

### Architectural Overview (a proposal)

- Overall Block Diagram
- Details (for 8B10B)
- Outline of Standard

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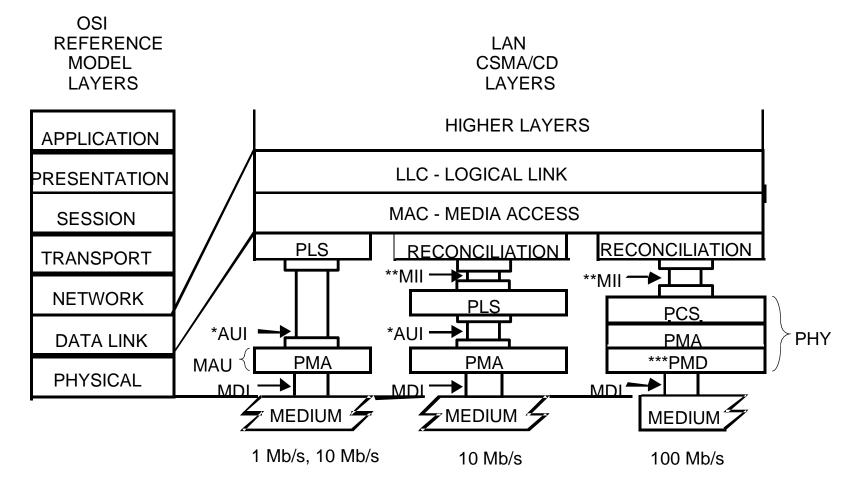
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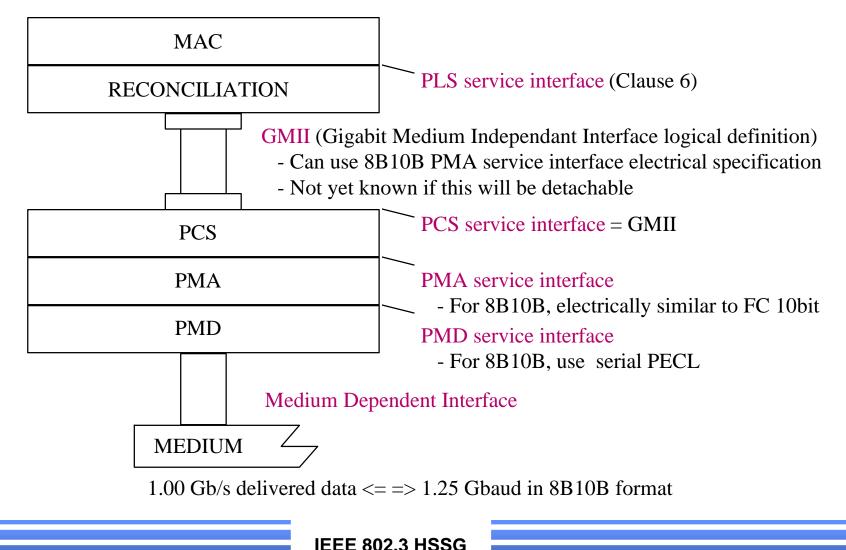
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## 3Com Overview from 100BASE-T





