This is a cross check of the Joint Strike Fighter (JSF) C++ Coding Standards document 2RDU00001 REV C Dec 2005. (available at http://www.stroustrup.com/JSF-AV-rules.pdf) with draft 3 (N0461).

The document has been modified to align all section numbers with the proposed format of TR24772-1, i.e. by reducing the subclause count by 1 for every section 6.xx reference.

Currently, TR24772 categories that do not reference JSF rules: 6.14, 17, 19, 20, 22, 31, 43, 45, 47, 50, 51; 7.5-10

After the suggested changes (below), here are the TR24772 categories that do not reference JSF rules: 6.17, 20, 22, 31, 41, 45, 47, 50; 7.5-10

The term "AV" in the rules is for JSF AV.

| Number | Usage in | JSF Rule | Adjudication | Comments - SGM |
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| | TR24772 | | "X" means that JSF | |
| | | | rule already appears | |
| | | | in TR24772, Style or | |
| | | | Performance issue | |
| | | | means that the issue | |
| | | | isn't a vulnerability, | |
| | | | remainder are | |
| | | | suggested places for | |
| | | | inclusion in TR24772 | |
| 1. | | AV Rule 1 Any one function (or method) will contain | Style issue | |
| | | no more than 200 logical source lines of code (L- | | |
| | | SLOCs). | | |
| 2. | 6.46 [NYY] | AV Rule 2 There shall not be any self-modifying code. | X | |
| 3. | | AV Rule 3 All functions shall have a cyclomatic | Style issue | |
| | | complexity number of 20 or less. | | |
| 4. | | AV Rule 4 To break a "should" rule, the following | Style issue | |
| | | approval must be received by the developer: • approval | | |
| | | from the software engineering lead (obtained by the unit | | |
| | | approval in the developmental CM tool) | | |

| 5. | | AV Rule 5 To break a "will" or a "shall" rule, the following approvals must be received by the developer: | Style issue | |
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| | | • approval from the software engineering lead (obtained by the unit approval in the developmental CM tool) | | |
| | | • approval from the software product manager (obtained by the unit approval in the developmental CM tool) | | |
| 6. | | AV Rule 6 Each deviation from a " shall " rule shall be documented in the file that contains the deviation). Deviations from this rule shall not be allowed, AV Rule 5 notwithstanding. | Style issue | |
| 7. | | AV Rule 7 Approval will not be required for a deviation from a "shall" or "will" rule that complies with an exception specified by that rule. | Style issue | |
| 8. | 6.55 [MEM] | AV Rule 8 All code shall conform to ISO/IEC 14882:2002(E) standard C++. | X | |
| 9. | | AV Rule 9 (MISRA Rule 5, Revised) Only those characters specified in the C++ basic source character set will be used. | Style issue | |
| 10. | | AV Rule 10 (MISRA Rule 6) Values of character types will be restricted to a defined and documented subset of ISO 10646-1. | Add to 6.17 [NAI] Choice of Clear Names, maybe 7.11 [HTS] Resource Names | Possibly only a style issue. Reflect and come back. |
| 11. | 6.55 [MEM] | AV Rule 11 (MISRA Rule 7) Trigraphs will not be used. | X | C and C++ issue. Part 1 issue is only an example. Consider moving JSF rules (and Ada style and guide rules) that are clearly language-specific to the relative annex. Consider adding reference to CERT C coding guidelines. |
| 12. | | AV Rule 12 (Extension of MISRA Rule 7) The following digraphs will not be used: Alternative Primary alternative Primary <% { :>] %> } %: # <: [%:%: ## | Style issue | |
| 13. | | AV Rule 13 (MISRA Rule 8) Multi-byte characters | Add to 6.54 [FAB] | Guidance - don't mix multi-byte |

| | | and wide string literals will not be used. | Implementation-defined Behaviour | and wide string literals. Consider adding to Part 3 and Part C++. |
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| 14. | | AV Rule 14 Literal suffixes shall use uppercase rather than lowercase letters. | Style issue | |
| 15. | 6.8 [HCB] 6.9 [XYZ] 6.10 [XYW] 6.15 [FIF] 6.16 [PIK] | AV Rule 15 (MISRA Rule 4, Revised) Provision shall be made for run-time checking (defensive programming). | X | |
| 16. | 6.43 [TRJ] | AV Rule 16 Only DO-178B level A [15] certifiable or SEAL 1 C/C++ libraries shall be used with safety-critical (i.e. SEAL 1) code [13]. | X | Disagree with the reference in TR24772-1. TRJ is about passing arguments to library functions, JSF AV 16 is about certifiable libraries. |
| 17. | 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 17 (MISRA Rule 119) The error indicator errno shall not be used. | X | Propose to remove AV Rule 17 from Part 1 and put in Part 3, Part C++. Probably doesn't belong in BQF, EWF, FAB. |
| 18. | 6.43 [TRJ], 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 18 (MISRA Rule 120) The macro offsetof, in library <stddef.h>, shall not be used.</stddef.h> | X | Propose to remove AV Rule 17 from Part 1 and put in Part 3, Part C++. Wrong for C, ok for C++. |
| 19. | 6.43 [TRJ] 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 19 (MISRA Rule 121) < locale.h> and the setlocale function shall not be used. | X | Does not apply? |
| 20. | 6.32 [CSJ] 6.43 [TRJ] 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 20 (MISRA Rule 122) The <i>setjmp</i> macro and the <i>longjmp</i> function shall not be used. | X | Include in the transfer of control vulnerability(s) |
| 21. | 6.43 [TRJ] 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 21 (MISRA Rule 123) The signal handling facilities of <signal.h> shall not be used.</signal.h> | X | Signal is not thread(task)-aware, therefore problematic. |
| 22. | 6.43 [TRJ] 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 22 (MISRA Rule 124, Revised) The input/output library <stdio.h> shall not be used.</stdio.h> | X | Propose to remove from Part 1 and Part 3, only (maybe) for Part C++. |

