

P2057R0: SG14 SG19 Past, Present and Future Status

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Revision History

Revision	Description
P2057R0	Initial version based

Introduction

Given that SG14 Low latency, Games, Finance, Embedded, Simulations SG has been in existence since 2015, and the recently created SG19 Machine Learning was recently created in 2018, it seems it is good to see what features we have developed for C++, what features we are working on now, as well as what features we are interested in.

In general, it is good to show periodic status of these SGs so people outside to this group can have visibility from outside, and so that we can see what has been done, and what we are aiming for and such that people can comment and join the group's effort to increase collaboration.

We continue to hold monthly zoom telecons

- SG14: 2nd Wednesday 2-4 ET

- SG14 Linear Algebra: 1st Wednesday 3-5 ET
- SG19: 2nd Thursday 1-3 ET

This table was built by SG14 and SG19 group based on our group recollection. It includes not just features, but defects and issues of interest to the group.

As a summary:

- 2 SG14 features have been adopted into C++
- 7 SG14 features are now in progress
- 3 SG19 features are now in progress
- 2 SG14 features are stalled, but are being restarted
- A number of proposals are starting

This table includes features/issues that are started outside of SG14/19, but are of interest to the domains of these groups.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1JnUJBO72QVURttkKr7gn0_WjP--P0vAne8JBfzbRiy0/edit#gid=0

The table is embedded as follows:

Feature/issue/defect	Author/proposer	Paper	Reason	Status	Remarks	Domain	GitHub	Reflector	Related Papers
memory management	Brittany Friedman	https://wg21.link/P0040		Adopted in C++17		Games Finance			
likely unlikely	Clay Trychta	https://wg21.link/P0479		Adopted in C++20		All			
Affinity	Gordon Brown et al	https://wg21.link/p1436		SG14-SG1-LEWG		All			
Topology discovery	Gordon Brown et al	https://wg21.link/p1795		SG14-SG1		All			
Freestanding Library: Easy Utilities	Ben Craig	https://wg21.link/P1642		SG14-LEWG		Embedded			P0829R2
Freestanding Library: Rewording Status Quo	Ben Craig	https://wg21.link/P1641		SG14-LEWG		Embedded			
Freestanding Language	Ben Craig	https://wg21.link/P1105		SG14	D2013	Embedded			
Linear Algebra	Guy Davidson, Bob Steagall	https://wg21.link/P1385		SG14-LEWG		LA			
Linear Algebra BLAS	Mark Hoemmen et al.	https://wg21.link/P1673		SG14-LEWG		LA			
z-order_curve data packing	Jeremy Ong	New idea		SG14	This could be implemented as an mdsan (P0009) Layout. Layout	Games			https://lists.isocpp.org/sg14/2019/12/0274.php
executor with embedded scheduler	Detlef Vollmann	New idea		SG14-SG1		Embedded			https://lists.isocpp.org/sg14/2019/12/0277.php
Intrusive pointers	Isabella Muerte	https://wg21.link/p0468		SG14-LEWG	http://www.open-std.org/jtc1/sc22/wg21/docs/papers/2019/p1351r0	Embedded			
Deterministic Exceptions	Herb Sutter	https://wg21.link/P709		SG14-LEWG		All			P0323R3
status_code and standard error	Niall Douglas	https://wg21.link/P1028		LEWG	Blocked by NB comment processing	All			
Function failure annotation	Jens Gustedt and Niall Douglas	http://www.open-std.org/jtc1/sc22/wg14/www/doc		WG14	Awaiting prototype C compiler	All			
Colony	Matthew Bentley	https://wg21.link/P0447		SG14-LEWGI	Jonathan Wakely and Guy Davidson, hard to name	Games, Finance, HF	https://github.com/mattreecebentley/pf_colony		
Ring Buffer	Guy, Dan Raviv, Matthew Butler	http://wg21.link/p0059		stalled in SG1	would std::destroy_at etc. change the whole pop traits, iterators?	Games, Finance			P1976R0
Object relocation ("trivially relocatable")	Arthur O'Dwyer	https://wg21.link/P1144		SG14-LEWG		Embedded			
fixed_capacity_vector(fixed sized containers)	Gonzalo Brito gadeschi	https://wg21.link/P0843		LEWG		Embedded/Games			
flat map	Zach Laine	https://wg21.link/P0429		LWG	originally SG14 Guy Davidson proposal	Games, Finance			
member layout control	Rene Riviera	https://wg21.link/P1605		SG14-EWG	RF: we should follow P1112 & P1847. And we better come up with a better alternative for specifying struct layout	Games, Finance, Embedded			
numerics	Alexander Zaitsev	https://wg21.link/P1889		SG6 lead SG6/19		Finance			P1890R0 P1719R2
Legendre polynomials	Neil Horlock/QUB	New idea		SG14-SG15		Games			
improving debug builds	John McFarlane	https://wg21.link/P1832							
Exception Handling Size benchmark	Ben Craig	https://wg21.link/P1640		SG14-DG		Embedded			
Exception Handling Speed benchmark	Ben Craig	https://wg21.link/P1886		SG14-DG		Embedded			
Statistical Functions	Richard Dosselman et al	https://wg21.link/P1708		SG19		ML			
Differentiable programming	Marco Foco, Max Rietmann, Vassil Va	New idea		SG19	P-Number assigned: 1707	ML			
Numerical Differentiation	Marco Foco, Vassil Vassilev	New idea		SG19/SG6		ML			
Graph Data Structures	Phil Ratzloff et al	https://wg21.link/P1709		SG19		ML			
Physical Units	Mateusz Pusz	https://wg21.link/P1935		SG6/16		All			
C++ exceptions and alternatives	Bjarne Stroustrup	https://wg21.link/P1947		WG21		All			R0824R1
Portable Optimization Hints	Timur Doumler	https://wg21.link/P1774		EWG		All?			
Named Return Value Copy Elision	Anton Zhilin	New idea		Proposals list	https://gist.github.com/Anton3/594141354f9625db0b85775799312				
Thread Constructor Attributes (controlling new threads' stack size)	P0320: Vicente J. Botet Escriba; P0484: Patrice Roy, Billy Baker, Arthur O'Dwyer;	https://wg21.link/P0320R1 https://wg21.link/P0484r1		Dormant?	The ability to control creation-time-only aspects of new threads is mandatory in some real-time projects. The exact mechanism we choose is not really important - but we should present a solution.	Embedded			See also: Patrice's presentation https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I2ztwNhiVVM
PI mutexes	none?				std::mutex has no standard facility to set priority inheritance, making standard mutexes unusable in multithreaded real-time systems. (and - once we're at it - we should add P ceiling, too)	Embedded			
Fixed-capacity type erasure (inplace_function, in)	Arthur O'Dwyer	SG14 github only							
Fixed-capacity type erasure (function_ref)	Vittorio Romeo	https://wg21.link/P0792		LWG	probably C++2b				
Fixed-capacity data structures (fixed_capacity_v)	Gonzalo Brito Gadeschi	https://wg21.link/P0843		LEWG	see also fixed_ring from https://wg21.link/p0059r0				