

# (foreign c) a portable foreign function interface for R7RS

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(foreign c) is a C foreign function interface (FFI) library for R7RS. It is portable in the sense that it supports multiple implementations, as opposed to being portable by conforming to some specification.

The new readme is a work in progress.

## Implementation table

### Primitives 1

	c-size-of	c-bytevector-u8-set!	c-byt
Chibi	X	X	
Chicken	X	X	
Gauche	X	X	
Guile	X	X	
Kawa	X	X	
Mosh	X	X	
Racket	X	X	
Saggittarius	X	X	
Stklos	X	X	
Ypsilon	X	X	

### Primitives 2

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**Chicken**  
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## Test files pass

	<b>primitives.scm</b>
Chibi	X
<b>Chicken</b>	X
Gauche	X
<b>Guile</b>	X
Kawa	X
Mosh	X
Racket	X
<b>Saggittarius</b>	X
Stklos	X
Ypsilon	X

## Documentation

### Types

Types are given as symbols, for example 'int8 or 'pointer.

- int8
- uint8
- int16
- uint16
- int32
- uint32
- int64
- uint64
- char
- unsigned-char
- short
- unsigned-short
- int
- unsigned-int
- long
- unsigned-long
- float
- double
- pointer
- callback
  - Callback function

### Primitives

(**c-type-size** *type*)

Returns the size of given C type.

(**define-c-library** *scheme-name headers object-name options*) define-c-procedure define-c-callback c-bytevector? c-bytevector-u8-set! c-bytevector-u8-ref c-bytevector-pointer-set! c-bytevector-pointer-ref

## **c-bytevector**

make-c-bytevector make-c-null c-null? c-free native-endianness c-bytevector-s8-set! c-bytevector-s8-ref c-bytevector-s16-set! c-bytevector-s16-ref c-bytevector-s16-native-set! c-bytevector-s16-native-ref c-bytevector-u16-set! c-bytevector-u16-ref c-bytevector-u16-native-set! c-bytevector-u16-native-ref c-bytevector-s32-set! c-bytevector-s32-ref c-bytevector-s32-native-set! c-bytevector-s32-native-ref c-bytevector-u32-set! c-bytevector-u32-ref c-bytevector-u32-native-set! c-bytevector-u32-native-ref c-bytevector-s64-set! c-bytevector-s64-ref c-bytevector-s64-native-set! c-bytevector-s64-native-ref c-bytevector-u64-set! c-bytevector-u64-ref c-bytevector-u64-native-set! c-bytevector-u64-native-ref c-bytevector-sint-set! c-bytevector-sint-ref c-bytevector-uint-set! c-bytevector-uint-ref c-bytevector-ieee-single-set! c-bytevector-ieee-single-native-set! c-bytevector-ieee-single-ref c-bytevector-ieee-single-native-ref c-bytevector-ieee-double-set! c-bytevector-ieee-double-native-set! c-bytevector-ieee-double-ref c-bytevector-ieee-double-native-ref bytevector->c-bytevector c-bytevector->bytevector call-with-address-of-string->c-utf8 c-utf8->string