## 1000 Mb/s Block Diagram

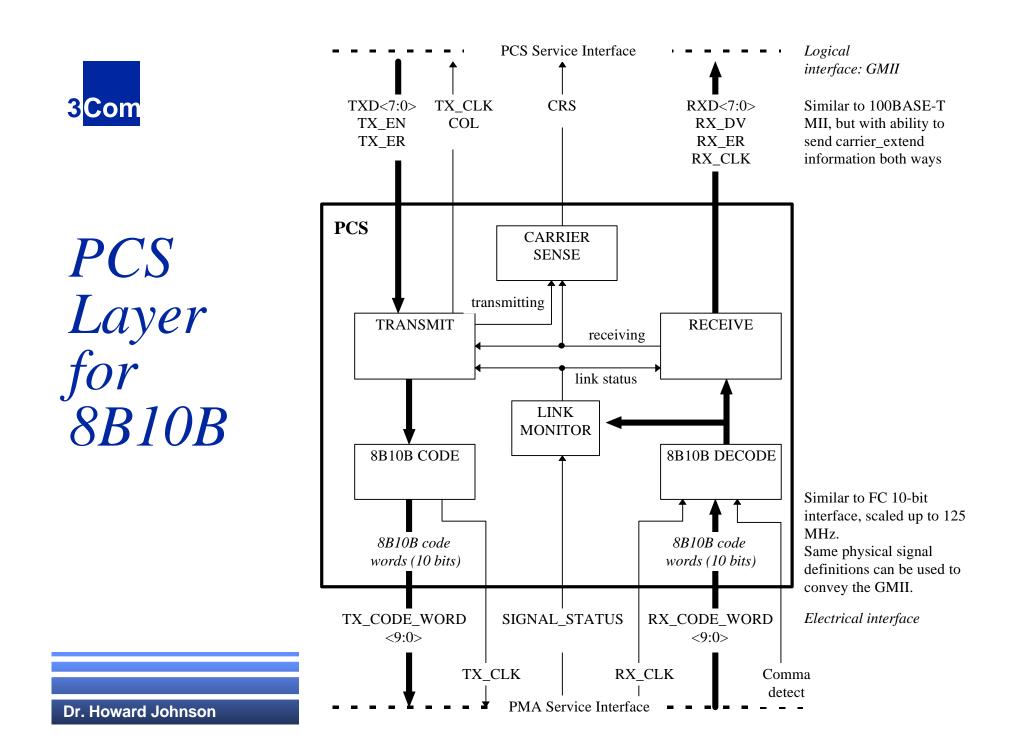


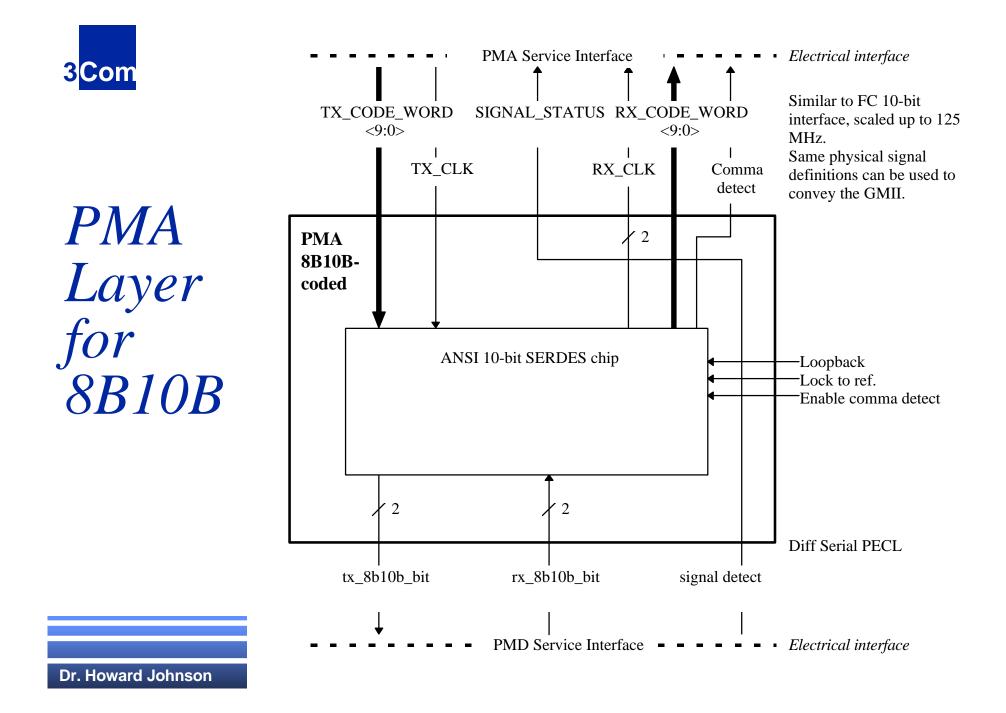
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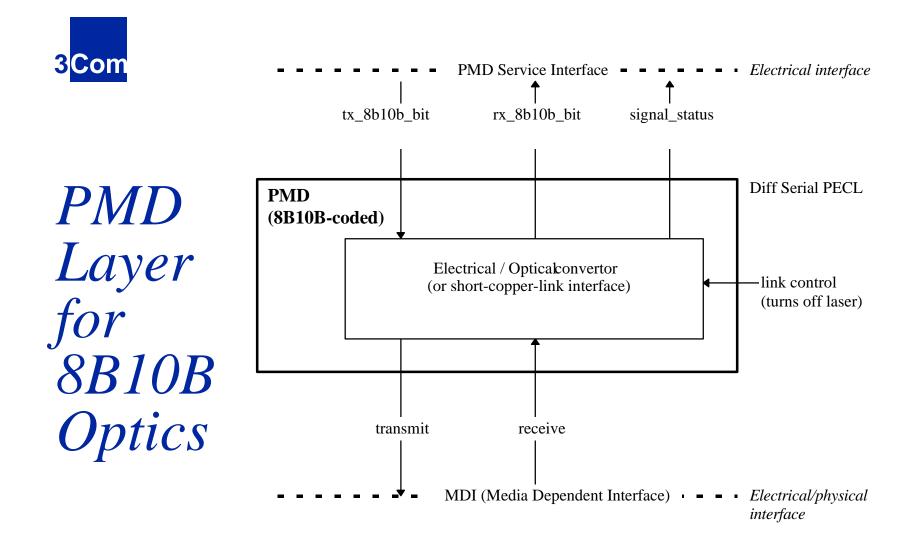
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## 3 Com Outline of Standard

