

Fortran 2000 Workplan

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The base for Fortran 2000 is Fortran 95. [J3](#) will integrate the material from the following "R" and "T" items (and any "M" and "B" items that are finished in time) into the Fortran 95 standard to prepare the Fortran 2000 draft standard; J3 will deliver this draft document to [WG5](#) in early 2000.

Firm Requirements, being developed by J3		specs	syntax	edits	latest document	champion
R.1	Derived-Type Input/Output	96-177	Aug'97	Feb'98	97-184	R. Bleikamp
R.2	Asynchronous Input/Output		96-158r2	Aug'97	97-185	R. Bleikamp
R.3	Procedure Pointers	96-146	Aug'97	Feb'98	97-174r1	R. Maine
R.4	Interval Arithmetic	Aug'97	Feb'98	Aug'98	97-105	B. Kearfott
R.5	Parameterized Derived Types		97-104r1	Aug'97	97-104r2	K. Hirchert
R.6	Inheritance/Polymorphism	97-183r2	Nov'97	May'98	97-183r2	M. Cohen
R.7	Constructors/Destructors	Aug'97	Feb'98	Aug'98	WG5#89	K. Hirchert
R.8	Internationalization	Nov'97	May'98	Nov'98	97-146	S. Whitlock
Miscellaneous Technical Enhancements (MTE) optional - those finished by February 1999 will be included in Fortran 2000						
M.1	Increased Statement Length		96-138	Aug'97	96-138	L. Rolison
M.2	Intent for Pointer Arguments		96-098r1	Aug'97	96-098r1	R. Maine
M.3	Generic RATE_COUNT in SYSTEM_CLOCK			97-160r1	97-160r1	C. Dedo
M.4	Specifying Pointer Lower Bounds			96-154	96-154	J. Martin
M.5	Extend MAX/MIN Ininsics to CHARACTER			97-156r1	97-156r1	L. Meissner
M.6	Extended Initialization Expressions	Aug'97	Nov'97	May'98	97-157	L. Meissner
M.7	Lower-Case Syntax Elements			97-161r2	97-161r2	C. Dedo
M.10	Named Scratch Files		96-169r2	Aug'97	97-162r2	C. Dedo
M.15	Renaming Defined Operators	Aug'97	Nov'97	Feb'98	WG5#41	S. Whitlock
M.16	Derived-Type Assignment Fix	97-145	Aug'97	Nov'97	97-145	M. Cohen
M.17	Enhanced Complex Constants	Aug'97	Nov'97	Feb'98	96-131r1	L. Rolison
MTE candidates approved by WG5 lowest priority - if it has time, J3 may process some of these as MTE items						
B.1	VOLATILE attribute				97-129r1	
B.2	Allow PUBLIC Entities of PRIVATE Type				WG5#75	
B.3	PUBLIC and PRIVATE Derived-Type Components				97-124	
B.4	Stream Input/Output				WG5#63	

B.5	Command Line Arguments	97-163	
B.6	Access to Status Error Messages	97-159	
B.7	IEEE I/O Rounding Inquiry Intrinsics	97-126	
Technical Reports			
Fortran 2000 requirements prepared and published by development bodies other than J3			
T.1	Floating Point Exception Handling	N1274	J. Reid
T.2	Interoperability with C	N1277	M. Hennecke
T.3	Allocatable Structure Components	N1275	M. Cohen

Questions and suggestions regarding specific items may be addressed to the respective "champions". Questions about and corrections to this workplan may be addressed to the J3 chair, [J. Wagener](#).

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Separate, Optional Parts of the Fortran Family of Standards (separate standards; not incorporated into Fortran 2000)	status
Varying String Data Type Functionality defined; possible derived-type/module implementation provided.	standard approved
Conditional Compilation A Fortran-like facility that provides the conditional compilation functionality of <i>cpp</i> , but not the other forms of preprocessing.	draft in process

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