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## Foreword

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## Introduction

ISO/IEC 10646 specifies the Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS). It is applicable to the representation, transmission, interchange, processing, storage, input and presentation of the written form of the languages of the world as well as additional symbols.

By defining a consistent way of encoding multilingual text it enables the exchange of data internationally. The information technology industry gains data stability, greater global interoperability and data interchange. ISO/IEC 10646 has been widely adopted in new Internet protocols and implemented in modern operating systems and computer languages. This edition covers over 99000 characters from the world's scripts.

ISO/IEC 10646 contains material which may only be available to users who obtain their copy in a machine readable format. That material consists of the following printable files:

- CJKU_SR.txt
- CJKC_SR.txt
- IICORE.txt
- HangulX.txt
- HangulTb.pdf
- HangulSy.txt


# Information technology - Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS) 

## 1 Scope

ISO/IEC 10646 specifies the Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS). It is applicable to the representation, transmission, interchange, processing, storage, input, and presentation of the written form of the languages of the world as well as of additional symbols.

This document:

- specifies the architecture of ISO/IEC 10646,
- defines terms used in ISO/IEC 10646,
- describes the general structure of the coded character set;
- specifies the Basic Multilingual Plane (BMP) of the UCS,
- specifies supplementary planes of the UCS: the Supplementary Multilingual Plane (SMP), the Supplementary Ideographic Plane (SIP) and the Supplementary Special-purpose Plane (SSP),
- defines a set of abstract characters used in scripts and the written form of languages on a world-wide scale;
- specifies the names for the abstract characters of the BMP, SMP, SIP, SSP and their coded representations within the UCS codespace;
- specifies three encoding form of the UCS: UTF-8, UTF-16, and UTF-32;
- specifies a set of encoding schemes;
- specifies the management of future additions to this coded character set.

The UCS is a encoding system different from that specified in ISO/IEC 2022. The method to designate UCS from ISO/IEC 2022 is specified in clause 12.2.
An abstract characters will be assigned only one code point in the standard, located either in the BMP or in one of the supplementary planes.

NOTE - The Unicode Standard, Version 5.0 includes a set of characters, names, and coded representations that are identical with those in this International Standard. It additionally provides details of character properties, processing algorithms, and definitions that are useful to implementers.

## 2 Conformance

### 2.1 General

Whenever private use characters are used as specified in ISO/IEC 10646, the characters themselves shall not be covered by these conformance requirements.

### 2.2 Conformance of information interchange

A coded-character-sequence (CC-sequence) within coded information for interchange is in conformance with ISO/IEC 10646 if
a) all the coded representations of graphic characters within that CC-sequence conform to clauses 6 and 7, to an identified encoding form chosen from clause 10 or annex C or annex D;
b) all the graphic characters represented within that CCsequence are taken from those within an identified subset (see clause 8);
c) all the control characters within that CC-sequence conform to clause 11.

A claim of conformance shall identify the adopted encoding form and the adopted subset by means of a list of collections and/or characters.

### 2.3 Conformance of devices

A device is in conformance with ISO/IEC 10646 if it conforms to the requirements of item a) below, and either or both of items b) and c).

NOTE - The term device is defined (in clause 4.20) as a component of information processing equipment which can transmit and/or receive coded information within CC-sequences. A device may be a conventional input/output device, or a process such as an application program or gateway function.
A claim of conformance shall identify the document that contains the description specified in a) below, and shall identify the adopted encoding form(s), the adopted encoding scheme(s), the adopted subset (by means of a list of collections and/or characters), and the selection of control functions adopted in accordance with clause 15.
a) Device description: A device that conforms to ISO/IEC 10646 shall be the subject of a description that identifies the means by which the user may supply characters to the device and/or may recognize them when they are made available to the user, as specified respectively, in sub-clauses b), and c) below.
b) Originating device: An originating device shall allow its user to supply any characters from an adopted
subset, and be capable of transmitting their coded representations within a CC-sequence in accordance with the adopted encoding form and adopted encoding scheme.
c) Receiving device: A receiving device shall be capable of receiving and interpreting any coded representation of characters that are within a CC-sequence in accordance with the adopted encoding form and adopted encoding scheme, and shall make any corresponding characters from the adopted subset available to the user in such a way that the user can identify them.

Any corresponding characters that are not within the adopted subset shall be indicated to the user. The way used for indicating them need not distinguish them from each other.

NOTE 1 - An indication to the user may consist of making available the same character to represent all characters not in the adopted subset, or providing a distinctive audible or visible signal when appropriate to the type of user.
NOTE 2 - Devices with retransmission capability have additional recommendations. A device of this class includes a receiving device component and an originating device, and can also store received CC-sequence for retransmission, with or without modification by the actions of the user on the corresponding characters represented within it. Within this class of device, two distinct types are identified here, as follows.

1. Receiving device with full retransmission capability: The originating device component will retransmit the coded representations of any received characters, including those that are outside the identified subset of the receiving device component, without change to their coded representation, unless modified by the user.
2. Receiving device with subset retransmission capability: The originating device component can re-transmit only the coded representations of the characters of the subset adopted by the receiving device component.

This recommendation is intended to ensure that loss of information is minimized between the receipt of a CC-sequence and its retransmission.

## 3 Normative references

The following normative documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of ISO/IEC 10646. For dated references, subsequent amendments to, or revisions of, any of these publications do not apply. However, parties to agreements based on ISO/IEC 10646 are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the normative documents indicated below. For undated references, the latest edition of the normative document referred to applies. Members of ISO and IEC maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO/IEC 2022:1994 Information technology - Character code structure and extension techniques.

ISO/IEC 6429:1992 Information technology - Control functions for coded character sets.

## Unicode Character Database Version 5.1, (5.0 is, http://www.unicode.org/Public/5.0.0/ucd/UCD.html ).

Unicode Standard Annex, UAX\#9, The Unicode Bidirectional Algorithm, Version 5.1.0, TBD.

Unicode Standard Annex, UAX\#15, Unicode Normalization Forms, Version 5.1.0, TBD.

## 4 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of ISO/IEC 10646, the following terms and definitions apply:

### 4.1 Abstract character

A member of a set of elements used for the organization, control, or representation of textual data. Abstract characters encoded by ISO/IEC 10646 are known as UCS abstract characters. UCS abstract characters are commonly named characters in the context of this standard.

### 4.2 Base character

A graphic character which is not a combining character.
NOTE 1 - Most graphic characters are base characters. This sense of graphic combination does not preclude the presentation of base characters from adopting different contextual forms or from participating in ligatures.

### 4.3 Basic Multilingual Plane (BMP)

Plane 00 of the UCS codespace.

### 4.4 Block

A contiguous range of code points to which a set of characters that share common characteristics, such as a script, are allocated. A block does not overlap another block. One or more of the code points within a block may have no character allocated to them.

### 4.5 CC-sequence (coded-character-sequence)

An element of interchanged information that is specified to normally consist of a sequence of coded characters, in accordance with one or more identified standards for coded character sets. Such sequence may also contain reserved characters and non-characters.

### 4.6 Character boundary

Within a stream of octets the demarcation between the last code unit of the coded representation of a character and the first code unit of that of the next coded character.

### 4.7 Code point

Any value in the UCS codespace, known as code position in the previous editions of this standard.

### 4.8 Code table

A table showing the coded characters corresponding to a code range.

### 4.9 Code unit

The minimal bit combination that can represent a unit of encoded text for processing or interchange. Examples of
code units are octets (8-bit code unit) used in the UTF-8 encoding form, 16-bit code units in the UTF-16 encoding form, and 32-bit code units in the UTF-32 encoding form.

### 4.10 Coded character

An association between an abstract character and a code point.

### 4.11 Coded character set

A set of coded characters.

### 4.12 Collection

A numbered and named set of entities. For a non extended collection, these entities consists only of those coded characters whose code points lie within one or more identified ranges (see also clause 4.23 for extended collection).

NOTE 2 - If any of the identified ranges include code points to which no character is allocated, the repertoire of the collection will change if an additional character is assigned to any of those code points at a future amendment of this International Standard. However it is intended that the collection number and name will remain unchanged in future editions of this International Standard.

### 4.13 Combining character

Characters which have General Category values of Spacing Combining Mark (Mc), Non Spacing Mark (Mn), and Enclosing Mark (Me) according to the Unicode Character Database (see clause 3). These characters are intended for combination with the preceding non-combining graphic character, or with a sequence of combining characters preceded by a non-combining character (see also clause 4.15 and 20).

### 4.14 Compatibility character

A graphic character included as a coded character of ISO/IEC 10646 primarily for compatibility with existing coded character sets.

### 4.15 Composite sequence

A sequence of graphic characters consisting of a base character followed by one or more combining characters, ZERO WIDTH JOINER, or ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER (see also clause 4.13).

NOTE 3 - A graphic symbol for a composite sequence generally consists of the combination of the graphic symbols of each character in the sequence.

NOTE 4 - A composite sequence may be used to represent abstract characters not encoded in the repertoire of ISO/IEC 10646.

### 4.16 Control character

A control function the coded representation of which consists of a single code point.

NOTE 5 - Although control characters are often 'named' using terms such as DELETE, FORM FEED, ESC, these qualifiers do not correspond to formal character names. See clause 15 for a list of the long names used by ISO/IEC 6429 in association with the control characters.

### 4.17 Control function

An action that affects the recording, processing, transmission, or interpretation of data, and that is represented by a CC-sequence.

### 4.18 Default state

The state that is assumed when no state has been explicitly specified.

### 4.19 Detailed code table

A code table showing the individual coded characters and their graphic symbols.

### 4.20 Device

A component of information processing equipment which can transmit and/or receive coded information within CCsequence. (It may be an input/output device in the conventional sense, or a process such as an application program or gateway function.)

### 4.21 Encoding form

An encoding form determines how each UCS code point for a UCS character is to be expressed as one or more code unit used by the encoding form. ISO/IEC 10646 specifies UTF-8, UTF-16, and UTF-32.

### 4.22 Encoding scheme

An encoding scheme specifies the serialization of the code units from the encoding form into octets.

NOTE 6 - Some of the UCS encoding schemes have the same labels as the UCS encoding form. However they are used in different context. UCS encoding forms refer to in-memory and application interface representation of textual data. UCS encoding schemes refer to octet-serialized textual data.

### 4.23 Extended collection

A collection for which the entities can also consist of sequences of code points that are in normalization form NFC (see clause 221). The sequences of code points are referenced by Named UCS Sequence Identifiers (NUSI) listed in clause 25 (see also clause 4.12).

> NOTE 7 - Some collections such as 3 LATIN EXTENDED-A, 4 LATIN EXTENDED-B, 15 ARABIC EXTENDED, and many more, have the term 'extended' in their name. This does not make them extended collections.

### 4.24 Fixed collection

A collection in which every code point within the identified range(s) has a character allocated to it, and which is intended to remain unchanged in future editions of this International Standard.

### 4.25 Format character

A character whose primary function is to affect the layout or processing of characters around it. It generally does not have a visible representation of its own.

### 4.26 Graphic character

A character, other than a control function or a format character, that has a visual representation normally handwritten, printed, or displayed.

### 4.27 Graphic symbol

The visual representation of a graphic character or of a composite sequence.

### 4.28 High-surrogate code point

A code point in the range D800 to DBFF reserved for the use of UTF-16 .

### 4.29 High-surrogate code unit

A 16-bit code unit in the range D800 to DBFF used in UTF-16 as the leading code unit of a surrogate pair (see clause 9.2).

### 4.30 Interchange

The transfer of character coded data from one user to another, using telecommunication means or interchangeable media.

### 4.31 Interworking

The process of permitting two or more systems, each employing different coded character sets, meaningfully to interchange character coded data; conversion between the two codes may be involved.

### 4.32 ISO/IEC 10646-1

A former subdivision of the standard. It is also referred to as Part 1 of ISO/IEC 10646 and contained the specification of the overall architecture and the Basic Multilingual Plane (BMP). There are a First and a Second Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1.

### 4.33 ISO/IEC 10646-2

A former subdivision of the standard. It is also referred to as Part 2 of ISO/IEC 10646 and contained the specification of the Supplementary Multilingual Plane (SMP), the Supplementary Ideographic Plane (SIP) and the Supplementary Special-purpose Plane (SSP). There is only a First Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-2.

### 4.34 Low-surrogate code point

A code point in the range DC00 to DFFF reserved for the use of UTF-16.

### 4.35 Low-surrogate code unit

A 16-bit code unit in the range DC00 to DFFF used in UTF-16 as the trailing code unit of a surrogate pair (see clause 9.2).

