

# French Module for datetime2 Package

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This module is currently unmaintained and may be subject to change. If you want to volunteer to take over maintenance, contact me at <http://www.dickimaw-books.com/contact.html>

## Abstract

This is the French language module for the `datetime2` package. If you want to use the settings in this module you must install it in addition to installing `datetime2`. If you use `babel` or `polyglossia`, you will need this module to prevent them from redefining `\today`. The `datetime2 useregional` setting must be set to `text` or `numeric` for the language styles to be set. Alternatively, you can set the style in the document using `\DTMsetstyle`, but this may be changed by `\date<language>` depending on the value of the `useregional` setting.

I've copied the date style from `babel-french`'s `\today`.

I don't know if these settings are correct. In particular, I don't know if the `french` time style is correct. Currently this just uses the `default` time style. Please be aware that this may change. Whoever takes over maintenance of this module may change it as appropriate.

The new maintainer should add the line:

```
The Current Maintainer of this work is Name.
```

to the preamble part in `datetime2-french.ins` where Name is the name of the maintainer(s) and replace the 'inactive' status to 'maintained'.

Currently there is only a regionless style. New maintainers may want to add regional variants such as `fr-FR/fr-FR-numeric` or `fr-BE/fr-BE-numeric`. This style currently doesn't check the `showdow` setting.

## 1 The Code

### 1.1 UTF-8

This file contains the settings that use UTF-8 characters. This file is loaded if XeLaTeX or LuaLaTeX are used. Please make sure your text editor is set to UTF-8 if you want to view this code. Identify module

```
1 \ProvidesDateTimeModule{french-utf8}[2015/03/27 v1.0]
```

`\DTMfrenchordinal`

```
2 \ifdef\ier
3 {%
4 \newcommand*\DTMfrenchordinal}[1]{%
5   \number#1
6   \ifnum#1=1\DTMtexorpdfstring{\protect\ier}{er}\fi
7 }
8}%
9 {%
10 \newcommand*\DTMfrenchordinal}[1]{%
11   \number#1
12   \ifnum#1=1\DTMtexorpdfstring{\protect\textsuperscript{er}}{er}\fi
13 }
14}%
```

`\DTMfrenchmonthname` French month names.

```
15 \newcommand*\DTMfrenchmonthname}[1]{%
16   \ifcase#1
17   \or
18   janvier%
19   \or
20   février%
21   \or
22   mars%
23   \or
24   avril%
25   \or
26   mai%
27   \or
28   juin%
29   \or
30   juillet%
31   \or
32   août%
33   \or
34   septembre%
35   \or
36   octobre%
37   \or
38   novembre%
39   \or
40   décembre%
41   \fi
42 }
```

`\DTMfrenchMonthname` As above but start with a capital.

```
43 \newcommand*\DTMfrenchMonthname}[1]{%
44   \ifcase#1
45   \or
```

```

46 Janvier%
47 \or
48 Février%
49 \or
50 Mars%
51 \or
52 Avril%
53 \or
54 Mai%
55 \or
56 Juin%
57 \or
58 Juillet%
59 \or
60 Août%
61 \or
62 Septembre%
63 \or
64 Octobre%
65 \or
66 Novembre%
67 \or
68 Décembre%
69 \fi
70 }

```

If abbreviated dates are supported, short month names should be likewise provided.

`\DTMfrenchweekdayname` These are provided here but not currently used in the date format.

```

71 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchweekdayname}[1]{%
72 \ifcase#1
73 lundi%
74 \or
75 mardi%
76 \or
77 mercredi%
78 \or
79 jeudi%
80 \or
81 vendredi%
82 \or
83 samedi%
84 \or
85 dimanche%
86 \fi
87 }

```

`\DTMfrenchWeekdayname` As above but start with a capital.

```

88 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchWeekdayname}[1]{%

```

```

89 \ifcase#1
90 Lundi%
91 \or
92 Mardi%
93 \or
94 Mercredi%
95 \or
96 Jeudi%
97 \or
98 Vendredi%
99 \or
100 Samedi%
101 \or
102 Dimanche%
103 \fi
104 }

```

## 1.2 ASCII

This file contains the settings that use  $\LaTeX$  commands for non-ASCII characters. This should be input if neither XeLaTeX nor LuaLaTeX are used. Even if the user has loaded `inputenc` with `utf8`, this file should still be used not the `datetime2-french-utf8.1df` file as the non-ASCII characters are made active in that situation and would need protecting against expansion. Identify module

```
105 \ProvidesDateTimeModule{french-ascii}[2015/03/27 v1.0]
```

If abbreviated dates are supported, short month names should be likewise provided.

