

IEEE Distribution Subcommittee
Vice Chair Report
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Between January 2008 and July 2008, the subcommittee has been assigned a total of 39 transactions grade papers and one (1) PES Letter to review. Of these, 23 were new papers and 17 were revisions. This is down significantly from the same period last year. The web site for the process is located at: <http://tpwr-d-ieee.manuscriptcentral.com/> .

Recently, the editor-in-chief has reassigned some of papers originally assigned to the Distribution SC. The reassigned papers were ones where I had not assigned reviewers to. Or these were the papers where I no one had volunteered to review them. As there is a new editor-in-chief, I believe that they are more aggressive in making sure that reviewers are being assigned to the papers.

Periodically I will send out a list of papers that require review by the subcommittee to the members of the subcommittee. I'll ask for volunteers to review the papers. After someone volunteers I will assign him or her to review the paper(s) in the system. This will automatically generate an email to the reviewer giving them the web site's address. The reviewer then will log into the system and review the paper(s).

Please make sure that your contact information is up-to-date on the membership list, especially your email address. Working Group Chairs, please make sure your membership list are up-to-date and if there are any new members, please send me their names and email addresses. This will help me keep the reviewer email list current.

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