### 4.36 Octet

A 8-bit code unit.

### 4.37 Plane

A subdivision of the UCS codespace consisting of 65536 code points. The UCS codespace contain 17 planes.

### 4.38 Presentation; to present

The process of writing, printing, or displaying a graphic symbol.

### 4.39 Presentation form

In the presentation of some scripts, a form of a graphic symbol representing a character that depends on the position of the character relative to other characters.

### 4.40 Private use plane

A plane within this coded character set; the contents of which is not specified in ISO/IEC 10646 (see clause 6.3.4). Planes 0 F and 10 are private use planes.

### 4.41 Repertoire

A specified set of characters that are represented in a coded character set.

### 4.42 Row

A subdivision of a plane; of 256 code points.

### 4.43 Script

A set of graphic characters used for the written form of one or more languages.

### 4.44 Supplementary plane

A plane other than Plane 00 of the UCS codespace; a plane that accommodates characters which have not been allocated to the Basic Multilingual Plane.

### 4.45 Supplementary Multilingual Plane for scripts and symbols (SMP) <br> Plane 01 of the UCS codespace.

### 4.46 Supplementary Ideographic Plane (SIP)

Plane 02 of the UCS codespace.

### 4.47 Supplementary Special-purpose Plane (SSP)

 Plane OE of the UCS codespace.
### 4.48 Surrogate pair

A representation for a single abstract character that consists of a sequence of two 16 -bit code units, where the first value of the pair is a high-surrogate code unit and the second value is a low-surrogate code unit.

### 4.49 UCS codespace

The UCS code space consists of the integers from 0 to 10FFFF (hexadecimal) available for assigning the repertoire of the UCS abstract characters (see clause 5).

### 4.50 UCS scalar value

Any UCS code point except high-surrogate and lowsurrogate code points.

### 4.51 Unpaired surrogate code unit

A surrogate code unit in a CC-sequence using the UTF16 encoding form that is either:

- a high-surrogate code unit that is not immediately followed by a low-surrogate code unit, or
- a low-surrogate code unit that is not immediately preceded by a high-surrogate code unit.


### 4.52 User

A person or other entity that invokes the service provided by a device. (This entity may be a process such as an application program if the "device" is a code converter or a gateway function, for example.)

## 5 General structure of the UCS

The general structure of the Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (referred to hereafter as "this coded character set") is described in this explanatory clause, and is illustrated in figures 1 and 2. The normative specification of the structure is given in the following clauses.

The value of any octet is expressed in hexadecimal notation from 00 to FF in ISO/IEC 10646.

The canonical representation of this coded character set the way in which it is to be conceived - uses the UCS codespace which consists of the integers from 0 to 10FFFF.

ISO/IEC 10646 defines graphic characters and their coded representation for the following planes:

- The Basic Multilingual Plane (BMP, Plane 00).
- The Supplementary Multilingual Plane for scripts and symbols (SMP, Plane 01).
- The Supplementary Ideographic Plane (SIP, Plane 02).
- The Supplementary Special-purpose Plane (SSP, Plane 0E).
The Planes from 03 to OD are reserved for future standardization.

The planes 0F and 10 are reserved for private use.

## 6 Basic structure and nomenclature

### 6.1 Structure

The Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set as specified in ISO/IEC 10646 shall be regarded as a single entity.


Figure 1 - Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set

### 6.2 Coding of characters

Each abstract character within the entire coded character set shall be represented by an integer between 0 and 10FFFF named code point.

When a single character is to be identified in terms of its code point, this shall be represented by a four-to-six digit form of the integer such as:
0030
for DIGIT ZERO
0041
10000 for LINEAR B SYLLABLE B008 A
When referring to characters within planes 00 to $0 F$, the leading digits may be omitted.

### 6.3 Type of code points

UCS code points are categorized in the following basic types.

Graphic character - letter, mark, number, punctuation, symbol, and spaces, assigned to abstract characters,

Format character - invisible but affects neighboring characters, assigned to abstract characters,
Control character - control function consisting of a single code point, assigned to abstract characters,

Private-Use character - usage defined by private agreement outside this standard, assigned to abstract characters,

Surrogate code points - permanently reserved for UTF16,

Noncharacter code points - permanently reserved for internal usage,

Reserved code points - reserved for future assignment.
Surrogate, noncharacter, and reserved code points are not assigned to abstract characters and are subject to restriction in interchange. For example, surrogate code points do not have well-formed representations in any UCS encoding form.

### 6.3.1 Graphic characters

The same graphic character shall not be allocated to more than one code point. There are graphic characters with similar shapes in the coded character set; they are used for different purposes and have different character names.

### 6.3.2 Format characters

Code points 2060 to 206F, FFF0 to FFFC, and E0000 to E0FFF are reserved for Format Characters (see 16.3 and annex F).

NOTE 2 - Unassigned code points in those ranges may be ignored in normal processing and display.

### 6.3.3 Control characters

Code points 0000 to 001F, 007F in the BMP are reserved for control characters (see clause 11).

### 6.3.4 Private use characters

Code points E000 to F8FF in the BMP are reserved for private use. All code positions of Plane 0F and Plane 10 of Group 00, except for FFFFE, FFFFF, 10FFFE, and 10FFFF shall be for private use

Private use characters are not constrained in any way by ISO/IEC 10646. Private use characters can be used to provide user-defined characters. For example, this is a common requirement for users of ideographic scripts.

NOTE 1 - For meaningful interchange of private use characters, an agreement, independent of ISO/IEC 10646, is necessary between sender and recipient.

Private use characters can be used for dynamicallyredefinable character applications.

NOTE 2 - For meaningful interchange of dynamicallyredefinable characters, an agreement, independent of ISO/IEC 10646 is necessary between sender and recipient. ISO/IEC 10646 does not specify the techniques for defining or setting up dynamically-redefinable characters.

### 6.3.5 Surrogate code points

Code points D800 to DFFF are reserved for the use of UTF-16 (see clause 9.2).

### 6.3.6 Noncharacter code points

The status of noncharacters code points cannot be changed by future amendments. Noncharacters consist of FDDO-FDEF and any code point ending in the value FFFE or FFFF.

> NOTE - Code point FFFE is reserved for "signature". Code points FDDO to FDEF, and FFFF can be used for internal processing uses requiring numeric values which are guaranteed not to be coded characters, such as in terminating tables, or signaling end-of-text. Furthermore, since FFFF is the largest BMP value, it may also be used as the final value in binary or sequential searching index within the context of UTF-16.

### 6.3.7 Reserved code points

Reserved code points are reserved for future standardization and shall not be used for any other purpose. Future editions of ISO/IEC 10646 will not allocate any characters to code points reserved for private use characters or for transformation formats.

### 6.4 Naming of characters

ISO/IEC 10646 assigns a unique name to each character. The name of a character either:
a. denotes the customary meaning of the character, or
b. describes the shape of the corresponding graphic symbol, or
c. follows the rule given in clause 24.6 for Chinese /Japanese/Korean (CJK) ideographs, or
d. follows the rule given in clause 24.7 for Hangul syllables.

Additional rules to be used for constructing the names of characters are given in clause 24.
The list of character names except for CJK ideographs and Hangul syllables is provided by the Unicode character Database in
http://www.unicode.org/Public/UNIDATA/NamesList.txt with the syntax described in
http://www.unicode.org/Public/UNIDATA/NamesList.html.

### 6.5 Short identifiers for code points (UIDs)

ISO/IEC 10646 defines short identifiers for each code point, including code points that are reserved. A short identifier for any code point is distinct from a short identifier for any other code point. If a character is allocated at a code point, a short identifier for that code point can be used to refer to the character allocated at that code point.

NOTE 1 - For instance, U+DC00 identifies a code point that is permanently reserved for UTF-16, and U+FFFF identifies a code point that is permanently reserved. $U+0025$ identifies a code point to which a character is allocated; $\mathrm{U}+0025$ also identifies that character (named PERCENT SIGN).

NOTE 2 - These short identifiers are independent of the language in which this standard is written, and are thus retained in all translations of the text.
The following alternative forms of notation of a short identifier are defined here.
a. The short identifier shall consist of the last four to six digits of the eight-digit form. Leading zeroes beyond four digits are suppressed.
b. The character " + " (PLUS SIGN) may, as an option, precede the short identifier.
c. The prefix letter "U" (LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U) may, as an option, precede any of the two forms of short identifier defined in a. to $b$. above.
The capital letters A to $F$, and $U$ that appear within short identifiers may be replaced by the corresponding small letters.

The full syntax of the notation of a short identifier, in Backus-Naur form, is:

$$
\{U \mid u\}[\{+\}(x x x x|x x x x x| x x x x x x)]
$$

where " $x$ " represents one hexadecimal digit ( 0 to $9, A$ to $F$, or a to f).

NOTE 3 - As an example the short identifier for LATIN SMALL
LETTER LONG S may be notated in any of the following forms:
017F +017F U017F U+017F
Any of the capital letters may be replaced by the corresponding small letter.

### 6.6 UCS Sequence Identifiers

ISO/IEC 10646 defines an identifier for any sequence of code points taken from the standard. Such an identifier is
known as a UCS Sequence Identifier (USI). For a sequence of n code points it has the following form:
<UID1, UID2, ..., UIDn>
where UID1, UID2, etc. represent the short identifiers of the corresponding code points, in the same order as those code points appear in the sequence. If each of the code pointns in such a sequence has a character allocated to it, the USI can be used to identify the sequence of characters allocated at those code points. The syntax for UID1, UID2, etc. is specified in clause 6.5. A COMMA character (optionally followed by a SPACE character) separates the UIDs. The UCS Sequence Identifier shall include at least two UIDs; it shall begin with a LESSTHAN SIGN and be terminated by a GREATER-THAN SIGN.

NOTE - UCS Sequences Identifiers cannot be used for specification of subset content. They may be used outside this standard to identify: composite sequences for mapping purposes, font repertoire, etc.

## 7 Revision and updating of the UCS

The revision and updating of this coded character set will be carried out by ISO/IEC JTC1/SC2.

NOTE - It is intended that in future editions of ISO/IEC 10646, the names and allocation of the characters in this edition will remain unchanged.

## 8 Subsets

ISO/IEC 10646 provides the specification of subsets of coded graphic characters for use in interchange, by originating devices, and by receiving devices.

There are two alternatives for the specification of subsets: limited subset and selected subset. An adopted subset may comprise either of them, or a combination of the two.

### 8.1 Limited subset

A limited subset consists of a list of graphic characters in the specified subset. This specification allows applications and devices that were developed using other codes to inter-work with this coded character set.

A claim of conformance referring to a limited subset shall list the graphic characters in the subset by the names of graphic characters or code positions as defined in ISO/IEC 10646.

### 8.2 Selected subset

A selected subset consists of a list of collections of graphic characters as defined in ISO/IEC 10646. The collections from which the selection may be made are listed in annex A. A selected subset shall always automatically include the code points from 0020 to 007E.
A claim of conformance referring to a selected subset shall list the collections chosen as defined in ISO/IEC 10646.

## 9 UCS encoding forms

ISO/IEC 10646 provides three encoding forms expressing each UCS scalar value in a unique sequence of one or more code units. These are named UTF-8, UTF-16, and UTF-32 respectively.
A UCS code unit sequence that purports to be in a UCS encoding form is ill-formed if and only if it does not follow the specification of that UCS encoding form. Such an illformed sequence is not conformant with the requirements of the encoding form.

A UCS code unit sequence that purports to be in a UCS encoding form is well-formed if and only if it does follow the specification of that UCS encoding form.

### 9.1 UTF-8

UTF-8 is the UCS encoding form that assigns each UCS scalar value to an octet sequence of one to four octets, as specified in table 9.1.

### 9.1.1 Features of UTF-8

- UCS characters from the BASIC LATIN collection are represented in UTF-8 in accordance with ISO/IEC 4873 , i.e. single octets with values ranging from 20 to 7E.
- Control functions in positions 0000 to 001F, and the control character in position 007F, are represented without the padding octets specified in clause 11, i.e. as single octets with values ranging from 00 to 1 F , and 7F respectively in accordance with ISO/IEC 4873 and with the 8 -bit structure of ISO/IEC 2022.
- Octet values 00 to 7 F do not otherwise occur in the UTF-8 coded representation of any character. This provides compatibility with existing file-handling systems and communications sub-systems which parse CC-sequences for these octet values.
- The first octet in the UTF-8 coded representation of any character can be directly identified when a CCsequence is examined, one octet at a time, starting from an arbitrary location. It indicates the number of continuing octets (if any) in the multi-octet sequence that constitutes the code unit representation of that character.

