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Abstract

This document contains minutes of TGax teleconference from December 2016 to January 2017.

Rev. 0: Minutes from TGax teleconference on December 15th, 2016.

Rev. 1: Bug fix to r0 and minutes from TGax teleconference on January 10th, 2017 included.

Rev. 2: Bug fix to r1 and minutes from TGax teleconference on January 12th, 2017 included.

Rev. 3: Bug fix to r2.

# Teleconference on Thursday, December 15th, 2016, 21:00 – 23:00 (ET)

1. Meeting called to order by Osama Aboul-Magd (Huawei Technologies), the chairperson of TGax @ 21:03 (ET).
   1. Introduction of the chairperson and secretary.
2. Agenda Setting
   1. Proposed Agenda
      1. Call the meeting to order
      2. IEEE 802 and 802.11 IPR Policy and Procedure
      3. Attendance (Please send an e.mail to Yasuhiko Inoue (inoue.yasuhiko@lab.ntt.co.jp) and/or Osama Aboul-Magd (osama.aboulmagd@huawei.com))
      4. Annoucement
      5. Presentation
         1. 11-16-1604-00 “PAR Verification Single BSS Simulation,” Frank Hsu (MediaTek)
      6. AOB
      7. Adjourn
   2. Approval of the agenda
      1. Chair asked if there is any item to add to the agenda. 🡪 No item to add to the agenda.
      2. Chair asked if there is any objection to approve the agenda. 🡪 No objection. The agenda was approved.
3. IEEE 802 and 802.11 IPR Policy and Procedure
   1. Chair mentioned that we are operating under the IEEE 802 and 802.11 Policy and Procedure.
   2. Relevant documents
      1. IEEE Patent Policy - <http://standards.ieee.org/board/pat/pat-slideset.ppt>
      2. Patent FAQ - <http://standards.ieee.org/board/pat/faq.pdf>
      3. LoA Form - <http://standards.ieee.org/board/pat/loa.pdf>
      4. Affiliation FAQ - <http://standards.ieee.org/faqs/affiliationFAQ.html>
      5. Anti-Trust FAQ - <http://standards.ieee.org/resources/antitrust-guidelines.pdf>
      6. Ethics - <http://www.ieee.org/portal/cms_docs/about/CoE_poster.pdf>
      7. IEEE 802.11 Working Group Operartions Manual - <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/14/11-14-0629-14-0000-802-11-operations-manual.docx>
   3. Chair asked if there is any potentially essential patent that people are aware of.
      1. No potentially essential patent reported.
4. Attendance
   1. Chair asked the attendees to send an email to Yasu ([inoue.yasuhiko@lab.ntt.co.jp](mailto:inoue.yasuhiko@lab.ntt.co.jp)) and/or Osama ([osama.aboulmagd@huawei.com](mailto:osama.aboulmagd@huawei.com)) to record attendance.
5. Announcement
   1. Chair mentioned that the WG letter ballot on the 802.11ax draft 1.0 is on going and encouraged people to submit comments.
6. Presentations
   1. **(MediaTek) presented “PAR Verification Single BSS Simulation,” based on the submission 11-16-1604-00.**
      1. Summary:
         1. System level simulation results for several UL scenarios using 11ax OFDMA were presented comparing with the results of 802.11ac.
         2. As the number of STAs increases, in UL, 11ax OFDMA has more system throughput gain over 802.11ac.
         3. Will continue to work on multiple BSS scenario definition and simulation, and make contribution to TGax Simulation scenario and EVM documents.
      2. Discussion:
         1. A member asked a question why the throughput pf 11ax is so stable. 🡪 It is because all of the UL transmissions by 11ax STAs are scheduled, there is no collision, hence no performance degradation.
         2. Chair asked follow-up questions for the details of UL sequence such as duration of one UL transmission and frame aggregation. Additionally, chair asked the scheduling of MU transmissions. 🡪 Basically, STAs are randomly chosen.
         3. Another member asked some questions:
            1. Is the overhead of the Trigger frame is considered? 🡪 Yes.
            2. Reason of choosing MCS9 for UL MU. 🡪 It is because of the distance between AP and STAs in the scenario.
            3. The impact of scheduling algorithm for UL MU. 🡪 Priority scheduling could have an impact on the 5th percentile throughput. In the simulation, the authors tried to eliminate the impact of between the different implementations scheduling algorithm and assumed the random scheduling.
         4. There was a question if the authors have any idea to change our simulation scenarios and/or evaluation methodology. 🡪 It is the intension of this simulation works. There was a discussion how to change the documents. The authors think that additional scenario for PAR verification will be good.
      3. Next Step:
         1. We need a proposal to change our simulation scenario and/or evaluation methodology documents. Offline discussions encouraged.
         2. One of the authors mentioned that single BSS scenario is just a start for this work and the plan is to propose a simplified OBSS scenario for PAR verification.
         3. A member emphasized the importance of OBSS scenario.
         4. Additional results to be presented in January 2017 session.
7. AOB
   1. No other business.
8. Adjourn
   1. Meeting adjourned at 21:46 (ET).
9. List of Attendees

