

**IEEE P802.3dj Task Force
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**IEEE P802.3dj PAR Extension
Proposed Responses**

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Introduction

- **Current PAR -**
https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/projdoc/P802d3dj_PAR.pdf
- **PAR Expiration Date: 31 Dec 2026**
- **Targeting extension of PAR @ July 2026 Plenary**
- **Following are proposed responses to questions noted on PAR Extension**

Responses (1 of 2)

1.0 Number of years that the Extension is being requested

Response: 1 Year

2.0 Why an Extension is required (includes actions to complete)

Response: The IEEE P802.3dj project is currently resolving comments received during the 1st Standards Association ballot. It plans to conduct two more recirculation ballots before submitting the draft for consideration at the December 2026 RevCom meeting. This extension request is a precautionary measure to address unforeseen issues or events that could disrupt the project's progress, potentially extending it beyond the current PAR expiration date.

3.1 What date did / will you begin writing the first draft

Response: 01 Jan 2024

3.2 How many people are actively working on the project

Response 100

3.3 How many times a year does the Working Group meet

In Person: 06

Via Teleconference 03

Responses (2 of 2)

3.4 How many times a year is a Draft circulated to the Working Group
Response 6

3.5 What percentage of the Draft is stable
Response 85%

3.6 How many significant work revisions has the Draft been through
Response 9

4.0 When will/did Initial Standards Association Ballot Begin
Response 17 February 2026

When do you expect to submit the proposed Standard to RevCom
Response 19 October 2026

Has this document already been adopted by another source
Response No