| 23. | 6.43 [TRJ] 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 23 (MISRA Rule 125) The library functions <i>atof, atoi</i> and <i>atol</i> from library <stdlib.h> shall not be used.</stdlib.h> | X | lack error indicators. Recommend better alternatives. C-specific. |
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| 24. | 6.37 [REU] 6.43 [TRJ] 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 24 (MISRA Rule 126) The library functions <i>abort, exit, getenv</i> and <i>system</i> from library <stdlib.h> shall not be used.</stdlib.h> | X | Finalize issue. Move to a finalize vulnerability when (if) written for abort and exit. |
| 25. | 6.8 [HCB] 6.43 [TRJ] 6.52 [BQF] 6.53 [EWF] 6.54 [FAB] | AV Rule 25 (MISRA Rule 127) The time handling functions of library <time.h> shall not be used.</time.h> | X | We may need a vulnerability associated with time handling, clock time, real time, differences in time between program partitions. |
| 26. | 6.48 [NMP] | AV Rule 26 Only the following pre-processor directives shall be used: 1. #ifndef 2. #define 3. #endif 4. #include | X | Propose considering AV Rule 26 for Part 1 and put in Part 3. |
| 27. | 6.48 [NMP] | AV Rule 27 #ifndef, #define and #endif will be used to prevent multiple inclusions of the same header file. Other techniques to prevent the multiple inclusions of header files will not be used. | X | Check TR 224772-3 [NMP] to ensure addressed adequately. |
| 28. | 6.48 [NMP] | AV Rule 28 The #ifndef and #endif pre-processor directives will only be used as defined in AV Rule 27 to prevent multiple inclusions of the same header file. | X | Check TR 224772-3 [NMP] to ensure addressed adequately. |
| 29. | 6.48 [NMP] | AV Rule 29 The #define pre-processor directive shall not be used to create inline macros. Inline functions shall be used instead. | X | Check TR 224772-3 [NMP] to ensure addressed adequately. |
| 30. | 6.48 [NMP] | AV Rule 30 The #define pre-processor directive shall not be used to define constant values. Instead, the <i>const</i> qualifier shall be applied to variable declarations to specify constant values. | X | Check TR 224772-3 [NMP] to ensure addressed adequately. |
| 31. | 6.48 [NMP] | AV Rule 31 The #define pre-processor directive will only be used as part of the technique to prevent multiple inclusions of the same header file. | X | Check TR 224772-3 [NMP] to ensure addressed adequately. |

| 32. | 6.48 [NMP] | AV Rule 32 The #include pre-processor directive will only be used to include header (*.h) files. | X | Check TR 224772-3 [NMP] to ensure addressed adequately. |
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| 33. | | AV Rule 33 The #include directive shall use the <filename.h> notation to include header files.</filename.h> | Style issue | OK |
| 34. | | AV Rule 34 Header files should contain logically related declarations only. | Style issue | OK |
| 35. | | AV Rule 35 A header file will contain a mechanism that prevents multiple inclusions of itself. | Should 6.36 Recursion be expanded to include this? | This is not the classic style of recursion. Should go in 6.48 Preprocessor directives. Our guidance should include indirect inclusions (A -> B -> A). Is there really a vulnerability in executable code that can result? |
| 36. | | AV Rule 36 Compilation dependencies should be minimized when possible. | Style issue | OK |
| 37. | | AV Rule 37 Header (include) files should include only those header files that are required for them to successfully compile. Files that are only used by the associated .cpp file should be placed in the .cpp file—not the .h file. | Style issue | OK |
| 38. | | AV Rule 38 Declarations of classes that are only accessed via pointers (*) or references (&) should be supplied by forward headers that contain only forward declarations. | Style/performance issue | Not performance issue. |
| 39. | | AV Rule 39 Header files (*.h) will not contain non- const variable definitions or function definitions. (See also AV Rule 139.) | Style issue | More than a style case. Edge case exists? |
| 40. | | AV Rule 40 Every implementation file shall include the header files that uniquely define the inline functions, types, and templates used. | Style issue, but inconsistency could be a problem ala Heartbleed. Suggest adding an "inconsistency" category | Not clear where "inconsistency: heading would go – new section or in 6.50? Version skews. Maybe a new vulnerability. Include One definition rule. Added, SM, 20150629. This may be a new sect 7 vulnerability – avoidance of incompatible versions between oarts of a system - open ended. |

| 41. | | AV Rule 41 Source lines will be kept to a length of 120 characters or less. | Style issue | OK |
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| 42. | | AV Rule 42 Each expression-statement will be on a separate line. | Style issue | OK |
| 43. | | AV Rule 43 Tabs should be avoided. | Style issue | Agreed for C and C++, but this may be a vulnerability. Some languages use indentation exclusively to tell the language processor when nested indentation ends. Some may use spaces, and some may use tabs. Python may worry about this. |
| 44. | | AV Rule 44 All indentations will be at least two spaces and be consistent within the same source file. | Style issue | Same as previous. |
| 45. | | AV Rule 45 All words in an identifier will be separated by the ' 'character. | Style issue | Check |
| 46. | 7.11 [HTS] | AV Rule 46 (MISRA Rule 11, Revised) User-specified identifiers (internal and external) will not rely on significance of more than 64 characters. | X | Add [NAI] |
| 47. | | AV Rule 47 Identifiers will not begin with the underscore character '_'. | Style issue | Much more than a style issue. Most libraries are C-based and the convention is that library-level global names begin with "_", hence this avoids replacing a library function with something local. This may be part of Namespace Issues vulnerability. |
| 48. | 6.17 [NAI] | AV Rule 48 Identifiers will not differ by: Only a mixture of case The presence/absence of the underscore character The interchange of the letter 'O', with the number '0' or the letter 'D' The interchange of the letter 'I', with the number '1' or the letter '1' The interchange of the letter 'S' with the number '5' The interchange of the letter 'Z' with the number 2 The interchange of the letter 'n' with the letter 'h'. | X | Check. OK. |