NOTE - Representation of octet values in ISO/IEC 10646 except in some parts of clause 12 is different from other character coding standards such as ISO/IEC 2022, ISO/IEC 6429 and ISO 8859. In ISO/IEC 10646, the notation used to express an octet value is z , where z is a hexadecimal number in the range 00 to FF. For example, the character ESCAPE (ESC) of ISO/IEC 2022 is represented by 1B. In other character coding standards, the notation used to express an octet value is $\mathrm{x} / \mathrm{y}$, where x and y are two decimal numbers in the range 00 to 15 .

### 9.1.2 UTF-8 specification

Any UTF-8 sequence that does not match the patterns listed in table 9.2 is ill-formed.

Because surrogate code points are not UCS scalar values, any UTF-8 sequence that would otherwise map to code points D800-DFFF is ill-formed.

Table 9.1 specifies the bit distribution for the UTF-8 encoding form, showing the ranges of UCS scalar values corresponding to one, two, three, and four octet sequences.
Table 9.1 UTF-8 Bit distribution

| Scalar <br> value | $\mathbf{1}^{\text {st }}$ octet | $\mathbf{2}^{\text {nd }}$ octet | $\mathbf{3}^{\text {rd }}$ octet | $\mathbf{4}^{\text {th }}$ octet |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 00000000 <br> 0xxxxxxxx | $0 x x x x x x x x$ |  |  |  |
| 00000yyy <br> yyxxxxxx | $110 y y y y y$ | $10 x x x x x x$ |  |  |
| zzzzyyyy <br> yyxxxxxx | $1110 z z z z$ | $10 y y y y y y$ | $10 x x x x x x$ |  |
| 000uuuuu <br> zzzzyyyy <br> yyxxxxxx | $11110 u u u$ | $10 u u z z z z$ | $10 y y y y y y$ | $10 x x x x x x$ |

Table 9.2 lists all the ranges (inclusive) of the octet sequences that are well-formed in UTF-8.
. Table 9.2 Well-formed UTF-8 Octet sequences

| Code points | $\mathbf{1}^{\text {sl }}$ octet | $\mathbf{2}^{\text {nd }}$ octet | $\mathbf{3}^{\text {rd }}$ octet | $\mathbf{4}^{\text {th }}$ octet |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $0000-007 \mathrm{~F}$ | $00-7 \mathrm{FF}$ |  |  |  |
| $0080-07 \mathrm{FF}$ | C2-DF | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ |  |  |
| $0800-0 F F F$ | E0 | A0-BF | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ |  |
| $1000-\mathrm{CFFF}$ | E1-EC | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ |  |
| D000-D7FF | ED | $80-9 F$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ |  |
| E000-FFFF | EE-EF | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ |  |
| $10000-3$ FFFF | F0 | $90-\mathrm{BF}$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ |
| $40000-$ FFFFF | F1-F3 | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ |
| $100000-10$ FFFF | F4 | $80-8 \mathrm{~F}$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ | $80-\mathrm{BF}$ |

As a consequence of the well-formedness conditions specified in table 9.2, the following octet values are disallowed in UTF-8: C0-C1, F5-FE.

### 9.2 UTF-16

UTF-16 is the UCS encoding form that assigns each UCS scalar value to a sequence of one to two unsigned 16 -bit code units, as specified in table 9.3.

In the UTF-16 encoding form, code points in the range 0000-D7FF and E000-FFFF are represented as a single 16 -bit code unit; code points in the range $10000-10$ FFFF are represented as pairs of 16 -bit code units. These pairs
of special code units are known as surrogate pairs. The values of these code units is disjoint from the code units used for the single code unit representation.

UTF-16 optimizes the representation of characters in the BMP which contains the vast majority of common use characters.

Because surrogate code points are not UCS scalar values, unpaired surrogate code units are ill-formed.
Table 9.3 specifies the bit distribution for the UTF-16 encoding form. Calculation of the surrogate pair values involves subtraction of 10000 to account for the starting offset to the scalar value (expressed as 'wwww = uuuuu1 ' in the table).

Table 9.3 UTF-16 Bit distribution

| Scalar value | UTF-16 |
| :--- | :--- |
| xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx | xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx |
| 000uuuuuxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx | 110110wwwwxxxxxx <br> 110111xxxxxxxxx |

NOTE - Former editions of this standard included references to a two-octet BMP form called UCS-2 which would be a subset of the UTF-16 encoding form restricted to the BMP UCS scalar values. The UCS-2 form is deprecated.

### 9.3 UTF-32

UTF-32 is the UCS encoding form that assigns each UCS scalar value to a single unsigned 32 -bit code unit.

NOTE - UTF-32 was referred as the UCS-4 form or canonical form by previous version of this standard..
Because surrogate code points are not UCS scalar values, UTF-32 code units in the range 0000D8000000DFFF are ill-formed.

## 10 Encoding schemes

Encoding schemes are octet serialization specific to each UCS encoding form, including the specification of a signature, if allowed. The signature is the code unit sequence corresponding to the code point FEFF ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE in the corresponding encoding form. When used, a signature at the beginning of a stream of serialized octets indicates the order of the octets within the encoding form used for the representation of the characters.

ISO/IEC 10646 specifies seven encoding schemes.

### 10.1 UTF-8 encoding scheme

The UTF-8 encoding scheme serializes a UTF-8 code unit sequence in exactly the same order as the code unit sequence itself.
When represented in UTF-8, the signature turns into the octet sequence <EF BB BF>. Its usage at the beginning
of a UTF-8 data stream is neither required or recommended but does not affect conformance.

### 10.2 UTF-16BE encoding scheme

The UTF-16BE encoding scheme serializes a UTF-16 code unit sequence by ordering octets in a way that the more significant octet precedes the less significant octet (also known as big-endian ordering).
In UTF-16BE, an initial octet sequence of <FE FF> is interpreted as FEFF ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE and does not convey a signature meaning .

### 10.3 UTF-16LE encoding scheme

The UTF-16LE encoding scheme serializes a UTF-16 code unit sequence by ordering octets in a way that the less significant octet precedes the more significant octet (also known as little-endian ordering).
In UTF-16LE, an initial octet sequence of <FF FE> is interpreted as FEFF ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE and does not convey a signature meaning .

### 10.4 UTF-16 encoding scheme

The UTF-16 encoding scheme serializes a UTF-16 code unit sequence by ordering octets in a way that either the less significant octet precedes or follows the more significant octet.
In the UTF-16 encoding scheme, the initial signature read as <FE FF> indicates that the more significant octet precedes the less significant octet, and <FF FE> the reverse. The signature is not part of the textual data.
In the absence of signature, the octet order of the UTF16 encoding scheme is that the more significant octet precedes the less significant octet.

### 10.5 UTF-32BE encoding scheme

The UTF-32BE encoding scheme serializes a UTF-32 code unit sequence by ordering octets in a way that the more significant octets precede the less significant octets (also known as big-endian ordering).
In UTF-32BE, an initial octet sequence of <00 00 FE FF> is interpreted as FEFF ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE and does not convey a signature meaning .

### 10.6 UTF-32LE encoding scheme

The UTF-32LE encoding scheme serializes a UTF-32 code unit sequence by ordering octets in a way that the less significant octets precede the more significant octets (also known as little-endian ordering).
In UTF-32LE, an initial octet sequence of <FF FE 00 00> is interpreted as FEFF ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE and does not convey a signature meaning .

### 10.7 UTF-32 encoding scheme

The UTF-32 encoding scheme serializes a UTF-32 code unit sequence by ordering octets in a way that either the
less significant octet precedes or follows the more significant octet.

In the UTF-32 encoding scheme, the initial signature read as $<0000$ FE FF> indicates that the more significant octets precede the less significant octets, and <FF FE 00 00> the reverse. The signature is not part of the textual data.

In the absence of signature, the octet order of the UTF32 encoding scheme is that the more significant octets precede the less significant octets.

## 11 Use of control functions with the UCS

This coded character set provides for use of control functions encoded according to ISO/IEC 6429 or similarly structured standards for control functions, and standards derived from these. A set or subset of such coded control functions may be used in conjunction with this coded character set. These standards encode a control function as a sequence of one or more octets.
When a control character of ISO/IEC 6429 is used with this coded character set, its coded representation as specified in ISO/IEC 6429 shall be padded to correspond with the number of octet in the code units of the adopted encoding form (see clause 9). Thus, the least significant octet shall be the bit combination specified in ISO/IEC 6429, and the more significant octet(s) shall be zeros.
For example, the control character FORM FEED is represented by "000C" in the UTF-16 encoding form, and "0000 000C" in the UTF-32 encoding form and by "0C" in the UTF-8 encoding form (no padding).
For escape sequences, control sequences, and control strings (see ISO/IEC 6429) consisting of a coded control character followed by additional bit combinations in the range 20 to 7 F , each bit combination shall be padded by octet(s) with value 00.

For example, the escape sequence "ESC 02/00 04/00" is represented by "1B 2040 " in the UTF-8 encoding form (no padding), "001B 00200040 " in the UTF-16 encoding form, and "0000 001B 000000200000 0040" in the UTF-32 encoding form.

NOTE 1 - The term "character" appears in the definition of many of the control functions specified in ISO/IEC 6429, to identify the elements on which the control functions will act. When such control functions are applied to coded characters according to ISO/IEC 10646 the action of those control functions will depend on the type of element from ISO/IEC 10646 that has been chosen, by the application, to be the element (or character) on which the control functions act. These elements may be chosen to be characters (non-combining characters and/or combining characters) or may be chosen in other ways (such as composite sequences) when applicable.

Code extension control functions for the ISO/IEC 2022 code extension techniques (such as designation escape sequences, single shift, and locking shift) shall not be used with this coded character set.

NOTE 2 - The following list provides the long names from ISO/IEC 6429 used in association with the control characters. 0000 NULL
0001 START OF HEADING
0002 START OF TEXT
0003 END OF TEXT
0004 END OF TRANSMISSION
0005 ENQUIRY
0006 ACKNOWLEDGE
0007 BELL
0008 BACKSPACE
0009 CHARACTER TABULATION
000A LINE FEED
O00B LINE TABULATION
000C FORM FEED
000D CARRIAGE RETURN
000E SHIFT-OUT
000F SHIFT-IN
0010 DATA LINK ESCAPE
0011 DEVICE CONTROL ONE
0012 DEVICE CONTROL TWO
0013 DEVICE CONTROL THREE
0014 DEVICE CONTROL FOUR
0015 NEGATIVE ACKNOWLEDGE
0016 SYNCHRONOUS IDLE
0017 END OF TRANSMISSION BLOCK
0018 CANCEL
0019 END OF MEDIUM
001A SUBSTITUTE
001B ESCAPE
001C INFORMATION SEPARATOR FOUR
001D INFORMATION SEPARATOR THREE
001E INFORMATION SEPARATOR TWO
001F INFORMATION SEPARATOR ONE
007F DELETE
0082 BREAK PERMITTED HERE
0083 NO BREAK HERE
0084 INDEX
0085 NEXT LINE
0086 START OF SELECTED AREA
0087 END OF SELECTED AREA
0088 CHARACTER TABULATION SET
0089 CHARACTER TABULATION WITH JUSTIFICATION
008A LINE TABULATION SET
008B PARTIAL LINE FORWARD
008C PARTIAL LINE BACKWARD
008D REVERSE LINE FEED
008E SINGLE-SHIFT TWO
008F SINGLE-SHIFT THREE
0090 DEVICE CONTROL STRING
0091 PRIVATE USE ONE
0092 PRIVATE USE TWO
0093 SET TRANSMIT STATE
0094 CANCEL CHARACTER
0095 MESSAGE WAITING
0096 START OF GUARDED AREA
0097 END OF GUARDED AREA
0098 START OF STRING
009A SINGLE CHARACTER INTRODUCER
009B CONTROL SEQUENCE INTRODUCER
009C STRING TERMINATOR
009D OPERATING SYSTEM COMMAND
009E PRIVACY MESSAGE
009F APPLICATION PROGRAM COMMAND
The control character 0084 INDEX has been removed from ISO/IEC 6492:1992. In addition, the control characters 000E and 000F are named SHIFT-OUT and SHIFT-IN respectively in 7-bit environment and LOCKING-SHIFT ONE and LOCKINGSHIFT ZERO respectively in 8 -bit environment.

