

JCL and Programming On the MVS Turnkey System

This assumes you've already set up, run, connected to, and logged in to an MVS Turnkey system. If not, you can find instructions [here](#).

About

A job to be run consists of two parts:

1. [JCL](#) to tell the mainframe how to run the program, and
2. The actual program, written in a language with a supporting compiler on the mainframe.

```
// JCL comes first, and is prefixed by two slashes  
The program source follows.
```



The JCL message class must be set to 'H', or you won't be able to see the output from your jobs.

The 'H' indicates to the system that the output should be 'Held', making it available for viewing in the OUTLIST utility, in Data Set Utilities.

COBOL

COBOL first appeared in 1959. The latest stable release was in 2014. It's meant to be "English-like" in syntax.

COBOL is still widely deployed. For example, as of 2017, about 95 percent of ATM swipes use COBOL code, and it powers 80 percent of in-person transactions.

Create and Submit the Job

Your starting point should be the main screen:

```
Terminal CUU0C0                      Date 03.12.21
System  TK4-                          Time 00:58:19
TSO User HERC01

Option ==> 

      The MVS 3.8j Tur(n)key System
TK4- Version 1.00 Update 08 -- MVS PUT 8505

      TSO Applications

1 RFE      "SPF like" productivity tool
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3 IM       IMON/370 system monitor
4 QUEUE    spool browser
5 HELP     general TSO help
6 UTILS    information on utilities and commands available
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      Enter X to Terminate

PF3=Terminate
```

Enter '1' to access the RFE tool:

```
Terminal CUU0C0                      Date 03.12.21
System  TK4-                          Time 00:58:19
TSO User HERC01

Option ==> 1 

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```

Enter '3' to access utility functions:

```
----- REVIEW FRONT END -----
COMMAND ==> 3

1  BROWSE   - VIEW OR BROWSE DATA SET CONTENTS      USERID   - HERC01
2  EDIT     - UPDATE OR CREATE DATA SET CONTENTS     SYSTEM    - TK4-
3  UTILITIES - PERFORM UTILITY FUNCTIONS             TERMINAL  - CUU0C0
6  COMMAND  - ISSUE TSO OR CLIST COMMAND              NETWORK   -
X  EXIT     - TERMINATE RFE                          RELEASE   - 46.6
                                           DAY        - FRI      337
                                           DATE       - 2021-12-03
                                           TIME       - 00:58
```

Enter '4' to access the Data Set list:

```
----- DATA SET UTILITIES -----
COMMAND ==> 4

1  LIBRARY   - PDS COMPRESS AND MEMBER MANAGEMENT
2  DATASET   - CREATE, DELETE, RENAME, CATALOG OR UNCATALOG DATA SET
3  MOVE/COPY - MOVE OR COPY PDS MEMBERS OR DATA SET CONTENTS
4  DSLIST    - PROCESS DATA SETS FROM A CATALOG OR VTOC LIST
5  SPFSTATS  - ADMINISTER STATISTICS OF LIBRARY MEMBERS
8  OUTLIST   - DISPLAY, DELETE OR PRINT HELD JOB OUTPUT
```

Enter 'SYS2.JCLLIB' to filter the Data Set list:

```
----- RFE DSLIST -----
COMMAND ==> _____

blank - display data set list
ALLOC - allocate a new data set

Data set name prefix ==> SYS2.JCLLIB
Volume serial number ==> _____

Data set selection codes

      A - Allocate like   B - Browse       C - Catalog
      D - Delete         E - Edit          I - Info
      L - Listcat        R - Rename        S - Short info
      U - Uncatalog      V - View          Z - Compress
```

Tab to the detail line for SYS2.JCLLIB, then enter 'e' in the S column, for Edit:

```
----- RFE DSLIST ----- Row 1 of 2
Command ==> _____ Scroll ==> CS
S DATA-SET-NAME- VOLUME ALTRK USTRK ORG FRMT % XT LRECL BLKSZ REFDT CREDIT EXPDT
e SYS2.JCLLIB     MVSRES   60   47 P0 FB 78 1   80 19040 21337 13314
**END**          TOTALS:   60 TRKS ALLOC          47 TRKS USED          1 EXTENTS
```

The Data Set list will display:

SYS2.JCLLIB on MVSRES ----- Row 1 of 115
 Command ==> Scroll ==> CS

NAME	TTR	VV.MM	CREATED	CHANGED	INIT	SIZE	MOD	ID
\$\$\$INDEX	002E01	01.02	14-11-12	16-09-17 14:55:58	135	138	0	JUERGEN
\$HISTORY	000103							
ADDALIAS	000105							
ADDUSER	000B0D	80.02	74-06-28	74-06-28 13:25:00	79	17	0	HERC01
ADDUSERP	000B11	80.02	74-06-28	02-07-14 20:20:00	17	17	0	HERC01
ALGSAMP1	001303	02.01	14-12-18	14-12-18 12:00:00	84	84	0	LEVEL
ALGSAMP2	002C05	02.01	14-12-18	14-12-18 12:00:00	57	57	0	LEVEL
ALGSAMP3	002C03	02.01	14-12-18	14-12-18 12:00:00	100	100	0	LEVEL
ALGSAMP4	001401	02.01	14-12-18	14-12-18 12:00:00	896	896	0	LEVEL
ALLALIAS	000D0B							
AMASPZAP	000107							
AMDPRDMP	000109							
BAT#EDIT	000201							
BSPHRCMD	000203	01.06	13-10-02	13-10-06 11:36:03	8	26	0	HERC01
BSPOSCMD	000205							
BSPVTMT	000A0D	80.00	73-12-23	73-12-23 14:06:00	4	4	0	HERC02
BYPASSNQ	000207							
CHGPWD	000B0F	80.02	74-06-28	74-06-28 14:18:00	17	23	0	HERC01
CLIPDASD	000209							
COMPPROC	000301							
COMPRESS	000303							
CONFIGSE	000A09	80.01	73-06-16	73-06-16 12:48:00	29	14	0	HERC01
COPY001	000B01	80.02	74-06-14	74-06-15 14:21:00	21	21	0	HERC01

If you press [F8] (page down) a few times, you'll see several Data Sets with names that begin with 'TEST'. These are test programs for various languages:

TAPEMAP	000A05							
TESTALG	001301							
TESTCOB	000E03							
TESTFORT	000E05							
TESTGCC	00110B	01.00	13-12-22	13-12-22 20:30:00	37	37	0	JUERGEN
TESTJCC	001801	01.00	14-11-12	14-11-12 17:45:00	37	37	0	TK4-
TESTPL1	000E07							
TESTRPG	000E09							
TESTSIMU	001201	01.00	14-01-05	14-01-05 06:00:00	151	151	0	JUERGEN
TESTSORT	000F01							
TESTWATF	001703	01.00	14-09-30	14-09-30 22:00:00	19	19	0	JUERGEN
TSORATCH	000903							

We'll be using TESTCOB as a template for our COBOL job. We don't want to use it directly, creating a copy instead. The first thing to do is to create a new, empty Data Set, with the name NEWCOB:

```

SYSD2.JCLLIB on MVSRES ----- Row 81 of 115
Command ==> s NEWCOB Scroll ==> CS
  NAME      TTR      VV.MM  CREATED      CHANGED      INIT      SIZE      MOD      ID
. PTPCH001   000B03  80.02  74-06-14  74-06-15  14:21:00    19      19      0  HERC01
. PTPCH002   000B05  80.01  74-06-15  74-06-15  23:40:00    19      19      0  HERC01
. PUNPDSXM   000701
. PWDPRINT   000C09  80.03  02-07-22  02-07-22  11:02:00    19      24      0  HERC01
. RD#PDSXM   000703
. READOMAT   000901
. RECV370P   000801  01.07  13-10-01  13-10-06  12:16:23    53      69      0  HERC01
. RECV370S   000803
. RENMEMBR   000805
. REVLMOB    000A0F  80.01  73-12-23  73-12-23  14:08:00     4       4      0  HERC02
. SAVEOLD    000A01
. SHUTDOWN   001109  01.00  13-07-15  13-07-15  22:07:00    13      13      0  SYSOPER
. STNUPRTM   001800  01.00  11-01-01  11-01-01  12:00:00    65      65      0  JHERGEN

```

The new, empty Data Set opens in REVEDIT.

Next, we indicate that we want to populate it with a copy of the contents of TESTCOB:

[illegible]

The editor will display the copied text:

```

REVEDIT  33 LINE(S) COPIED                                COLUMNS 00001 00072
COMMAND  ==>                                  SCROLL ==> CS
***** ****ZAP****AUTOSAVE***** TOP OF DATA *****
000001  //TESTCOB JOB (SETUP),
000002  //          'TEST COBOL',
000003  //          CLASS=A,
000004  //          MSGCLASS=A,
000005  //          MSGLEVEL=(1,1)
000006  //*****
000007  //*
000008  //* NAME: SYS2.JCLLIB(TESTCOB)
000009  //*
000010  //* DESC: TEST COBOL INSTALLATION
000011  //*
000012  //*****
000013  //HELLOWRLD EXEC COBUCLG
000014  //COB.SYSIN DD *
000015  001  IDENTIFICATION DIVISION.
000016  002  PROGRAM-ID. 'HELLO'.
000017  003  ENVIRONMENT DIVISION.
000018  004  CONFIGURATION SECTION.
000019  005  SOURCE-COMPUTER.  IBM-360.
000020  006  OBJECT-COMPUTER.  IBM-360.
000021  0065 SPECIAL-NAMES.
000022  0066      CONSOLE IS CNSL.
000023  007  DATA DIVISION.
000024  008  WORKING-STORAGE SECTION.
000025  009  77 HELLO-CONST  PIC X(12) VALUE 'HELLO, WORLD'.
000026  075  PROCEDURE DIVISION.
000027  090  000-DISPLAY.
000028  100      DISPLAY HELLO-CONST UPON CNSL.
000029  110      STOP RUN.
000030  //LKED.SYSLIB DD DSNAME=SYS1.COBLIB,DISP=SHR
000031  //          DD DSNAME=SYS1.LINKLIB,DISP=SHR
000032  //GO.SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=A
000033  //
***** ****ZAP****AUTOSAVE***** BOTTOM OF DATA *****

```

Make a few edits to the copied text. First, in line 0001, change TESTCOB to NEWCOB:

```

REVEDIT  33 LINE(S) COPIED                                COLUMNS 00001 00072
COMMAND  ==>                                  SCROLL ==> CS
***** ****ZAP****AUTOSAVE***** TOP OF DATA *****
000001  //NEWCOB JOB (SETUP),
000002  //          'TEST COBOL',
000003  //          CLASS=A,
000004  //          MSGCLASS=A,
000005  //          MSGLEVEL=(1,1)

```

In line 0002, update the description:

```
REVEDIT 33 LINE(S) COPIED COLUMNS 00001 00072
COMMAND ===> SCROLL ===> CS
***** ZAP*****AUTOSAVE***** TOP OF DATA *****
000001 //NEWCOB JOB (SETUP),
000002 //      'NEW COBOL',
000003 //      CLASS=A,
000004 //      MSGCLASS=A,
000005 //      MSGLEVEL=(1,1)
```

Finally, in line 0004, change the MSGCLASS to 'H':

```
REVEDIT 33 LINE(S) COPIED COLUMNS 00001 00072
COMMAND ===> SCROLL ===> CS
***** ZAP*****AUTOSAVE***** TOP OF DATA *****
000001 //NEWCOB JOB (SETUP),
000002 //      'NEW COBOL',
000003 //      CLASS=A,
000004 //      MSGCLASS=H,
000005 //      MSGLEVEL=(1,1)
000006 //*****
000007 //
```

(This will ensure that the output from the job is retained and viewable after we run it)

Save your changes:

```
REVEDIT 33 LINE(S) COPIED COLUMNS 00001 00072
COMMAND ===> SAVE
***** ZAP*****AUTOSAVE***** TOP OF DATA *****
000001 //NEWCOB JOB (SETUP),
000002 //      'NEW COBOL',
000003 //      CLASS=A,
000004 //      MSGCLASS=H,
000005 //      MSGLEVEL=(1,1)
000006 //*****
000007 //
000008 //* NAME: SYS2.JCLLIB(TESTCOB)
000009 //*
000010 //* DESC: TEST COBOL INSTALLATION
000011 //*
000012 //*****
000013 //HELLO WORLD EXEC COBOL C
```

Submit the job:


```

REVEDTT  DATA SAVED                                COLUMNS 00001 00072
COMMAND ==> SUBMIT ☐                        SCROLL ==> CS
***** ZAP ***** AUTOSAVE ***** TOP OF DATA *****
000001 //NEWCOB JOB (SETUP),
000002 //          "NEW COBOL",
000003 //          CLASS=A,
000004 //          MSGCLASS=H,
000005 //          MSGLEVEL=(1,1)
000006 //*****
000007 //*
000008 //* NAME: SYS2.JCLLIB(TESTCOB)
000009 //*
000010 //* DESC: TEST COBOL INSTALLATION
000011 //*
000012 //*****
000013 //*****

```

You'll see a confirmation message, indicating that the job has been submitted:

```

JOB NEWCOB(JOB00006) SUBMITTED
*** ☐

```

Check the Results

If you aren't already on the main screen, press [F3] until it's displayed:

```

Terminal CUU0C0                                Date 03.12.21
System   TK4-                                  Time 00:58:19
TSO User HERC01

Option ==> ☐

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      Enter X to Terminate

PF3=Terminate

```

Enter '1' to access the RFE tool:

```
Terminal CUU0C0                      Date 03.12.21
System  TK4-                          Time 00:58:19
TSO User HERC01

Option ==> 1

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TSO Applications

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```

Enter '3' to access utility functions:

```
----- REVIEW FRONT END -----
COMMAND ==> 3

1 BROWSE  - VIEW OR BROWSE DATA SET CONTENTS
2 EDIT    - UPDATE OR CREATE DATA SET CONTENTS
3 UTILITIES - PERFORM UTILITY FUNCTIONS
6 COMMAND - ISSUE TSO OR CLIST COMMAND
X EXIT    - TERMINATE RFE

USERID  - HERC01
SYSTEM  - TK4-
TERMINAL - CUU0C0
NETWORK -
RELEASE - 46.6
DAY     - FRI 337
DATE    - 2021-12-03
TIME    - 00:58
```

Enter '8' to access held job output:

```

----- DATA SET UTILITIES -----
COMMAND ===> 8

1  LIBRARY   - PDS COMPRESS AND MEMBER MANAGEMENT
2  DATASET   - CREATE, DELETE, RENAME, CATALOG OR UNCATALOG DATA SET
3  MOVE/COPY - MOVE OR COPY PDS MEMBERS OR DATA SET CONTENTS
4  DSLIST    - PROCESS DATA SETS FROM A CATALOG OR VTOC LIST
5  SPFSTATS  - ADMINISTER STATISTICS OF LIBRARY MEMBERS
8  OUTLIST   - DISPLAY, DELETE OR PRINT HELD JOB OUTPUT

```

Enter 'ST *', indicating that you want to display all held jobs:

```

REYOUT
COMMAND ===> ST *
LINE 1 OF 1
SCROLL ===> CS
S Q JOBNAME  JOBIDENT  QUEUE  EXEC STATUS  STEPNAME  PROCSTEP  CPU-TIME
- - - - -
- - HERC01    TSU00006  XEQ @   TK4-      TSOLOGON

```

You'll see 'NEWCOB', the job you recently submitted, at the end of the list:

```

REYOUT *
COMMAND ===> 
LINE 1 OF 17
SCROLL ===> CS
S Q JOBNAME  JOBIDENT  QUEUE  EXEC STATUS  STEPNAME  PROCSTEP  CPU-TIME
- - - - -
- - SYSLOG    STC00088  XEQ $    TK4-      0.99
- - BSPPILOT   STC00089  XEQ $    TK4-      0.08
- - INIT       STC00090  XEQ $    TK4-      0.00
- - INIT       STC00091  XEQ $    TK4-      0.00
- - INIT       STC00092  XEQ $    TK4-      0.00
- - INIT       STC00093  XEQ $    TK4-      0.00
- - INIT       STC00094  XEQ $    TK4-      0.00
- - INIT       STC00095  XEQ $    TK4-      0.01
- - NET        STC00098  XEQ $    TK4-      0.32
- - TP         STC00099  XEQ $    TK4-      0.69
- - MF1        STC00100  XEQ $    TK4-      0.04
- - TSO        STC00101  XEQ $    TK4-      0.01
- - SNASOL     STC00102  XEQ $    TK4-      0.59
- - JRP        STC00103  XEQ $    TK4-      0.11
- - HERC01     TSU00006  XEQ @    TK4-      1.11
- - NEWJCC     JOB00003  PRTPUN
- - NEWCOB     JOB00006  PRTPUN

```

Enter 'S' in the S column for the NEWCOB job:

REVOUT		*	LINE 1 OF 17						
COMMAND		===>	SCROLL ===> CS						
S	Q	JOBNAME	JOBIDENT	QUEUE	EXEC	STATUS	STEPNAME	PROCSTEP	CPU-TIME
'	'	SYSLOG	STC00088	XEQ	\$	TK4-			1.01
'	'	BSPPILOT	STC00089	XEQ	\$	TK4-	BSPPILOT	C3P0	0.08
'	'	INIT	STC00090	XEQ	\$	TK4-	INIT	IEFPROC	0.00
'	'	INIT	STC00091	XEQ	\$	TK4-	INIT	IEFPROC	0.00
'	'	INIT	STC00092	XEQ	\$	TK4-	INIT	IEFPROC	0.00
'	'	INIT	STC00093	XEQ	\$	TK4-	INIT	IEFPROC	0.00
'	'	INIT	STC00094	XEQ	\$	TK4-	INIT	IEFPROC	0.00
'	'	INIT	STC00095	XEQ	\$	TK4-	INIT	IEFPROC	0.01
'	'	NET	STC00098	XEQ	\$	TK4-	NET	IEFPROC	0.32
'	'	TP	STC00099	XEQ	\$	TK4-	TP	TCAM	0.69
'	'	MF1	STC00100	XEQ	\$	TK4-	MF1	IEFPROC	0.04
'	'	TS0	STC00101	XEQ	\$	TK4-	TS0	STEP1	0.01
'	'	SNASOL	STC00102	XEQ	\$	TK4-	SNASOL	SOLICIT	0.62
'	'	JRP	STC00103	XEQ	\$	TK4-	JRP	JRP	0.12
'	'	HERC01	TSU00006	XEQ	@	TK4-	TSOLOGON		1.13
'	'	NEWJCC	JOB00003	PRT	PUN				
S		NEWCOB	JOB00006	PRT	PUN				

Job output is displayed:

```

SYS21337.T010558.RA000.HERC01.JOB00006 ----- Line 1 Col 2 81
Command ==>   Scroll ==> CS
      10      20      30      40      50      60      70      80
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
                                     J E S 2   J O B   L O G
01.03.49 JOB      6 IEF677I WARNING MESSAGE(S) FOR JOB NEWCOB   ISSUED
01.03.49 JOB      6 $HASP373 NEWCOB   STARTED - INIT  1 - CLASS A - SYS TK4-
01.03.49 JOB      6 IEF403I NEWCOB - STARTED - TIME=01.03.49
01.03.49 JOB      6 IEC130I SYSPUNCH DD STATEMENT MISSING
01.03.49 JOB      6 IEC130I SYSLIB   DD STATEMENT MISSING
01.03.49 JOB      6 IEC130I SYSPUNCH DD STATEMENT MISSING
01.03.49 JOB      6 IEFACRT - Stepname Procstep Program Retcode
01.03.49 JOB      6 NEWCOB   HELOWRLD COB      IKFCBL00 RC= 0000
01.03.49 JOB      6 NEWCOB   HELOWRLD LKED      IEWL      RC= 0000
01.03.49 JOB      6 +HELLO, WORLD
01.03.49 JOB      6 NEWCOB   HELOWRLD GO          PGM=*.DD RC= 0000
01.03.49 JOB      6 IEF404I NEWCOB - ENDED - TIME=01.03.49
01.03.49 JOB      6 $HASP395 NEWCOB   ENDED

  1  //NEWCOB JOB (SETUP),
    //      "NEW COBOL",
    //      CLASS=A,
    //      MSGCLASS=H,
    //      MSGLEVEL=(1,1),
    //      USER=HERC01,PASSWORD=
                                     GENERATED BY GDL
*****
***  NAME: SYS2.JCLLIB(TESTCOB)
***
***  DESC: TEST COBOL INSTALLATION
***
*****
  2  //HELOWRLD EXEC COBUCLG
  3  XXCOBUCLG PROC SOUT="*"
  4  XXCOB EXEC PGM=IKFCBL00,
    XX      PARM="LOAD,SUPMAP,SIZE=2048K,BUF=1024K"
  5  XXSYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=&SOUT
  6  XXSYSUT1 DD UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(460,(700,100))
  7  XXSYSUT2 DD UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(460,(700,100))
  8  XXSYSUT3 DD UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(460,(700,100))
  9  XXSYSUT4 DD UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(460,(700,100))
 10  XXSYSLIN DD DSNAME=&LOADSET,DISP=(MOD,PASS),UNIT=SYSDA,
    XX      SPACE=(80,(500,100))
                                     7828K FREE