| 49. | 6.17 [NAI] | AV Rule 49 All acronyms in an identifier will be composed of uppercase letters. | X | Check OK |
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| 50. | 6.17 [NAI] | AV Rule 50 The first word of the name of a class, structure, namespace, enumeration, or type created with typedef will begin with an uppercase letter. All others letters will be lowercase. | X | Check OK |
| 51. | 6.17 [NAI] 7.11 [HTS] | AV Rule 51 All letters contained in function and variable names will be composed entirely of lowercase letters. | X | Check OK |
| 52. | 6.17 [NAI] | AV Rule 52 Identifiers for constant and enumerator values shall be lowercase. | X | OK |
| 53. | 6.17 [NAI] 7.11 [HTS] | AV Rule 53 Header files will always have a file name extension of ".h". | X | Not a language issue. Remove from [NAI] |
| 54. | 6.17 [NAI] 7.11 [HTS] | AV Rule 54 Implementation files will always have a file name extension of ".cpp". | X | Not a language issue. Remove from [NAI] |
| 55. | 6.17 [NAI] 7.11 [HTS] | AV Rule 55 The name of a header file should reflect the logical entity for which it provides declarations. | X | Not a language issue. Remove from [NAI] |
| 56. | 6.17 [NAI] 7.11 [HTS] | AV Rule 56 The name of an implementation file should reflect the logical entity for which it provides definitions and have a ".cpp" extension (this name will normally be identical to the header file that provides the corresponding declarations.) | X | Not a language issue. Remove from [NAI] |
| 57. | | AV Rule 57 The public, protected, and private sections of a class will be declared in that order (the public section is declared before the protected section which is declared before the private section). | Style issue | OK |
| 58. | | AV Rule 58 When declaring and defining functions with more than two parameters, the leading parenthesis and the first argument will be written on the same line as the function name. Each additional argument will be written on a separate line (with the closing parenthesis directly after the last argument). | Style issue | OK |
| 59. | 6.28 [EOJ] | AV Rule 59 (MISRA Rule 59, Revised) The statements forming the body of an <i>if, else if, else, while, dowhile</i> or <i>for</i> statement shall always be enclosed in | X | OK |

| | braces, even if the braces form an empty block. | | |
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| 60. | AV Rule 60 Braces ("{}") which enclose a block will | Style issue | OK |
| | be placed in the same column, on separate lines directly before and after the block. | | |
| 61. | AV Rule 61 Braces ("{}") which enclose a block will | Style issue | OK |
| | have nothing else on the line except comments (if | | |
| | necessary). | | |
| 62. | AV Rule 62 The dereference operator '*' and the | Style issue | OK |
| | address-of operator '&' will be directly connected with the type-specifier. | | |
| 63. | AV Rule 63 Spaces will not be used around '.' or '->', | Style issue | OK |
| | nor between unary operators and operands. | | |
| 64. | AV Rule 64 A class interface should be complete and | Style issue | OK |
| | minimal. | | |
| 65. | AV Rule 65 A structure should be used to model an | Style issue | OK |
| | entity that does not require an invariant. | | |
| 66. | AV Rule 66 A class should be used to model an entity that maintains an invariant. | Style issue | OK |
| 67. | AV Rule 67 Public and protected data should only be | Style issue | Extend to the general visibility |
| | used in structs—not classes. | | issue. Do we have a vulnerability |
| | | | that covers setting state from outside the local region. |
| | | | {Vulnerability Locking and |
| | | | visibility interact in concurrency |
| | | | (Java)} |
| 68. | AV Rule 68 Unneeded implicitly generated member | Style issue | Not style. Vulnerability about |
| | functions shall be explicitly disallowed. | | implicitly generated functions such as assignment or having side |
| | | | effects. Violates the Liskov |
| | | | substitution principle. For |
| | | | discussion later Note captured in |
| (0) | | C. 1 | [RIP] |
| 69. | AV Rule 69 A member function that does not affect the | Style issue | Should be static if possible |
| | state of an object (its instance variables) will be declared <i>const</i> . | | |
| 70. | AV Rule 70 A class will have friends only when a | Style issue | This may be more than style. See |
| | function or object requires access to the private | | AV Rule 67. |

| | | elements of the class, but is unable to be a member of the class for logical or efficiency reasons. | | |
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| 71. | 6.21 [LAV] | AV Rule 71 Calls to an externally visible operation of an object, other than its constructors, shall not be allowed until the object has been fully initialized. | X | |
| 72. | | AV Rule 72 The invariant for a class should be: • a part of the postcondition of every class constructor, • a part of the precondition of the class destructor (if any), • a part of the precondition and postcondition of every other publicly accessible operation. | Style issue | |
| 73. | | AV Rule 73 Unnecessary default constructors shall not be defined. (See also AV Rule 143). | Add to 6.22 Initialization of Variables [LAV], may need to add new text to 6.24 to cover this instance | Drop reference to AV 73. Claim that AV rule is problematic. AV rule example is not C++ legal code. |
| 74. | | AV Rule 74 Initialization of nonstatic class members will be performed through the member initialization list rather than through assignment in the body of a constructor. | Add to 6.23 Initialization of Variables [LAV] | We need to determine if this is C++-specific or good general guidance. Don't reference from Part 1[LAV] but do reference from Part C++ [LAV] |
| 75. | | AV Rule 75 Members of the initialization list shall be listed in the order in which they are declared in the class. | Style issue | Most languages have some sort of textual order dependency, and with languages that permit overriding, a different evaluation order could change the meaning of programs |
| 76. | | AV Rule 76 A copy constructor and an assignment operator shall be declared for classes that contain pointers to data items or nontrivial destructors. | Doesn't seem to fit any category cleanly, so either a category needs to be expanded to include it or a new category created. | Agreed. This may be a new vulnerability. Distinction between objects that require shallow copying and deep copying. AI - Clive. |
| 77. | | AV Rule 77 A copy constructor shall copy all data members and bases that affect the class invariant (a data element representing a cache, for example, would not need to be copied). | Add to 6.41 Inheritance [RIP], or could add to a new inconsistency category. | This is really saying that the copy constructor must preserve class invariance. The vulnerability is listed, but the programmer mitigation needs to be added to 6.41.5 AI - Steve. |
| 78. | | AV Rule 78 All base classes with a virtual function | Add to 6.14 Dangling | Disagree with PIK. What does |

