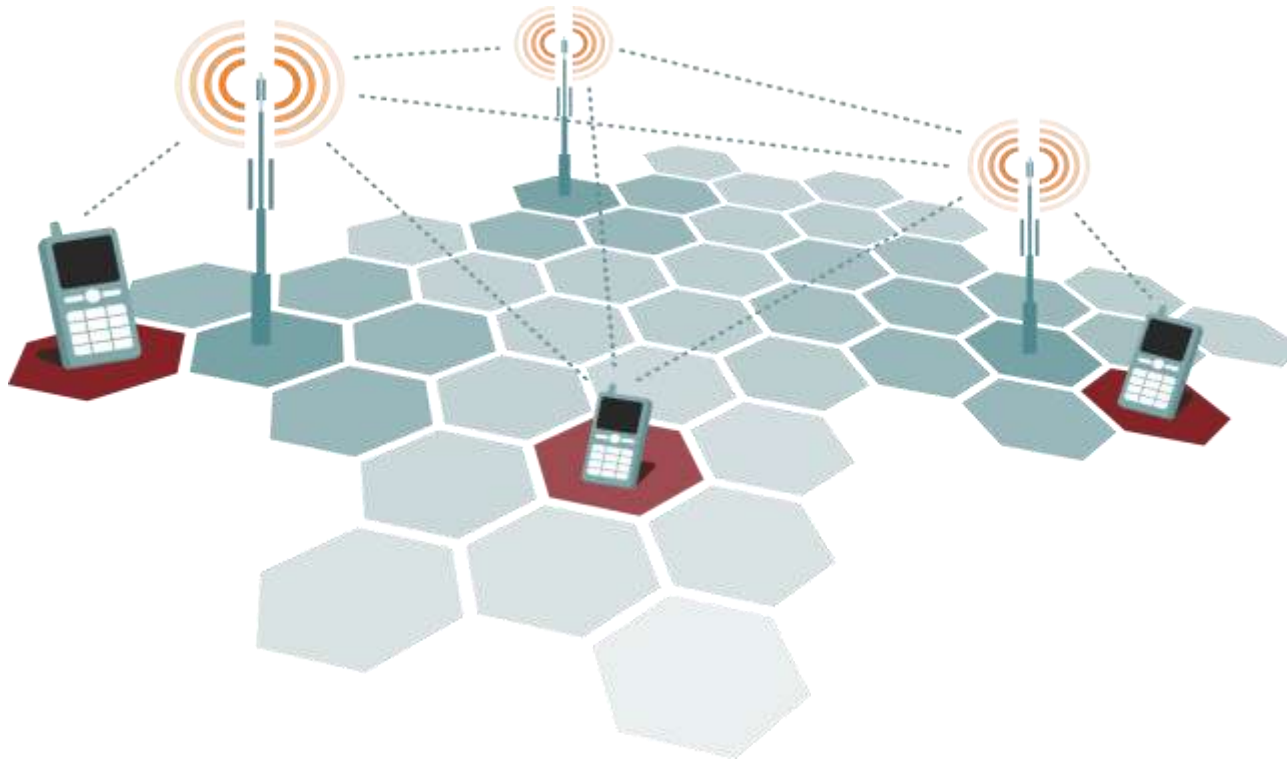




Calnex Solutions Ltd



## Status of ITU standards in November 2010

Presenter: Jean-Loup Ferrant ITU-T SG15 Q13 rapporteur

sponsored by Calnex Solutions Ltd

# Synchronization activity in ITU-T SG15

- Q9**      **Transport equipment and network protection/ restoration  
(responsible for G.781, synchronization layer)**
  
- Q13**      **Network synchronization and time distribution performance**
  
- Q15**      **Test and measurement techniques and instrumentation  
(responsible for the jitter and wander test equipments)**



# agenda

- **1-Overview of available and future recommendations**
- **2-Q13 worked on the following items**
  - **2.1 Definitions and metrics**
  - **2.2-Synchronous Ethernet - Frequency over Eth PHY layer**
  - **2.3-Use of time protocols over PSN for frequency distribution, Telecom profiles**
  - **2.4-Use of time protocols over PSN for phase and time distribution, Telecom profiles**
  - **2.5 OTN evolution**
- **3 List of ITU-T SG15 recommendations for synchronization**



