

25G Ethernet CFI Closing Report

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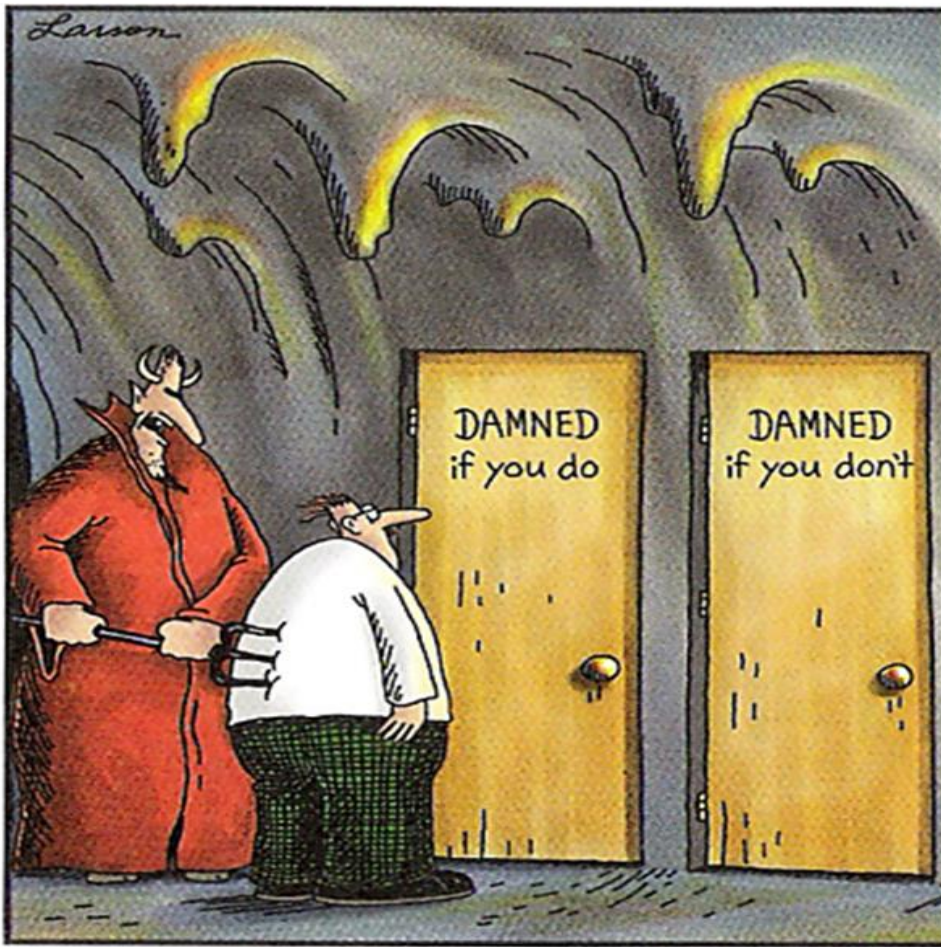
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Thank You!

- To the contributors...
- To the supporters...
- To those that participated on the calls...
- To those that attended the consensus meeting...

Objective

- To gauge the interest in starting a study group to investigate a 25 Gigabit Ethernet project



“C’mon, c’mon—it’s either one or the other.”

Call-for-Interest Consensus Straw Polls

- Room count: 91
- Should a study group be formed for “25 Gigabit Ethernet”?
 - Y: 30 N: 27 A: 21
- I would participate in a “25G Ethernet” study group in IEEE 802.3?
 - Tally: 29
- My company would support participation in a “25G Ethernet” study group?
 - Tally: 25

Conclusion

- While $> 50\%$ support, consensus was not overwhelming
- Decision: not to request the formation of a study group

Thank you!