`\DTMfrenchordinal`

```

106 \ifdef\ier
107 {%
108 \newcommand*\DTMfrenchordinal}[1]{%
109 \number#1
110 \ifnum#1=1\DTMtexorpdfstring{\protect\ier}{er}\fi
111 }
112 }%
113 {%
114 \newcommand*\DTMfrenchordinal}[1]{%
115 \number#1
116 \ifnum#1=1\DTMtexorpdfstring{\protect\textsuperscript{er}}{er}\fi
117 }
118 }%

```

`\DTMfrenchmonthname` French month names.

```

119 \newcommand*\DTMfrenchmonthname}[1]{%
120 \ifcase#1
121 \or
122 janvier%

```

```

123 \or
124 f\protect\'evrier%
125 \or
126 mars%
127 \or
128 avril%
129 \or
130 mai%
131 \or
132 juin%
133 \or
134 juillet%
135 \or
136 ao\protect\^ut%
137 \or
138 septembre%
139 \or
140 octobre%
141 \or
142 novembre%
143 \or
144 d\protect\'ecembre%
145 \fi
146 }

```

`\DTMfrenchMonthname` As above but start with a capital.

```

147 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchMonthname}[1]{%
148 \ifcase#1
149 \or
150 Janvier%
151 \or
152 F\protect\'evrier%
153 \or
154 Mars%
155 \or
156 Avril%
157 \or
158 Mai%
159 \or
160 Juin%
161 \or
162 Juillet%
163 \or
164 Ao\protect\^ut%
165 \or
166 Septembre%
167 \or
168 Octobre%
169 \or
170 Novembre%

```

```

171 \or
172 D\protect\'ecembre%
173 \fi
174 }

```

`\DTMfrenchweekdayname` These are provided here but not currently used in the date format.

```

175 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchweekdayname}[1]{%
176 \ifcase#1
177 lundi%
178 \or
179 mardi%
180 \or
181 mercredi%
182 \or
183 jeudi%
184 \or
185 vendredi%
186 \or
187 samedi%
188 \or
189 dimanche%
190 \fi
191 }

```

`\DTMfrenchWeekdayname` As above but start with a capital.

```

192 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchWeekdayname}[1]{%
193 \ifcase#1
194 Lundi%
195 \or
196 Mardi%
197 \or
198 Mercredi%
199 \or
200 Jeudi%
201 \or
202 Vendredi%
203 \or
204 Samedi%
205 \or
206 Dimanche%
207 \fi
208 }

```

### 1.3 Main French Module (datetime2-french.1df)

Identify Module

```
209 \ProvidesDateTimeModule{french}[2015/03/27 v1.0]
```

Need to find out if XeTeX or LuaTeX are being used.

```
210 \RequirePackage{ifxetex,ifluatex}
```

XeTeX and LuaTeX natively support UTF-8, so load `french-utf8` if either of those engines are used otherwise load `french-ascii`.

```

211 \ifxetex
212 \RequireDateTimeModule{french-utf8}
213 \else
214 \ifluatex
215 \RequireDateTimeModule{french-utf8}
216 \else
217 \RequireDateTimeModule{french-ascii}
218 \fi
219 \fi

```

Define the `french` style. The time style is the same as the default style provided by `datetime2`. This may need correcting.

