

‘P’        `mpfr_prec_t`, integer conversions  
 ‘R’        `mpfr_t`, float conversions

The ‘type’ specifiers have the same restrictions as those mentioned in the GMP documentation: see Section “Formatted Output Strings” in *GNU MP*. In particular, the ‘type’ specifiers (except ‘R’ and ‘P’) are supported only if they are supported by `gmp_printf` in your GMP build; this implies that the standard specifiers, such as ‘t’, must *also* be supported by your C library if you want to use them.

The ‘rounding’ field is specific to `mpfr_t` arguments and should not be used with other types.

With conversion specification not involving ‘P’ and ‘R’ types, `mpfr_printf` behaves exactly as `gmp_printf`.

Thus the ‘conv’ specifier ‘F’ is not supported (due to the use of ‘F’ as the ‘type’ specifier for `mpf_t`), except for the ‘type’ specifier ‘R’ (i.e., for `mpfr_t` arguments).

The ‘P’ type specifies that a following ‘d’, ‘i’, ‘o’, ‘u’, ‘x’, or ‘X’ conversion specifier applies to a `mpfr_prec_t` argument. It is needed because the `mpfr_prec_t` type does not necessarily correspond to an `int` or any fixed standard type. The ‘precision’ field specifies the minimum number of digits to appear. The default ‘precision’ is 1. For example:

```
mpfr_t x;
mpfr_prec_t p;
mpfr_init (x);
...
p = mpfr_get_prec (x);
mpfr_printf ("variable x with %Pu bits", p);
```

The ‘R’ type specifies that a following ‘a’, ‘A’, ‘b’, ‘e’, ‘E’, ‘f’, ‘F’, ‘g’, ‘G’, or ‘n’ conversion specifier applies to a `mpfr_t` argument. The ‘R’ type can be followed by a ‘rounding’ specifier denoted by one of the following characters:

‘U’        round toward positive infinity  
 ‘D’        round toward negative infinity  
 ‘Y’        round away from zero  
 ‘Z’        round toward zero  
 ‘N’        round to nearest (with ties to even)  
 ‘\*’        rounding mode indicated by the `mpfr_rnd_t` argument just before the corresponding `mpfr_t` variable.