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|  | **Name** | **Affiliation** |
| 1 | Osama Aboul-Magd | Huawei Technologies |
| 2 | Tomoko Adachi | Toshiba |
| 3 | Jason Yunchen Guo | Huawei |
| 4 | Frank Hsu | MediaTek |
| 5 | Yasuhiko Inoue | NTT |
| 6 | Junichi Iwatani | NTT |
| 7 | Suhwook Kim | LG Electronics |
| 8 | Geonjung Ko | Wilus Institute |
| 9 | Sung Eun Lee | Cypress |
| 10 | Joseph Levy | InterDigital |
| 11 | Shoko Shinohara | NTT |
| 12 | Xiaofei Wang | InterDigital |
| 13 | James Yee | MediaTek |
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# Teleconference on Tuesday, January 10th, 2017, 11:00 – 13:00 (ET)

1. Meeting called to order by Osama Aboul-Magd (Huawei Technologies), the chairperson of TGax @ 11:03 (ET).
   1. To join the meeting:
      1. <https://join.me/IEEE802.11>, Conference ID: 808-571-868
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      4. Annoucements, if any.
      5. Comment assignments (Robert Stacy)
      6. AOB
      7. Adjourn
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      5. Anti-Trust FAQ - <http://standards.ieee.org/resources/antitrust-guidelines.pdf>
      6. Ethics - <http://www.ieee.org/portal/cms_docs/about/CoE_poster.pdf>
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5. Announcements
   1. Chair mentioned that comments from some members may be missing due to the trouble in uploading the comment sheet and asked people to make sure the submitted comments are included in the comment spreadsheet.
      1. The editor suggested a motion to include the missing comments in the January Session.
   2. There are duplicated comments as well.
6. Comment assignment, by Robert Stacy, the technical editor of TGax
   1. Summary - Robert summarized the comments based on the report that he had sent out.
      1. Total number of comments is 7334, for now.
      2. There are 4029 technical comments that we need to resolve.
      3. The plan is to assign the comments section by section to an owner. People who are interested in providing resolutions should contact to the owner of the related clause.
   2. PHY Comments

