# Commonwealth Prohibited Technologies

**Programming Languages and Data Access Methods**

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The following programming languages and data access methods are considered *Prohibited* technologies by COV per Enterprise Technical Architecture (ETA): Legacy Information Technology (IT) Solutions.

**Prohibited languages** – Ada, ALGOL, APL, Assembler (BAL), BASIC, C, Clipper (xBase), COBOL, Delphi, Fortran, Natural, LISP, Mapper, Paradox, Pascal, PL/1, Rexx, RPG X

**Prohibited database and other data access methods** – Adabas, IMS, VSAM, ISAM, xBase, Paradox, all Network and Hierarchical databases, all data access methods and versions without security patching