Allow the user a way of configuring the `french` and `french-numeric` styles. This doesn't use the package wide separators such as `\dtm@datetimesep` in case other date formats are also required.

```

\DTMfrenchdaymonthsep The separator between the day and month for the text format.
220 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchdaymonthsep}{\space}

\DTMfrenchmonthyearsep The separator between the month and year for the text format.
221 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchmonthyearsep}{\space}

\DTMfrenchdatetimesep The separator between the date and time blocks in the full format (either text or
numeric).
222 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchdatetimesep}{\space}

\DTMfrenchtimezonesep The separator between the time and zone blocks in the full format (either text or
numeric).
223 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchtimezonesep}{\space}

\DTMfrenchdatesep The separator for the numeric date format.
224 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchdatesep}{/}

\DTMfrenchtimesep The separator for the numeric time format.
225 \newcommand*{\DTMfrenchtimesep}{:}

```

Provide keys that can be used in `\DTMlangsetup` to set these separators.

```

226 \DTMdefkey{french}{daymonthsep}{\renewcommand*{\DTMfrenchdaymonthsep}{#1}}
227 \DTMdefkey{french}{monthyearsep}{\renewcommand*{\DTMfrenchmonthyearsep}{#1}}
228 \DTMdefkey{french}{datetimesep}{\renewcommand*{\DTMfrenchdatetimesep}{#1}}
229 \DTMdefkey{french}{timezonesep}{\renewcommand*{\DTMfrenchtimezonesep}{#1}}
230 \DTMdefkey{french}{datesep}{\renewcommand*{\DTMfrenchdatesep}{#1}}
231 \DTMdefkey{french}{timesep}{\renewcommand*{\DTMfrenchtimesep}{#1}}

```

TODO: provide a boolean key to switch between full and abbreviated formats if appropriate. (I don't know how the date should be abbreviated.)

Define a boolean key that determines if the time zone mappings should be used.

```

232 \DTMdefboolkey{french}{mapzone}[true]{}

```

The default is to use mappings.

```
233 \DTMsetbool{french}{mapzone}{true}
```

Define a boolean key that determines if the day of month should be displayed.

```
234 \DTMdefboolkey{french}{showdayofmonth}[true]{} 
```

The default is to show the day of month.

```
235 \DTMsetbool{french}{showdayofmonth}{true}
```

Define a boolean key that determines if the year should be displayed.

```
236 \DTMdefboolkey{french}{showyear}[true]{} 
```

The default is to show the year.

```
237 \DTMsetbool{french}{showyear}{true}
```

Define the french style. (TODO: implement day of week?)

```
238 \DTMnewstyle
```

```
239 {french}% label
```

```
240 {% date style
```

```
241   \renewcommand*\DTMdisplaydate[4]{%
```

```
242     \DTMifbool{french}{showdayofmonth}
```

```
243     {\DTMfrenchordinal{##3}\DTMfrenchdaymonthsep}%
```

```
244     {}%
```

```
245     \DTMfrenchmonthname{##2}%
```

```
246     \DTMifbool{french}{showyear}%
```

```
247     {%
```

```
248       \DTMfrenchmonthyearsep
```

```
249       \number##1 % space intended
```

```
250     }%
```

```
251     {}%
```

```
252   }%
```

```
253   \renewcommand*\DTMdisplaydate[4]{%
```

```
254     \DTMifbool{french}{showdayofmonth}
```

```
255     {%
```

```
256       \DTMfrenchordinal{##3}\DTMfrenchdaymonthsep
```

```
257       \DTMfrenchmonthname{##2}%
```

```
258     }%
```

```
259     {\DTMfrenchMonthname{##2}}%
```

```
260     \DTMifbool{french}{showyear}%
```

```
261     {%
```

```
262       \DTMfrenchmonthyearsep
```

```
263       \number##1 % space intended
```

```
264     }%
```

```
265     {}%
```

```
266   }%
```

```
267 }%
```

```
268 {% time style (use default)
```

```
269   \DTMsettimestyle{default}%
```

```
270 }%
```

```
271 {% zone style
```

```
272   \DTMresetzones
```



```

273 \DTMfrenchzonemaps
274 \renewcommand*{\DTMdisplayzone}[2]{%
275   \DTMifbool{french}{mapzone}%
276   {\DTMfrenchzonemapordefault{##1}{##2}}%
277   {%
278     \ifnum##1<0\else+\fi\DTMtwodigits{##1}%
279     \ifDTMshowzoneminutes\DTMfrenchtimesep\DTMtwodigits{##2}\fi
280   }%
281 }%
282 }%
283 {% full style
284 \renewcommand*{\DTMdisplay}[9]{%
285   \ifDTMshowdate
286     \DTMdisplaydate{##1}{##2}{##3}{##4}%
287     \DTMfrenchdatetimesep
288     \fi
289     \DTMdisplaytime{##5}{##6}{##7}%
290     \ifDTMshowzone
291       \DTMfrenchtimezonesep
292       \DTMdisplayzone{##8}{##9}%
293     \fi
294   }%
295 \renewcommand*{\DTMdisplay}[9]{%
296   \ifDTMshowdate
297     \DTMdisplaydate{##1}{##2}{##3}{##4}%
298     \DTMfrenchdatetimesep
299     \fi
300     \DTMdisplaytime{##5}{##6}{##7}%
301     \ifDTMshowzone
302       \DTMfrenchtimezonesep
303       \DTMdisplayzone{##8}{##9}%
304     \fi
305   }%
306 }%

