

Subject: Data subgroup comments  
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## 1 Comments On N1583

2 C2: In the edit for [251:12], insert “,” before “except” and “may have a different accessibility attribute,  
 3 or it” after “entity”.

4 C7: In the edit for [73:22-24] Replace “with ... one.” by “. If the VALUE attribute is specified for a  
 5 dummy argument of derived type, all length type parameter values shall be specified by initialization  
 6 expressions.”

## 2 Comments on 04-277

8 Agree that there is a problem, but the edit proposed for [46:13-14] does not accomplish the objective of  
 9 preventing components from being polymorphic. Furthermore, it would be better to tie the constraint  
 10 to the component declaration syntax rule. Instead:

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11 C437 $\frac{1}{2}$  (R440) A component shall not be declared with the CLASS keyword if SEQUENCE (4.5.1.2) 50:17+  
 12 appears in the type definition.

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13 [Agree with the strategy, but it would be kinder to the reader if the definitions of “numeric sequence 46:17-22  
 14 type” and “character sequence type” appeared first in each sentence instead of last. Replace “If ...  
 15 character sequence type.” by

16 “The type is a **numeric sequence type** if there are no type parameters, no pointer or allocatable  
 17 components, and each component is of type default integer, default real, double precision real, default  
 18 complex, default logical, or a numeric sequence type. The type is a **character sequence type** if there  
 19 are no type parameters, no pointer or allocatable components, and each component is of type default  
 20 character or a character sequence type.”