



# Atlanta Jan 2003 PHY Comment Resolution

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# Operating Procedure

- Allotted 8 hr for total of
  - 36 technical binding
  - 20 technical non-binding
  - 60 editorial
- Log tracking of issues
- Highlight of discussion group summary agenda
- Not accepted technical binding need to contact commenter: chief editor
- Write down commenter agreed or not.
- DVJ is next door

# PHY Comments Summary

• Clause 7: PHY General			
– Technical binding	19		
– Technical non-binding	16		
– Editorial	24	59	
• Annex B: Ethernet RS			
– Technical binding	5		
– Technical non-binding	1		
– Editorial	8	14	
• Annex C: SONET/SDH RS			
– Technical binding	12		
– Technical non-binding	3		
– Editorial	28	43	
		116	total

# Clause 7 Highlights

- PICS
- Are specific PHY defined?
- Consistent PHY around the ring
  - Consistent PHY at both MACDataPath interface

# Clause B Highlights

- Missing PICS
- Data bit ordering
- Frame format labeling:
  - <inter-frame><preamble><SFD><data><EFD>

# Clause C Highlights

- Missing PICS....
- Signal fail I/O
- SF and SD status handling
- Clarification of field names and bit ordering to be consistent to clause 3

# Carried Over Comments

- #2308: CRC Burst error susceptibility
  - TA contact NS to provide presentation
- #2102: wet noodle PHY
- #2103:PHY requirements

# Summary

- 3 Rejected: all discussed with Commenter
  - #562, Chip P, rate lower bound
  - #564, JL, PHY independence addressed by #575
  - #577, PJ, PHY specification

# Issues

- All comments addressed
  - #1297 SF and SD RS punt to Protection
  - Attended Protection CRG comment resolved.
- 1. Punt to WG #**579**, 580, 582, and 583 optional length field processing in PSAP
  - what is the function in the MAC
- 2. Punt #**2102** and 2103: PHY specification
- 3. Punt #**569** to working group
  - Uniform PHY connected to the MACDatapath
  - #572 Asymmetrical span punt to WG

- All comments addressed by CRG.
  - Except for editorial comments
  - Request to accept CRG resolution
  - Request to grant editorial license for editorial comments
- Reminder: add support for LAPS