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| **Clause** | **Clause title** | **Owner** |
| 28 | High Efficiency (HE) PHY specification | - |
| 28.1 | Introduction | - |
| 28.1.1 | Introduction to the HE PHY | Lochan Verma (Qualcomm) |
| 28.1.2 | Scope | - |
| 28.1.3 | HE PHY functions | Lochan Verma (Qualcomm) |
| 28.1.3.1 | General |
| 28.1.3.2 | PHY management entity (PLME) |
| 28.1.3.3 | Service specification method |
| 28.1.4 | PPDU format |
| 28.2 | HE PHY service interface | Bo Sun (ZTE) |
| 28.2.1 | Introduction | - |
| 28.2.2 | TXVECTOR and RXVECTOR parameters | Bo Sun (ZTE) |
| 28.3 | HE PHY | - |
| 28.3.1 | Introduction | - |
| 28.3.2 | MU transmission | - |
| 28.3.2.1 | Introduction | Jinsoo Choi (LG Electronics) |
| 28.3.3 | OFDMA and SU tone allocation | Jinsoo Choi (LG Electronics) |
| 28.3.3.1 | General |
| 28.3.3.2 | Resource unit, guard and DC subcarriers |
| 28.3.3.3 | Null subcarriers |
| 28.3.3.4 | Pilot subcarriers |
| 28.3.3.5 | RU restriction rules when operating 20 MHz |
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| 28.3.3.7 | DL MU transmission |
| 28.3.3.8 | DL MU-MIMO |
| 28.3.3.8.1 | Minimum RU size in DL MU-MIMO |
| 28.3.3.8.2 | Maximum number of spatial streams in an HE MU PPDU |
| 28.3.3.8.3 | Resource indication and STA self-identification in an HE MU PPDU |
| 28.3.3.9 | UL MU transmission |
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| 28.3.3.10 | UL MU-MIMO |
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| 28.3.3.10.2 | Minimum RU size in UL MU-MMIMO |
| 28.3.3.10.3 | MU-MIMO LTF Mode |
| 28.3.3.10.4 | Maximum number of spatial streams in an HE trigger-based PPDU |
| 28.3.3.10.5 | Resource allocation for an HE trigger-based PPDU |
| 28.3.4 | HE PPDU formats | Sigurd Shelstraete (Qantenna) |
| 28.3.5 | Transmitter block diagram | Xiaogang Chen (Intel) |
| 28.3.6 | Overview of the PPDU encoding process |
| 28.3.6.1 | General |
| 28.3.6.2 | Construction of L-STF |
| 28.3.6.3 | Construction of L-LTF |
| 28.3.6.4 | Construction of L-SIG |
| 28.3.6.5 | Construction of RL-SIG |
| 28.3.6.6 | Construction of HE-SIG-A |
| 28.3.6.7 | Construction of HE-SIG-B |
| 28.3.6.8 | Construction of HE-STF |
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| 28.3.6.10 | Construction of the Data field in an HE SU PPDU, HE extended range SU PPDU, and HE trigger-based PPDU |
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| 28.3.6.10.2 | Using LDPC |
| 28.3.6.11 | Construction of the Data field in an HE MU PPDU |
| 28.3.6.11.1 | General |
| 28.3.6.11.2 | Using BCC |
| 28.3.6.11.3 | Using LDPC |
| 28.3.6.11.4 | Combining to form an HE MU PPDU |
| 28.3.7 | HE modulation and coding schemes (HE-MCSs) | Eunsung Park (LG Electronics) |
| 28.3.8 | Timing-related parameters | Bin Tian (Qualcomm) |
| 28.3.9 | Mathematical description of signals | Hongyuan Zhang (Marvell) |
| 28.3.10 | HE preamble | - |
| 28.3.10.1 | Introduction | <open> |
| 28.3.10.2 | Cyclic shift | <open> |
| 28.3.10.2.1 | Cyclic shift for pre-HE modulated fields | <open> |
| 28.3.10.2.2 | Cyclic shift for HE modulated fields | <open> |
| 28.3.10.3 | L-STF | Hongyuan Zhang (Marvell) |
| 28.3.10.4 | L-LTF |
| 28.3.10.5 | L-SIG |
| 28.3.10.6 | RL-SIG |
| 28.3.10.7 | HE-SIG-A | Ron Porat (Broadcom) |
| 28.3.10.7.1 | General | - |
| 28.3.10.7.2 | Content | Ron Porat (Broadcom) |
