

# L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X document class for J3 work

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## 1 Introduction

2 This paper describes a L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X document class designed to be used for constructing J3 documents.  
3 It is intended to be used both for setting the standard, and for writing meeting papers.

## 4 2 Large-scale document structure

5 L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X documents begin with a `\documentclass` command. The J3 document class is derived  
6 from the `book` document class. All of the options of that document class continue to work. An  
7 additional option `memo` has been added that makes `\section` the top level structure. If `memo`  
8 does not appear, `\chapter` is the top level structure. The `\documentclass` command at the  
9 beginning of this document is:

```
10 \documentclass[twoside,11pt,memo]{j3}
```

11 In addition to the `memo` option and options of the `book` class, one can put the following options  
12 in the `\documentclass` command:

13 `color` turns on background color for notes. This is the default but it's easier to change the  
14 default than to add new `\documentclass` options.

15 `nocolor` turns off background color for notes. The reason for this is that some versions of  
16 the X-windows previewer, `xdvi`, are not able to cope with the commands that generate  
17 background colors. Also, some versions of the “device independent” (dvi) file processor  
18 for output to Laser Jet printers, `dvilj`, don't understand those commands.

19 The primary differences between the `book` document class and the `j3` document class are:

20 (1) The default page style is to have headers and footers on every page. The headers  
21 and footers have a flush-left part, a flush-right part and a centered part.

22 If `memo` does not appear, the page heading is for the draft standard. If `memo` appears,  
23 the default is to put nothing into the center of the headers and footers, and the page

1 numbering becomes “Page <this-page> of <last-page>.” One is expected to put  
 2 `\label{lastpage}` immediately before the `\end{document}` command. The memo  
 3 option is intended for producing meeting papers.

4 Two commands, that you are expected to renew, are invoked during production of  
 5 the page headers and footers. The first is `\hdate`, and the second is `\vers`. Neither  
 6 one has an argument. Here are examples of the commands to renew them. You can  
 7 put them immediately after the `\documentclass` command.

```
8 \renewcommand{\hdate}{\today\ \printtime} % Date for headers and footers
9 \renewcommand{\vers}{<paper number>} % Version for headers
```

10 The `\hftitle` command is used to fill the center part of the header and footer. Its  
 12 default if memo is absent is WORKING DRAFT. If memo appears, its default is empty. In  
 13 this document, it's

```
14 \renewcommand{\hftitle}{\LaTeX\ document class for J3}
```

15 The `\hff` command, default `\sffamily\bfseries\large`, is used to set the header  
 17 and footer font.

18 (2) There is a new sectioning command `\annex`. It generates the correct form of clause  
 19 heading for annexes of 007. It is a synonym for `\appendix`.

20 (3) The sectioning commands invoke a command `\secfont` to set the font for sections.  
 21 The default is `\sffamily`. You can, of course, renew this command. Unlike in  
 22 the book class, our `\chapter` command doesn't put “Chapter” before the clause  
 23 number, and puts the title all on one line.

24 (4) The page layout is adjusted to be the same as the draft standard.

25 (5) Numerous environments and commands have been added. These are described be-  
 26 low.

27 There is an `ifISO` switch that, if true, changes the format of page headers and footers, and  
 28 sabotages line numbering.

### 29 3 Cross-reference labels

30 The document class provides a command `\divn` that takes two arguments. The first is expected  
 31 to be a sectioning command, and the second is the title of the section. It invokes its first  
 32 argument and gives it its second argument. Then it creates a label consisting of “D” followed  
 33 by the clause number in arabic numerals and a colon, and then the second argument. Blanks  
 34 and everything else are significant in labels, and the case of letters is significant. T<sub>E</sub>X special  
 35 characters, e.g. `\` and `}`, are not allowed. The clause number is inserted in an attempt to make  
 36 labels unique. If memo is specified, the clause number is zero. Remember that in L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X one can  
 37 refer to the text of an entity's number with the `\ref` command, and to the text of its page  
 38 number with the `\pageref` command. This section was begun with

```
39 \divn\section{Cross-reference labels}
```

40 This reference, i.e. (3), was produced with `\ref{D0:Cross-reference labels}`.

41 You can't use `\divn` if the section title has a command in it (because of the `\`).

42 In any case, you can create your own labels, on section commands or elsewhere, with the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X  
 43 `\label` command. If a label is in a table, an equation, a figure, an item in a list, the left-hand  
 44 side of a BNF term, a constraint (6), a note (8), and perhaps a few other places, a `\ref` to that  
 45 label will produce the object's number, not the section number.