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- \* Plus change pages to base standard, as necessary e.g. clauses 1, 4, 28, and 30

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### <sup>3</sup>Com 06 PLS Service Interface (existing clause 6)

#### ✤ Use as is, with amendments for

Full-duplex, and with

Possible extension to provide carrier\_extend indication

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## <sup>3</sup>Com 34 Reconciliation sublayer and GMII

- Analogous to 100BASE-T clause 22 but without electrical/physical definitions
- Defines a common logical service interface that must be supported by all gigabit PCS devices
- Maps the PLS service primitives to logical signals like TXD, TX\_EN, TX\_ER, RXD, RX\_DV, and RX\_ER (see figure 22-3 in 802.3u)
- The GMII can be conveyed using the same electrical definitions defined in the 8B10B PMA service interface (with appropriate pin mappings) that means you can easily make one chip that implements either the GMII or the 8B10B PMA service interface (= 10-bit SERDES interface).





# *35 8B10B PCS and PMA layers*

♦ 8B10B PCS sublayer

Analogous to the PCS layer in 100BASE-X (clause 24)

Contains 8B10B coder for use with optical or short copper links

### 8B10B PMA service interface

Similar to FC 10-bit serializer interface (scaled up to 1.25 Gbaud) 10-bits parallel, at 125 MHz

### ✤ 8B10B PMA sublayer

Similar to ANSI 10-bit SERDES chip

Used for all 8B10B-coded physical interface types

### ♦ 8B10B PMD service interface

Probably serial PECL

Used for all 8B10B-coded physical interface types



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- ✤ Used with 8B10B PMA
- ✤ Wavelength range of 770-860 nm
- Works on 50 or 62.5 um MMF
- Include specification of fiber types
- Include specification of media connector

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- ✤ Used with 8B10B PMA
- Wavelength range of 1270-1355 nm
- Works on SMF
- Also works on 50 or 62.5 um MMF
- Include specification of fiber types (includes repetition of same MMF parameters as used for SWL)
- Include specification of media connector

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## 3Com 38 PMD: Copper jumpers

✤ Used with 8B10B PMA

Include specification of media and media connector

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- Includes PCS sublayer appropriate for horizontal copper
- Includes other sublayers as needed

NOTE: For 8B10B links, we have three PMD's that all use the same PCS/PMA sublayer stack. The three PMD's each therefore have their own clause number. The UTP PHY is less configurable. It will be written in one clause, like 100BASE-T2 or 100BASE-T4.

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- See Thatcher, Hanson, Swirhun proposal for contents of 8B10B optical PMD's
- See Johnson, Taborek et. al, proposal for contents of 8B10B PCS layer

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