

# Maintenance Task Group Meeting

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### Agenda

- Patents and Guidelines
- Attendees
- Document Vehicle Status
- Existing Maintenance items
  - YANGsters to discuss - 0242 - IEEE Std 802.1Qcp-2018: Collected issues on data consistency and others
- New Maintenance items
  - 0243 - Maintenance request on IEEE 802.1Q
  - 0244 - Minor maintenance item for 802.1Q
  - 0245 - Another small maintenance item for 802.1Q-2018
  - 0246 - IEEE Std 802.1Q-2018: Color-aware flow meters are color-blind
- Comment resolution
  - None
- Liaisons
  - SG15 liaison - [http://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2019/liaison-SG15-LS216-OTNT\\_standardization\\_workplan-1019.zip](http://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2019/liaison-SG15-LS216-OTNT_standardization_workplan-1019.zip)
  - ITU-T IMT-2020 JCA liaison - <http://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2019/maint-haasz-itu-roadmap-report-1109-v01.pdf>.
- SC6 comment resolution
  - None
- SC6 status
- 802.1ACct update (802.15) – James Glib
- EPD and LPD topics – Roger Marks/Norm Finn

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**Early identification of holders of potential  
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- ***IEEE-SA Standards Board Operations Manual***  
(<http://standards.ieee.org/develop/policies/opman/sect6.html#6.3>)

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# Brief Status Update

- Maintenance database site issues resolved – current status believe to be accurate: <https://www.802-1.org/>
- Current Document Vehicles for open items
  - 802.1AS-Rev/D8.1 Sponsor ballot recirculation ballot posted August 19th.
  - 802.1ABcu Comment resolution completed on TSN conference calls. Editor is preparing draft D.07.
  - 802.1Qcw/D0.4 TG ballot completed July 9th. Editor is preparing a new draft
  - 802.1Qcr/D1.3 WG ballot completed Nov 4th. Comment resolution to begin at the November plenary
  - 802.1CBdb/D0.3 TG ballot completed Oct 31st. Comment resolution to begin at the November plenary
  - 802.1CMde/D1.2 motion for sponsor ballot at November plenary.
  - 802.1AE-Cor/D1.0 motion for sponsor ballot at November plenary.
- Open Items awaiting document vehicles
  - 0170 – waiting for 802.1BA
  - 0174 – waiting for 802.1AC
  - 0210, 0243 – waiting for 802.1DC to go to Sponsor ballot to update 802.1Q
  - 0237 – waiting for 802

# 802.1 Maintenance Status

Category	Count
Approved	0
Ready for Ballot	1
Complete then Ballot	11
Complete then Errata	0
Errata	0
Failed	0
Incomplete	0
Rejected	38
Published	132
Received	3
Errata Sheet Published	0
Technical experts review	4
Balloting	22
Withdrawn	2

# Existing Maintenance Items

- All existing open maintenance items are included here, **except** items which are in “balloting” state already, as those aren’t really interesting to track.
- Task force chairs and editors: have you decided in your groups not to change something which is covered by a Maintenance item? If so, you please ensure you bring this to the attention of the Maintenance Task Group.

# Items for review

Number	Status	Submitted	Standard	Clause	Subject	Draft with fix
0170	Ready for Ballot	2016-05-16	802.1BA-2011	7.3.5	References to other standards in 802.1BA-2011	
0174	Complete then Ballot	2016-11-08	802.1AC-2016	2	802.1AC: IEEE 802.17 has been withdrawn	
0210	Complete then Ballot	2018-09-11	IEEE Std 802.1Q-2018	43.3.3.4	ECP protocol code point for P802.1CS needed in 802.1Q-2018	
0213	Complete then Ballot	2018-09-24	802.1AB-2016 and 802.1AB-2009	9.2.5.6	The range of msgTxHold and the range of its MIB object lldpV2MessageTxHoldMultiplier are not consistent	
0230	Technical experts review	2019-06-06	802.1Qcp-2018	48.6.3.2	802.1Qcp-2018 maintenance: Incorrect traffic-class-table-grouping	
0232	Technical experts review	2019-07-17	IEEE Std 802.1Q-2018	Appendix A	Maintenance requires: PICS inconsistent in 802.1Q-2018	
0234	Complete then Ballot	2019-08-07	802-1CB-2017	7.4.3.5	802.1CB-2017 7.4.3.5 sample code fix	802.1CBdb/D0.3
0235	Complete then Ballot	2019-08-07	802-1CB-2017	7.4.3.5	802.1CB-2017 7.4.3.5 discarded packet count off by 1	802.1CBdb/D0.3
0236	Complete then Ballot	2019-08-07	802-1CB-2017	10.4.1.6	802.1CB-2017 10.4.1.6 frerSeqRcvyHistoryLength min value s/b 1, not 2	802.1CBdb/D0.3
0237	Complete then Ballot	2019-08-16	IEEE Std 802-2014	8.2.2	802.1 Maintenance request: IEEE Std 802	