```

Define numeric style.

```

307 \DTMnewstyle
308 {french-numeric}% label
309 {% date style
310   \renewcommand*{\DTMdisplaydate}[4]{%
311     \DTMifbool{french}{showdayofmonth}%
312     {%
313       \number##3 % space intended
314       \DTMfrenchdatesep
315     }%
316   }%
317   \number##2 % space intended
318   \DTMifbool{french}{showyear}%
319   {%
320     \DTMfrenchdatesep

```

```

321     \number##1 % space intended
322   }%
323   {}%
324 }%
325 \renewcommand*\DTMdisplaydate[4]{\DTMdisplaydate{##1}{##2}{##3}{##4}}%
326 }%
327 {% time style
328   \renewcommand*\DTMdisplaytime[3]{%
329     \number##1
330     \DTMfrenchtimesep\DTMtwodigits{##2}%
331     \ifDTMshowseconds\DTMfrenchtimesep\DTMtwodigits{##3}\fi
332   }%
333 }%
334 {% zone style
335   \DTMresetzones
336   \DTMfrenchzonemaps
337   \renewcommand*\DTMdisplayzone[2]{%
338     \DTMifbool{french}{mapzone}%
339     {\DTMusedzonemapordefault{##1}{##2}}%
340     {%
341       \ifnum##1<0\else+\fi\DTMtwodigits{##1}%
342       \ifDTMshowzoneminutes\DTMfrenchtimesep\DTMtwodigits{##2}\fi
343     }%
344   }%
345 }%
346 {% full style
347   \renewcommand*\DTMdisplay[9]{%
348     \ifDTMshowdate
349     \DTMdisplaydate{##1}{##2}{##3}{##4}%
350     \DTMfrenchdatetimesep
351     \fi
352     \DTMdisplaytime{##5}{##6}{##7}%
353     \ifDTMshowzone
354     \DTMfrenchtimezonesep
355     \DTMdisplayzone{##8}{##9}%
356     \fi
357   }%
358   \renewcommand*\DTMdisplay{\DTMdisplay}%
359 }

```

`\DTMfrenchzonemaps` The time zone mappings are set through this command, which can be redefined if extra mappings are required or mappings need to be removed.

```

360 \newcommand*\DTMfrenchzonemaps{%
361   \DTMdefzonemap{01}{00}{CET}%
362   \DTMdefzonemap{02}{00}{CEST}%
363 }

```

Switch style according to the `useregional` setting.

```

364 \DTMifcaseregional
365 {}% do nothing

```

```

366 {\DTMsetstyle{french}}
367 {\DTMsetstyle{french-numeric}}
    Redefine \datefrench (or \date<dialect>) to prevent babel from resetting
    \today. (For this to work, babel must already have been loaded if it's required.)
368 \ifcsundef{date\CurrentTrackedDialect}
369 {%
370   \ifundef\datefrench
371   {% do nothing
372   }%
373   {%
374     \def\datefrench{%
375       \DTMifcaseregional
376       }% do nothing
377       {\DTMsetstyle{french}}%
378       {\DTMsetstyle{french-numeric}}%
379     }%
380   }%
381 }%
382 {%
383   \csdef{date\CurrentTrackedDialect}{%
384     \DTMifcaseregional
385     }% do nothing
386     {\DTMsetstyle{french}}%
387     {\DTMsetstyle{french-numeric}}
388   }%
389 }%

```

## Change History

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