

SDV Technical Advisory Committee - TAC

03 February 2026

Attendees

TAC Committee Members

Primary Representative	Alternate Representative	Organisation
☐ Martin Wagner	☐ Memsud Godinjak	BMW
☐ Jan Kleinsorge	☐ tbn	Cariad
☐ Paul Sherwood		Codethink
☐ Erickson, Brent	☐ Eli Kazum	Harman
☐ Thilo Schmitt (chair)	☐ Frank Scholte...	Mercedes-Benz Tech Innovation
☐ Daniel Krippner	☐ Björn Reistel	ETAS GmbH
☒ Eduard Metzker	☐ tbn	Vector Informatik
☐ Nico Hartmann (Qorix)	☐ Gunther Bauer	ZF Friedrichshafen AG
☐ Thomas Michelbach	☐ Christian Winkler	Traton
☐ Lutz Niebergall (Conti)		Participant Members Elected Representative
☐ Holger Dormann (EB)		Participant Members Elected Representative
☐ Pete LeVasseur		Committee Members Elected Representative

EF Staff:

- ☐ Sara Galian
- ☐ Dana Vede
- ☐ Sharon Corbett
- ☐ Ansgar Lindwedel
- ☒ Christian Heissenberger
- ☐ Frédéric Desbiens

Meeting Minutes

Key topics

- Presentation of **Eclipse SDV OpenSDK initiative**
- Presentation and discussion of **Eclipse SKyBT**

Summary

- Minutes of the previous meeting were approved.
- Gunther presented the concept of an **OpenSDK for Eclipse SDV**, intended to reduce fragmentation across projects by providing a common development toolchain.
- Discussion covered build infrastructure, safety qualification preparation, and language support (initially **C++ and Rust**).
- Members emphasized avoiding vendor lock-in and leveraging **S-CORE infrastructure** rather than creating forks.
- SKyBT project maintainers presented their project, followed by Q&A about:
 - Test case databases
 - Keyword-based testing approaches
 - AI support
 - extensibility and review processes.
- Feedback raised concerns about future maintainability and integration with SDV projects.