| | shall define a virtual destructor. | Reference to Heap [XYK], 6.16 Using Shift Operations for Multiplication and Division [PIK] | shifting for multiplication or division have to do with memory allocation? Remove from [PIK]. Maybe add to Inheritance[RIP]. |
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| 79. | AV Rule 79 All resources acquired by a class shall be released by the class's destructor. | Add to 6.14 Dangling Reference to Heap [XYK], 6.16 Using Shift Operations for Multiplication and Division [PIK] | In 6.14.5, final bullet, – add "including the release in a class destructor of all resources acquired by the class" Clearly not PIK - remove. |
| 80. | AV Rule 80 The default copy and assignment operators will be used for classes when those operators offer reasonable semantics. | Style issue | Disagree. This goes with AV Rules 76 and 77. AV 80 conflicts with 76. Remove reference to AV 80. |
| 81. | AV Rule 81 The assignment operator shall handle self-assignment correctly AV Rule 81 | Could be a new category. | The general term is "idempotent". Add to 6.41 [RIP] and ensure that the idempotency requirement is included. |
| | Self-assignment must be handled appropriately by the assignment operator. Example A illustrates a potential problem, whereas Example B illustrates an acceptable approach. | | |
| | Example A: Although it is not necessary to check for self-assignment in all cases, the following example illustrates a context where it would be appropriate. | | |
| | Base & operator = (const Base & rhs) { release_handle (my_handle); // Error: the resource referenced by myHandle is my_handle = rhs.myHandle; // erroneously released in the self-assignment case. return *this; | | |

| | | Example B: One means of handling self- assignment is to check for self-assignment before further processing continues as illustrated below. Base & operator = (const Base & rhs) { if (this != &rhs) // Check for self assignment before continuing. { release_handle(my_handle); // Release resource. my_handle = rhs.my_handle; // Assign members (only one member in class). } else { } return *this; } | | |
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| 82. | 6.11 [HFC] | AV Rule 82 An assignment operator shall return a reference to *this. | X | Cannot find Rule 82 in the TR. This is a problem and rule specific to C++ and OO languages that use pointers. Add to Part C++? Remove from part 1. General OOP rule that says that a redefinition must obey the Liskov substitution rule. |
| 83. | 6.11 [HFC] | AV Rule 83 An assignment operator shall assign all data members and bases that affect the class invariant (a data element representing a cache, for example, would not need to be copied). | X | Cannot find Rule 83 in the TR. Remove from -1 or put in type system vulnerability. |
| 84. | 6.51 [BRS] | AV Rule 84 Operator overloading will be used sparingly and in a conventional manner. | X | |
| 85. | | AV Rule 85 When two operators are opposites (such as == and !=), both will be defined and one will be defined in terms of the other. | Style issue | Far more than style. This is an easy way to introduce an exploitable hole in the application. I believe that static |

| | | | | analysis tools check for this. Add a rule to [???] AI Steve. Ensure that you meet language expectations on constraints. Include the complete algebra. |
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| 86. | 6.41 [RIP] 6.51 [BRS] | AV Rule 86 Concrete types should be used to represent simple independent concepts. | X | |
| 87. | 6.41 [RIP] | AV Rule 87 Hierarchies should be based on abstract classes. | X | |
| 88. | 6.41 [RIP] 6.51 [BRS] | AV Rule 88 Multiple inheritance shall only be allowed in the following restricted form: <i>n</i> interfaces plus <i>m</i> private implementations, plus at most one protected implementation. | X | |
| 89. | 6.41 [RIP] | AV Rule 89 A base class shall not be both virtual and non-virtual in the same hierarchy. | X | Add this mitigation to 6.41.5. We need more comprehensive vulnerability discussion on OOP. |
| 90. | 6.41 [RIP] | AV Rule 90 Heavily used interfaces should be minimal, general and abstract. | X | |
| 91. | 6.41 [RIP] | AV Rule 91 Public inheritance will be used to implement "is-a" relationships. | X | |
| 92. | 6.4 [RIP] | AV Rule 92 A subtype (publicly derived classes) will conform to the following guidelines with respect to all classes involved in the polymorphic assignment of different subclass instances to the same variable or parameter during the execution of the system: | X | We need to decide how much to expand 6.4 [RIP] - AI Erhard. Include down to AV 96. |
| | | Preconditions of derived methods must be at least as weak as the preconditions of the methods they override. Postconditions of derived methods must be at least as strong as the postconditions of the methods they override. | | |
| | | In other words, subclass methods must expect less and deliver more than the base class methods they override. This rule implies that subtypes will conform to the Liskov Substitution Principle. | | |
| 93. | 6.4 [RIP] | AV Rule 93 "has-a" or "is-implemented-in-terms-of" relationships will be modeled through membership or | X | We need to decide how much to expand 6.4 [RIP] |

| | | non-public inheritance. | | |
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| 94. | 6.4 [RIP] | AV Rule 94 An inherited nonvirtual function shall not be redefined in a derived class. | X | We need to decide how much to expand 6.4 [RIP] |
| 95. | 6.4 [RIP] | AV Rule 95 An inherited default parameter shall never be redefined. | X | We need to decide how much to expand 6.41 [RIP] |
| 96. | 6.4 [RIP] | AV Rule 96 Arrays shall not be treated polymorphically. | X | We need to decide how much to expand 6.41 [RIP] |
| 97. | 6.4 [RIP] 6.51 [BRS] | AV Rule 97 Arrays shall not be used in interfaces. Instead, the <i>Array</i> class should be used. | X | Remove from part 1, except for [???] bounds checking. |
| 98. | | AV Rule 98 Every nonlocal name, except main(), should be placed in some namespace. | Style issue | This is more than style. If the language has global namespace and packaged namespaces, then hiding or overloading is more controllable if global is not used AI - steve Find and place in Par 1. |
| 99. | | AV Rule 99 Namespaces will not be nested more than two levels deep. | Style issue | |
| 100. | | AV Rule 100 Elements from a namespace should be selected as follows: • using declaration or explicit qualification for few (approximately five) names, • using directive for many names. | Style issue | |
| 101. | 6.40 [SYM] | AV Rule 101 Templates shall be reviewed as follows: 1. with respect to the template in isolation considering assumptions or requirements placed on its arguments. 2. with respect to all functions instantiated by actual arguments. | X | |
| 102. | 6.40 [SYM] | AV Rule 102 Template tests shall be created to cover all actual template instantiations. | X | |
| 103. | 6.40 [SYM] | AV Rule 103 Constraint checks should be applied to template arguments. | X | |
| 104. | 6.40 [SYM] | AV Rule 104 A template specialization shall be declared before its use. | X | |
| 105. | 6.40 [SYM] | AV Rule 105 A template definition's dependence on its instantiation contexts should be minimized. | X | |

