IEEE P1901 - Results of voting, 5-6 March, Fukuoka, Japan

The Working Group conducted one round of elimination voting on the Coexistence cluster. In P1901’s approved down-selection process, the proposal that receives the least number of votes is removed from consideration for the next step of the down selection process. Members can vote for more than one proposal. 52 voting entities were represented in Fukuoka.

Coexistence Cluster

The CEPCA/UPA merged proposal (document P1901_0341_r0) received 13 votes. The CEPCA/SiConnect/HomePlug merged proposal (document P1901_0359_r0) received 41 votes.

The CEPCA/SiConnect/HomePlug merged proposal remains as the single candidate for the confirmation vote.

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About the down selection process (simplified)

The selection of the proposals that will form the baseline is performed independently on each of the three clusters for in-home, access, and coexistence/interoperability requirements. Voluntary mergers, elimination votes, and technical improvements are conducted until there remains only one surviving candidate proposal on a cluster. The Working Group then conducts a first 75% confirmation vote on the cluster. If the surviving proposal passes the confirmation vote, it becomes a part of the baseline of the standard. If the proposal fails the first confirmation vote, the working group attempts to resolve the issues related to the opposition and conducts a second 75% confirmation vote. If the second confirmation vote fails, the selection process on the cluster is reset and three proposals are brought back for consideration.