| 28.3.10.7.3 | CRC computation |
| 28.3.10.7.4 | Encoding and modulation | Hongyuan Zhang (Marvell) |
| 28.3.10.8 | HE-SIG-B | Sigurd Schelstraete (Quantenna) |
| 28.3.10.8.1 | Encoding and modulation |
| 28.3.10.8.2 | Frequency domain maping |
| 28.3.10.8.3 | Time domain encoding | Hongyuan Zhang (Marvell) |
| 28.3.10.8.4 | HE-SIG-B common content | Sigurd Schelstraete (Quantenna) |
| 28.3.10.8.5 | HE-SIG-B per-user content |
| 28.3.10.9 | HE-STF | Hongyuan Zhang (Marvell) |
| 28.3.10.10 | HE-LTF |
| 28.3.11 | Data field | <open> |
| 28.3.11.1 | General |
| 28.3.11.2 | Pre-FEC padding process |
| 28.3.11.3 | SERVICE field |
| 28.3.11.4 | Scrambler |
| 28.3.11.5 | Coding |
| 28.3.11.5.1 | Binary convolutional coding and puncturing |
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| 28.3.11.5.3 | Post-FEC padding |
| 28.3.11.5.4 | Encoding process for an HE MU PPDU |
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| 28.3.11.6 | Stream parser |
| 28.3.11.7 | Segment parser |
| 28.3.11.8 | BCC interleaver |
| 28.3.11.9 | Constellation mapping |
| 28.3.11.10 | Space-time block coding |
| 28.3.11.11 | LDPC tone mapper |
| 28.3.11.12 | Segment deparser |
| 28.3.11.13 | Pilot subcarriers |
| 28.3.11.14 | OFDM modulation |
| 28.3.11.15 | Dual carrier modulation |
| 28.3.12 | Packet extension | Sung Eun Lee (Cypress) |
| 28.3.13 | Non-HT duplicate transmission | <open> |
| 28.3.14 | Transmit requirements for an HE trigger-based PPDU | Lochan Verma (Qualcomm) |
| 28.3.14.1 | Introduction |
| 28.3.14.2 | Power pre-correction |
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| 28.3.15 | SU-MIMO and DL MU-MIMO beamformig |
| 28.3.15.1 | General |
| 28.3.15.2 | Beamforming feedback matrix V |
| 28.3.15.3 | CQI-only feedback |
| 28.3.16 | HE preamble format for sounding PPDUs | Sigurd Schelstraete (Quantenna) |
| 28.3.17 | Receiver specification | Bin Tian (Qualcomm) |
| 28.3.17.1 | General |
| 28.3.17.2 | Receiver minimum input sensitivity |
| 28.3.17.3 | Adjacent channel rejection |
| 28.3.17.4 | Nonadjacent channel rejection |
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| 28.3.17.6.2 | CCA sensitivity for operating classes requiring CCA-ED |
| 28.3.17.6.3 | CCA sensitivity for signals occupying the primary 20 MHz channel |
| 28.3.17.6.4 | CCA sensitivity for signals not occupying the primary 20 MHz channel |
| 28.3.18 | Transmit specification | Bin Tian (Qualcomm) |
| 28.3.18.1 | Transmit spectral mask |
| 28.3.18.2 | Spectral flatness |
| 28.3.18.3 | Transmit center frequency and symbol clock frequency tolerance |
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| 28.3.18.4.2 | Transmit center frequency leakage |
| 28.3.18.4.3 | Transmitter constellation error |
| 28.3.18.4.4 | Transmitter modulation accuracy (EVM) test |
| 28.3.18.5 | Time of Departure accuracy |
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| 28.4.1 | PLME\_SAP sublayer management primitives | <open> |
| 28.4.2 | TXTIME and PSDU\_LENGTH calculation | <open> |
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| 28.5 | Parameters for HE-MCSs | Bin Tian (Qualcomm) |
| Annex B | Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS) proforma | Edward Au (Huawei Technologies) |
| Annex C | ASN.1 encoding of the MAC and PHY MIB |
| Annex G | Frame exchange sequences | Osama Aboul-Magd (Huawei Technologies) |

