

# **YANGster Meeting Week 28 2020**

## **7 July 2020**

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# Hot Issues

## Active

- | MAC Address Format
- | Semantics of read-write in YANG
- | Press Release Discussion
- | IEEE P802f Update
- | YANG Revisions Update
- | Update on Tooling Guidance
  - | Add Confd (Mark E's material to be included)
- | Use of Git workflow document created
- | Status of meta-data in YANG Catalog
- | Splitting functionality out of EVB to support managed objects for ECB
- | Transmission Selection Algorithm
- | NMDA Compliance Check

# MAC Address

- | IEEE YANG canonical form uses “-” and upper case letters.

- | IETF YANG canonical form uses “:” and lower case letters.

- | Two examples that provide obvious issues that should be fixed:

- | IEEE Example:

- | IEEE 802.3.2-2019 uses yang:mac-address from IETF 6991 ietf-yang-types module as the datatype for mac addresses.

- | In the descriptions used in IEEE 802.3-2018 Annex 31B.1 (for example), the format used is upper case letters and “-” (or the IEEE definition). So the YANG doesn’t match the Standard.

- | Suggestion: fix the 802.3.2 yang to use the IEEE ieee802-types.yang definition ieee:mac-address.

- | IETF Example:

- | In RFC 8530 A.1.2 shows example state data that uses

- | “:” and upper case letters (which doesn’t match the canonical form of either IETF or IEEE).

- | Same issue in RFC 8529, RFC 8349, RFC 8022

- | Suggestion: fix the instance data to use the IETF format consistently

- | Found one instance of use of mac-address as a key in an IETF RFC.  
(RFC 8466)

- | Email sent to 802.3 YANG mailing list

# Module Metadata

- | For the following modules:
  - | ieee802-types.yang
  - | ieee802-dot1q-bridge.yang
  - | ieee802-dot1q-pb.yang
  - | ieee802-dot1q-tpmr.yang
  - | ieee802-dot1q-types.yang
  - | ieee802-dot1q-vlan-bridge.yang
- | use:
  - | maturity-level: ratified
  - | document-name: “IEEE Std 802.1Q-2018, Bridges and Bridged Networks.”
  - | reference: <https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/8403927>
  - | module-classification: network-element

# Module Metadata (cont.)

## For:

- | ieee802-dot1q-tsn-types.yang

## use:

- | maturity-level: ratified
- | document-name: "IEEE Std 802.1Qcc-2018, Bridges and Bridged Networks -- Amendment 31: Stream Reservation Protocol (SRP) Enhancements and Performance Improvements."
- | reference: <https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/8514112>
- | module-classification: network-element

## For:

- | ieee802-dot1x-types.yang
- | ieee802-dot1x.yang

## use:

- | maturity-level: ratified
- | document-name: "IEEE Std 802.1X-2020, Port-Based Network Access Control."
- | reference: <<no link in get-program yet>>
- | module-classification: network-element

# Module Metadata (cont.)

- | for:
  - | ieee802-ethernet-interface-half-duplex.yang
  - | ieee802-ethernet-interface.yang
  - | ieee802-ethernet-link-oam.yang
  - | ieee802-ethernet-pon.yang
  - | ieee802-ethernet-pse.yang
- | use:
  - | maturity-level: ratified
  - | document-name: "IEEE Std 802.3.2-2019, YANG Data Model Definitions."
  - | reference:  
<https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/8737019>
  - | module-classification: network-element

# EVB

- | Splitting functionality out of EVB to support managed objects for ECP in 802.1Q-2018
  - | Contribution



# Transmission Selection Algorithm

- | Currently there is no way to set a Transmission Selection Algorithm (TSA) for a specific traffic class in a YANG module.
  - | There is a proposal to use a uint8
  - | There is a proposal to use Identities

# NMDA Compliance Check

- | None of the currently published YANG modules in 802 or 802.1
  - | Have
    - | yang-version 1.1;
    - | Required for NMDA compliance
  - | Suggestion:
    - | Check all drafts to make sure the yang version is set correctly
- | The published modules in 802.3 do have the yang version set correctly for NMDA compliance

# Maintenance Discussion

- | <http://www.ieee802.org/1/files/public/docs2019/maint-specht-yang-comments-0919-v01.pdf>
- | Status related to 13 and 14
- | Continue with Discussion

# AoB

# Preamble

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FOR IEEE 802.1 WORKING GROUP AND TASK GROUPS



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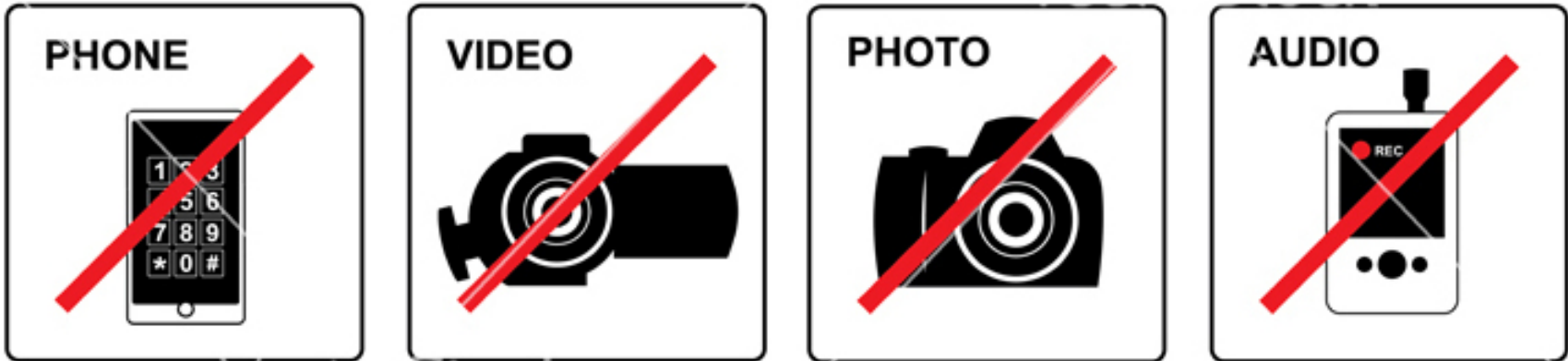


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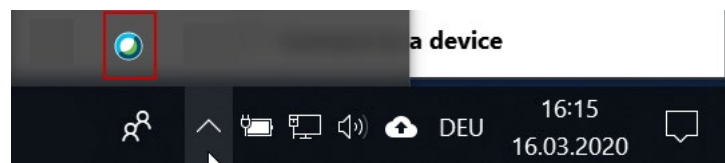
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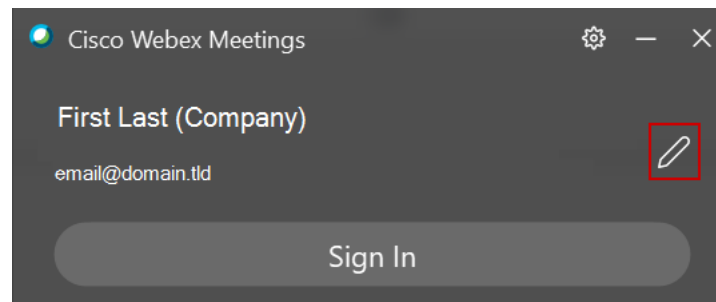
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