# 1 - Status of standards in ITU

	TDM	OTN	SyncE	CES
• <b>Definitions</b>	•G.810			
• <b>Architecture</b>	•G.803	G.8251	•G.8261	•G.8261
• <b>Performance</b>	•G.823/4/5	G.8251	•G.8261	•G.8261
• <b>Functional model</b>	•G.781/783		•G.8264 •G.781	•G.8261
• <b>Clock specification</b>	•G.811/2/3	G.8251	•G.8262	
• <b>Test equipment</b>	•O.171/172	O.173	•O.174	



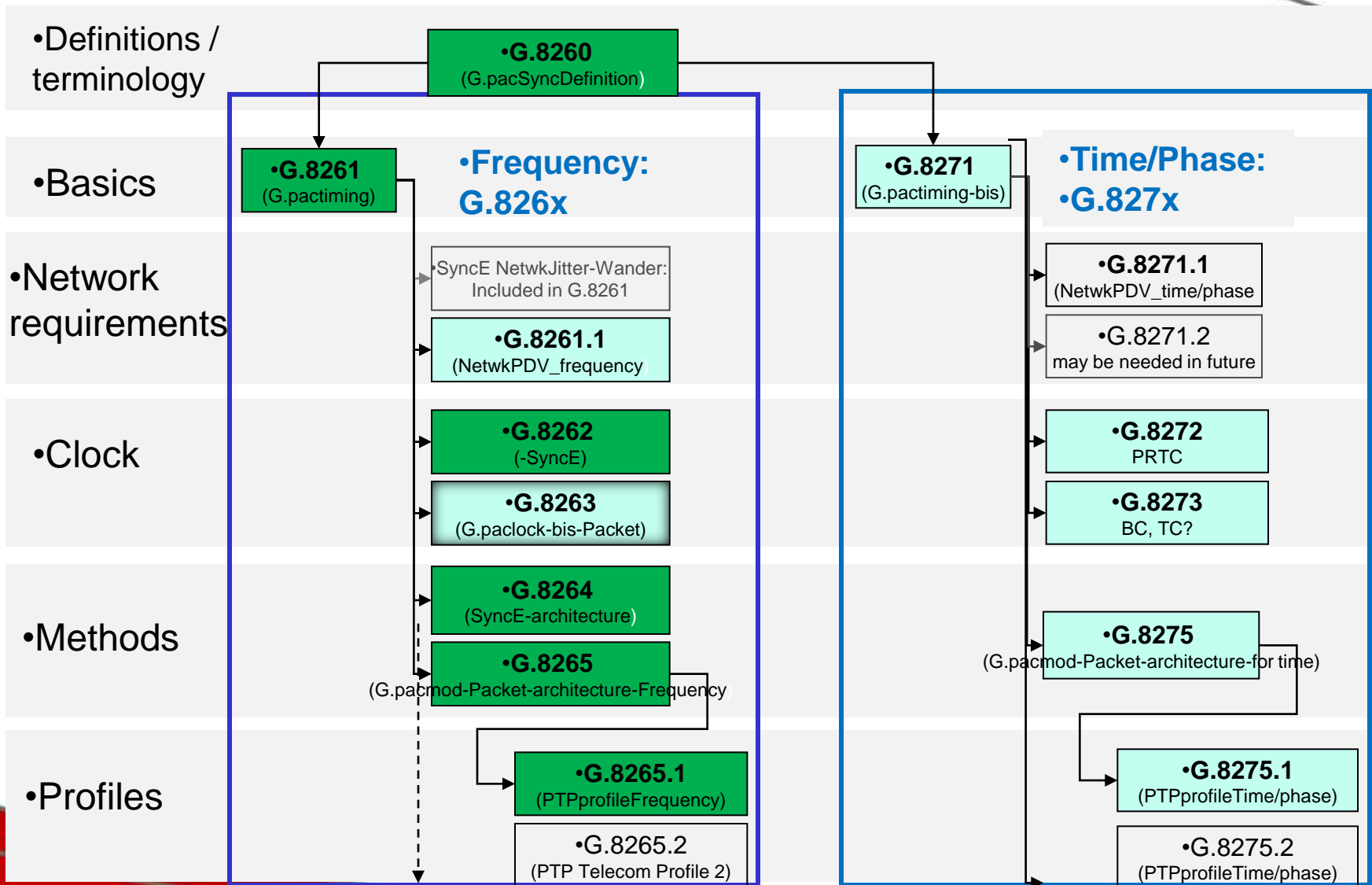
## New set of recommendations

- *It was decided in october 2009 in Geneva to split the transport of frequency and time in 2 different sets of recommendations*
  - *G.826x serie for frequency*
  - *G.827x serie for time*
- *In 2010 at the SG15 plenary in June 7 documents were consented*
  - *G.8260 new recommendation*
  - *G.8261 Amd1*
  - *G.8262 new version*
  - *G.8264 Amd1*
  - *G.8265 new recommendation*
  - *G.8265.1 new recommendation*
  - *G.8251 new version*



•agreed

•ongoing



## **•2.1 G.8260 (June2010) Definitions and metrics for the transport of frequency, phase and time**

- Equivalent to G.810 for TDM
- Definitions
  - Completed for the transport of frequency over packet networks
  - Future version expected for phase and time
- Metrics
  - G.8260 contains only a general introduction on metrics