| 106. | | AV Rule 106 Specializations for pointer types should be made where appropriate. | Style/performance issue | Disagree with guidance. Our guidance should be don't specialize generics or templates. |
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| 107. | | AV Rule 107 (MISRA Rule 68) Functions shall always be declared at file scope. | Style issue | |
| 108. | 6.34 [OTR] | AV Rule 108 (MISRA Rule 69) Functions with variable numbers of arguments shall not be used. | X | |
| 109. | | AV Rule 109 A function definition should not be placed in a class specification unless the function is intended to be inlined. | Style issue | |
| 110. | | AV Rule 110 Functions with more than 7 arguments will not be used. | Style issue | |
| 111. | | AV Rule 111 A function shall not return a pointer or reference to a non-static local object. | Add to 6.32 [CSJ] Passing Parameters and Return Values | |
| 112. | | AV Rule 112 Function return values should not obscure resource ownership. | Add to 6.32 [CSJ] Passing Parameters and Return Values | This is not covered in 6.32, but maybe should be. Consider adding an ownership model to XYK (6.14) |
| 113. | 6.31 [EWD] | AV Rule 113 (MISRA Rule 82, Revised) Functions will have a single exit point. | X, Also add to 6.32 [CSJ] Passing Parameters and Return Values | No. Leave as-is. |
| 114. | | AV Rule 114 (MISRA Rule 83, Revised) All exit points of value-returning functions shall be through return statements. | Add to 6.31 [EWD] Structured Programming, 6.32 [CSJ] Passing Parameters and Return Values | Agree. |
| 115. | 6.36 [OYB] | AV Rule 115 (MISRA Rule 86) If a function returns error information, then that error information will be tested. | X | |
| 116. | 6.32 [CSJ] | AV Rule 116 Small, concrete-type arguments (two or three words in size) should be passed by value if changes made to formal parameters should not be reflected in the calling function. | X | |
| 117. | 6.32 [CSJ] | AV Rule 117 Arguments should be passed by reference if NULL values are not possible:AV Rule 117.1 An object should be passed as <i>const T&</i> | X | C++ specific. If used, do it in Part C++. Remove references from [CSJ]. OK |

| | | if the function should not change the value of the object. | | |
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| | | AV Rule 117.2 An object should be passed as T & if the function may change the value of the object. | | |
| 118. | 6.32 [CSJ] | AV Rule 118 Arguments should be passed via pointers if NULL values are possible: | X | Ditto. OK |
| | | AV Rule 118.1 An object should be passed as <i>const</i> T^* if its value should not be modified. | | |
| | | AV Rule 118.2 An object should be passed as T^* if its value may be modified. | | |
| 119. | 6.35 [GDL] | AV Rule 119 (MISRA Rule 70) Functions shall not call themselves, either directly or indirectly (i.e. recursion shall not be allowed). | X | |
| 120. | 6.20 [YOW] | AV Rule 120 Overloaded operations or methods should form families that use the same semantics, share the same name, have the same purpose, and that are differentiated by formal parameters. | X | After meeting. NO. YOW is about hiding names, not Overloading. What is the vulnerability? |
| 121. | | AV Rule 121 Only functions with 1 or 2 statements should be considered candidates for inline functions. | Style issue | |
| 122. | | AV Rule 122 Trivial accessor and mutator functions should be inlined. | Style issue | |
| 123. | | AV Rule 123 The number of accessor and mutator functions should be minimized. | Style issue | |
| 124. | | AV Rule 124 Trivial forwarding functions should be inlined. | Style issue | |
| 125. | | AV Rule 125 Unnecessary temporary objects should be avoided. | Style issue | |
| 126. | | AV Rule 126 Only valid C++ style comments (//) shall be used. | Style issue | Disagree that this is a style issue. Block-oriented comments are susceptible to having disabled code (hidden in comments) introduced if block comment terminator is moved. AI Steve - see if existing vulnerability, or propose one. |
| 127. | 6.26 [XYQ] 7.3 [BVQ] | AV Rule 127 Code that is not used (commented out) shall be deleted. | X | |

| 128. | | AV Rule 128 Comments that document actions or sources (e.g. tables, figures, paragraphs, etc.) outside of the file being documented will not be allowed. | Style issue | |
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| 129. | | AV Rule 129 Comments in header files should describe the externally visible behavior of the functions or classes being documented. | Style issue | |
| 130. | | AV Rule 130 The purpose of every line of executable code should be explained by a comment, although one comment may describe more than one line of code. | Style issue | |
| 131. | | AV Rule 131 One should avoid stating in comments what is better stated in code (i.e. do not simply repeat what is in the code). | Style issue | |
| 132. | | AV Rule 132 Each variable declaration, typedef, enumeration value, and structure member will be commented. | Style issue | |
| 133. | | AV Rule 133 Every source file will be documented with an introductory comment that provides information on the file name, its contents, and any program-required information (e.g. legal statements, copyright information, etc). | Style issue | |
| 134. | | AV Rule 134 Assumptions (limitations) made by functions should be documented in the function's preamble. | Style issue | |
| 135. | 6.20 [YOW] | AV Rule 135 (MISRA Rule 21, Revised) Identifiers in an inner scope shall not use the same name as an identifier in an outer scope, and therefore hide that identifier. | X | |
| 136. | 6.20 [YOW] | AV Rule 136 (MISRA Rule 22, Revised) Declarations should be at the smallest feasible scope. | X | |
| 137. | 6.20 [YOW] | AV Rule 137 (MISRA Rule 23) All declarations at file scope should be static where possible. | X | |
| 138. | 6.20 [YOW] | AV Rule 138 (MISRA Rule 24) Identifiers shall not simultaneously have both internal and external linkage in the same translation unit. | X | Check this. Clearly not YOW. Remove from [YOW] as a reference. Example in AV 138 is YOW but there may be other vulnerabilities. Reference from "namespace" AI Clive to check. |

