



Community Development of Java Technology Specifications



Important documents



>JCP 2.8: http://jcp.org/en/procedures/jcp2_8
>Spec Lead Guide: http://jcp.org/en/resources/guide
>Overview of 2.8 changes: http://jcp.org/en/resources/2.8
>Spec Lead FAQ: http://jcp.org/en/introduction/faq5



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JSR Proposals



- >Additional information required for new JSRs:
- >Length of the JSR Review (2 or 4 weeks) [2.2]
- Details of your public communications channel (all EG communications publicly visible, and public can provide feedback) [1.1.1, 1.2.1]
- >Location of your public Issue Tracker and how to log issues [1.1.2]
- >Location of your public EG document archive [1.1.1]
- Specification license in proposal may not change [1.1.3]
- Names of people in Expert Group publicly displayed [1.2.1]
- Nominations, deliberations and decisions for EG nominations are also publicly displayed [1.2.1]



JSR Deadlines [1.3]

- If the JSR doesn't meet any of the deadlines, the EC may request a 'Renewal Ballot.'
- > EDR: 9 months after JSR is approved
- > Public Review: 12 months from close of EDR
- Final Release: 12 months from close of Public Review Ballot and 14 days or less after Final Approval Ballot
- > Maintenance Release: deadline set by Maintenance Lead

New Stages/Ballot changes



- > Public Review Ballot starts after Public Review period [3.4]
- Maintenance Review Ballot: follows all Maintenance Reviews (Item Exception process is gone) [5.2]
- Withdrawal Ballot: when RI/TCK links go bad for a Final or Maintenance Release and are not fixed by the Maintenance Lead, the EC can call for a vote to withdraw the JSR [4.3]
- Maintenance Renewal Ballot: when you miss your own deadline [5.3]
- > Transfer Ballot: changing Spec/Maintenance Leads [5.1.1]







Maintenance Leads must generate and update a list of all compatible and publicly or commercially available implementations of the JSR and send it to the PMO at least quarterly.

Maintenance Lead specifies when the Maintenance Release will be posted after the Maintenance Review is approved. A renewal ballot might result if the Maintenance Lead doesn't deilver the release by the deadline.







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JCP Aliases



admin@jcp.org

For members to get the password for Community Review and the TCK tools as well as answers to questions about EGs and JSPAs.

spec-submit@jcp.org

To submit materials for JSR stages or updates to the JSR detail pages.

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For any general issues and to get answers to all JCP questions. webmaster@jcp.org

For issues with jcp.org, email and aliases.



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