tentative /ˈtentətɪv / adj

1.(of an arrangement, agreement, etc.) not definite or certain because you may want to change it later

2. not behaving or done with confidence

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**For C, things are slightly less clear. There has to be exactly one definition of any functions or initialized global variables, but the definition of an uninitialized global variable can be treated as a tentative definition. C then allows (or at least does not forbid) different source files to have tentative definitions for the same object.**