* 1. MAC Comments

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| 4 | General description | - |
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| 6.2 | Generic management primitives | - |
| 6.3 | MLME SAP interface | - |
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| 6.3.3.3 | MLME-SCAN.confirm |
| 6.3.3.3.2 | Semantics of the service primitive |
| 6.3.4 | Synchronization | <open> |
| 6.3.4.2 | MLME-JOIN.request |
| 6.3.4.2.2 | Semantics of the service primitive |
| 6.3.7 | Associate | <open> |
| 6.3.7.4 | MLME-ASSOCIATE.inducation |
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| 9.2.5 | Duration/ID fields (QoS STA) | Po-Kai Huang (Intel) |
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| 9.2.5.7 | Setting for control response frames |
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| 9.3.1.5 | PS-Poll frame format | - |
| 9.3.1.6 | CF-End frame format | <open> |
| 9.3.1.8 | BlockAckReq frame format | George Cherian (Qualcomm) |
| 9.3.1.8.1 | Overview |
| 9.3.1.8.2 | Basic BlockAckReq variant |
| 9.3.1.9 | BlockAck frame | George Cherian (Qualcomm) |
| 9.3.1.9.1 | Overview |
| 9.3.1.9.3 | Compressed BlockAck variant |
| 9.3.1.9.7 | Multi-STA BlockAck variant |
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| 9.3.1.23.2 | Beamforming Report Poll variant |
| 9.3.1.23.3 | MU-BAR variant |
| 9.3.1.23.4 | MU-RTS variant |
| 9.3.1.23.5 | BSRP variant |
| 9.3.1.23.6 | GCR MU-BAR variant |
| 9.3.1.23.7 | Bandwidth Query Report Poll variant |
| 9.3.2 | Data frames | - |
| 9.3.3 | Management frames | - |
| 9.3.3.1 | Beacon frame format | <open> |
| 9.3.3.5 | Association Request frame format | <open> |
| 9.3.3.6 | Association Response frame format | <open> |
| 9.3.3.7 | Reassociation Request frame format | <open> |
| 9.3.3.8 | Reassociation Response frame format | <open> |
| 9.3.3.10 | Probe Request frame format | - |
| 9.3.3.11 | Probe Response frame format | <open> |
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| 9.4.1.63 | HE Compressed Beamforming Report field | Lochan Verma (Qualcomm) |
| 9.4.1.64 | HE MU Exclusive Beamforming Report field |
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| 9.4.2 | Elements | <open> |
| 9.4.2.1 | General | <open> |
| 9.4.2.3 | Supported Rates and BSS Membership Selector element | <open> |
| 9.4.2.6 | TIM element | <open> |
| 9.4.2.27 | Extended Capabilities element | <open> |
| 9.4.2.139 | ADDBA Extension element | <open> |
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| 9.4.2.218.1 | General | <open> |
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| 9.4.2.218.5 | PPE Threshold field | <open> |
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| 9.4.2.220 | OFDMA-based Random Access Parameter Set (RAPS) element | <open> |
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| 9.4.2.223 | Quiet Time Period Setup element | <open> |
| 9.4.2.224 | Quiet Time Period Request element | <open> |
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| 9.6 | Action frame format details | - |
| 9.6.4 | DLS Action frame details | - |
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| 9.6.8 | Public Action details | <open> |
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| 9.6.28.1 | HE Action field | - |
| 9.6.28.2 | HE Compressed Beamforming And CQI frame format | Lochan Verma (Qualcomm) |
| 9.6.28.3 | HE BSS Color Change Announcement frame format | <open> |
| 9.6.29 | Quiet Time Period Action frame details | Chao-Chun Wang (MediaTek) |
| 9.7 | Aggregate MPDU (A-MPDU) | Liwen Chu (Marvell) |
| 9.7.1 | A-MPDU format |
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| 10 | MAC sublayer functional description | - |
| 10.2 | MAC architecture | <open> |
| 10.3 | DCF | - |
| 10.3.1 | General | <open> |
| 10.3.2 | Procedures common to the DCF and EDCAF | - |
| 10.3.2.1 | CS mechanism | - |
| 10.3.2.3 | IFS | - |
| 10.3.2.3.7 | EIFS | Jeongki Kim (LG Electronics) |
| 10.3.2.4 | Setting and resetting the NAV | Po-Kai Huang (Intel) |
| 10.3.2.4a | Duration-based RTS/CTS | <open> |
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1. AoB
   1. The next call is scheduled on Thursday, January 12th, 2017, from 20:00 (ET).
   2. Will continue the assignment of the comments. Need volunteers.
2. Adjournment
   1. TGax teleconference adjourned @ 12:59 (ET)
3. List of attendees