# Items for review

Number	Status	Submitted	Standard	Clause	Subject	Draft with fix
0238	Complete then Ballot	2019-08-23	IEEE Std 802.1Qcp-2018	48	802.1Qcp-2018: ieee802-dot1q-vlan-bridge is empty and should be removed	
0239	Complete then Ballot	2019-08-23	IEEE Std 802.1Qcp-2018	48	802.1Qcp-2018: Missing counters in ieee802-dot1q-tpmr	
0240	Complete then Ballot	2019-08-23	IEEE Std 802.1Qcp-2018	48	802.1Qcp-2018: Managed Object &lt;-&gt; YANG mapping tables	
0241	Complete then Ballot	2019-09-05	802.1CB-2017	10.4.1.10	802.1CB-2017 SequenceGenerationAlgorithm does not discard packets as stated in 10.4.1.10	802.1CBdb/D0.3
0242	Technical experts review	2019-09-16	IEEE Std 802.1Qcp-2018	48	IEEE Std 802.1Qcp-2018: Collected issues on data consistency and others	
0243	Received	2019-09-19	IEEE Std 802.1Q-2018	42.3.3.4	Maintenance request on IEEE 802.1Q	
0244	Received	2019-10-14	IEEE Std 802.1Q-2018	5.4.1.6	Minor maintenance item for 802.1Q	
0245	Received	2019-10-14	IEEE Std 802.1Q-2018	5.4.1	RESEND Another small maintenance item for 802.1Q-2018	
0246	Received	2019-10-31	IEEE 802.1Q-2018	8.6.5.1.3	IEEE Std 802.1Q-2018: Color-aware flow meters are color-blind	

# NEW MAINTENANCE ITEMS

- 0243 - Maintenance request on IEEE 802.1Q
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# BALLOT COMMENT RESOLUTION

- none

# LIAISONS

- none

# **JTC1 SC6 COMMENT RESPONSES**

- JTC1/SC6 pre-ballot results for IEEE 802.1AE and IEEE 802.1Xck

# **JTC1 SC6 STATUS – November 2019**

# ISO/IEC JTC1 SC6 Status

- Karen Randall has been performing this tracking
- Volunteers sought to assist with this task

# ISO/IEC JTC1 SC6 Status

- PSDO agreement in place to allow progress of IEEE standards in ISO/IEC
- EC JTC1 standing committee is administering the process for IEEE 802 Standards
  - 802.1, 802.3, 802.11, 802.15, 802.16, 802.21, 802.22
- 802.1 has previously agreed to submit its standards to SC6
  - Most standards and their amendments (note – not sending Recommended Practices)
  - Motion required per standard
    - To forward Sponsor Ballot draft for information and comment
    - To submit approved standard for PSDO approval
  - Procedure for Corrigenda: one 90 day ballot and three questions.

# 802.1 Stds for SC6 approval (1/3)

## – PSDO approved

- 802.1AE-2006 (MAC Security)
  - FDIS passed Oct 2013, cmnts liaised Jan 2014  
Systematic Rvw – (re)confirmed March 2019.  
No further action required.
- 802.1X-2010 (Port-Based NW Acc Cntrl)
  - FDIS passed Oct 2013, cmnts liaised Jan 2014  
Systematic Rvw – (re)confirmed March 2019  
No further action required.
- 802.1AS-2011 (Time synch)
  - FDIS passed Dec 2013, cmnts liaised May 2014  
Systematic Rvw – (re)confirmed June 2019.  
No further action required.
- 802.1AB-2009 (LLDP)
  - FDIS passed Dec 2013, cmnts liaised May 2014
- 802.1AR-2009 (Secure device ID)
  - FDIS passed Dec 2013, cmnts liaised May 2014
- 802.1AEbn-2011
  - ISO/IEC 8802-1AE:2015/Amd 1 (Apr 2015)
- 802.1AEbw-2013
  - ISO/IEC 8802-1AE:2015/Amd 2 (Apr 2015)
- 802.1AX-2014
  - FDIS passed Nov 2015; no comments
- 802-2014
  - FDIS passed Nov 2015, cmnts liaised Jan 2016
- 802.1Xbx-2014
  - FDIS passed Dec 2015; cmnts liaised 20 April
- 802.1Q-2014
  - FDIS passed Jan 2016; cmnts liaised 20 April
- 802.1BA-2011 (AVB systems)
  - FDIS passed August 2016; no comments
- 802.1BR-2012 (Port extender)
  - FDIS passed August 2016; no comments
- 802.1AB-2016 (Stn & MAC Conn Disc)
  - FDIS passed 4/17; Cmt resp liaised Jul 2017
- 802.1Qbv-2015 (Enh for Sch Traffic)
  - FDIS passed 4/17; Cmt resp liaised Jul 2017
- 802.1Qca-2015 (Path Control & Reserv)
  - FDIS passed 4/17; Cmt resp liaised Jul 2017

