

802.1 – Activities & status

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Areas of work

- 802 Architecture and interworking between 802 technologies
 - Cross-802 Architecture group
 - “Technical Plenary” if needed
- Interworking Task Group:
 - “Traditional” (802.1D) bridging
 - VLAN (802.1Q) bridging
 - Provider bridging
 - LAN management
 - Discovery mechanisms
 - Connectivity fault management
- Audio Video bridging (AVB) Task Group:
 - Time synchronization
 - Stream reservation and transmission support
- Data center bridging (DCB) Task Group:
 - Congestion management
 - Per priority flow control
- Security Task Group (currently hibernating):
 - Secure frame transmission
 - Key management
 - Secure device identity

Officers

- Chair: Tony Jeffree
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- Maintenance of Email exploder: Hal Keen
- Maintenance of website: John Messenger
 - Website: <http://www.ieee802.org/1/>

Status of current projects - (1)

- P802-REV – Overview and Architecture revision
 - Current draft is D1.2
 - First WG ballot completed – ballot resolution started.
- MAC Service revision (P802.1ac)
 - Current draft is D1.2
 - WG ballot completed; awaiting further draft and recirculation ballot.
- P802.1aq – Shortest Path Bridging
 - Current draft is D4.0
 - Working Group recirc ballot completed; comment resolution this week

Status of current projects - (2)

- P802.1BA – AVB Systems
 - Current draft is D2.4
 - Sponsor recirc ballot completed; comment resolution this week.
- 802.1Qbf – PBB-TE infrastructure protection
 - Current draft is D1.3. Sponsor ballot completed; ballot resolution this week.

Status of current projects - (3)

- 802.1Qbg – Edge Virtual Bridging
 - Current draft is D1.6; WG recirc ballot completed. Comment resolution this week.
- 802.1Qbh – Bridge Port Extension
 - Current draft is D2.1; WG recirc ballot complete, comment resolution this week.
- 802.1AXbk – Link Agg addressing
 - Current draft is D1.1; WG recirc ballot complete, comment resolution completed.
- 802.1AEbn - 256 (GCM-AES-256) Cipher Suite
 - Current draft is D0.8. Sponsor balloting complete and draft is ready for RevCom.

Next Interim meeting

- September 2011:
 - Nanjing, China.
- Details will be posted on Website:
<http://www.ieee802.org/1>