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| 8 | Laurent Cariou | Intel |
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| 20 | Mark Hamilton | Ruckus/Brocade |
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| 25 | Yasuhiko Inoue | NTT |
| 26 | Jeongki Kim | LG Electronics |
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| 48 | Jonathan Segev | Intel |
| 49 | Yongho Seok | Newracom |
| 50 | Julien Sevin | Canon Research |
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| 57 | Lochan Verma | Qualcomm |
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1. Meeting called to order by Osama Aboul-Magd (Huawei Technologies), the chairperson of TGax @ 20:03 (ET).
   1. To join the meeting:
      1. <https://join.me/IEEE802.11>, Conference ID: 808-571-868
   2. Introduction of the chairperson and secretary.
2. Agenda Setting
   1. Proposed Agenda
      1. Call the meeting to order
      2. IEEE 802 and 802.11 IPR Policy and Procedure
      3. Attendance reminder (Please send an e-mail to Yasuhiko Inoue (inoue.yasuhiko@lab.ntt.co.jp) and/or Osama Aboul-Magd (osama.aboulmagd@huawei.com))
      4. Annoucements, if any.
      5. Comment assignments (Robert Stacy and all)
      6. AOB
      7. Adjourn
   2. Approval of the agenda
      1. Chair asked if there is any item to add to the agenda. 🡪 No item to add to the agenda.
      2. Chair asked if there is any objection to approve the agenda. 🡪 No objection. The agenda was approved.
3. IEEE 802 and 802.11 IPR Policy and Procedure
   1. Chair mentioned that we are operating under the IEEE 802 and 802.11 Policy and Procedure.
   2. Relevant documents
      1. IEEE Patent Policy - <http://standards.ieee.org/board/pat/pat-slideset.ppt>
      2. Patent FAQ - <http://standards.ieee.org/board/pat/faq.pdf>
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      4. Affiliation FAQ - <http://standards.ieee.org/faqs/affiliationFAQ.html>
      5. Anti-Trust FAQ - <http://standards.ieee.org/resources/antitrust-guidelines.pdf>
      6. Ethics - <http://www.ieee.org/portal/cms_docs/about/CoE_poster.pdf>
      7. IEEE 802.11 Working Group Operartions Manual - <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/14/11-14-0629-14-0000-802-11-operations-manual.docx>
   3. Chair asked if there is any potentially essential patent that people are aware of.
      1. No potentially essential patent reported.
4. Attendance
   1. Chair asked the attendees to send an email to Yasu ([inoue.yasuhiko@lab.ntt.co.jp](mailto:inoue.yasuhiko@lab.ntt.co.jp)) and/or Osama ([osama.aboulmagd@huawei.com](mailto:osama.aboulmagd@huawei.com)) to record attendance.
5. Announcements
   1. No announcement.
6. Comment assignment, by Robert Stacy, the technical editor of TGax
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| 10.3.2.4 | Setting and resetting the NAV | Po-Kai Huang (Intel) |
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1. AoB
   1. Plans for the next week:
      1. Comment assignment to be continued.
      2. People to start work together reviewing and resolving the comments. Some comments will be re-assigned.
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2. Adjournment

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