## 12 Declaration of identification of features

### 12.1 Purpose and context of identification

CC-sequences conforming to ISO/IEC 10646 are intended to form all or part of a composite unit of coded information that is interchanged between an originator and a recipient. The identification of ISO/IEC 10646 (including the encoding form) and any subset of the coding space that have been adopted by the originator must also be available to the recipient. The route by which such identification is communicated to the recipient is outside the scope of ISO/IEC 10646.
However, some standards for interchange of coded information may permit, or require, that the coded representation of the identification applicable to the CCsequence forms a part of the interchanged information. This clause specifies a coded representation for the identification of UCS with a subset of ISO/IEC 10646, the encoding form, and also of a C0 and a C1 set of control functions from ISO/IEC 6429 for use in conjunction with ISO/IEC 10646. Such coded representations provide all or part of an identification data element, which may be included in information interchange in accordance with the relevant standard.
If two or more of the identifications are present, the order of those identifications shall follow the order as specified in this clause.

NOTE - An alternative method of identification is described in annex N .

### 12.2 Identification of UCS encoding form

When the escape sequences from ISO/IEC 2022 are used, the identification of a UCS encoding form coded representation form of UCS (see clause 9) specified by ISO/IEC 10646 shall be by a designation sequence chosen from the following list:
ESC 02/05 04/07
UTF-8
ESC 02/05 02/15 04/12
UTF-16
ESC 02/05 02/15 04/06
UTF-32
If such an escape sequence appears within a CCsequence conforming to ISO/IEC 2022, it shall consist only of the sequences of bit combinations as shown above.
If such an escape sequence appears within a CCsequence conforming to ISO/IEC 10646, it shall be padded in accordance with clause 11.

NOTE 2 - The following designation sequences: ESC 02/05 02/15 04/00, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/01, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/02, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/03, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/04, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/05, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/07, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/08, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/09, ESC 02/05 02/15 04/10, and ESC

02/05 02/15 04/11 used in previous editions of this standard to
identify implementation levels are deprecated.

### 12.3 Identification of subsets of graphic characters

When the control sequences of ISO/IEC 6429 are used, the identification of subsets (see clause 12) specified by ISO/IEC 10646 shall be by a control sequence IDENTIFY UNIVERSAL CHARACTER SUBSET (IUCS) as shown below.

CSI Ps... 02/00 06/13
Ps... means that there can be any number of selective parameters. The parameters are to be taken from the subset collection numbers as shown in annex A of ISO/IEC 10646. When there is more than one parameter, each parameter value is separated by an octet with value 03/11.
Parameter values are represented by digits where octet values $03 / 00$ to $03 / 09$ represent digits 0 to 9 .
If such an escape sequence appears within a CCsequence conforming to ISO/IEC 2022, it shall consist only of the sequences of bit combinations as shown above.

If such a control sequence appears within a CCsequence conforming to ISO/IEC 10646, it shall be padded in accordance with clause 11.

### 12.4 Identification of control function set

When the escape sequences from ISO/IEC 2022 are used, the identification of each set of control functions (see clause 11) of ISO/IEC 6429 to be used in conjunction with ISO/IEC 10646 shall be an identifier sequence of the type shown below.
ESC 02/01 04/00 identifies the full C0 set of ISO/IEC 6429
ESC 02/02 04/03 identifies the full C1 set of ISO/IEC 6429
For other C0 or C 1 sets, the final octet F shall be obtained from the International Register of Coded Character Sets. The identifier sequences for these sets shall be:
ESC 02/01 F identifies a C0 set
ESC 02/02 F identifies a C1 set
If such an escape sequence appears within a CCsequence conforming to ISO/IEC 2022, it shall consist only of the sequences of bit combinations as shown above.
If such an escape sequence appears within a CCsequence conforming to ISO/IEC 10646, it shall be padded in accordance with clause 11.

### 12.5 Identification of the coding system of ISO/IEC 2022

When the escape sequences from ISO/IEC 2022 are used, the identification of a return, or transfer, from UCS to the coding system of ISO/IEC 2022 shall be by the
escape sequence ESC $02 / 0504 / 00$. If such an escape sequence appears within a CC-sequence conforming to ISO/IEC 10646, it shall be padded in accordance with clause 11.

If such an escape sequence appears within a CCsequence conforming to ISO/IEC 2022, it shall consist only of the sequence of bit combinations as shown above.

NOTE - Escape sequence ESC 02/05 04/00 is normally used for return to the restored state of ISO/IEC 2022. The escape sequence ESC 02/05 04/00 specified here is sometimes not exactly as specified in ISO/IEC 2022 due to the presence of padding octets. For this reason some escape sequences in clause 12.2 for the identification of UCS include the octet 02/15 to indicate that the return does not always conform to that standard. This does not apply to the identification of the UTF-8 encoding form.

## 13 Structure of the code tables and lists

Clause 34 sets out the detailed code tables and the lists of character names for the graphic characters. It specifies graphic characters, their coded representation, and the character name for each character.

The graphic symbols are to be regarded as typical visual representations of the characters. ISO/IEC 10646 does not attempt to prescribe the exact shape of each character. The shape is affected by the design of the font employed, which is outside the scope of ISO/IEC 10646.
Graphic characters specified in ISO/IEC 10646 are uniquely identified by their names. This does not imply that the graphic symbols by which they are commonly imaged are always different. Examples of graphic characters with similar graphic symbols are LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A, GREEK CAPITAL LETTER ALPHA and CYRILLIC CAPITAL LETTER A.

The meaning attributed to any character is not specified by ISO/IEC 10646; it may differ from country to country, or from one application to another.

For the alphabetic scripts, the general principle has been to arrange the characters within any row in approximate alphabetic sequence; where the script has capital and small letters, these are arranged in pairs. However, this general principle has been overridden in some cases. For example, for those scripts for which a relevant standard exists, the characters are allocated according to that standard. This arrangement within the code tables will aid conversion between the existing standards and this coded character set. In general, however, it is anticipated that conversion between this coded character set and any other coded character set will use a table lookup technique.
It is not intended, nor will it often be the case, that the characters needed by any one user will be found all grouped together in one part of the code table.
Furthermore, the user of any script will find that needed characters may have been coded elsewhere in this coded
character set. This especially applies to the digits, to the symbols, and to the use of Latin letters in dual-script applications.

Therefore, in using this coded character set, the reader is advised to refer first to the block names list in annex A. 2 or an overview of the Planes in figures 3 to 7 , and then to turn to the specific code table rows for the relevant script and for symbols and digits. In addition, annex $G$ contains an alphabetically sorted list of character names.

## 14 Block and collection names

### 14.1 Block names

Named blocks of contiguous code positions are specified within a plane for the purpose of allocation of characters sharing some common characteristic, such as script. The blocks specified within the BMP, SMP, SIP and SSP are listed in clause A. 2 of annex A, and are illustrated in figures 3 to 7 .

Rules to be used for constructing the names of blocks are given in clause 24.4.1.

### 14.2 Collection names

Collections are shown in Annex A.
Rules to be used for constructing the names of collections are given in clause 24.4.2.

## 15 Mirrored characters in bidirectional context

A class of characters has special significance in the context of bidirectional text. The interpretation and rendering of any of these characters depend on the state related to the symmetric swapping characters (see clause F.2.2) and on the direction of the character being rendered that are in effect at the point in the CC-sequence where the coded representation of the character appears. The list of these characters is determined by having the 'Bidi_Mirrored' property set to ' $Y$ ' in the Unicode Character Database.

For example, if the character ACTIVATE SYMMETRIC SWAPPING occurs and if the direction of the character is from right to left, the character shall be interpreted and rendered as if the term LEFT or RIGHT in its name had been replaced by the term RIGHT or LEFT, respectively. For example, in a right-to-left text segment, the GREATER-THAN SIGN (rendered as ">" in left-to-right text) may be rendered as the "<" graphic symbol.
This character mirroring is not limited to paired characters and shall be applied to all characters belonging to that class.

NOTE - Many ancient scripts and some scripts in modern use can be written either right-to-left or left-to-right. It is often customary for one of these scripts to use the appropriately mirrored graphical symbol for any character represented by a graphic symbol that is not symmetric around the vertical axis. In such cases, it is up to the rendering system to display the
graphic image appropriate for the writing direction employed. The directionality of the representative graphic symbol shown in the character code charts matches the default writing direction for the script.

Examples of such scripts include, but are not limited to, Old Italic, an ancient script for which the default writing direction in this standard is left-to-right, and Cypriot, an ancient script for which the default writing direction in this standard is right-to-left.

### 15.1 Directionality of bidirectional text

The Unicode Bidirectional Algorithm (see clause 3) describes the algorithm used to determine the directionality for bidirectional text.

## 16 Special characters

There are some characters that do not have printable graphic symbols or are otherwise special in some ways.

### 16.1 Space characters

The following characters are space characters. They are

| Code | Name |
| :---: | :---: |
| Position |  |
| 0020 | SPACE |
| 00A0 | NO-BREAK SPACE |
| 1680 | OGHAM SPACE MARK |
| 180E | MONGOLIAN VOWEL SEPARATOR |
| 2000 | EN QUAD |
| 2001 | EM QUAD |
| 2002 | EN SPACE |
| 2003 | EM SPACE |
| 2004 | THREE-PER-EM SPACE |
| 2005 | FOUR-PER-EM SPACE |
| 2006 | SIX-PER-EM SPACE |
| 2007 | FIGURE SPACE |
| 2008 | PUNCTUATION SPACE |
| 2009 | THIN SPACE |
| 200A | HAIR SPACE |
| 202F | NARROW NO-BREAK SPACE |
| 205F | MEDIUM MATHEMATICAL SPACE |
| 3000 | IDEOGRAPHIC SPACE |

### 16.2 Currency symbols

Currency symbols in ISO/IEC 10646 do not necessarily identify the currency of a country. For example, YEN SIGN can be used for Japanese Yen and Chinese Yuan. Also, DOLLAR SIGN is used in numerous countries including the United States of America.

### 16.3 Format Characters

The following format characters have additional information in annex F .

| 00AD | SOFT HYPHEN |
| :--- | :--- |
| 034 F | COMBINING GRAPHEME JOINER |
| 0600 | ARABIC NUMBER SIGN |
| 0601 | ARABIC SIGN SANAH |
| 0602 | ARABIC FOOTNOTE MARKER |
| 0603 | ARABIC SIGN SAFHA |
| $06 D D$ | ARABIC END OF AYAH |
| $070 F$ | SYRIAC ABBREVIATION MARK |
| 180E | MONGOLIAN VOWEL SEPARATOR |


| ZERO WIDTH SPACE |
| :--- |
| ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER |
| ZERO WIDTH JOINER |
| LEFT-TO-RIGHT MARK |
| RIGHT-TO-LEFT MARK |
| LINE SEPARATOR |
| PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR |
| LEFT-TO-RIGHT EMBEDDING |
| RIGHT-TO-LEFT EMBEDDING |
| POP DIRECTIONAL FORMATTING |
| LEFT-TO-RIGHT OVERRIDE |
| RIGHT-TO-LEFT OVERRIDE |
| NARROW NO-BREAK SPACE |
| WORD JOINER |
| INHIBIT SYMMETRIC SWAPPING |
| ACIIVATE SYMMEIRIC SWAPPING |
| INHIBIT ARABIC FORM SHAPING |
| ACIIVATE ARABIC FORM SHAPING |
| NATIONAL DIGIT SHAPES |
| NOMINAL DIGIT SHAPES |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| LEFT TO RIGHT |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| ABOVE TO BELOW |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| LEFT TO MIDDLE AND RIGHT |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| ABOVE TO MIDDLE AND BELOW |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| FULL SURROUND |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| SURROUND FROM ABOVE |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| SURROUND FROM BELOW |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| SURROUND FROM LEFT |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| SURROUND FROM UPPER LEFT |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| SURROUND FROM UPPER RIGHT |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| SURROUND FROM LOWER LEFT |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER |
| OVERLAID |
| HANGUL FILLER |
| ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE |
| HALFWIDTH HANGUL FILLER |
| INTERLINEAR ANNOTATION ANCHOR |
| INTERLINEAR ANNOTATION SEPARATOR |
| INTERLINEAR ANNOTATION TERMINATOR |
| KHAROSHTHI VIRAMA |
| MUSICAL SYMBOL BEGIN BEAM |
| MUSICAL SYMBOL END BEAM |
| MUSICAL SYMBOL BEGIN TIE |
| MUSICAL SYMBOL END TIE |
| MUSICAL SYMBOL BEGIN SLUR |
| MUSICAL SYMBOL END SLUR |
| MUSICAL SYMBOL BEGIN PHRASE |
| MUSICAL SYMBOL END PHRASE |

### 16.4 Variation selectors and variation sequences

Variation selectors are a specific class of combining characters immediately following a non decomposable base character and which indicate a specific variant form of
graphic symbol for that character. A decomposable character is a character for which there exists an equivalent composite sequence. The character sequence consisting of a non decomposable base character followed by a variation selector is called a variation sequence.