46 The `\Cref` command is provided to make references to constraint numbers consistent: It puts

1 “C” before the constraint number. for example `\Cref{abc constraint}` generates C601 (see  
2 section 6).

3 The `\nref` command is provided to make references to note numbers consistent: It puts “Note”  
4 before the note number.

5 The `\parlabel` command creates a label for a reference that includes a paragraph number (see  
6 section 11), which is not included in the reference created by the `\label` command. The format  
7 of the generated reference is `<subclause number>:<paragraph number>`.

## 8 **4 Font specifiers**

9 There are several font specifiers:

10 **st** The `\st` command sets its argument in “syntax term” type face. The default definition is  
11 `\emph`, which in turn defaults to italic.

12 **obs** The `\obs` command sets its argument in “obsolete font”. The command  
13 `\obs{obsolete}` produces *obsolete*.

14 **cf** The `\cf` command sets its argument in “code font” font. The command  
15 `\cf{code font}` produces `code font`.

16 **obscf** is a combination of `\obs` and `\cf`

## 17 **5 Support for BNF**

18 Numerous commands are provided to support BNF.

### 19 **5.1 Commands to create BNF**

#### 20 **5.1.1 The `\bnf` command**

21 The `\bnf` command is the basic command to set BNF rules. It takes three arguments. The  
22 first is the syntax number and syntax term. The second is either **is** or **or** (of course, you can  
23 stick anything you want in there). The third is the right-hand side of the BNF rule. The first  
24 argument is set in a box 2.25 inches wide. The second is set in `\bf` font in a box equal to the  
25 width of **or** plus 1em. The third one is set in a L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X `\mbox`, so if it is long, it will extend  
26 into the margin instead of being folded. It isn’t folded automatically, because we want the  
27 continuation mark (see 5.1.7).

28 If an internal flag `@bnfindex` is **true** it puts the entire syntax rule in the index of syntax rules.  
29 This flag is set by `\bnfi` (5.1.4) and cleared by `\bnfn` (5.1.9) and `\bnfx` (5.1.8) commands.  
30 There is a `\bmf` command that doesn’t put things in the index.

31 For example, the command `\bnf{\st{abc}}{is}{DEF \st{ghi} JK}` produces  
32 *abc* **is** DEF *ghi* JK

33 The `\bnf` command doesn’t automatically start or finish a paragraph, so if you don’t put blank  
34 lines or `\` around it, you will find a BNF rule in the middle of a line.

35 Other commands described below are usually easier to use, so you probably won’t use either  
36 `\bnf` or `\bmf` directly.

#### 37 **5.1.2 The `\xsn` command**

38 The `\xsn` (“explicit syntax number”) command takes two arguments. The first is an op-  
39 tional syntax rule number (optional arguments are enclosed in square brackets). The sec-  
40 ond argument is a syntax term. It puts “R” in front of the first argument and sets it in a

1 box 0.5in wide, and then sets the second in the `\st` type face. This is one of the ways to  
 2 create the first argument for the `\bnf` command. Using `\xsn` in the previous example, e.g.  
 3 `\bnf{\xsn[604]{abc}}{is}{DEF \st{ghi} JK}` produces  
 4 R604 *abc* is DEF *ghi* JK  
 5 You probably won't use `\xsn` directly.

### 6 5.1.3 The `sn` command

7 The `\sn` (“syntax name”) command takes one argument, a syntax term. It sets its argument  
 8 in `\st` type face. Then it creates a new syntax number by incrementing the `sr` (“syntax rule”)   
 9 counter, and concatenating it (with at least two digits) onto the clause or section number (the  
 10 latter if `memo` is specified). Finally, it creates a label consisting of `sr:` (for “syntax rule”)   
 11 followed by the argument.

12 Using `\sn` in the previous example, e.g. `\bnf{\sn{abc}}{is}{DEF \st{ghi} JK}` produces  
 13 R501 *abc* is DEF *ghi* JK

14 Notice that we're in section 5, and that is the leading digit of the syntax rule number. Also  
 15 notice that “R” has been put ahead of the syntax number. This is because `\sn` uses `\xsn`  
 16 (5.1.2) to combine the generated syntax number and the syntax term. You probably won't use  
 17 `\sn` directly.