| 139. | 6.20 [YOW] | AV Rule 139 (MISRA Rule 27) External objects will not be declared in more than one file. | X | Disagree that this is name reuse. Reference "namespace" vulnerability. |
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| 140. | | AV Rule 140 (MISRA Rule 28, Revised) The register storage class specifier shall not be used. | Style issue | · |
| 141. | | AV Rule 141 A class, structure, or enumeration will not be declared in the definition of its type. | Style issue | |
| 142. | | AV Rule 142 (MISRA Rule 30, Revised) All variables shall be initialized before use. (See also AV Rule 136, AV Rule 71, and AV Rule 73, and AV Rule 143 concerning declaration scope, object construction, default constructors, and the point of variable introduction respectively.) | Add to 6.23 Initialization of Variables | |
| 143. | 6.22 [LAV] | AV Rule 143 Variables will not be introduced until they can be initialized with meaningful values. (See also AV Rule 136, AV Rule 142, and AV Rule 73 concerning declaration scope, initialization before use, and default constructors respectively.) | X | |
| 144. | | AV Rule 144 (MISRA Rule 31) Braces shall be used to indicate and match the structure in the non-zero initialization of arrays and structures. | Style issue | |
| 145. | 6.5 [CCB] | AV Rule 145 (MISRA Rule 32) In an enumerator list, the '=' construct shall not be used to explicitly initialize members other than the first, unless all items are explicitly initialized. | X | Not in 6.5. Remove reference from Part 1. |
| 146. | 6.4 [PLF] | AV Rule 146 (MISRA Rule 15) Floating point implementations shall comply with a defined floating point standard. | X | |
| 147. | 6.3 [STR] 6.4 [PLF] 6.22 [LAV] | AV Rule 147 (MISRA Rule 16) The underlying bit representations of floating point numbers shall not be used in any way by the programmer. | X | |
| 148. | 6.2 [IHN] 6.27 [CLL] | AV Rule 148 Enumeration types shall be used instead of integer types (and constants) to select from a limited series of choices. | X | |
| 149. | | AV Rule 149 (MISRA Rule 19) Octal constants (other than zero) shall not be used. | Style issue | |

| 150. | | AV Rule 150 Hexadecimal constants will be represented using all uppercase letters. | Style issue | |
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| 151. | 7.4 [KLK] | AV Rule 151 Numeric values in code will not be used; symbolic values will be used instead. | X | We either have an existing vulnerability or need one that says no magic numbers and why. AI - Steve KLK (7.4) covers special numbers, but not magic numbers .Done. |
| 152. | | AV Rule 152 Multiple variable declarations shall not be allowed on the same line. | Style issue | |
| 153. | 6.38 [AMV] | AV Rule 153 (MISRA Rule 110, Revised) Unions shall not be used. | X | |
| 154. | 6.3 [STR] | AV Rule 154 (MISRA Rules 111 and 112, Revised) Bit-fields shall have explicitly unsigned integral or enumeration types only. | X | |
| 155. | 6.3 [STR] | AV Rule 155 Bit-fields will not be used to pack data into a word for the sole purpose of saving space. | X | |
| 156. | | AV Rule 156 (MISRA Rule 113) All the members of a structure (or class) shall be named and shall only be accessed via their names. | Doesn't seem to fit any category and is something that is error prone. Either expand one of the current categories (not clear which one) or add a new category. | C specific. Add to Part 3 and to Part C++. |
| 157. | 6.24 [SAM] | AV Rule 157 (MISRA Rule 33) The right hand operand of a && or operator shall not contain side effects. | X | |
| 158. | 6.24 [SAM] | AV Rule 158 (MISRA Rule 34) The operands of a logical && or shall be parenthesized if the operands contain binary operators. | X | |
| 159. | | AV Rule 159 Operators , &&, and unary & shall not be overloaded. | Style issue | C++-specific. OK to put in Part C++. OK if we add a vulnerability about preserving the semantics of overloaded operator. Note here that overloading makes the shortcut action impossible. |
| 160. | 6.25 [KOA] | AV Rule 160 (MISRA Rule 35, Modified) An assignment expression shall be used only as the | X | |

| | | expression in an expression statement. | | |
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| 161. | | **No rule listed** | No rule listed | |
| 162. | | AV Rule 162 Signed and unsigned values shall not be mixed in arithmetic or comparison operations. | Add to 6.6 [FLC] Numeric Conversion Errors | Add reference from [FLC] |
| 163. | | AV Rule 163 Unsigned arithmetic shall not be used. | Style issue, also a subset of Rule 162. | Disagree with AV. |
| 164. | 6.9 [XYZ] 6.15 [FIF] 6.16 [PIK] | AV Rule 164 (MISRA Rule 38) The right hand operand of a shift operator shall lie between zero and one less than the width in bits of the left-hand operand (inclusive). | X | |
| 165. | | AV Rule 165 (MISRA Rule 39) The unary minus operator shall not be applied to an unsigned expression. | Add to 6.6 [FLC] Numeric Conversion Errors | |
| 166. | 6.24 [SAM] 6.25 [KOA] | AV Rule 166 (MISRA Rule 40) The <i>sizeof</i> operator will not be used on expressions that contain side effects. | X | C/C++ specific. Remove from Part 1. |
| 167. | | AV Rule 167 (MISRA Rule 41) The implementation of integer division in the chosen compiler shall be determined, documented and taken into account. | Add to 6.53 [EWF] Undefined Behaviour | Make [FAB] 6.54, not [EWF] |
| 168. | | AV Rule 168 (MISRA Rule 42, Revised) The comma operator shall not be used. | Style issue | |
| 169. | | AV Rule 169 Pointers to pointers should be avoided when possible. | Add to 6.50 [SKL] Provision of Inherently Unsafe Operations | Do not reference! |
| 170. | | **No rule listed** | No rule listed. | |
| 171. | | AV Rule 170 (MISRA Rule 102, Revised) More than 2 levels of pointer indirection shall not be used. | | Style. |
| 172. | | **No rule listed** | No rule listed. | |
| 173. | 6.33 [DCM] | AV Rule 173 (MISRA Rule 106, Revised) The address of an object with automatic storage shall not be assigned to an object which persists after the object has ceased to exist. | X | |
| 174. | 6.13 [XYH] | AV Rule 174 (MISRA Rule 107) The null pointer shall not be de-referenced. | X | |
| 175. | | AV Rule 175 A pointer shall not be compared to NULL or be assigned NULL; use plain 0 instead. | Add to 6.12 [RVG] Pointer Arithmetic, expand text of 6.12 to | No. Style Issue. |

