

ISO-IEC JTC 1/SC 2/WG 2/IRG  
**Ideographic Rapporteur Group**

**Resolutions of IRG #21**

Source : IRG  
Meeting: Guilin, China  
Title : IRG #21 Resolutions

The IRG#21 was attended by China, HKSAR, Japan, Macao SAR, R.O.Korea, TCA, USA, Vietnam, and Unicode (Liaison member) and have made the following resolutions:

**Resolution IRG M21.1: Future meeting schedule**

**Unanimous**

The IRG resolves to adopt the following meeting schedule:

- IRG #22 Chengdu China, May 24-28, 2004
- IRG #23 Jeju (to be confirmed), Korea, Nov. 29 to Dec. 3(tentative), 2004
- IRG #24 Taipei/Nantou, Taiwan(TCA), around May 23-27, 2005
- IRG #25 Bay Area, USA(Unicode Consortium), late 2005

**Resolution IRG M21.2: Member's Chief Editors and other responsibility reconfirmation**

**Unanimous**

The IRG resolves to accept nominations from member bodies for the appointment of members' chief editors. Member bodies may change their appointed chief editors. However, the IRG must be informed of such change of appointments in advance.

**Member's chief editors:**

China	Mr.Chen Zhuang and Dr.Chen Shuangxin
TCA	Mr. Tseng, Shih-shyeng
HKSAR	Mr. Francis Chuen
MSAR	Ms. Mok Ka Meng
Japan	Mr.Masahiro Sekiguchi
ROK	Dr. Joonsuk Lee
US	Mr.John Jenkins

Vietnam Prof. Nguyen Quang Hong

The IRG further appoints the following positions:

**Drafting Group Leader:**

Dr. Lu Qin

**Web posting master:**

Mr. Lee Kin Hong

**Resolution IRG M21.3:** Basic Subset of CJK Unified Ideographs (ref: N1018)

**Unanimous**

The IRG accepts the report from the ad hoc group on Basic Subset of CJK Unified Ideographs(N1018). The IRG resolves to accept the name of this subset as the International Ideographs Core(IICore), its character inclusion principles, the working schedule, and the data format. The IRG also resolves to propose to WG2 for the inclusion of IICore as the normative part of ISO/IEC 10646:2003 in Annex A.

**Resolution IRG M21.4:** IRG work related to WG2 #44 resolution (ref. N978r, N1015r )

**Unanimous**

The IRG accepts the recommended actions summarized in N1015r. The IRG resolves to instruct Mr. John Jenkins to produce a document to answer the request on source reference information on CJK compatibility ideographs. The IRG further instructs the rapporteur to submit IRG N1015r to WG2 before Dec. 15, 2003. The IRG recognizes the issue raised on K4 source reference corrections and also recognizes the agreement from R.O. Korea to comply with the WG2 request by the said deadline.

**Resolution IRG M21.5:** CJK Ext C1 Editorial Group Report (ref.: N982, N982r , N1016)

**Unanimous**

The IRG accepts the contributions from N982 and N982r. The IRG resolves to accept the report CJK\_C1 Plan (N1016) on the withdrawal of some of the proposed Hanja characters and further actions. The IRG further approves the following schedule:

- Feb. 1, 2004: the IRG editors review of “evidence for D1 set” to the chief editor
- Feb.6, 2004: the chief editor consolidates and distributes comments to the IRG editors for confirmation
- Feb. 20, 2004: the IRG editors confirm feedback
- March 31, 2004: The technical editor distributes a new version of CJK\_C1 to the IRG editors and the chief editor allocates review tasks.
- May 12, 2004: the IRG editors return review results to the chief editor.

**Resolution IRG M21.6:** New Defect Report of CJK Unified Ideographs (ref. WG2 N2664 and IRG N972, N973, N1006, N1008r, N1017 )

**Unanimous**

The IRG accepts members' contributions (N972, N973, N1006, N1008r). The IRG resolves to accept the editorial group report N1017 on the decisions of unification and de-unification issues, font correction, further actions and the schedule. The IRG further resolves to request the technical editor to produce a consolidated defect report by March 15, 2004.

**Resolution IRG M21.7: Old Hanzi (pre-Qin) Encoding (ref.: N999, N1014)**

**Unanimous**

The IRG accepts the contribution from N999 and IRG#21 has discussed the related issues in an Old Hanzi Encoding Interest Group. The IRG resolves to accept the Agreement on Old Hanzi Encoding N1014 as input. The IRG resolves to accept that Jia Gu Wen(甲骨文, the old oracle script), Jin Wen(金文, the old bronze script), and Xiao Zhuan(小篆, the small seal script) may be separate scripts and thus might be allocated different blocks. The IRG further instructs the IRG rapporteur to contact the WG2 convener for the procedures necessary to establish an ad hoc group on Old Hanzi Encoding and possibly form the ad hoc group by IRG#22.

**Resolution IRG M21.8: Appreciation**

**By Acclamation**

The IRG would like to express its sincere appreciation to the IRG#21 meeting host, the Standardization Administration of China(SAC) and the China Electronics Standardization Institute(CESI). The IRG would also like to thank Mr. Wang Xi Lin, the director of High and New Technology Center, SAC, Ms. Lin Ning, the deputy director of CESI, Ms. Dai Hong, Ms. Yu Xue Mei, and Mr. Wang Xin for their excellent logistics, arrangements and hospitality.

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The IRG would like to show our appreciation to Mr. Takayuki Sato and Prof. Eiji Matsuoka, who have retired from IRG work and would welcome their participations anytime in the future.

The IRG would like to show our appreciation to our webmaster, Prof. K.H. Lee of the Chinese Univ. of Hong Kong for his contribution in managing the IRG website.

The IRG would like to thank the Unicode Consortium for distributing copies of the Unicode Standard, *The Unicode Standard Version 4.0*, to the IRG editors.