### 18 5.1.4 The `bnfi` command

19 The `\bnfi` (“BNF is”) command takes two arguments. The first is the syntax rule name, and  
 20 the second is the (first line of) its right-hand side. It generates a syntax rule number and  
 21 sets the name, using the `\sn` command. Then it puts this as the first argument of the `\bnf`  
 22 command, puts `is` as the second argument, and puts its second argument as the third argument  
 23 of `\bnf`. If `memo` is not present in the `\documentclass` command, it enters the syntax term into  
 24 the index of syntax terms, to be displayed with the syntax rule number and a bold face page  
 25 number, enters the entire syntax rule in the index of syntax rules, and sets a switch that causes  
 26 subsequent syntax rules also to be entered in that index. Our above example could have been  
 27 written `\bnfi{abc}{DEF \st{ghi} JK}`, producing

28 R502 *abc* is DEF *ghi* JK

29 This would put “*abc* (R502), 4” into the index of syntax terms. By the way, the “index term”  
 30 is *abc* alone, so if you put a reference to *abc* in the syntax term index (using the `\tindex`  
 31 command – see section 7), it will come at the same place in the index.

32 Notice that the example syntax rule above is not exactly the same as in section 5.1.3, because  
 33 a new syntax rule number has been invented. In this document, it also generates a duplicate  
 34 label `sr:abc`, because the term *abc* was also defined in section 5.1.3. (If you have duplicate  
 35 labels, a `\ref` command refers to the last one of them, so references to `sr:abc` will be to R502.)

### 36 5.1.5 The `bnfo` command

37 The `\bnfo` (“BNF or”) command takes one argument – the (first line of the) right-hand side  
 38 of the `or` part of a syntax rule. It's the same as `\bnf{}{or}{<right-hand-side>}`. We might  
 39 continue our above example with `\bnfo{PQR \st{xyz}}`, which produces

40 or PQR *xyz*

### 41 5.1.6 The `bnfr` command

42 The `\bnfr` (“BNF right-hand-side”) command takes one argument – (one line of) the right-  
 43 hand side of a syntax rule. It puts the `\bnfc` syntax rule continuation symbol (see 5.1.7) before

1 its argument, and then uses the result as the third argument for `\bnf`, i.e. it's the same as  
2 `\bnf{}{}{\bnfc <right-hand side>}`.

### 3 **5.1.7 The `\bnfc` command**

4 The `\bnfc` (“BNF continuation”) command has no arguments. It produces the BNF continua-  
5 tion symbol, *viz.* ■ . You need to put this at the end of the right-hand side of continued BNF  
6 rules, but `\bnfr` (see 5.1.6) will put it at the beginning of continuing lines for you.

### 7 **5.1.8 The `\bnfx` command**

8 The `\bnfx` (“BNF **is** with eXplicit rule number”) command takes three arguments. The first  
9 is an explicitly specified rule number. The second is the syntax term. The third is the (first  
10 line of the) right-hand side of the rule. The first two arguments are put together by `\xsn`.  
11 This result is then used as the first argument of `\bnf`, with **is** for the second argument, and  
12 the third argument of `\bnfx` is used as the third argument for `\bnf`. This one is intended to  
13 be useful for producing meeting papers, wherein you want to refer to a syntax rule number in  
14 the standard, not have L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X invent one for you. It does not enter its name into the index of  
15 syntax terms, or the rule into the index of syntax rules, and it turns off the switch that causes  
16 subsequent BNF-generation commands to put their rules into the index of syntax rules.

### 17 **5.1.9 The `\bnfn` command**

18 The `\bnfn` (“BNF **is** with rule number gotten by reference to a Name”) takes two arguments:  
19 the syntax term for the left-hand side, and the (first line of the) right-hand side. The syntax  
20 number is gotten by reference to the name (the first argument). This command is used when  
21 quoting a syntax rule in a place other than its home. The syntax rules that are defined in  
22 section 7 of the standard but referenced in section 3 are set using the `\bnfn` command. It does  
23 not enter its name into the index of syntax terms, or the rule into the index of syntax rules,  
24 and it turns off the switch that causes subsequent BNF-generation commands to put their rules  
25 into the index of syntax rules.