  - It was not possible to insert metric definition, even minTDEV defined in G.8261:
    - Metrics are OK, but
    - How to characterize a network with these metric?
    - How an operator can be sure of its network?

**More work is needed in Q13, will be addressed in December 2010**

## •2.2 Synchronous Ethernet evolution

### **G.8261 Amd1 (June 2010)**

- Definition of network limits for Synchronous Ethernet**
- Clarification of « reduced Ethernet » functionality in Annex A**
  - only one direction of the interface carrying synchronization, timing plus ESMC with SSM**

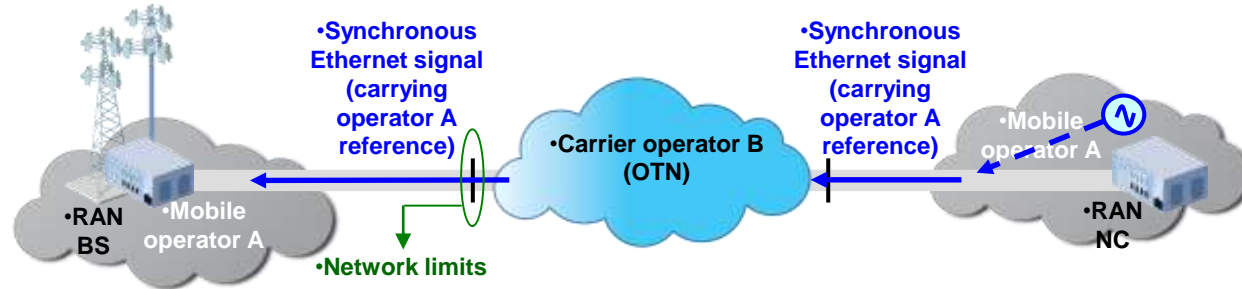


- **G.8262 (june 2010) new version replacing the 2007 one**
- **Specification of output Jitter at a G.8262 syncE interface**
  - **For 1G and 10 G**
- **Specification of the jitter tolerance at a SyncE interface**
  - **For 1G and 10 G**
- **List of Ethernet interfaces applicable to Synchronous Ethernet**  
**Taking into account the special cases**
  - **CSMA-CD**
  - **Master-slave**
  - **Auto negotiation**
  - **Point to multipoint**
- **Removal of annex A ( Reference source selection mechanism) ,**  
**since included in G.8264 (2008)**

