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| Minutes of the IEEE 802 JTC1 Standing Committee mixed-mode meeting in January 2025 | | |
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Abstract

Minutes of IEEE 802 JTC1 Standing Committee session during the IEEE 802 wireless interim session held in mixed mode in January 2025.

# Minutes of the IEEE 802 JTC1 SC meeting on Tuesday, 14 January 2025

### Order

* Peter Yee, the JTC1 SC chair, called the meeting to order at 4:03 p.m. JST.

### Registration

* Registration is not required at this meeting.

### Agenda

* The SC agenda is found in [ec-24/0294r00](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0294-00-JTC1-agenda-for-january-2025-mixed-mode.pptx). The agenda was accepted by unanimous consent and without modification.
* The SC chair showed the meeting procedure and patent slides and did the call for patents. There was no response to the call for patents. The copyright slides were also displayed.
* Everyone was reminded to log attendance in IMAT.

### Minutes

* The minutes ([ec-24/0292r01](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0292-01-JTC1-minutes-of-mixed-mode-meeting-in-november-2024.docx)) of the November meeting were approved by unanimous consent.

### JTC1 SC Goals

* Peter summarized the history and overview of the SC. The goals were last reaffirmed in July 2024.

### Current Status

* SC 6 was last informed in July 2024 of new study group in IEEE 802.3 and IEEE 802.11.
* 110 IEEE 802 standards have gone fully through the PSDO process, while 27 remain in process.
* Our iMeetCentral area is maintained by IEEE Standards Association staff, so it should be up to date.

### 802.1

* With ballot comment responses sent to SC 6 in August 2024, IEEE 802f and IEEE 802.1Q-Rev are now in FDIS ballots closing February 12, 2025. IEEE 802.1Qcw and IEEE 802.1Qcj are also in FDIS ballots closing March 3 and March 10, 2025, respectively.
* IEEE 802.1ASdm, IEEE 802.1ASdn, and IEEE 802.1Qdj should all be ready for FDIS ballots. IEEE 802.1Qdy requires comment response to the 60-day pre-ballot, but the response will not be approved by the IEEE 802.1 WG until the March 2025 plenary meeting.

### 802.3

* IEEE 802.3 has completed its 60-day pre-ballot [April 2024], with the FDIS ballot still yet to be initiated.

### 802.11

* IEEE 802.11 standards processing in JTC 1/SC 6 remains on hold and the WG is not submitting any additional standards into the process due to IPR issues. (See document 6N18159 for details, available by request of the SC chair.)
* A discussion of this state of affairs took place, with a plan to send a letter to the SA President resulting. If this is done in a timely fashion, it could be taken up during the BOG’s February meeting in Beijing. Volunteers to write the letter include Peter Yee, Guido Hiertz, Joe Levy, Phil Beecher, and James Gilb. Peter will also seek input from Andrew Myles. Guido has offered up a SharePoint for drafting and sharing the letter.

### 802.15

* There was some confusion regarding the pre-balloting of IEEE 802.15.7-2018. That ballot received a comment from the China NB. After clarifying that IEEE 802.15.7a is an amendment to IEEE 802.15.7 and not its replacement, it was agreed that the FDIS ballot on IEEE 802.15.7 should take place when ISO starts it and that IEEE 802.15.7a would be submitted after that.
* IEEE 802.15.6 and IEEE 802.15.3 have been determined to have negative LoAs filed against them with IEEE. Noting that IEEE and ISO/IEC have different patent regimes, it might still be possible to submit them to SC 6 in the hope that positive LoAs might be submitted by the patentholders to the ISO Central Secretariat under the ISO/IEC patent policy.

### 802.19

* IEEE 802.19.1 is for Wireless Network Coexistence Methods. A motion to send for information was approved, despite there being a negative LoA on file with IEEE. It was agreed to send for information and see what happens. Tuncer Baykas (IEEE 802.19 chair) will need to fill in a cover sheet to put in front of the submission prior to sending it. IEEE SA staff will assist in obtaining that.

### 802.21

* There’s nothing in the pipeline for IEEE 802.21.

### 802.22

* There’s nothing in the pipeline for IEEE 802.22.

### SC 6

* The next SC 6 plenary meeting will be held in London in June 2025.
  + This will be first plenary run by Dr. Shingak Kang as the new SC 6 chair.
  + Peter Yee will prepare the usual IEEE 802 status summary for the upcoming meeting.
* Prior to the SC 6 plenary, WG1 (and WG 7) will hold an ad hoc meeting in March in Nanjing, CN. The registration deadline for that meeting is 11 March 2025. Presumably, there will be remote access available. The draft agenda does not contain any IEEE 802 items.

### Other business

* IEEE-SA staff asked for time during the March meeting of the JTC1 SC. This is in regard to a document that will be sent to the group soon.

### Action Items

* Letter drafting by the individuals noted above.

### Adjournment

* There being no other business before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 4:55 p.m. JST.