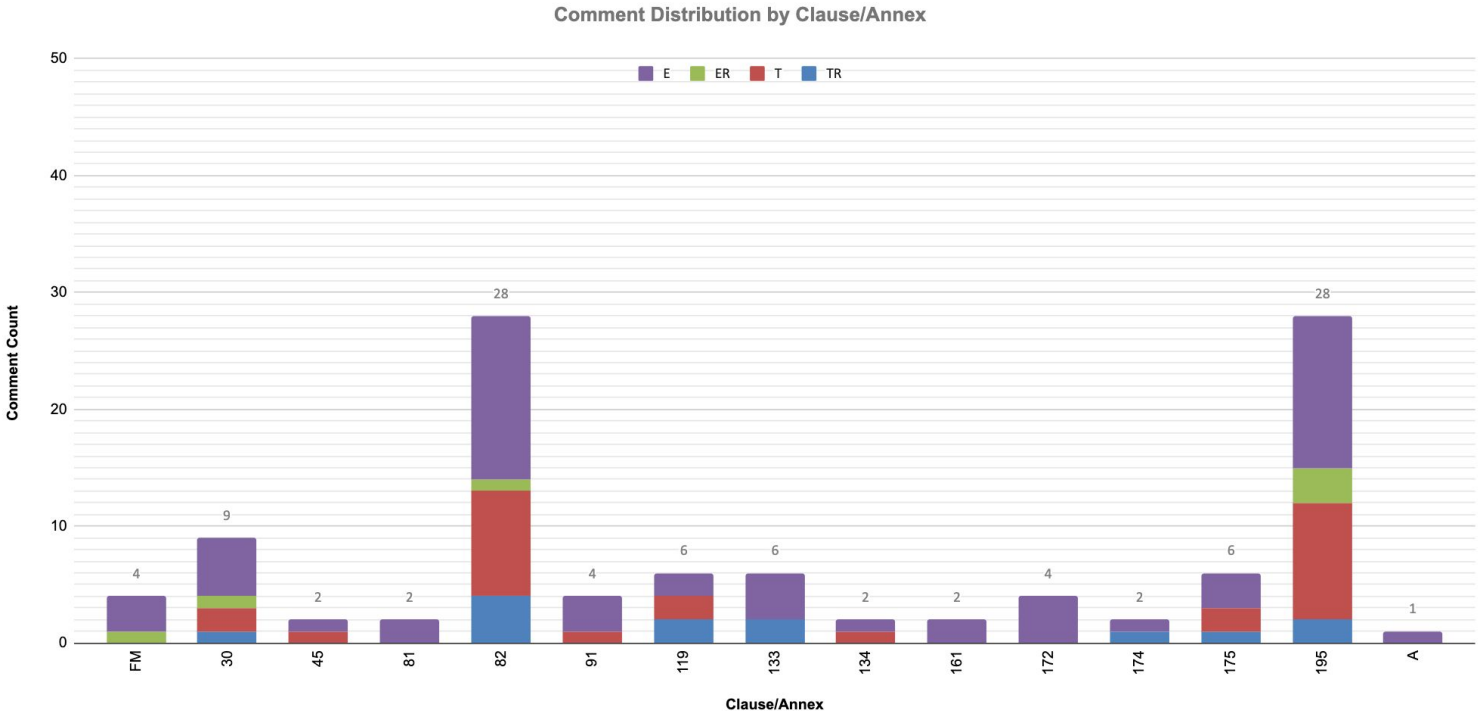
- D0.1 to D0.4 iterations via informal reviews
- Created Draft 1.0 for task force review
- 802.3dt first task force review
  - Opened on 10 September 2026
  - Closed on 9 October 2026
- D1.0 received 106 comments from 7 reviewers
  - 41 technical, 65 editorial comments
    - Large number of comments on PICS (18)
    - New functions in existing PCS/FEC must be optional, yet required for EMS
  - Bucket #1 responses posted on 20 October 2026
  - Proposed responses for all comments posted on 26 October 2026
  - Comment resolution scheduled
    - 28-29 October 2026

List of pre-release reviewers
(in addition to editorial team)

We would like to recognize following individuals outside of the editorial team who provided feedback on the pre-release drafts prior to posting D1.0:

- Matt Brown, Qualcomm
- Xiang He, Huawei
- Tom Huber, Nokia
- David Law, HPE
- Arthur Marris, Independent
- Gary Nicholl, Cisco
- Shawn Nicholl, AMD
- Adee Ran, Cisco
- Jeff Slavick, Broadcom

Comment distribution by clause



E/ER = editorial, T/TR = technical

Objectives for the comment resolution meeting

- Resolve all comments received on D1.0 and generate D1.1
- Pre-submit D1.1 to 802.3 WG on 2 Nov. 2026 (one week before in-person plenary) for approval to go to WG Ballot
- Start first WG review (D2.0) out of Nov. plenary

Approach to comment resolution

The following approach will be utilized for resolving comments…

- Review the proposed response
  - Discuss and refine as needed and attempt to close without objection using **direction** straw polls, as necessary.
  - If no more than two objections (including commenter) to proposed response then consider it to be consensus and close comment.
  - If more than two objections then use **decision** straw poll(s) to move forward.
- Use of a **direction** straw poll to determine a direction
  - Use the result of the direction straw poll(s) to determine consensus, refine the proposed response, or to craft a decision straw poll.
- Use of a **decision** straw poll to make a final decision.
  - The decision straw poll winner is the option that has more than 50% support.
  - Close the comment based on the winner of the decision straw poll(s).
- The editorial team may provide presentations as needed to aid in the resolution of comments.
- Individuals should review “IEEE SA Balloting and Comment Resolution Process Guidelines”: https://standards.ieee.org/wp-content/uploads/import/governance/revcom/guidelines.pdf
- All comment responses closed by the CRG are approved by the task force by a technical motion

Thanks!