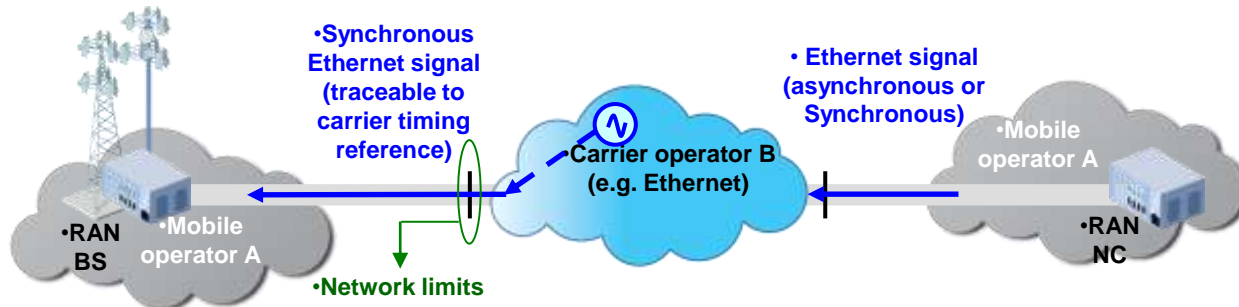
•G.8264 Amd1 (June2010)

- The main evolution is the operation of SyncE in a multi-operator context

Transport of frequency through an intermediate operator



Delivery of frequency by an intermediate operator





## •2.3 Transport of frequency

- G.8261 (non SyncE part)
- G.8261.1
  
- 1588 profile
- G.8265
- G.8265.1

- G.8261 (non SyncE point)**

**Evolution of Fig VI.14 defining test case 17 related to routing changes by failures in the network**

- G.8261.1**

**New recommendation addressing network PDV will start in December 2010**

**Its goal is to define PDV with metrics and characterize networks performance, depends on the progress of G.8260 on metrics**

- **Telecom profile for the transport of frequency only**

- **G.8265 (June 2010)**

- **Addresses only the transport of frequency without the support of the network, intermediate nodes do not participate.**

- **G.8265 provides high level requirements**

- **G.8265 defines the general architecture**

- **G.8265.1 (June 2010)**

- **Defines the parameters of PTP chosen for the profile**

- **Type of messages**

- **Rates**

- **Mappings**

- **A specific BMCA for this profile**



## •**2.4 Transport of phase and time** (Under discussion within Q13)

- G.8271** defines the requirements
  - G.8262** defines the Primary Reference Time Clock
  - G.8273** defines clocks for BC, etc
- 
- 1588 profile
    - G.8275** defines the network architecture
    - G.8275.1** defines the protocol based on PTP



- **G.8271 (network requirements)**
- **At the October meeting contributions were addressed on:**
  - **HRM**
  - **Network limits**
  - **Noise accumulation model**
  - **Analysis of noise sources**
  - **Evaluation of 2 network scenarios**
    - **Transport of frequency by the physical layer, i.e SyncE**
    - **Transport of frequency via PTP**
  - **Network protection requirements**
  
- **Expected consent date: November 2011**



- G.8272**

- This recommendation will define the PRTC**

- At the October meeting progress were done on the definition of the clock giving reference to the time**

**Expected consent date: November 2011**





- **G.8273**

- **Specification of the clock performance of a boundary clock**
- **accuracy**
- **Noise generation**
- **Holdover**
- **Etc**

**This specification is needed in addition to IEEE 1588 specification to specify a boundary clock for use in telecom networks as IEEE 1588 specifies « only » a protocol.**

**Expected consent date: November 2011**

- **Telecom profile for the transport of phase and time**
  - **General architecture choices agreed**
    - Hop by hop, no end to end architecture
    - With full support of the network
    - First profile will address BC
    - TC under evaluation / layer violation
  - **G.8275 (Telecom profile-network architecture)**
    - Independance or not of the frequency and time planes
    - Analysis of Boundary and Transparent clocks
      - Effect on the network architecture
      - Choice of clock for the first profile
    - Evaluation of architecture based on 2 network scenarios
      - Transport of frequency by the physical layer, i.e SyncE
      - Transport of frequency via PTP
    - Network protection architecture
    - Analysis of asymetry effect and ways to overcome it
- Expected consent date: November 2011**