NOTE 1 - Some variation selectors are specific to a script, such as the Mongolian free variation selectors, others are used with various other base characters such as the mathematical symbols.

Only the variation sequences defined or referenced in this clause indicate a specific variant form of graphic symbol; all other such sequences are undefined. Furthermore, variation selectors following other base characters and any non-base characters have no effect on the selection of the graphic symbol for that character.
No variation sequences using characters from VARIATION SELECTOR-2 to VARIATION SELECTOR16 are defined at this time. Variations sequences composed of a unified ideograph as the base character and one of VARIATION SELECTOR-17 to VARIATION SELECTOR-256 from the Supplementary Specialpurpose Plane (SSP) are registered in the Ideographic Variation Database defined by Unicode Technical Standard \#37.

NOTE 2 - The Ideographic Variation Database is currently empty. When entries are registered, these variation sequences will be referenced by this standard.
The following list provides a description of the variant appearances corresponding to the use of appropriate variation selectors with all allowed base mathematical symbols.

| NOTE 3 - The VARIATION SELECTOR- 1 is the only variation selector used with mathematical symbols. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Sequence (UID notation) | Description of variant appearance |
| <2229, FE00> | INTERSECTION with serifs |
| <222A, FE00> | UNION with serifs |
| <2268, FE00> | LESS-THAN BUT NOT EQUAL TO with vertical stroke |
| <2269, FE00> | GREATER-THAN BUT NOT EQUAL TO with vertical stroke |
| <2272, FE00> | LESS-THAN OR EQUIVALENT TO following the slant of the lower leg |
| <2273, FE00> | GREATER-THAN OR EQUIVALENT TO following the slant of the lower leg |
| <228A, FE00> | SUBSET OF WITH NOT EQUAL TO with stroke through bottom members |
| <228B, FE00> | SUPERSET OF WITH NOT EQUAL TO with stroke through bottom members |
| <2293, FE00> | SQUARE CAP with serifs |
| <2294, FE00> | SQUARE CUP with serifs |
| <2295, FE00> | CIRCLED PLUS with white rim |
| <2297, FE00> | CIRCLED TIMES with white rim |


| <229C, FE00> | CIRCLED EQUALS equal sign touching <br> the circle |
| :--- | :--- |
| <22DA, FE00> | LESS-THAN EQUAL TO OR GREATER- <br> THAN with slanted equal |
| <22DB, FE00>> | GREATER-THAN EQUAL TO OR LESS- <br> THAN with slanted equal |
| <2A3C, FE00> | INTERIIR PRODUCT tall variant with <br> narrow foot |
| $<2 A 3 D$, FE00> | RIGHTHAND INTERIOR PRODUCT tall <br> variant with narrow foot |
| $<2 A 9 D$, FE00> | SIMILAR OR LESS-THAN with similar <br> following the slant of the upper leg |
| $<2 A 9 E$, FE00> | SIMILAR OR GREATER-THAN with <br> similar following the slant of the upper |
| leg |  |

The following list provides a description of the variant appearances corresponding to the use of appropriate variation selectors with all allowed base Mongolian characters. Only some presentation forms of the base Mongolian characters used with the Mongolian free variation selectors produce variant appearances.

NOTE 4 - The Mongolian characters have various presentation forms depending on their position in a CC-sequence. These presentations forms are called isolate, initial, medial and final.

| Sequence (UID notation) | position | Description of variant appearance |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| <1820, 180B> | isolate, medial, final | MONGOLIAN second form | LETTER | A |
| <1820, 180C> | medial | MONGOLIAN third form | LETTER | A |
| <1821, 180B> | initial, final | MONGOLIAN second form | LETTER | E |
| <1822, 180B> | medial | MONGOLIAN second form | LETTER | 1 |
| <1823, 180B> | medial, final | MONGOLIAN second form | LETTER | 0 |
| <1824, 180B> | medial | MONGOLIAN second form | LETTER | U |
| <1825, 180B> | medial, final | MONGOLIAN second form | LETTER | E |
| <1825, 180C> | medial | MONGOLIAN third form | LETTER | E |


| <1826, 180B> | isolate, medial, final | MONGOLIAN LETTER UE second form |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| <1826, 180C> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER UE third form |
| <1828, 180B> | initial, medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER NA second form |
| <1828, 180C> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER NA third form |
| <1828, 180D> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER NA separate form |
| <182A, 180B> | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER BA alternative form |
| <182C, 180B> | initial, medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER QA second form |
| <182C, 180B> | isolate | MONGOLIAN LETTER QA feminine second form |
| <182C, 180C> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER QA third form |
| <182C, 180D> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER QA fourth form |
| <182D, 180B> | initial, medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER GA second form |
| <182D, 180B> | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER GA feminine form |
| <182D, 180C> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER GA third form |
| <182D, 180D> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER GA feminine form |
| <1830, 180B> | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER SA second form |
| <1830, 180C> | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER SA third form |
| <1832, 180B> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER TA second form |
| <1833, 180B> | initial, medial, final | MONGOLIAN LETTER DA second form |
| <1835, 180B> | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER JA second form |
| <1836, 180B> | initial, medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER YA second form |
| <1836, 180C> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER YA third form |
| <1838, 180B> | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER WA second form |
| <1844, 180B> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER TODO E second form |
| <1845, 180B> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER TODO I second form |
| <1846, 180B> | medial | MONGOLIAN LETTER TODO O second form |
| <1847, 180B> | isolate, | MONGOLIAN LETTER |


|  | medial, | TODO U second form |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | final |  |  |
| $<1847,180 \mathrm{C}>$ | medial | MONGOLIAN |  |
|  |  | TODO U third form |  |


|  | second form |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $<$ 1881, 180B> | all | MONGOLIAN LETTER ALI <br> GALI VISARGA ONE <br> second form |
| $<1887,180 \mathrm{~B}>$ | isolate, <br> final | MONGOLIAN LETTER ALI <br> GALI A second form |
| $<1887,180 \mathrm{C}>$ | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER ALI <br> GALI A third form |
| $<1887,180 \mathrm{D}>$ | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER ALI <br> GALI A fourth form |
| $<1888,180 \mathrm{~B}>$ | final | MONGOLIAN LETTER ALI <br> GALI I second form |
| $<188 \mathrm{~A}, 180 \mathrm{~B}>$ | initial, | MONGOLIAN LETTER ALI <br> GALI NGA second form |
|  |  |  |

The following list provides a description of the variant appearances corresponding to the use of appropriate variation selectors with all allowed base Phags-pa characters. These variation selector sequences do not select fixed visual representation; rather, they select a representation that is reversed from the normal form predicted by the preceding character.

| Sequence | Description of variant appearance |
| :--- | :--- |
| (UID notation) | PHAGS-PA LETTER reversed shaping <br> <A856, FE00> |
|  | SMALLA |
| <A85C, FE00> | PHAGS-PA LETTER reversed shaping <br> HA |
| <A85E, FE00> | PHAGS-PA LETTER reversed shaping I |
| <A85F, FE00> | PHAGS-PA LETTER reversed shaping U |
| <A860, FE00> | PHAGS-PA LETTER reversed shaping E |
| $<$ A868, FE00> | PHAGS-PA SUBJOINED LETTER re- <br> versed shaping YA |

NOTE 5 - The variation selector only selects a different appearance of an already encoded character. It is not intended as a general code extension mechanism.

NOTE 6 - The exhaustive list of standardized variants is also described as StandardizedVariants.html in the Unicode character database
(http://www.unicode.org/Public/5.0.0/ucd/StandardizedVariants. html)

### 16.5 Tag characters

The functionality of the TAGS characters, part of the TAGS block within the Supplementary Special-purpose Plane (SSP), is not specified by this international standard.

NOTE - However the intended use of these characters is described in annex T.

## 17 Presentation forms of characters

Each presentation form of a character provides an alternative form, for use in a particular context, to the nominal
form of the character or sequence of characters from the other zones of graphic characters. The transformation from the nominal form to the presentation forms may involve substitution, superimposition, or combination.
The rules for the superimposition, choice of differently shaped characters, or combination into ligatures, or conjuncts, which are often of extreme complexity, are not specified in ISO/IEC 10646.
In general, presentation forms are not intended to be used as a substitute for the nominal forms of the graphic characters specified elsewhere within this coded character set. However, specific applications may encode these presentation forms instead of the nominal forms for specific reasons among which is compatibility with existing devices. The rules for searching, sorting, and other processing operations on presentation forms are outside the scope of ISO/IEC 10646.
Within the BMP these characters are mostly allocated to positions in rows FB to FF.

## 18 Compatibility characters

Compatibility characters are included in ISO/IEC 10646 primarily for compatibility with existing coded character sets to allow two-way code conversion without loss of information.

Within the BMP many of these characters are allocated to positions within rows F9, FA, FE, and FF, and within rows 31 and 33. Some compatibility characters are also allocated within other rows.

NOTE 1 - There are twelve code positions in the row FA of the BMP which are allocated to CJK Unified Ideographs.

Within the Supplementary Ideographic Plane (SIP) these characters are allocated to positions within rows F8 to FA.

The CJK compatibility ideographs (characters that are part of the CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS-2001 collection) are ideographs that should have been unified with one of the CJK unified ideographs (characters that are part of the CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS-2001 collection), per the unification rule described in annex $S$.

However, they are included in this International Standard as separate characters, because, based on various national, cultural, or historical reasons for some specific country and region, some national and regional standards assign separate code positions for them.

NOTE 2 - For this reason, compatibility ideographs should only be used for maintaining and guaranteeing a round trip conversion with the specific national, regional, or other standard. Other usage is strongly discouraged.

## 19 Order of characters

Usually, coded characters appear in a CC-sequence in logical order (logical or backing store order corresponds approximately to the order in which characters are en-
tered from the keyboard, after corrections such as insertions, deletions, and overtyping have taken place). This applies even when characters of different dominant direction are mixed: left-to-right (Greek, Latin, Thai) with right-to-left (Arabic, Hebrew), or with vertical (Mongolian) script.
Some characters may not appear linearly in final rendered text. For example, the medial form of DEVANAGARI VOWEL SIGN I is displayed before the character that it logically follows in the CC-sequence.

## 20 Combining characters

This clause specifies the use of combining characters.

### 20.1 Order of combining characters

Coded representations of combining characters shall follow that of the graphic character with which they are associated (for example, coded representations of LATIN SMALL LETTER A followed by COMBINING TILDE represent a composite sequence for Latin "ã").
If a combining character is to be regarded as a composite sequence in its own right, it shall be coded as a composite sequence by association with the character NOBREAK SPACE. For example, grave accent can be composed as NO-BREAK SPACE followed by COMBINING GRAVE ACCENT.

NOTE - Indic matras form a special category of combining characters, since the presentation can depend on more than one of the surrounding characters. Thus it might not be desirable to associate Indic matra with the character NO-BREAK SPACE.

### 20.2 Appearance in code tables

Combining characters intended to be positioned relative to the associated character are depicted within the character code tables above, below, to the right of, to the left of, in, around, or through a dotted circle to show their position relative to the base character. In presentation, these characters are intended to be positioned relative to the preceding base character in some manner, and not to stand alone or function as base characters. This is the motivation for the term "combining".

NOTE - Diacritics are the principal class of combining characters used in European alphabets. For many other scripts used in India and South East Asia, combining characters encode vowel letters; as such they are not generally referred to as "diacritical marks".

### 20.3 Alternate coded representations

Alternate coded representations of text are generated by using multiple combining characters in different orders, or using various equivalent combinations of characters and composite sequences. These alternate coded representations result in multiple representations of the same text. Normalizing (see clause 21) these coded representations creates a unique representation.

NOTE - For example, the French word "la"" may be represented by the characters LATIN SMALL LETTER L followed by LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH GRAVE, or may be represented by the characters LATIN SMALL LETTER L followed by LATIN

SMALL LETTER A followed by COMBINING GRAVE ACCENT. When the normalization forms are applied on those alternate coded representations, only one representation remains. The form of the remaining representation depends on the normalization form used.

