

# How to Help

There is a lot of work to do on a project the size of GeoTools but it is often hard for new developers to work out where they can help.

At any one time we have a large list of tasks which need doing but many of them are not assigned to anyone in particular. This page contains a summary of outstanding issues which no-one is working on. If you feel you might be able to help, go and take a look at the issue and add a comment. All of the developers interested in that issue will receive a note and you can discuss with them what needs to be done and if you can help.

## Open tasks suitable for new developers

This list contains tasks which have specifically been identified as suitable for novice or new developers. You will still need a good level of Java knowledge, but you won't need to know GeoTools inside out before you can get started.

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## Open, unassigned issues and tasks

The following is a list of current outstanding issues, tasks and bugs which have not yet been assigned to anyone.

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## New modules

The following is a list of requests for entirely new modules. These often make excellent projects for new developers as they can work on the new code in safety.

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