# 802.1 Stds for SC6 approval (2/3)

## – PSDO approved (cont'd)

- 802.1Q-2014/Cor 1-2015
  - FDIS passed 4/17; Cmt resp liaised Jul 2017 published Oct 2017
- 802.1Qbu-2016 (Frame Preemption)
  - FDIS passed Oct 2017; no cmts; pub Nov 2017
- 802.1Qbz-2016 (Enh to Bridging 802.11)
  - FDIS passed Oct 2017; no cmts; pub Nov 2017
- 802.1Qcd (Application VLAN TLV)
  - FDIS passed Dec 2017 – no cmts; pub Jan 2018
- 802.1AX-2014/Cor1-2017
  - 90 day Cor FDIS passed Jul 2017; no cmts published Sep 2018
- 802.1AC-2016 (MAC Svc Def)
  - FDIS passed 3/2018 – cmt resps sent Apr 2018 published Apr 2018
- 802d-2017 (URN Namespace)
  - FDIS passed 3/2018; no cmts; pub Apr 2018
- 802.1CB (Frame Repl & Elim for Reliability)
  - FDIS passed Dec 2018; no cmts
- 802.1Qch (Cyclic Queuing & Fwding)
  - FDIS passed Jan 2019; no cmts
- 802.1Qci (Per stream filtering & policing)
  - FDIS passed Jan 2019; no cmts
- 802.1AEcg-2017 (EDE devices)
  - FDIS passed Aug 2018 w/cmt from China; cmt resps sent Jan 2019; published Oct 2018
- IEEE 802.1AC-2016/Cor 1 (LLC encaps)
  - 90 day COR FDIS passed Mar 2019; no cmts
- IEEE 802c (Local MAC Address Usage)
  - FDIS passed Dec 2018 w/cmt from China; cmt resps approved March 2019; sent 1 May 2019
- IEEE 802.1CM (Time Sens N/W fronthaul)
  - pre-ballot passed Oct 2018 w no cmts; FDIS ballot passed June 2019; no cmts

# 802.1 Stds for SC6 approval (3/3)

- For adoption - PSDO in process (FDIS ballots)
  - IEEE 802.1AR-Rev (Secure DevID) - pre-ballot comment response rvw/apprv 11/2018 sent 14 Jan 2019; FDIS ballot closes 14 Nov 2019
  - IEEE 802.1Q-Rev (Bridges) - pre-ballot comment response rvw/apprv 3/2019; sent 1 May 2019; waiting for FDIS ballot to open
  - IEEE 802.1AE-Rev (MAC security) - pre-ballot comment response rvw/apprv 7/2019; sent 17 Sep 2019 (posted 31 Oct); FDIS ballot TBA
  - IEEE 802.1Xck (802.1X YANG model) - pre-ballot comment response rvw/apprv 7/2019; sent 17 Sep 2019 (posted 31 Oct); FDIS ballot TBA
- For adoption - PSDO in process (60 day pre-ballots)
- Next to send - send for adoption/start ballots when published (Motions for all of these were approved at July 2018 Plenary)
  - IEEE 802.1Qcp (Bridges YANG) - D2 sent 12/2017 (\*pub 9/2018; send after Q)
  - IEEE 802.1Qcc (Stream Res Protocol) - D2 sent 12/2017 (SB aprv 6/18, pub Oct 2018; send after Q is done in SC6)
  - IEEE 802.1Qcy (VDP extension) - D2.1 sent 4/2018 – \*pub 6/2019; send after Q is done in SC6)
- For Information – send document drafts
  - P802.1AS-Rev/D8 (Timing & Synchn) - Sponsor Ballot (D8) sent for info 13 March 2019
  - P802.1AX-Rev/D2 (Link Agg) - Sponsor Ballot (D2) sent for info 16 July 2019
  - P802.1X-Rev (Port-Based NW Acc Cntrl) - motion to send SB version (D1.4) July 2019; Doc ready to go. Waiting for Xck FDIS
  - P802.1Qcx (YANG for Conn Fault Mgmt) - motion to send SB version when ready July 2019

# Expected Activity at March 2020 Plenary (and looking ahead)

- Motion to send IEEE 802.1AS-Rev for adoption – after publication (*when will it be ready?*).
- Motion to send IEEE 802.1AX-Rev for adoption – after publication (*when will it be ready?*).
- Any other documents to be sent for information or adoption (do motion?)
  - IEEE 802.1CMde: send for information when it goes to Sponsor Ballot.
- Waiting to send IEEE 802.1Q amendments (1Qcp, 1Qcc, 1Qcy) until after IEEE 802.1Q-Rev is done. Motions were approved at July 2018 meeting.
- Waiting to send IEEE 802.1X-Rev until after the IEEE 802.1Xck FDIS is completed. Motion was approved at the July 2019 meeting.
- Comments expected on the IEEE 802.1AR-Rev FDIS ballot (closing 14 November) – will need to prepare responses to the comments during the January 2020 interim meeting, to be reviewed/approved at the March 2020 Plenary.