

ISO/IEC/JTC 1/SC 2/WG 2/IRG
Ideographic Rapporteur Group (IRG)

Resolutions of IRG Meeting #37

Source : IRG Meeting #37
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Date : 2011-11-07 to 2011-11-11

IRG Meeting #37, attended by delegates from China, Japan, Hong Kong SAR, Macao SAR, Republic of Korea (ROK), TC A, USA, and the Unicode Consortium, has declared the following Resolutions:

Resolution IRG M37.1: Future Meeting Schedule

Unanimous

The IRG resolves to adopt the following future meeting schedule:

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| IRG #38 | Gyeongju, Korea, 2012-06-18~22 hosted by KATS — approved by WG2 already |
| IRG #39 | Hanoi, Vietnam, 2012-11-12~16 hosted by Vietnam Standards Institute — to be approved by WG2 |
| IRG #40 | Hong Kong SAR, 2013-05-20~24 hosted by HK Polytechnic University(tentative) — to be approved by WG2 |

Resolution IRG M37.2: Font Submission Guidelines

Unanimous

Action: All Member Bodies

In order to simplify the work of the ISO/ IEC 10646 Project Editor and to better ensure that newly submitted or revised glyphs are formatted properly, each member body shall use unique names for all updated font submissions. Details shall be outlined in IRG N1822 (to be provided shortly after IRG #37).

Resolution IRG M37.3: Extension E Schedule

**Unanimous
Action: All Member Bodies**

The IRG accepts the Ext. E Editorial Report in IRGN1824. The IRG further accepts the Ext. E work schedule as follows.

- 2011-12-30: China submits a list of withdrawn characters to the IRG Rapporteur and the IRG Technical Editor.
- 2012-01-13: The IRG Technical Editor distributes IRGN1829 CJK_Ev7.0 to IRG members' chief editors.

Review Round 1

- 2012-03-16: IRG members' chief editors submit review reports to the IRG Chief Editor.
- 2012-03-23: The IRG Chief Editor distributes consolidated comments to IRG members' chief editors and the IRG Technical Editor.
- 2012-03-30: The IRG Technical Editor distributes IRGN1830 CJK_Ev7.1 to IRG members' chief editors.

Review Round 2

- 2012-05-25: IRG members' chief editors submit review reports to the IRG Chief Editor.
- 2012-06-08: The IRG Chief Editor distributes consolidated comments to IRG members' chief editors and the IRG Technical Editor.
- 2012-06-18: The IRG Technical Editor submits IRGN1831 CJK_Ev7.2 to IRG#38.

Discussion during IRG#38 (2012-06-18 to 22)

- IRG editors will fix all attribute problems in the list of characters with Attributes comments of CJK_Ev7.0 and 7.1.
- IRG editors will discuss font problems (minor glyph changes and font quality) and will decide if those characters with fixed glyphs can be kept in CJK_E.
- IRG sets the CJK_E submission (to WG2) date.

Resolution IRG M37.4: Extension B and FDIS Balloting

Unanimous

IRG approves the content of CJK Extension B as revised during IRG #37 and made available as IRG N1828. The result will be used by the ISO/IEC 10646 Project Editor to produce the CJK Extension B multi-column code charts for FDIS 10646 3rd edition. IRG members are encouraged to review the FDIS code charts and provide relevant feedback as errata for a future amendment to ISO/IEC 10646 3rd edition.

The IRG further instructs its Rapporteur to forward the Errata Report generated from IRG #36 and #37 in the consolidated document IRGN 1838 to WG2.

Resolution IRG M37.5: IRGWDS Update

Unanimous

Based on comments provided in IRG N1826 from ROK, the IRGWDS will be updated by its editor as IRG N1839 one month before IRG #38. Member feedback should reach the Rapporteur by June 7, 2012 for discussion and finalization in IRG #38.

Resolution IRG M37.6: Investigating the Use of IVD for Unifiable Character Submissions (IRG N1788)

Unanimous

Action: All Member Bodies

The IRG encourages its members to consider using the IVD to register IVSes as a viable solution for submitted characters that become unified, but whose distinctions are deemed important enough to preserve in “plain text” contexts. The IRG considers it inappropriate to be an IVD registrant.

Resolution IRG M37.7: Old Hanzi Work

Unanimous

Action: All Member Bodies

The IRG accepts the Old Hanzi Expert Group Report (IRGN1814) and its working schedule as follows.

2011-12-15	Member body review of SW radicals 77-540 in IRGN 1814 Appendices in Excel form using pre-assigned document numbers(IRGN 1832-1834)
2011-12-31	Secretary makes consolidated comments available (IRGN 1835).
2012-02-01	Written feedback by members to secretary.
2012-02-20~23	Old Hanzi Ad Hoc Meeting in Tokyo, Japan.
IRG#38	Report work and plan to IRG 38.

Resolution IRG M37.8: Old Hanzi Principles and References V3 Draft

Unanimous

Action: All Member Bodies

The IRG requests the Old Hanzi Expert Group to review the revised Old Hanzi Principles and References (IRG N1827 Appendix) and also suggestions for further revision(Section 1 of IRG N1827), and to submit feedback by 2012-05-15 for discussion at IRG #38.

Resolution IRG M37.9: Old Hanzi Coding Framework

**Unanimous
Action: All Member Bodies**

The IRG requests that the Old Hanzi Expert Group to review IRG N1771 along with ROK's comments on IRG N1771 and also IRGN1827 Section 2. IRG requests the Old Hanzi Expert Group to come up with a preliminary coding requirement specification for discussion at IRG #38. The IRG further requests the Old Hanzi Expert Group to review IRGN1786(and comments from ROK and Japan) on font quality in terms of design and give feedback for discussion in IRG #38.

Resolution IRG M37.10: IRG Principles and Procedures Update

Unanimous

The IRG accepts the revised version of the IRG Principles and Procedures (IRG N1823), which incorporates suggestions provided by ROK in IRG N1781 and IRG N1782. IRG further instructs the Rapporteur to forward the revised IRG PnP to WG2 for review and comments.

Resolution IRG M37.11: New kIRG_JSource Source Proposal

**Unanimous
Action: All Member Bodies**

The IRG encourages member bodies to review IRG N1825 from USA/Unicode, which proposes a new kIRG_JSource source, "JADOBE," and to submit comments by 2012-05-15 for discussion at IRG #38.

Resolution IRG M37.12: Extension F Preliminary Proposals

**Unanimous
Action: All Member Bodies**

The IRG requests member bodies to submit preliminary requirement and/or proposals for possible extension in preparation for its work schedule planning at IRG #38. The IRG would also like to remind member bodies to rigorously adhere to the IRG Principles and Procedures (IRG N1823) when preparing submissions.

Resolution IRG M37.13: Providing Total Strokes in Submissions

**Unanimous
Action: All Member Bodies**

In response to WG2 request(IRGN 1789, IRGN 1790) for an additional total stroke count requirement, some IRG members need more time to consider the implication for future submissions although some members have considered it acceptable. The IRG further request its member bodies to give their feedback for discussion in IRG #38.

Resolution IRG M37.14: Appreciation

By Acclamation

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