### 26 **5.1.10 The `\bnfz` command**

27 The `\bnfz` (“BNF *zilch* – BNF **is** with no rule number”) command takes two arguments: the  
28 syntax term for the left-hand side, and the (first line of the) right-hand side. No syntax rule  
29 number is produced, but the left-hand side is indented the same amount it would be if a syntax  
30 number were provided.

### 31 **5.1.11 The `\bnfb` command**

32 The `\bnfb` (“BNF block”) command takes one argument: a part of the right-hand side of a  
33 syntax rule. It doesn't put `\bnfc` before the right-hand side. It is intended to be used for  
34 constructs.

## 35 **5.2 Commands to reference syntax terms**

36 There are several commands to display and reference syntax terms and rule numbers. The ones  
37 that claim to enter syntax terms into the index of syntax terms only do so if the `memo` option  
38 is not present in the `documentclass` command.

### 39 **5.2.1 The `\si` command**

40 The `\si` (“syntax index”) command takes one argument – a syntax term. It sets it in `\st` type  
41 face, and enters the reference into the index of syntax terms.

### 1 5.2.2 The `stdef` command

2 The `\stdef` (“syntax term definition”) command takes one argument – a syntax term. It sets  
3 it in `\st` type face, and enters the reference into the index of syntax terms with a bold-face  
4 page number.

### 5 5.2.3 The `sir` command

6 The `\sir` (“syntax index with reference number”) command takes one argument – a syntax  
7 term. It sets it in `\st` type face, then sets its rule number between parentheses, and finally  
8 enters the reference into the index of syntax terms. For example, `\sir{abc}` produces *abc*  
9 (R502) (*abc* was defined in section 5.1.4).

### 10 5.2.4 The `sid` command

11 The `\sid` (“syntax index with definition page number”) command takes one argument – a  
12 syntax term. It sets it in `\st` type face, then enters the reference into the index of syntax  
13 terms, with its rule number, as a definition – i.e., with a bold-face page number.

### 14 5.2.5 The `sidn` command

15 The `\sidn` (“syntax index with no syntax number but a definition page number”) command  
16 takes one argument – a syntax term. It sets its argument in `\st` type face, and enters it in the  
17 index with a bold face page number. This is intended to be used for the definition of terms  
18 that are defined by explanation rather than BNF rules – e.g. *letter*.

### 19 5.2.6 The `sinr` command

20 The `\sinr` (“syntax index with no syntax number”) command takes one argument – a syntax  
21 term. It sets its argument in `\st` type face, and enters it in the index. This is intended to be  
22 used for terms that are defined by explanation rather than BNF rules – e.g. *letter*.

### 23 5.2.7 The `snref` command

24 The `\snref` (“syntax number reference”) command takes one argument – a syntax term. It  
25 sets its syntax rule number (not between parentheses). For example `\snref{abc}` produces  
26 R502 (*abc* was defined in section 5.1.4).

### 27 5.2.8 The `sref` command

28 The `\sref` (“syntax reference”) command takes one argument – a syntax term. It does every-  
29 thing that the `\sir` command does, except for putting a reference in the index.

## 30 6 Constraints

31 The `\dcons` command sets one constraint. It invents new constraint numbers in the same way  
32 that syntax rule numbers are invented (but with a “C” instead of an “R”). See section 5.1.3. The  
33 generated constraint number includes the section number. The command takes two arguments.  
34 The first one is optional (remember that optional arguments are enclosed in square brackets).  
35 It is an explicit constraint number (with “C” if you want it) to override the generated one. This  
36 is intended for meeting papers. The constraint counter is incremented even if an explicit one is  
37 provided.

38 The second argument is the text of the constraint. Here is an example of a constraint on R502,  
39 produced by `\dcons{\snref{abc}}\label{abc constraint} The \st{ghi} shall be a ghi.}`:  
40 C601 (R502) The *ghi* shall be a ghi.

1 This command ends with `\par` (“end a paragraph”), so don’t put `\\` after it. You’ll get an  
 2 error “No line to end here” if you do.  
 3 The width of the label is the same as the space allowed for the syntax rule number in a BNF  
 4 definition (actually  $0.5\text{in} + 1\text{em}$ ).