### 20.4 Multiple combining characters

There are instances where more than one combining character is applied to a single graphic character. ISO/IEC 10646 does not restrict the number of combining characters that can follow a base character. The following rules shall apply:
a. If the combining characters can interact in presentation (for example, COMBINING MACRON and COMBINING DIAERESIS), then the position of the combining characters in the resulting graphic display is determined by the order of the coded representation of the combining characters. The presentations of combining characters are to be positioned from the base character outward. For example, combining characters placed above a base character are stacked vertically, starting with the first encountered in the sequence of coded representations and continuing for as many marks above as are required by the coded combining characters following the coded base character. For combining characters placed below a base character, the situation is inverted, with the combining characters starting from the base character and stacking downward.

An example of multiple combining characters above the base character is found in Thai, where a consonant letter can have above it one of the vowels 0E34 to 0E37 and, above that, one of four tone marks 0E48 to 0E4B. The order of the coded representation is: base consonant, followed by a vowel, followed by a tone mark.
b. Some specific combining characters override the default stacking behavior by being positioned horizontally rather than stacking, or by forming a ligature with an adjacent combining character. When positioned horizontally, the order of coded representations is reflected by positioning in the dominant order of the script with which they are used. For example, horizontal accents in a left-to-right script are coded left-to-right.

Prominent characters that show such override behavior are associated with specific scripts or alphabets. For example, the COMBINING GREEK KORONIS (0343) requires that, together with a following acute or grave accent, they be rendered side-by-side above a letter, rather than the accent marks being stacked above the COMBINING GREEK KORONIS. The order of the coded representations is: the letter itself, followed by that of the breathing mark, followed by that of the accent marks. Two Vietnamese tone marks which have the same graphic appearance as the Latin acute and grave accent marks do not stack
above the three Vietnamese vowel letters which already contain the circumflex diacritic (â, ê, ô). Instead, they form ligatures with the circumflex component of the vowel letters.
c. If the combining characters do not interact in presentation (for example, when one combining character is above a graphic character and another is below), the resultant graphic symbol from the base character and combining characters in different orders may appear the same. For example, the coded representations of LATIN SMALL LETTER A, followed by COMBINING CARON, followed by COMBINING OGONEK may result in the same graphic symbol as the coded representations of LATIN SMALL LETTER A, followed by COMBINING OGONEK, followed by COMBINING CARON.

Combining characters in Hebrew or Arabic scripts do not normally interact. Therefore, the sequence of their coded representations in a composite sequence does not affect its graphic symbol. The rules for forming the combined graphic symbol are beyond the scope of ISO/IEC 10646.

### 20.5 Collections containing combining characters

In some collections of characters listed in annex A, such as collections 14 (BASIC ARABIC) or 25 (THAI), both combining characters and non-combining characters are included.

Other collections of characters listed in annex A comprise only combining characters, for example collection 7 (COMBINING DIACRITICAL MARKS).

## 21 Normalization forms

Normalization forms are the mechanisms allowing the selection of a unique coded representation among alternative, but equivalent coded text representations of the same text. Normalization forms for use with ISO/IEC 10646 are specified in the Unicode Standard UAX\#15 (see clause 3). There are four normalization forms:

1. Normalization Form D (NFD) which is a canonical decomposition,
2. Normalization Form $C$ (NFC) which is a canonical decomposition followed by canonical composition,
3. Normalization Form KD (NFKD) which is a compatibility decomposition,
4. Normalization Form KC (NFKC) which is a compatibility decomposition followed by canonical composition.
NOTE 1 - The result of applying any of these normalization forms onto a CC-sequence is intended to stay stable over time. It means that the normalized representation of a CC-sequence consisting of characters assigned in this version of the standard remains normalized even when the standard is amended.

NOTE 2 - Some normalization forms favor composite sequences over shorter representations of text, others favor the shorter representations. The backward compatibility requirement is provided by establishing ISO/IEC 10646-1:2000 ( $2^{\text {nd }}$ Edition) and ISO/IEC 10646-2:2001 (1 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ Edition) as the reference versions for the definition of the shorter representation of text. The union of their repertoire is identical to the fixed collection UNICODE 3.2 (see clause A.6.2).
NOTE 3 - The goal of normalization is to provide a unique normalized result for any given CC-sequence to facilitate, among other things, identity matching. A normalized form does not necessarily represent the optimal sequence from a linguistic point of view.

## 22 Special features of individual scripts and symbol repertoires

### 22.1 Hangul syllable composition method

In rendering, a sequence of Hangul Jamo (from HANGUL JAMO block: 1100 to 11FF) is displayed as a series of syllable blocks. Jamo can be classified into three classes: Choseong (syllable-initial), Jungseong (syllable-peak), and Jongseong (syllable-final). A complete syllable block is composed of a Choseong and a Jungseong, and optionally a Jongseong.

An incomplete syllable is a string of one or more characters which does not constitute a complete syllable (for example, a Choseong alone, a Jungseong alone, a Jongseong alone, or a Jungseong followed by a Jongseong). An incomplete syllable which starts with a Jungseong or a Jongseong shall be preceded by a CHOSEONG FILLER (115F). An incomplete syllable composed of a Choseong alone shall be followed by a JUNGSEONG FILLER (1160).

## NOTE 1 - Hangul Jamo are not combining characters.

NOTE 2 - When a combining character such as HANGUL SINGLE DOT TONE MARK (302E) is intended to apply to a sequence of Hangul Jamo it should be placed at the end of the sequence, after the Hangul Jamo character which completes the syllable block.

### 22.2 Features of scripts used in India and some other South Asian countries

In the tables for Rows 09 to OD and 0F, and for the MYANMAR block in Row 10, of the BMP (see clause 34) the graphic symbols shown for some characters appear to be formed as compounds of the graphic symbols for two other characters in the same table.

Examples:
Row 0B Tamil.
The graphic symbol for 0B94 TAMIL LETTER AU appears as if it is constructed from the graphic symbols for:
0B93 TAMIL LETTER OO and 0BD7 TAMIL AU LENGTH MARK

Row OD Malayalam．
The graphic symbol for 0D4A MALAYALAM VOWEL SIGN O appears as if it is constructed from the graphic symbols for：
OD46 MALAYALAM VOWEL SIGN E and OD3E MALAYALAM VOWEL SIGN AA

In such cases a single coded character may appear to the user to be equivalent to the sequence of two coded characters whose graphic symbols，when combined，are visually similar to the graphic symbol of that single cha－ racter，as in a composite sequence（see clause 4．15）．
A＂unique－spelling＂rule is defined as follows．According to this rule，no coded character from a table for Rows 09 to OD or OF，or for the MYANMAR block in Row 10，shall be regarded as equivalent to a sequence of two or more other coded characters taken from the same table．

## 22．3 Byzantine musical symbols

The Byzantine Musical Notation System makes use of the so－called＇three－stripe＇effect．There are signs that appear in the Upper，Middle or Lower stripes．Other signs are known as musical characters and appear in the textual part of the notation system．Multiple signs can be stacked together in their appropriate stripe．

## 23 Source references for CJK Ideographs

A CJK Ideograph is always referenced by at least one source reference．These source references are provided in a machine－readable format that is accessible as links to this document．The content pointed by these links is also normative．

NOTE－The referenced files are only available to users who obtain their copy of the standard in a machine－readable format． However，the file format makes them printable．
The source reference information establishes the charac－ ter identity for CJK Ideographs．A source reference is established by associating a CJK Ideograph code posi－ tion with one or several values in the source standards listed in clause 27.1 and 27．3．Such a source standard originates from the following categories：
－Hanzi G sources，
－Hanzi H sources，
－Hanzi M sources，
－Hanzi T sources，
－Kanji J sources，
－Hanja K sources，
－Hanja KP sources，
－ChuNom V sources，and
－Unicode U sources．
For a given code position，only one source reference can be created for each of the source standard category（G， H，M，T，J，K，KP，V，and U）．In order to provide a com－ prehensive coverage for a source standard category，
when a source standard is referenced，all its unique as－ sociations with existing CJK Ideographs are documented．

## 23．1 Source references for CJK Unified Ideo－ graphs

The procedures that were used to derive the unified ideo－ graphs from the source character set standards，and the rules for their arrangement in the code tables in clause 30， are described in annex $S$ ．

NOTE 1 －The source separation rule described by the clause S．1．6 of that annex only apply to CJK Unified Ideographs within the BMP．

The following list identifies all sources referenced by the CJK Unified Ideographs in both the BMP and the SIP． The current full set of CJK Unified Ideographs is represented by the collection 384 CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS－2007（See annex A．1）．
The Hanzi G sources are
G0 GB2312－80
G1 GB12345－90 with 58 Hong Kong and 92 Korean ＂Idu＂characters
G3 GB7589－87 unsimplified forms
G5 GB7590－87 unsimplified forms
G7 General Purpose Hanzi List for Modern Chinese Language，and General List of Simplified Hanzi
GS Singapore Characters
G8 GB8565－88
G9 GB18030－2000
GE GB16500－95
G＿GH Gudai Hanyu Cidian（古代汉语词典）
G＿GJZ Commercial Press Ideographs（商务印书馆用字）
G＿XC Xiandai Hanyu Cidian（现代汉语词典）
G＿CYY Chinese Academy of Surveying and Mapping Ideographs（中国测绘科学院用字）

G＿ZFY Hanyu Fangyan Dacidian（汉语方言大辞典）
G＿ZJW Yinzhou Jinwen Jicheng Yinde（殷周金文集成引得）
G＿KX Kangxi Dictionary ideographs（康熙字典） including the addendum（康熙字典）補遺
G＿HZ Hanyu Dazidian ideographs（漢語大字典）
G＿CY Ci Yuan（辭源）
G＿CH Ci Hai（辞海）
G＿HC Hanyu Dacidian（漢語大詞典）
G＿BK Chinese Encyclopedia（中國大百科全書）
G＿FZ Founder Press System（方正排版系统）

G＿4K Siku Quanshu（四庫全書）
The Hanzi H source is
H Hong Kong Supplementary Character Set－ 2004
The Hanzi M source is
MAC Macao Information System Character Set（澳門資訊系統字集）

## Hanzi T sources are

T1 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $1^{\text {st }}$ plane
T2 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $2^{\text {nd }}$ plane
T3 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $3^{\text {rd }}$ plane with some addi－ tional characters
T4 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $4^{\text {th }}$ plane
T5 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $5^{\text {th }}$ plane
T6 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $6^{\text {th }}$ plane
T7 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $7^{\text {th }}$ plane
TC TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $12^{\text {th }}$ plane
TD TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $13^{\text {th }}$ plane
TE TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $14^{\text {th }}$ plane
TF TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $15^{\text {th }}$ plane
Kanji J sources are
J0 JIS X 0208－1990
J1 JIS X 0212－1990
J3 JIS X 0213：2000 level－3
J3A JIS X 0213：2004 level－3
J4 JIS X 0213：2000 level－4
JA Unified Japanese IT Vendors Contemporary Ideographs， 1993
JK Japanese KOKUJI Collection
Hanja K sources are
K0 KS C 5601－1987
K1 KS C 5657－1991
K2 PKS C 5700－1 1994
K3 PKS C 5700－2 1994
K4 PKS 5700－3：1998
K5H Korean IRG Hanja Character Set 5th Edition： 2001

Hanja KP sources are
KP0 KPS 9566－97
KP1 KPS 10721：2000 and KPS 10721：2003
ChuNom V sources are
V0 TCVN 5773：1993
V1 TCVN 6056：1995
V2 VHN 01：1998
V3 VHN 02： 1998

V04 Dictionary on Nom 2006，Dictionary on Nom of Tay ethnic 2006，Lookup Table for Nom in the South 1994

The Unicode U source is：
U0 The Unicode Standard 4．0－2003
UTC The Unicode Standard 5．1－2008
NOTE 2 －Even if source references get updated，the source reference information is not updated．The updated source ref－ erences may only identify characters not previously covered by the older version．

