

**IEEE TURKEY Section Report March 2011****Officers:**

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**Election Date: 01/01/2010****Term End Date: 31/12/2012**

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**Membership:**

As of **03 March 2011**, the IEEE Turkey Section has a total of 1526 active members (29 Affiliates, 31 Associate Members, 11 Fellow, 301 Graduate Student Members, 2 Life Fellow, 1 Life Members, 7 Life Senior, 550 Members, 84 Senior Members and 510 Student Members).

**Meetings:**

7 technical, 1 professional, and 5 administrative meetings have been held since **January 2010**.

**Activities in the near future:**

- Develop initiatives for more involvement of women in IEEE
- Improve industry relations and attract more members from the industry
- Technically cosponsor 4 conferences and workshops in 2011  
<http://www.ieee.org.tr/conferences.html>
- Organize the First IEEE Turkey Section Student Project Contest where the winners will be supported for international contests
- Develop a portal for student branches for effective and efficient communication and collaboration

**Best practices:****Topics to be discussed in London:**

- Student branch reporting

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IEEE Turkey Section Chair