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Section 2: Terminology and General Requirements

2.1 Conventions

2.1.1 Editorial Conventions

This standard uses the following editorial and typographical conventions. A summary of typographical conventions is shown in Table 2-1.

Table 2-1 – Typographical Conventions

Reference	Example
C-Language Data Type	*long*
C-Language Function	*system* ()
C-Language Function Argument	*arg1*
C-Language Global External	*errno*
C-Language Header	`<sys/stat.h>`
C-Language Keyword	`#define`
Cross Reference: Annex	Annex A
Cross Reference: Clause	2.3
Cross Reference: Other Standard	ISO 9999-1 {*n*}
Cross Reference: Section	Section 2
Cross Reference: Subclause	2.3.4, 2.3.4.5, 2.3.4.5.6
Defined Term	(see text)
Environment Variable	**PATH**
Error Number	[EINTR]
Example Input	`echo foo`
Example Output	**`foo`**
Figure Reference	Figure 7
File Name	`/tmp`
Parameter	<*directory pathname* >
Special Character	`<newline>`
Symbolic Constant, Limit	{_POSIX_VDISABLE }, {LINE_MAX}
Table Reference	Table 6
Utility Name	`awk`
Utility Operand	*file_name*
Utility Option	`-c`
Utility Option with Option-Argument	`-w` *width*

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