- **G.8275.1**
- **telecom profile- protocol definition**
  - **Choice of clock**
  - **One step-two step**
  - **Unicast vs multicast**
  - **PTP mapping**
  - **PTP messages**
  - **PTP messages rates**
  - **Protection mechanism**
  - **PTP domains**
  - **Management aspects**
  - **Security aspects**

**Expected consent date: Novembre 2011**



Calnex Solutions Ltd

## **2.5 OTN**

### **-new version of G.8251 (June 2010)**

- To follow evolution of G.709, new specifications were added
  - Jitter for multilane interfaces: OTU3.4 & OTU4.4 (tbd)
  - Jitter for Oduflex (tbd)
  - Specification of jitter generation for ODU0 and ODU2e, 1G, 10G, CBR40G
- Introduction of Ethernet in the ODUk clocks
- Based on network simulations the bandwidth of desynchronizer for a 1G Ethernet tributary has been specified as 100 Hz
- Appendix VII introduces a new reference chain, after simulations

### **-Transport of PTP through OTN**

- Under discussion within SG15 WP3



## **3-List of ITU-T main recommendations related to synchronization**

- **G.803 (2000), *Architecture of transport networks based on the synchronous digital hierarchy (SDH)***
- **G.810 (1996), *Definitions and terminology for synchronization networks***
- **G.811 (1997), *Timing requirements of primary reference clocks***
- **G.812 (2004), *Timing requirements of slave clocks suitable for use as node clocks in synchronization networks***
- **G.813 (2003), *Timing requirements of SDH equipment slave clocks (SEC)***
- **G.822 (1988), *Controlled slip rate objectives on an international digital connection***
- **G.823 (2000), *The control of jitter and wander within digital networks which are based on the 2048 kbit/s hierarchy***
- **G.824 (2000), *The control of jitter and wander within digital networks which are based on the 1544 kbit/s hierarchy***
- **G.825 (2000), *The control of jitter and wander within digital networks which are based on the synchronous digital hierarchy (SDH )***
- **G.781 (1999), *Synchronization layer functions***



- **Recommendations for timing over packet networks**
- ***G.8260 (2010) Definitions and terminology for synchronization in packet networks***

## **Recommendations for Synchronous Ethernet**

- ***G.781 (2009), Synchronization layer functions***
- ***G.8261 (2008), Timing and Synchronization aspects in Packet Networks***
  - ***G.8261 Amd1 (2010)***
- ***G.8262 (2010), Timing characteristics of synchronous Ethernet Equipment slave clock (EEC)***
- ***G.8264 (2008), Distribution of timing through packet networks***
  - ***G.8264 Amd1 (2010)***



- **Recommendations for the telecom profile for frequency only**
- ***G.8265 (2010) Architecture and requirements for packet based frequency delivery***
- ***G.8265.1 (2010) ITU-T profile for frequency distribution without timing support from the network (provisional title)***
- **Recommendations for OTN**
- ***G.8251 (2010) The control of jitter and wander within the optical transport network (OTN)***



## Recommendation on Jitter and wander tests equipments

- ***O.171 for PDH***
- ***O.172 for SDH***
- ***O.173 for OTN***
- ***O.174 (2009) Jitter and wander measuring equipment for digital system based on synchronous Ethernet network***





## Future recommendations ( provisional titles)

- **G.8261.1 Packet Delay Variation Network Limits applicable to Packet Based Methods (Frequency Synchronization)**
- ***G.8271 (2011) Network requirements for transport of time/phase***
- ***G.8272 (2011) specification of Primary Reference Time Clock***
- ***G.8273 (2011) specification of clocks for the transport of time/phase***
- ***G.8275 Packet network architecture for the transport of time/phase***
- ***G.8275.n Telecom profiles for the transport of time/phase***



Calnex Solutions Ltd

**[www.calnexsol.com](http://www.calnexsol.com)**

Jean-loup Ferrant

Jean-loup.ferrant@calnexsol.com

Calnex Paragon Sync

