DRAFT Meeting Minutes: IEEE 802.3 YANG Ad Hoc

9 March 2026 Mixed-model Plenary Session
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All times in PT

The IEEE 802.3 YANG Ad Hoc meeting was convened at 03:32pm by the chair, Peter Jones.

The meeting was held in person and electronically, attendance is listed in Appendix A.

In general, documents and presentations referenced in these minutes are under the home page including Ad Hoc Public area.

The chair displayed and proceeded to review the agenda in:
https://www.ieee802.org/3/ad_hoc/YANGOS/public/802d3_yang_agenda_meeting_030926.pdf

The agenda was approved at 03:35pm by unanimous consent.

At 03:37pm the following minutes were approved by unanimous consent:
https://www.ieee802.org/3/ad_hoc/YANGOS/public/yang_ad_hoc_minutes_111025_01a.pdf

Members of the Press, the chair asked for any press members to identify themselves. No one responded.

Goals for the Meeting
As per March Plenary Discussions

Attendance, the chair advised the group that the attendance would be taken from Webex and IMAT.

Policies, the chair resumed review of the agenda deck, including the following items:
- The IEEE SA Participation policy
- The IEEE SA Copyright Policy
- The IEEE SA policy on dominance
- The IEEE SA Standards process.

No questions were asked.

The chair completed reviewing the agenda deck at 3:38pm.

The chair moved on to the work of the meeting. Unless otherwise stated, all presentations included Q&A. The following presentations and documents were reviewed during the meeting:

[March Plenary Discussions](#) (Presented by Peter Jones, Cisco)
- The presentation began at 03:40pm.

Additional notes from discussion:
- Ulf Parkholm indicated willingness to sign up as a project maintainer.
- Chair to Verify with OSCOM community manager that "CLAs from significant contributors to 802.3.2" will pass muster with OSCOM/IEEE Legal
- Formal liaisons to other SDOs working on YANG, wait until modules committed
- Coding guidelines/standards and validation checks, Chair to work with the 802 YANG SC to define these for all of 802.
- Regular meetings – target every two weeks, Peter to poll the reflector for likely attendees to inform timeslot selection.
- Chair to iscuss with OSCOM staff how to create restricted areas (i.e., project leadership) for:
  - a YANG sandbox that project leadership can use to develop/test process before it goes live.
  - An area for project documents (e.g., group process).
- Chair to work with 802 YANG SC to develop process to collect test configs and use them in automated model validation
  - It's desirable to enable a broader set of contributors (without needing CLAs) for test configs so consider hosting this with the IEEE 802 models in the https://github.com/YangModels/yang/tree/main/standard/ieee repo.
- Poll participants regarding formats for group documents, e.g., FAQ/Guidelines. Should we put these in MarkDown rather than MS Word?
- Chair to draft "Why and how to get involved with the 802.3 YANG Ad Hoc/Project" slides.

<u>Discussion of future meetings</u>

The chair will schedule regular virtual meetings going forward.
The next physical meeting is in the week of July in Montreal. Please register sooner rather than later.

The chair asked if there was any more agenda for the Ad Hoc. No-one responded.
Having completed the agenda, the chair adjourned the Ad Hoc meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 4:13pm

Appendix A: IEEE 802.3 Yang Ad Hoc Attendance