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Abstract

This document contains the minutes for September to November 2021 TGbe teleconferences.

Revisions:

* Rev0: First revision of the document.

# 5th Conf. Call: Sept 22 (10:00–12:00 ET)

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* MAC: <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1574-02-00be-minutes-for-tgbe-mac-ad-hoc-teleconferences-sept-to-nov-2021.docx>

# 6th Conf. Call: Sept 23 (10:00–12:00 ET)

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# 7th Conf. Call: Sept 27 (19:00–21:00 ET)

Split PHY and MAC:

* PHY: <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1594-00-00be-minutes-of-802-11be-phy-ad-hoc-meetings-september-to-november-2021.docx>
* MAC: <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1574-02-00be-minutes-for-tgbe-mac-ad-hoc-teleconferences-sept-to-nov-2021.docx>

# 8th Conf. Call: Sept 29 (10:00–12:00 ET)

1. The Chair, Alfred Asterjadhi (Qualcomm) calls the meeting to order at 10:02 ET.
2. IEEE 802 and 802.11 IPR policy and procedure
   1. Patent Policy: Ways to inform IEEE:

* Cause an LOA to be submitted to the IEEE-SA ([patcom@ieee.org](mailto:patcom@ieee.org)); or
* Provide the chair of this group with the identity of the holder(s) of any and all such claims as soon as possible; or
* Speak up now and respond to this Call for Potentially Essential Patents
* If anyone in this meeting is personally aware of the holder of any patent claims that are potentially essential to implementation of the proposed standard(s) under consideration by this group and that are not already the subject of an Accepted Letter of Assurance, please respond at this time by providing relevant information to the WG Chair. **Nobody speaks/writes up.**

1. The Chair goes through the **Copyright Policy**: Participants are advised that
   1. IEEE SA’s copyright policy is described in [Clause 7](https://standards.ieee.org/about/policies/bylaws/sect6-7.html#7) of the IEEE SA Standards Board Bylaws and [Clause 6.1](https://standards.ieee.org/about/policies/opman/sect6.html) of the IEEE SA Standards Board Operations Manual;
   2. Any material submitted during standards development, whether verbal, recorded, or in written form, is a Contribution and shall comply with the IEEE SA Copyright Policy
2. **Patent, Participation, Copyright and policy related subclause:** The Chair goes through the *Patent And Procedures* section in [1478r11](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1478-11-00be-sept-nov-tgbe-teleconference-agenda.docx).
3. Attendance reminder.
   1. Participation slide: <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/16/ec-16-0180-05-00EC-ieee-802-participation-slide.pptx>
   2. Please record your attendance during the conference call by using the IMAT system:
      1. 1) login to [imat](https://imat.ieee.org/attendance), 2) select “802.11 Telecons (<Month>)” entry, 3) select “C/LM/WG802.11 Attendance” entry, 4) click “TGbe <MAC/PHY/Joint> conference call that you are attending.
   3. If you are unable to record the attendance via [IMAT](https://imat.ieee.org/attendance) then please send an e-mail to Dennis Sundman ([dennis.sundman@ericsson.com](mailto:dennis.sundman@ericsson.com)) and Alfred Asterjadhi ([aasterja@qti.qualcomm.com](mailto:aasterja@qti.qualcomm.com))
   4. Please ensure that the following information is listed correctly when joining the call:
      1. "[voter status] First Name Last Name (Affiliation)"
4. Announcements:
   1. Next week is IEEE 802.11be vacation.
5. Agenda.
   1. Added two technical submissions: MAC CRs.
   2. Agenda approved with unanimous consent.
6. Technical Submissions**: CRs**
   1. [**1488r0**](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1488-00-00be-cr-trigger-frame-eht-user-info-field-9-3-1-22-1-2-2.docx) **CR Trigger Frame EHT User Info Field Yanjun Sun [30C 30’]**

Yanjun goes through the CRs. Some live updates in the group. Discussions mainly regarding the use of term “Any” in some specification tables.

SP: Do you agree to resolve the following CIDs listed in [1488r1](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1488-01-00be-cr-trigger-frame-eht-user-info-field-9-3-1-22-1-2-2.docx) and incorporate the text changes into the latest TGbe draft?

* 8074, 7391, 5204, 7688, 7689, 4506, 7029, 4880, 4882, 7908, 7030, 4582, 7354, 7032, 7031, 7027, 7033, 5797, 7034, 5798, 7402, 7353, 4326, 4325, 7897, 5796, 7026, 7907, 7904, 4881

Result: Straw poll supported with no objection from the group.

* 1. [**1592r0**](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1592-00-00be-cr-trigger-frame-padding.docx) **CR Trigger frame padding Yanjun Sun [1C 15’]**

Yanjun goes through the CRs. Some comments from the group regarding the CR. Also some live updates. Further updates to be made offline.

1. Technical Submissions:
   1. [**1046r3**](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1046-03-00be-multi-ap-twt-information-sharing.pptx) **Multi-AP: TWT Information Sharing Ahmed Ibrahim [20’]**

Summary: The authors propose that APs may collaborate in setting the restricted TWT to protect certain type of traffic.

Discussion:

C: We have many types of transmissions, is that taken into consideration in this proposal?

C: This is a high level contribution and we are not restricting the types of transmissions.

C: What is the motivation here? We want more protection to the restricted TWT? What is the OBSS AP going to do with this information?

A: One motivation is to add more protection to the restricted TWT.

C: But you can only control the DL right?

Discussion not finished. The chair asks to follow up the discussion offline.

1. AoB:
   1. Those of you who are on AT&T, that’s because there is a group of MS e-mail providers that have blacklisted our IEEE servers. The emails will thus not be delivered until we have resolved it.
2. The Chair wishes everyone a nice holiday next week. Adjourned at 12:01 ET.

# 9th Conf. Call: Sept 30 (10:00–12:00 ET)

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