## 5 **7 Commands for indexing**

6 There are three low-level commands to generate index terms. The reason for three is to have  
 7 separate indices for general terms, syntax terms, and the syntax rules themselves.

8 The commands are `\mindex` to enter a term in the “main” index, `\rindex` to enter a complete  
 9 syntax rule in the “syntax rule” index, and `\tindex` to enter a syntax term in the “syntax term”  
 10 index. There is also a `\mindex*` command that sets its text *and* puts it in the index. There are  
 11 also `\mindexd` and `\mindexd*` commands that are for definitions – they put a bold-face page  
 12 number in the index.

13 The BNF commands use `\tindex` and `\rindex`. You will probably not use `\tindex` directly –  
 14 it is preferable to use it by way of `\si` (5.2.1) or `\sir` (5.2.3). The `\tindex` command is not  
 15 effective if `\memo` appears in the `\documentclass` command. The `\rindex` command doesn’t do  
 16 anything if the class-internal flag `@bnfindx` is false, so there’s no reason to try to use `\rindex`  
 17 directly. It is also not effective if `\memo` appears in the `\documentclass` command.

18 The `\kw` command puts a keyword into the index. The `\kw*` command puts the keyword into  
 19 the text and the index. There are also `\kwd` and `\kwd*` commands that are for definitions –  
 20 they put a bold-face page number in the index.

## 21 **8 Environments for notes**

22 The `note` environment increments a note counter, sets **NOTE** followed by the section and note  
 23 numbers separated by a period, and then puts the body of the note in a box. If a note is split,  
 24 the note heading is duplicated on the continuing page with “**(cont.)**”.

25 Note backgrounds can be colored. The color can be specified by defining `noteback`, e.g.,  
 26 `\definecolor{noteback}{gray}{0.95}`. Note coloring can be turned off by putting the  
 27 `nocolor` option in the `\documentclass` command, or by specifying the `\nocolor` command. It  
 28 can be turned back on with the `\docolor` command. One reason to turn off note background  
 29 coloring is that it is done by PostScript specials. Neither `xdvi` nor `dvilj` know what to do with  
 30 these; they just throw up their hands in despair “Oh Dear! PostScript color specials! I better  
 31 just do black (no matter what the color)!” So you get a black background with black text on  
 32 it.

33 Here’s a note created by

```
34 \begin{note}
35   This is a note. Its background color is noteback and its
36   foreground color is notefore.
37 \end{note}
```

### NOTE 8.1

This is a note. Its background color is noteback and its foreground color is notefore.
--

38 The `xnote` environment sets a note with **NOTE** followed by an explicit note number. This is

1 primarily intended for meeting papers. The `\begin{xnote}` command is followed by the note  
2 number in curly brackets. Here's a note created by

```
3 \begin{xnote}{14.42}
4 This is a note. Its background color is noteback and its
5 foreground color is notefore.
6 \end{xnote}
```

#### NOTE 14.42

This is a note. Its background color is noteback and its foreground color is notefore.

7 The `jnote` environment is intended for setting internal J3 notes. The `\begin{jnote}` command  
8 is followed by the note header in curly brackets. Here's a note created by

```
9 \begin{jnote}{J3 internal note}
10 This is a note. Its background color is noteback and its
11 foreground color is notefore.
12 \end{jnote}
```

#### J3 internal note

This is a note. Its background color is noteback and its foreground color is notefore.

13 The `UTI` environment is intended for setting Unresolved Technical Issue notes. The `\begin{UTI}`  
14 command is followed by the UTI number in curly brackets. It sets the note header and body  
15 in red. Here's a note created by

```
16 \begin{UTI}{666}
17 This is a UTI note. Its background color is noteback and its
18 foreground color is red.
19 \end{UTI}
```

#### Unresolved Technical Issue 666

This is a UTI note. Its background color is noteback and its foreground color is red.

## 20 9 Support for the intrinsic procedures sections

### 21 9.1 Subsections in the intrinsic procedures sections

22 The `\insubsection` (“intrinsic subsection”) command takes two arguments. It concatenates  
23 them with ~ (unbreakable space) between, then sets the result with the same vertical spacing,  
24 size and font as a `\subsection` command, but it doesn't create a table-of-contents entry. The  
25 section number and title are set in separate paragraph boxes so the title can take more than  
26 one line if necessary. It creates a label consisting of D followed by the clause number, a colon,  
27 and the first argument (similar to `\divn`). Here's an example: `\insubsection{ABS}{(X)}`.

