

What does the letter "T" in LPTSTR stand for?

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The “T” in `LPTSTR` comes from the “T” in TCHAR. I don’t know for certain, but it seems pretty likely that it stands for “text”. By comparison, the “W” in `WCHAR` probably comes from the C language standard, where it stands for “wide”.

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