| | | | include this. | |
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| 176. | | AV Rule 176 A typedef will be used to simplify | Style issue | |
| | | program syntax when declaring function pointers. | | |
| 177. | | AV Rule 177 User-defined conversion functions | Style issue | |
| | | should be avoided. | | |
| 178. | | AV Rule 178 Down casting (casting from base to | Add to 6.41 [RIP] | OBE. Advice, use virtual calls |
| | | derived class) shall only be allowed through one of the | Inheritance | instead of downcasting. AI - |
| | | following mechanism: | | Erhard for Part 1. |
| | | Virtual functions that act like dynamic casts (most | | |
| | | likely useful in relatively simple cases) | | |
| | | • Use of the visitor (or similar) pattern (most likely | | |
| | | useful in complicated cases) | | |
| 179. | | AV Rule 179 A pointer to a virtual base class shall not | Add to 6.41 [RIP] | |
| 100 | | be converted to a pointer to a derived class. | Inheritance | |
| 180. | | AV Rule 180 (MISRA Rule 43) Implicit conversions | Add to 6.40 [SYM] | Consider FLC. Using templates to avoid the conversion is C+ |
| | | that may result in a loss of information shall not be | Templates and Generics | specific. We realize that FLC |
| | | used. | | should also (as well as numeric |
| | | | | conversions) consider general |
| | | | | conversions. |
| 181. | | AV Rule 181 (MISRA Rule 44) Redundant explicit | Style issue | |
| | | casts will not be used. | | |
| 182. | | AV Rule 182 (MISRA Rule 45) Type casting from any | Add to 6.11 [HFC] | |
| | | type to or from pointers shall not be used. | Pointer Type Conversions | |
| 183. | 6.2 [IHN] | AV Rule 183 Every possible measure should be taken | X | |
| | 6.11 [HFC] | to avoid type casting. | | |
| 184. | 6.38 [AMV] 6.4 [PLF] | AV Rule 184 Floating point numbers shall not be | X | Disagree that 6.4 currently covers |
| 104. | 0.4 [FLF] | converted to integers unless such a conversion is a | A | this issue. Add vulnerability |
| | | specified algorithmic requirement or is necessary for a | | material to 6.4? |
| | | hardware interface. | | |
| 185. | | AV Rule 185 C++ style casts (const cast, | Add to 6.11 [HFC] | Style issue. Leave alone. |
| 105. | | reinterpret cast, and static cast) shall be used instead of | Pointer Type Conversions | Style issue. Deuve alone. |
| | | the traditional C-style casts. | | |
| 186. | 6.26 [XYQ] | AV Rule 186 (MISRA Rule 52) There shall be no | X | |
| 100. | 3.20 [9] | unreachable code. | | |
| 187. | | AV Rule 187 (MISRA Rule 53, Revised) All non-null | Add to 6.26 Likely | OK. |
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| | | statements shall potentially have a side-effect. | Incorrect Expressions | |
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| 188. | | AV Rule 188 (MISRA Rule 55, Revised) Labels will | Style issue | Add to [EWD] |
| | | not be used, except in <i>switch</i> statements. | | |
| 189. | 6.31 [EWD] | AV Rule 189 (MISRA Rule 56) The goto statement | X | |
| | | shall not be used. | | |
| 190. | 6.31 [EWD] | AV Rule 190 (MISRA Rule 57) The continue | X | |
| | | statement shall not be used. | | |
| 191. | 6.31 [EWD] | AV Rule 191 (MISRA Rule 58) The break statement | X | |
| | | shall not be used (except to terminate the cases of a | | |
| | | switch statement). | | |
| 192. | 6.28 [EOJ] | AV Rule 192 (MISRA Rule 60, Revised) All if, else if | X | |
| | | constructs will contain either a final <i>else</i> clause or a | | |
| | | comment indicating why a final <i>else</i> clause is not | | |
| | | necessary. | | |
| 193. | 6.27 [CLL] | AV Rule 193 (MISRA Rule 61) Every non-empty case | X | |
| | | clause in a <i>switch</i> statement shall be terminated with a | | |
| | | break statement. | | |
| 194. | 6.27 [CLL] | AV Rule 194 (MISRA Rule 62, Revised) All switch | X | |
| | | statements that do not intend to test for every | | |
| | | enumeration value shall contain a final <i>default</i> clause. | | |
| 195. | 6.27 [CLL] | AV Rule 195 (MISRA Rule 63) A switch expression | X | |
| | | will not represent a Boolean value. | | |
| 196. | 6.27 [CLL] | AV Rule 196 (MISRA Rule 64, Revised) Every switch | X | |
| | | statement will have at least two cases and a potential | | |
| | | default. | | |
| 197. | 6.4 [PLF] | AV Rule 197 (MISRA Rule 65) Floating point | X | |
| | | variables shall not be used as loop counters. | | |
| 198. | | AV Rule 198 The initialization expression in a <i>for</i> loop | Add to 6.29 [TEX] Loop | The added text should say "In |
| | | will perform no actions other than to initialize the value | Control Variables | languages that permit complex expressions in the definition of |
| | | of a single for loop parameter. Note that the | | the loop control variable," |
| | | initialization expression may invoke an accessor that | | the roop control variable, |
| | | returns an initial element in a sequence: | | |
| | | for (Iter_type p = c.begin(); p != c.end(); | | |
| | | ++p) // Good | | |
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| 199. | | AV Rule 199 The increment expression in a <i>for</i> loop will perform no action other than to change a single loop parameter to the next value for the loop. | Add to 6.29[TEX] Loop Control Variables | The added text should say "In languages that do not prevent the update of the loop control variable," |
| 200. | | AV Rule 200 Null initialize or increment expressions in <i>for</i> loops will not be used; a <i>while</i> loop will be used instead. | Style issue | |
| 201. | 6.29 [TEX] | AV Rule 201 (MISRA Rule 67, Revised) Numeric variables being used within a <i>for</i> loop for iteration counting shall not be modified in the body of the loop. | X | |
| 202. | 6.4 [PLF] | AV Rule 202 (MISRA Rule 50) Floating point variables shall not be tested for exact equality or inequality. | X | |
| 203. | | AV Rule 203 (MISRA Rule 51, Revised) Evaluation of expressions shall not lead to overflow/underflow (unless required algorithmically and then should be heavily documented). | Add to 6.15 [FIF] Arithmetic Wrap-around Error | |
| 204. | 6.23 [JCW] 6.24 [SAM] | AV Rule 204 A single operation with side-effects shall only be used in the following contexts: 1. by itself 2. the right-hand side of an assignment 3. a condition 4. the only argument expression with a side-effect in a function call 5. condition of a loop 6. switch condition 7. single part of a chained operation. | X | |
| 205. | | AV Rule 205 The <i>volatile</i> keyword shall not be used unless directly interfacing with hardware. | Add to 6.19 [WXQ] Dead Store | OK for [WXQ] as a mitigation. Elsewhere? Don't put reference to JSF in. |
| 206. | 6.39 [XYL] | AV Rule 206 (MISRA Rule 118, Revised) Allocation/deallocation from/to the free store (heap) shall not occur after initialization. | X | |
| | | Note that the "placement" operator new(), although not | | |