The content linked to is a plain text file，using ISO／IEC $646-I R V$ characters with LINE FEED as end of line mark， that specifies，after a 13 －lines header，as many lines as CJK Unified Ideographs in the sum of the two planes； each containing the following information organized in fields delimited by＇；＇（empty fields use no character）：
－ $1^{\text {st }}$ field：BMP or SIP code position（Ohhhh）， （2hhhh）
－ $2^{\text {nd }}$ field：Hanzi G sources（G0－hhhh）， （G1－hhhh），（G3－hhhh），（G5－hhhh），
(G7-hhhh), (GS-hhhh), (G8-hhhh),
(G9-hhhh), (GE-hhhh), (G_KX),
(G_KXddddd), (G_HZ), (G_HZddddd),
(G_CY), (G_CH), (G_CHddd̄dd), (G_HC),
(G-HCddddd) ${ }^{-}$(G_BK), (G_BKddddd) ,
(G_FZ), (G_FZddddd), (G_4K),
(G-GHddddd), (G_GJZddddd), (G_XCddddd),
(G_CYYddddd), (G_ZFYddddd), or
(G_ZJWddddd).
－ $3^{\text {rd }}$ field：Hanzi T sources T1－hhhh）， （T2－hhhh），（T3－hhhh），（T4－hhhh）， （T5－hhhh），（T6－hhhh），（T7－hhhh）， （TC－hhhh），（TD－hhhh），（TE－hhhh），or （TF－hhhh）．
－ $4^{\text {th }}$ field：Kanji J sources（J0－hhhh）， （J1－hhhh），（J3－hhhh），（J3A－hhhh），（J4－ hhhh），（JA－hhhh），or（JK－ddddd）．
－ $5^{\text {th }}$ field：Hanja K sources（K0－hhhh）， （K1－hhhh），（K2－hhhh），（K3－hhhh），（K4－ hhhh），or（K5Hddddd）．
－ $6^{\text {th }}$ field：ChuNom V sources（V0－hhhh）， （V1－hhhh），（V2－hhhh），（V3－hhhh），or （V04－hhhh）．
－$\quad 7^{\text {th }}$ field：Hanzi $H$ source（ $H-h h h h$ ）．
－ $8^{\text {th }}$ field：Hanja KP sources（KP0－hhhh）or （KP1－hhhh）．
－ $9^{\text {th }}$ field：Unicode $U$ sources（U0－hhhh）or （UTCddddd）．
－ $10^{\text {th }}$ field：Hanzi M source（MACddddd）．

The format definition uses＇ d ＇as a decimal unit and＇ h ＇ as a hexadecimal unit．Uppercase characters，digits and all other symbols between parentheses appear as shown．

NOTE 3 －Concerning JIS X 0213：2000 and 2004 sources， level－4 references correspond to the second plane；other level references correspond to the first plane．

NOTE 4 －The original source references in the Hanja K4 source（PKS 5700－3：1998）are described using a single decim－ al index without row or column values．For better consistency with the other sources，those indexes have been converted into hexadecimal values in the source reference file．Unlike the oth－ er hexadecimal values，they do not decompose in row，column values．

Click on this highlighted text to access the reference file．
NOTE 5 －The content is also available as a separate viewable file in the same file directory as this document．The file is named：＂CJKU＿SR．txt＂．

## 23．2 Source reference presentation for BMP CJK Unified Ideographs

In the BMP code tables，entries for both CJK Unified Ideographs and its Extension $A$ are arranged as follows．

| Row／Cell <br> Hex code | C <br> G－Hanzi |  | J <br> Kanji | K <br> Hanja | V <br> ChuNom |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 078／000 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $\longrightarrow$ | $\longrightarrow$ |
| 4E00 | $0-523 B$ | $1-4421$ | $0-306 \mathrm{C}$ | $0-6$ C69 | $1-2121$ |
|  | $0-5027$ | $1-3601$ | $0-1676$ | $0-7673$ | $1-0101$ |

The leftmost column of an entry shows the code position in ISO／IEC 10646，giving the code representation both in decimal（in row／cell format）and in hexadecimal notation．

Each of the other columns shows the graphic symbol for the character，and its coded representation，as specified in a source standard for character sets that is also identi－ fied in the table entry．Each of these source standards is assigned to one of five groups indicated by G，T，J，K，or V as shown in the lists below．In each table entry，a sepa－ rate column is assigned for the corresponding character （if any）from each of those groups of source standards．
An entry in any of the G，T，J，K，or V columns includes a sample graphic symbol from the source character set standard，together with its coded representation in that standard．The first line below the graphic symbol shows the coded representation in hexadecimal notation．When non－empty，the second line shows the coded representa－ tion in decimal notation which comprises two digits for section number followed by two digits for position number except for the K4 source where it shows the original de－ cimal source as a single 4 digit value．Hanzi H source characters are identified in the G column using the＇H－＇ prefix．Each of the coded representations is prefixed by a
one－character source identification followed by a hyphen． This source character identifies the coded character set standard from which the character is taken as shown in the lists above．

## 23．3 Source reference presentation for CJK Uni－ fied Ideographs Extension C

In the code tables describing the CJK Unified Ideographs Extension C ，entries are arranged as follows．

| Ucode |  | C |  | J | K | U |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | G | M | T |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2AB7C | 拻 |  | 拻 |  |  |  |  | 左 |
|  | G＿ZFY00619 |  | тC－3248 |  |  |  |  |  |

The leftmost column of any entry shows the code position in ISO／IEC 10646．Each of the other columns shows the graphic symbol for the character and its coded represen－ tation in the source standard also identified in the table entry．

## 23．4 Source references for CJK Compatibility Ideographs

The following list identifies all sources referenced by the CJK Compatibility Ideographs in both the BMP and the SIP．The set of CJK Compatibility Ideographs is represented by the collection CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS－2003（See annex A．1）．
The Hanzi H source is：
H Hong Kong Supplementary Character Set－ 2004
Hanzi T sources are：
T3 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $3^{\text {rd }}$ plane
T4 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $4^{\text {th }}$ plane
T5 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $5^{\text {th }}$ plane
T6 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $6^{\text {th }}$ plane
T7 TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $7^{\text {th }}$ plane
TF TCA－CNS 11643－1992 $15^{\text {th }}$ plane
Kanji J sources are：
J3 JIS X 0213：2000 level－3
J4 JIS X 0213：2000 level－4
The Hanja K source is：
KO KS C 5601－1987
The Hanja KP source is：
KP1 KPS 10721－2000
The Unicode U source is：

The content linked to is a plain text file, using ISO/IEC $646-I R V$ characters with LINE FEED as end of line mark, that specifies, after a 11 -lines header, as many lines as CJK Compatibility Ideographs; each containing the following information organized in fields delimited by ';' (empty fields use no character):

- $1^{\text {st }}$ field: BMP or SIP code position (Ohhhh ) or (2hhhh).
- $\quad 2^{\text {nd }}$ field: Code position of corresponding CJK Unified Ideograph ( 0 hhhh ) or ( 2 hhhh ).
- $3^{\text {rd }}$ field: Hanzi $T$ sources ( $\mathrm{T} 3-\mathrm{hhhh}$ ),
(T4-hhhh), (T5-hhhh), (T6-hhhh),
(T7-hhhh), or (TF-hhhh).
- $4^{\text {th }}$ field: Hanzi H source ( $\mathrm{H}-\mathrm{hhhh}$ ).
- $5^{\text {th }}$ field: Kanji J sources (J3-hhhh), (J4-hhhh).
- $6^{\text {th }}$ field: Hanja K source (k0-hhhh).
- $\quad 7^{\text {th }}$ field: Unicode U source ( $\mathrm{U} 0-\mathrm{hhhh}$ )
- $8^{\text {th }}$ field: Hanja KP source (KP1-hhhh)

The format definition uses ' $h$ ' as a hexadecimal unit. Uppercase characters, digits and all other symbols between parentheses appear as shown.

NOTE 1 - Concerning JIS X 0213:2000 and 2004 sources, level-4 references correspond to the second plane; other level references correspond to the first plane.

Click on this highlighted text to access the reference file.

NOTE 2 - The content is also available as a separate viewable file in the same file directory as this document. The file is named: "CJKC_SR.txt".

## 24 Character names and annotations

### 24.1 Entity names

This standard specifies names for the following entity types:

- characters
- named UCS sequences identifiers (clause 29)
- blocks (clause 1414.1 and A.2)
- collections (clause 14.2 and A.1)

The names given by this standard to these entities shall follow the rules for name formation and name uniqueness specified in this clause. This specification applies to the entity names in the English language version of this standard.

NOTE 1 - In a version of such a standard in another language:
a) these rules may be amended to permit names to be generated using words and syntax that are considered appropriate within that language;
b) the entity names from this version of the standard may be replaced by equivalent unique names constructed according to the rules amended as in a) above.
NOTE 2 - Additional guidelines for constructing entity names are given in annex $L$ for information.

### 24.2 Name formation

An entity names shall consist only of the following characters:

- LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A through LATIN CAPITAL LETTER Z,
- DIGIT ZERO through DIGIT NINE,
- SPACE,
- HYPHEN-MINUS, and
- FULL STOP if the entity being named is a collection

The first character in an entity name shall be a Latin capital letter. The last character in an entity name shall be either a Latin capital letter or a Digit.
An entity name shall not contain two or more consecutive SPACE characters or consecutive HYPHEN-MINUS characters. A collection name shall not contain two or more consecutive FULL STOP characters.
A sequence of a SPACE followed by a HYPHEN-MINUS or a sequence of a HYPHEN-MINUS followed by a SPACE may appear only in character names or named UCS sequence identifiers.
EXAMPLE: Each of the following two character names contains a consecutive SPACE and HYPHENMINUS:
TIBETAN LETTER -A tibetan mark bka- shog yig mao

FULL STOP may appear only in between two alphanumeric characters (LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A through LATIN CAPITAL LETTER Z, DIGIT ZERO through DIGIT NINE) in a collection name.
EXAMPLE 1:The following collection name contains FULL STOP in between two Digits, DIGIT FOUR and DIGIT ONE:

UNICODE 4.1
EXAMPLE 2: The following collection name contains FULL STOP in between one Latin letter, LATIN CAPITAL LETTER D, and a Digit, DIGIT SEVEN:

BMP-AMD. 7

### 24.3 Single name

Each entity named in this standard shall be given only one name.

NOTE - This does not preclude the informative use of name aliases or acronyms for the sake of clarity. However, the normative entity name will be unique.

### 24.4 Name uniqueness

Each entity name must also be unique within an appropriate name space, as specified here.

### 24.4.1 Block names

Block names constitute a name space. Each block name shall be unique and distinct from all other block names specified in the standard.

### 24.4.2 Collection names

Collection names constitute a name space. Each collection name shall be unique and distinct from all other collection names specified in the standard.

### 24.4.3 Character names and named UCS sequence identifiers

Character names and named UCS sequence identifiers, taken together, constitute a name space. Each character name or named UCS sequence identifier shall be unique and distinct from all other character names or named UCS sequence identifiers.

### 24.4.4 Determining uniqueness

For block names and collection names, two names shall be considered unique and distinct if they are different even when SPACE and medial HYPHEN-MINUS characters are ignored in comparison of the names.

NOTE 1 - A medial HYPHEN-MINUS is a HYPHEN-MINUS character that occurs immediately after a character other than SPACE and immediately before a character other than SPACE.
EXAMPLE 1: The following hypothetical block names would be unique and distinct:

> LATIN-A
> LATIN-B

EXAMPLE 2: The following hypothetical block names would not be unique and distinct:

```
LATIN-A
LATIN A
LATINA
```

For character names and named UCS sequence identifiers, two names shall be considered unique and distinct if they are different even when SPACE and medial HYPHEN-MINUS characters are ignored and even when the words "LETTER", "CHARACTER", and "DIGIT" are ignored in comparison of the names.

EXAMPLE 1:The following hypothetical character names would not be unique and distinct:
MANICHAEAN CHARACTER A MANICHAEAN LETTER A

EXAMPLE 2:The following two actual character names are unique and distinct, because they differ by a HYPHEN-MINUS that is not a medial HYPHEN-MINUS:

```
TIBETAN LETTER A
TIBETAN LETTER -A
```

The following two character names shall be considered unique and distinct:

```
HANGUL JUNGSEONG OE
HANGUL JUNGSEONG O-E
```

NOTE 2 - These two character names are explicitly handled as an exception, because they were defined in an earlier version of this International Standard before the introduction of the name uniqueness requirement. This pair is, has been, and will be the only exception to the uniqueness rule in this International Standard.

### 24.5 Annotations

A character name or a named UCS sequence identifier may be followed by an additional explanatory statement not part of the name, and separated by a single SPACE character. These statements are in parentheses and use the Latin lower case letters a-z, digits 0-9, SPACE and HYPHEN-MINUS. A capital Latin letter A-Z may be used for word initials where required.
Such parenthetical annotations are not part of the entity names themselves, and the characters used in the annotations are not subject to the name uniqueness requirements.