### 28 9.2 Environment for the table of specific and generic names

29 The `threecol` environment is used to set the three-column table of specific and generic names  
30 in section 13.6. Actually, there are four columns – one for the bullet that indicates the specific  
31 name is not allowed to be an actual argument, but the equivalent tag in Frame was named  
32 `threecol`.



### 1 9.3 Environment to display intrinsic procedure summaries

2 The `\insum` environment is a list environment intended for the intrinsic procedure summaries  
3 in section 13.

### 4 9.4 Environment for arguments for intrinsic procedures

5 The `args` environment is a list environment. Each item sets its optional argument (the one in  
6 square brackets) in bold face type in a 1.5in box. Also see 9.5.

### 7 9.5 A command to display intrinsic procedure arguments

8 The `\intrinsicarg` command takes two arguments. The first is an intrinsic procedure argument  
9 name, and the second is its description. It does the same thing as the `args` environment (9.4),  
10 but only for one argument.

### 11 9.6 An enumeration environment for intrinsic function argument cases

12 The `incase` environment is a list environment. The label of each item is set in `\emph` type  
13 face. It consists of the word “Case” followed by the optional argument of the `\item` command  
14 in parentheses, followed by a colon. If no item label argument is given, one is generated in  
15 lower-case roman numerals. The item label is set in a box 0.8125 inches wide.

### 16 9.7 Paragraphs in intrinsic procedure descriptions

17 In the intrinsic procedures sections, paragraphs are introduced by a word in bold-face type –  
18 or not – but in either case, the paragraph is indented using the `\inp` (12.2) command (12.2)  
19 and the length `\II` (“intrinsic indent”), which has a value of 0.0in (it used to be 0.5in).

20 The paragraphs that are introduced by a word in bold-face type are generated by the following  
21 commands. The commands that end in B are intended to be “bigger” – they have more line  
22 spacing.

command	introductory word	command	introductory word
<code>argument</code>	<b>Argument</b>	<code>arguments</code>	<b>Arguments</b>
<code>class</code>	<b>Class</b>	<code>desc</code>	<b>Description</b>
<code>example</code>	<b>Example</b>	<code>exampleB</code>	<b>Example</b>
<code>examples</code>	<b>Examples</b>	<code>examplesB</code>	<b>Examples</b>
<code>reschar</code>	<b>Result Characteristics</b>	<code>restriction</code>	<b>Restriction</b>
<code>result</code>	<b>Result</b>	<code>resvalue</code>	<b>Result Value</b>
<code>resvalueB</code>	<b>Result Value</b>		

23 These commands generate an `inpara` (“intrinsic paragraph”) command, which takes two ar-  
24 guments – the bold-faced word, and the rest of the paragraph. The `inpara` command puts a  
25 period after the bold-faced word, and sets the whole thing as an “indented paragraph” using  
26 the `\inp` command.

## 27 10 Miscellaneous list environments

28 There are several list environments, with their label widths and styles chosen to match the draft  
29 standard.

### 30 10.1 A general enumeration environment

31 The `enum` environment is similar to the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X `enumerate` environment. The differences are

- 1 (1) the outermost label width is 3/4 inch
- 2 (2) the remaining label widths are 3/8 inch
- 3 (3) the numbering for the outermost level is arabic in parentheses
- 4 (4) the numbering for the second level is lower-case alphabetic in parentheses
- 5 (a) that is, like this one

6 The remainder of its behavior is the same as for the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X `enumerate` environment. I looked  
 7 superficially for three-level lists in the draft standard, but didn't find any. If there are any, it  
 8 will be easy to change `enum` to have the desired style.

## 9 10.2 A “non-bold label” description environment

10 The `nbdesc` environment is a list environment that works like the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X `description` environ-  
 11 ment, except that it doesn't set the labels in bold face type.