| | | technically dynamic memory, may only be used in low-level memory management routines. See AV Rule 70.1 for object lifetime issues associated with placement operator new(). | | |
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| 207. | | AV Rule 207 Unencapsulated global data will be avoided. | Add to 6.20 [YOW] Identifier Name Reuse | Really a namespace issue? Not YOW. |
| 208. | 6.36 [OYB] 6.47 [HJW] | AV Rule 208 C++ exceptions shall not be used (i.e. <i>throw, catch</i> and <i>try</i> shall not be used.) | X | Huh? Get rid of references. |
| 209. | | AV Rule 209 (MISRA Rule 13, Revised) The basic types of <i>int</i> , <i>short</i> , <i>long</i> , <i>float</i> and <i>double</i> shall not be used, but specific-length equivalents should be <i>typedef</i> 'd accordingly for each compiler, and these type names used in the code. | Style issue | Much more than style. This avoids compiler-specific default behaviours (such as reliance on sizeof(int)). Check to see if we have a comparable rule in 6.2 |
| 210. | | AV Rule 210 Algorithms shall not make assumptions concerning how data is represented in memory (e.g. big endian vs. little endian, base class subobject ordering in derived classes, nonstatic data member ordering across access specifiers, etc.) | Add to 6.3 [STR] Bit Representations, 6.4 [PLF] Floating-point Arithmetic | We need more – heavily document assumptions, and provide error detection and raising if assumptions are violated. |
| 211. | | AV Rule 211 Algorithms shall not assume that <i>shorts</i> , <i>ints</i> , <i>longs</i> , <i>floats</i> , <i>doubles</i> or <i>long doubles</i> begin at particular addresses. | Add to 6.33 [DCM] Dangling References to Stack Frames | This is an alignment issue. Not [DCM]. Data layout - may be vulnerability. May be involved with unchecked conversion union, etc. |
| 212. | | AV Rule 212 Underflow or overflow functioning shall not be depended on in any special way. | Add to 6.6 [FLC] Numeric Conversion Errors, 6.53 [EWF] Undefined Behaviour | OK |
| 213. | 6.23 [SAM] 6.24 [JCW] | AV Rule 213 (MISRA Rule 47, Revised) No dependence shall be placed on C++'s operator precedence rules, below arithmetic operators, in expressions. | X | Not SAM or common programmer errors or KOA. |
| 214. | | AV Rule 214 Assuming that non-local static objects, in separate translation units, are initialized in a special order shall not be done. | Add to 6.23 [JCW] Operator Precedence/Order of Evaluation | Not JCW, potential new vulnerability around elaboration. Check LAV for possible coverage. |
| 215. | 6.12 [RVG] | AV Rule 215 (MISRA Rule 101) Pointer arithmetic will not be used. | X | |

| 216. | AV Rule 216 Programmers should not attempt to | Performance issue | |
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| | prematurely optimize code. | | |
| 217. | AV Rule 217 Compile-time and link-time errors should | Style issue | |
| | be preferred over run-time errors. | | |
| 218. | AV Rule 218 Compiler warning levels will be set in | Style issue | |
| | compliance with project policies. | | |
| 219. | AV Rule 219 All tests applied to a base class interface | Add to 6.42 Inheritance | OK |
| | shall be applied to all derived class interfaces as well. If | | |
| | the derived class poses stronger | | |
| | postconditions/invariants, then the new postconditions | | |
| | /invariants shall be substituted in the derived class tests. | | |
| 220. | AV Rule 220 Structural coverage algorithms shall be | Add to 6.42 [RIP] | No. |
| | applied against <i>flattened</i> classes. | Inheritance | |
| 221. | AV Rule 221 Structural coverage of a class within an | Add to 6.42 [RIP] | No. |
| | inheritance hierarchy containing virtual functions shall | Inheritance | |
| | include testing every possible resolution for each set of | | |
| | identical polymorphic references. | | |