

## Ethernet Alliance Liaison Communication

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Subject:	Upcoming Ethernet Alliance High Speed Networking Plugfest	
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Dear Mr Law,

The Ethernet Alliance would like to advise the IEEE 802.3 Working Group of its plans to hold a plugfest, conducted by its High-Speed Networking (HSN) committee, the week of December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025, in the San Francisco Bay Area Bay.

As the name suggests, we will be conducting interoperability testing focused on addressing PHYs being defined by the IEEE P802.3dj Task Force, with special focus on the copper and optical 200 Gbps per lane PMDs.

We would welcome input from the subject matter experts within 802.3 on any specific areas of the draft 802.3dj standard and its associated technologies they would like us to focus on.

We would also like to welcome any participation in the activity and are attaching the "Call For Interest" document. For further information, please contact [morgan@Ethernetalliance.org](mailto:morgan@Ethernetalliance.org) or me.

Sincerely,

Peter Jones  
Chair, Ethernet Alliance