## 12 11 Line and paragraph numbers

13 The `j3` class accesses the `lineno` package, which can be used to put line numbers into the  
 14 left margin. Line numbering doesn't work in the table of contents or list of figures, and  
 15 it's turned off in the note environments because it sabotages page breaking within notes.  
 16 It also doesn't look very good in multi-column environments, such as the index. The com-  
 17 mand `\pagewiselinenumbers` turns on line numbering that restarts on every page. The  
 18 command `\linenumbers*` turns on line numbering that runs continuously. The command  
 19 `\nolinenumbers` turns off line numbering. The length `linenumbersep` specifies the distance  
 20 from the line number to the left margin of the text. The default value is 10pt, but it's changed  
 21 to 30pt in the standard. The symbol `linenumberfont` specifies the line number font. Its default  
 22 is set by `\def\linenumberfont{\normalfont\footnotesize\sffamily}`.

23 The `j3` class includes a mechanism to number paragraphs in the left margin.

24 If paragraph numbering is accessible, it can be turned on with the `\doparnums` command, and  
 25 turned off with the `\noparnums` command. The length `parnumsep` specifies the distance from  
 26 the paragraph number to the left margin of the text. The default value is 3pt. The symbol  
 27 `\theparnum` sets the paragraph number. Its default is set by

28 `\def\theparnum{\small\sffamily\mdseries\upshape\arabic{par@number}}`.

29 It's important to specify the font completely, else a font attribute that is not specified here and  
 30 that is in effect at the beginning of the paragraph will be used.

31 Paragraph numbering is turned off in sectioning commands, syntax rules, constraints, lists,  
 32 footnotes, float environments, the `alltt` environment, and notes.

33 Paragraph numbering is incompatible with the `verbatim`, `longtable` and `tabular` environ-  
 34 ments, and appears to have an occasional conflict with the `mgpar` and `mgpare` commands.  
 35 Use `alltt` instead of `verbatim`. Use `jlongtable` instead of `longtable` and `jtabular` instead  
 36 of `tabular`, or just turn off paragraph numbering (turning off page numbering doesn't make  
 37 `verbatim` work). Paragraph numbers are restarted at every document subdivision. By default  
 38 it is available. To suppress it, include the `noparnumbering` option in the `\documentclass`  
 39 command (or the `parnumbering` option to access it explicitly).

## 1 12 Miscellaneous commands

### 2 12.1 Commands to define a term

3 The `\tdef` command sets its argument in bold face type, and creates an index entry for it that  
4 will have a bold face page number.

5 The `\tdeff` command just sets its argument in bold face type, without creating an index entry.

### 6 12.2 A command to generate an indented paragraph

7 The `\inp` command generates an “indented paragraph.” It takes one argument: The amount to  
8 indent the paragraph. The entire paragraph is indented this amount. It doesn’t matter where  
9 it appears in the paragraph.

### 10 12.3 A command to generate a hanging indented paragraph

11 The `\hin` command generates a “hanging indented paragraph.” It takes one argument: The  
12 amount to indent the paragraph. The first line of the paragraph is not indented, but the rest  
13 of the paragraph is indented the amount given by the first argument. It doesn’t matter where  
14 it appears in the paragraph.

### 15 12.4 Captions in tables

16 The `\jcaption` (“J3 caption”) command generates a caption for a table that consists of the  
17 word “Table” followed by the table number and a colon, and then its argument in bold-face  
18 type. It also makes a label for the table that consists of “T” followed by a colon, followed by  
19 the text of the caption.

20 The `\ccaption` (“continued caption”) command generates a caption for the part of a table  
21 continued onto a subsequent page as for `\jcaption` but followed by “(cont.)”. It doesn’t  
22 generate a label.

### 23 12.5 Double underline

24 Some of the table headings are formatted with a double underline. This is generated with the  
25 `\dul` command.

## 26 13 Generating the standard

27 The standard is organized as a top-level document that includes low-level documents. L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X  
28 provides an `\includeonly` command that allows to process only a part of the document, without  
29 clobbering the cross references and indexes for the rest of it. If you want to generate just one  
30 part, uncomment the `\includeonly` near the top of the main document and put a file name  
31 in it (without `.tex`). Unfortunately, you frequently get an extra page or two at the beginning  
32 and/or end of the section.