```

Press [F8] to page down, and you'll see the 'Hello World' output:

```
SYS21337.T010558.RA000.HERC01.JOB00006 ----- Line 118 Col 2 81
Command ==> [ ] Scroll ==> CS
      10      20      30      40      50      60      70      80
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
*****
*      2. Jobstep of job: NEWCOB      Stepname: LKED      Program name: IEWL
*      elapsed time 00:00:00,04      CPU-Identifier: TK4-
*      CPU time 00:00:00,02      Virtual Storage used: 264K
*      corr. CPU: 00:00:00,02      CPU time has been corrected by 1 / 1,0 m
*
*      I/O Operation
*      Number of records read via DD * or DD DATA: 0
*      140.....22 DMY.....0 180.....10 148.....17 148.....0 170.....0 DM
*
*      Charge for step (w/o SYSOUT):
*****
IEF236I ALLOC. FOR NEWCOB GO HELOWRLD
IEF237I 180 ALLOCATED TO PGM=*.DD
IEF237I JES2 ALLOCATED TO SYSPRINT
HELLO, WORLD
IEF142I NEWCOB GO HELOWRLD - STEP WAS EXECUTED - COND CODE 0000
IEF285I SYS21337.T010349.RA000.NEWCOB.GODATA KEPT *-----0
IEF285I VOL SER NOS= WORK02.
IEF285I JES2.JOB00006.S00104 SYSOUT
IEF373I STEP /GO / START 21337.0103
IEF374I STEP /GO / STOP 21337.0103 CPU OMIN 00.00SEC SRB OMIN 00.00S
IEF237I 180 ALLOCATED TO SYS00001
IEF285I SYS21337.T010349.RA000.NEWCOB.R0000001 KEPT *-----0
IEF285I VOL SER NOS= WORK02.
IEF285I SYS21337.T010349.RA000.NEWCOB.GODATA DELETED
IEF285I VOL SER NOS= WORK02.
IEF375I JOB /NEWCOB / START 21337.0103
IEF376I JOB /NEWCOB / STOP 21337.0103 CPU OMIN 00.07SEC SRB OMIN 00.02S
CB545 V2 LVL78 01MAY72 IBM OS AMERICAN NATIONAL STANDARD COBOL

1
00001 001 IDENTIFICATION DIVISION.
00002 002 PROGRAM-ID. 'HELLO'.
00003 003 ENVIRONMENT DIVISION.
00004 004 CONFIGURATION SECTION.
00005 005 SOURCE-COMPUTER. IBM-360.
00006 006 OBJECT-COMPUTER. IBM-360.
00007 0065 SPECIAL-NAMES.

7828K FREE
```

Press [F3] several times to return to the main screen.

FORTRAN

FORTRAN first appeared in 1957. The latest stable release was in 2018. It's widely used in scientific and engineering applications.

Follow the COBOL instructions, with the following differences:

1. Copy 'TESTFORT' instead of 'TESTCOB', and name it 'NEWFORT' instead of 'NEWCOB'.
2. When you edit NEWFORT, change the job name and description to indicate NEWFORT instead of

NEWCOB.

PL/1

You may also see the name written as 'PL/I'. It first appeared in 1964, and the latest stable release was in 2019.

Follow the COBOL instructions, with the following differences:

1. Copy 'TESTPL1' instead of 'TESTCOB', and name it 'NEWPL1' instead of 'NEWCOB'.
2. When you edit NEWPL1, change the job name and description to indicate NEWPL1 instead of NEWCOB.

There's an additional change, and it's important:



There's a critical "gotcha" in PL/1 programs. MVS requires a JOBLIB statement in the JCL, and it's not included in the turnkey sample programs. The following additional line is required in the Data Set. This should be added as a new line at the end of the JCL section:

```
//JOBLIB DD DSN=SYS1.PL1LIB,DISP=SHR
```



To add a new line in the editor, enter an 'I' in the first column of a row, and the new row will be inserted after. Example location:

```
000013 //HELWR  
000014 //COB.SY  
000015 001 I  
000016 002 P  
000017 003 F
```

You can also delete a line by entering a 'D' in the same location.

C

C first appeared in 1972, and the latest stable release was in 2018. It's the most actively used "old language" by far, heavily used in operating system and kernel development, device drivers, and embedded development.

It's a dangerous language: Memory management is tricky. But, it's also extremely powerful, as it's well suited for getting close to the hardware.

Follow the COBOL instructions, with the following differences:

1. Copy 'TESTJCC' instead of 'TESTCOB', and name it 'NEWJCC' instead of 'NEWCOB'. **Use TESTJCC as your copy source, not TESTGCC. The GCC compiler ABENDs (throws an error) in the MVS Turnkey system.**
2. When you edit NEWJCC, change the job name and description to indicate NEWJCC instead of NEWCOB.

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