33 There is a `Makefile` to make the standard.

34 The command `make 007.dvi` runs `latex` twice on `007.tex`. It is necessary to run it twice to  
35 get page numbers put into the index correctly. Then it runs `makeindex` using the J3 index style  
36 file `j3.ist`. Then it postprocesses the index using the `hyperindex` program because hyperlinks  
37 from the index to the n’t<sup>h</sup> page of the document, not the page numbered n (these are different  
38 because the page numbering is restarted after the front matter). Then it converts the index of  
39 syntax rules to something that can be put back into the document. This consists of using `sed`  
40 to remove `hyperpage` from the end of each line. Using `makeindex` wouldn’t be appropriate,  
41 because that would sort the syntax rules incorrectly (e.g. all of the `or` rules would come at the

1 end) – but it would have replaced the hyperpage references. Finally, it runs `latex` twice more,  
2 to make sure that all of the cross references and line numbers are correctly resolved. The result  
3 is the T<sub>E</sub>X “device independent” file `007.dvi`.  
4 Having `007.dvi`, one can convert it for output on different printers. One can use `make 007.ps`  
5 to make a PostScript file `007.ps`. One could also view it using `xdvi` on Unix systems or an  
6 equivalent program on other systems, or convert it for different printers. There aren’t any  
7 `Makefile` sections for other conversions.  
8 PDF is generated by `make 007.pdf`. This section in the `Makefile` very much like the `007.dvi`  
9 section, but it uses `pdflatex` instead of `latex`.  
10 Text is made from PDF by `make 007.txt`.  
11 The command `make all` makes `dvi`, PostScript, PDF and text.  
12 The command `make clean` deletes all of L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X’s output and intermediate files.

## 13 14 Commands useful in generating meeting papers

### 14 14.1 The `edits` command

15 The `\edits` command generates a description of the typographical conventions. It takes two  
16 arguments. The first one is optional (remember that optional arguments appear in square  
17 brackets). The section title is “Edits” followed by the optional first argument. The second  
18 (required) argument is the version of the draft standard to which the edits apply, e.g. `07-007r1`.

### 19 14.2 The `sep` command

20 The `\sep` command creates a vertical space of 5pt, and then generates a line that goes all the  
21 way across the page. It has no arguments. Here’s what it does:

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### 22 14.3 The `mgpar` command

23 The “`mgpar` command creates a marginal paragraph. Its primary use is to put page and `\mgpar`  
24 line numbers in the margin. There’s a marginal paragraph adjacent to the first line of this  
25 paragraph. The `\mgpar*` command doesn’t begin with an empty `mbox`. This changes vertical  
26 spacing, which usually makes it wrong, but improves things for marginal paragraphs adjacent  
27 to notes.

### 28 14.4 The `mgpare` command

29 The `\mgpare` command creates a marginal paragraph in `\emph` font (hence the “e” in the name). `\mgpare`  
30 There’s also `\mgpare*` that works as for `\mgpar*`.

### 31 14.5 Put boxes around stuff

32 The `boxit` environment puts a box around its content. The `lbox` environment also puts a box  
33 around its content.

### 34 14.6 Note with explicit note number

35 The `xnote` environment creates a note – in the same way that `note` (8) does, but instead of  
36 inventing a note number, you specify it. The command `\begin{xnote}{XYZ}` introduces an  
37 environment that creates a note box with **NOTE XYZ** above it.

### 38 14.7 References to the standard

39 The `xr` package can be used to make “external references,” by putting the following in a paper:

```
1 \usepackage{xr}
2 \externaldocument{007}
```

3 This requires that the `aux` files for the standard be accessible. Using the `tetex` T<sub>E</sub>X distribution  
4 on Linux or Unix, this can be done by naming the appropriate directory in the `TEXMFLOCAL`  
5 environment variable. The directory named in `TEXMFLOCAL` needs to have a `tex` subdirectory,  
6 and that subdirectory needs to have a `latex` subdirectory. All of the subdirectories named in  
7 `TEXMFLOCAL` are automatically searched, providing `texhash` has been run. I put a “soft link”  
8 from there to `$HOME/f2000/007.src`, which is in turn a “soft link” to the directory having the  
9 `.tex` files for the current standard. There are probably analogous ways to set things up for  
10 Windows-based distributions of T<sub>E</sub>X.

11 I make the standard, using the `Makefile` the editor prepared, to generate the `.aux` files. After  
12 making the current draft of the standard, I run `texhash`.

13 Once things are set up, and the `.aux` files are generated, cross references can be put into meeting  
14 papers using identical macros as for the same cross references in the standard, thereby saving  
15 some work for the editor.