A character name may also be followed by a single ASTERISK separated from the name by a single SPACE. If a parenthetical annotation is present, the ASTERISK follows the annotation and is separated from the closing parenthesis by a single SPACE.
The presence of the ASTERISK notes that additional information on the character is available in annex P of this standard.

### 24.6 Character names for CJK Ideographs

For CJK Ideographs the names are algorithmically constructed by appending their coded representation in hexadecimal notation to "CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPH-" for CJK Unified Ideographs and "CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPH-" for CJK Compatibility Ideographs.
For CJK Ideographs within the BMP, the coded representation is their two-octet value expressed as four hexadecimal digits. For example, the first CJK Ideograph character in the BMP has the name "CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPH-3400".

For CJK Ideographs within the SIP, the coded representation is their five hexadecimal digit value. For example, the first CJK Ideograph character in the SIP has the name "CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPH-20000".

### 24.7 Character names and annotations for Hangul syllables

Names for the Hangul syllable characters in code positions 0000 AC00-0000 D7A3 are derived from their code position numbers by the numerical procedure described below. Lists of names for these characters are not provided opposite the code tables.

1. Obtain the code position number of the Hangul syllable character. It is of the form $0000 h_{l} h_{2} h_{3} h_{4}$ where $h_{1}, h_{2}, h_{3}$, and $h_{4}$ are hexadecimal digits; $h_{l} h_{2}$ is the Row number within the BMP and $h_{3} h_{4}$ is the cell number within the row. The number $h_{1} h_{2} h_{3} h_{4}$ lies within the range AC00 to D7A3.
2. Derive the decimal numbers $d_{1}, d_{2}, d_{3}, d_{4}$ that are numerically equal to the hexadecimal digits $h_{1}, h_{2}, h_{3}, h_{4}$ respectively.
3. Calculate the character index $C$ from the formula:
$C=4096 \times\left(d_{1}-10\right)+256 \times\left(d_{2}-12\right)$ $+16 \times d_{3}+d_{4}$
NOTE - If $C<0$ or $>11171$ then the character is not in the HANGUL SYLLABLES block.
4. Calculate the syllable component indices $I, P, F$ from the following formulae:

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
I=C / 588 & (\text { Note: } 0 \leq I \leq 18) \\
P=(C \% 588) / 28 & (\text { Note: } 0 \leq P \leq 20) \\
F=C \% 28 & (\text { Note: } 0 \leq F \leq 27)
\end{array}
$$

where "l" indicates integer division (i.e. $x / y$ is the integer quotient of the division), and "\%" indicates the modulo operation (i.e. $x \% y$ is the remainder after the integer division $x / y$ ).
5. Obtain the Latin character strings that correspond to the three indices $I, P, F$ from columns 2, 3, and 4 respectively of table 1 below (for $I=11$ and for $F=0$ the corresponding strings are null). Concatenate these three strings in left-to-right order to make a single string, the syllablename.
6. The character name for the character at position 0000 $h_{1} h_{2} h_{3} h_{4}$ is then:

HANGUL SYLLABLE $s-n$
where " $s-n$ " indicates the syllable-name string derived in step 5.
Example.
For the character in code position D4DE:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& d_{1}=13, d_{2}=4, d_{3}=13, d_{4}=14 \\
& C=10462 \\
& I=17, P=16, F=18
\end{aligned}
$$

The corresponding Latin character strings are:
P, WI, BS.
The syllable-name is PWIBS, and the character name is: HANGUL SYLLABLE PWIBS

For each Hangul syllable character a short annotation is defined. This annotation consists of an alternative transliteration of the Hangul syllable into Latin characters.
Annotations for the Hangul syllable characters in code positions 0000 AC00-0000 D7A3 are also derived from their code position numbers by a similar numerical procedure described below.
7. Carry out steps 1 to 4 as described above.
8. Obtain the Latin character strings that correspond to the three indices $I, P, F$ from columns 5, 6, and 7 respectively of Table 1 below (for $I=11$ and for $F=0$ the corresponding strings are null). Concatenate these three strings in left-to-right order to make a single string, and enclose it within parentheses to form the annotation.
Example.
For the character in code position D4DE:
$d_{1}=13, d_{2}=4, d_{3}=13, d_{4}=14$.
$C=10462$
$I=17, P=16, F=18$.
The corresponding Latin character strings are: ph, wi, ps,
and the annotation is (phwips).
NOTE - The annex R provides the names of Hangul syllables in two formats: syllable-name and full name/annotation, both available through linked files.

Table 1: Elements of Hangul syllable names and annotations

| Index number | Syllable name elements |  |  | Annotation elements |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline I \\ & \text { string } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & P \\ & \text { string } \end{aligned}$ | F string | string | $\begin{aligned} & \hline P \\ & \text { string } \end{aligned}$ | $F$ <br> string |
| 0 | G | A | 1777 | k | a | 7771 |
| 1 | GG | AE | G | kk | ae | k |
| 2 | N | YA | GG | n | ya | kk |
| 3 | D | YAE | GS | t | yae | ks |
| 4 | DD | EO | N | tt | eo | n |
| 5 | R | E | NJ | r | e | nc |
| 6 | M | YEO | NH | m | yeo | nh |
| 7 | B | YE | D | p | ye | $t$ |
| 8 | BB | O | L | pp | 0 | I |
| 9 | S | WA | LG | s | wa | Ik |
| 10 | SS | WAE | LM | ss | wae | Im |
| 11 | 717 | OE | LB | 171 | oe | Ip |
| 12 | J | YO | LS | c | yo | Is |
| 13 | JJ | U | LT | CC | u | Ith |
| 14 | C | WEO | LP | ch | weo | Iph |
| 15 | K | WE | LH | kh | we | Ih |
| 16 | T | WI | M | th | wi | m |
| 17 | P | YU | B | ph | yu | p |
| 18 | H | EU | BS | h | eu | ps |
| 19 | $\text { B- } \lll \ll$ |  | S | 人80\% ${ }^{\text {y }}$ |  | S |
| 20 | $8 \lll 1$ |  | SS |  |  | ss |
| 21 |  |  | NG |  |  | ng |
| 22 |  |  | J | 08 |  | C |
| 23 | $18080.80 \text { C }$ |  |  | 800 0 |  | ch |
| 24 | $18888088$ |  |  | $1-8,10$ |  | kh |
| 25 |  |  | T |  |  | th |
| 26 |  |  | P |  |  | ph |
| 27 |  |  | H |  |  | h |

## 25 Named UCS Sequence Identifiers

A Named UCS Sequence Identifier (NUSI) is a USI associated to a name following the same construction rules as for character names. These rules are given in clause 24.

NOTE - The purpose of these named USIs is to spec-ify sequences of characters that may be treated as single units, either in particular types of processing, in reference by standards, in listing of repertoires (such as for fonts or keyboards).

The USI value corresponding to each NUSI is written using the coded representation determined by the normalization form NFC (see clause 21). Each named UCS sequence has a unique code representation.
The following list provides a description of these named UCS sequence identifiers.

| USI | USI name |
| :---: | :---: |
| <0100, 0300> | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A WITH MA AND GRAVE |
| <0101, 0300> | LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH MACRON AND GRAVE |
| <0104, 0301> | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A WITH OGONEK AND ACUTE |
| <0105, | ACUTE |
| <0104, 0303> |  |
| <0105, 0303> | LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH OGONEK AND TILDE |
| <0045, 0329> | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW |
| <0065, | LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW |
| <00C8 | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW AND GRAVE |
| <0 | LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH VERTICAL LI BELOW AND GRAVE |
| <00C9 | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW AND ACUTE |
| <00E9, 0329> | LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH VERTICAL LIN BELOW AND ACUTE |
|  | AND MACRON |
|  | LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH CIRCUMFLEX AND MACRON |
|  | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH CIRCUMFLEX AND CARON |
| < | LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH CIRCUMFLEX AND CARON |
| <0118, | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH OGONEK AND ACUTE |
| <0119, | LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH OGONEK AND ACUTE |
| <0118, 0303> | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH OGONEK AND TILDE |
| <0119, 0303> | LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH OGONEK AND TILDE |
| <0116, 0301> | LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH DOT AbOVE AND ACUTE |

<0117, 0301> LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH DOT ABOVE AND ACUTE
<0116, 0303> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH DOT ABOVE AND TILDE
<0117, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER E WITH DOT ABOVE AND TILDE
<012A, 0300> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH MACRON AND GRAVE
<012B, 0300> LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH MACRON AND GRAVE
<0069, 0307, 0301>LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH DOT ABOVE AND ACUTE
<0069, 0307, 0300>LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH DOT ABOVE AND GRAVE
<0069, 0307, 0303>LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH DOT ABOVE AND TILDE
<012E, 0301> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH OGONEK AND ACUTE
<012F, 0307, 0301> LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH OGONEK AND DOT ABOVE AND ACUTE
<012E, 0303> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH OGONEK AND TILDE
<012F, 0307, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH OGONEK AND DOT ABOVE AND TILDE
<004A, 0303> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER J WITH TILDE
<006A, 0307, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER J WITH DOT ABOVE AND TILDE
<004C, 0303> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER L WITH TILDE
<006C, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER L WITH TILDE
<004D, 0303> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER M WITH TILDE
<006D, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER M WITH TILDE
<006E, 0360, 0067> LATIN SMALL LETTER NG WITH TILDE ABOVE
<004F, 0329> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER O WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW
<006F, 0329> LATIN SMALL LETTER O WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW
<00D2, 0329> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER O WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW AND GRAVE
<00F2, 0329> LATIN SMALL LETTER O WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW AND GRAVE
<00D3, 0329> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER O WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW AND ACUTE
<00F3, 0329> LATIN SMALL LETTER O WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW AND ACUTE
<0052, 0303> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER R WITH TILDE
<0072, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER R WITH TILDE
<0053, 0329> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER S WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW
<0073, 0329> LATIN SMALL LETTER S WITH VERTICAL LINE BELOW
<016A, 0300> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH MACRON AND GRAVE
<016B, 0300> LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH MACRON AND GRAVE
<0072, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER R WITH TILDE
<0172, 0301> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH OGONEK AND ACUTE
<0173, 0301> LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH OGONEK AND ACUTE
<0172, 0303> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH OGONEK AND TILDE

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<0173, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH OGONEK AND
    TILDE
<016A, 0301> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH MACRON
        AND ACUTE
<016B, 0301> LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH MACRON AND
        ACUTE
<016A, 0303> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH MACRON
        AND TILDE
<016B, 0303> LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH MACRON AND
        TILDE
<10E3, 0302> GEORGIAN LETTER U-BRJGU
<17D2, 1780> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG KA
<17D2, 1781> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG KHA
<17D2, 1782> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG KO
<17D2, 1783> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG KHO
<17D2, 1784> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG NGO
<17D2, 1785> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG CA
<17D2, 1786> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG CHA
<17D2, 1787> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG CO
<17D2, 1788> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG CHO
<17D2, 1789> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG NYO
<17D2, 178A> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG DA
<17D2, 178B> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG TTHA
<17D2, 178C> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG DO
<17D2, 178D> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG TTHO
<17D2, 178E> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG NA
<17D2, 178F> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG TA
<17D2, 1790> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG THA
<17D2, 1791> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG TO
<17D2, 1792> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG THO
<17D2, 1793> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG NO
<17D2, 1794> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG BA
<17D2, 1795> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG PHA
<17D2, 1796> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG PO
<17D2, 1797> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG PHO
<17D2, 1798> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG MO
<17D2, 1799> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG YO
<17D2, 179A> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG RO
<17D2, 179B> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG LO
<17D2, 179C> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG VO
<17D2, 179D> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG SHA
<17D2, 179E> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG SSA
<17D2, 179F> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG SA
<17D2, 17A0> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG HA
<17D2, 17A1> KHMER CONSONANT SIGN COENG LA
<17D2, 17A2> KHMER VOWEL SIGN COENG QA
<17D2, 17A7> KHMER INDEPENDENT VOWEL SIGN COENG
    QU
<17D2, 17AB> KHMER INDEPENDENT VOWEL SIGN COENG
    RY
<17D2, 17AC> KHMER INDEPENDENT VOWEL SIGN COENG
    RYY
<17D2, 17AF> KHMER INDEPENDENT VOWEL SIGN COENG
    QE
<17BB 17C6> KHMER VOWEL SIGN OM
<17B6, 17C6> KHMER VOWEL SIGN AAM
<31F7, 309A> KATAKANA LETTER AINU P
<02E5, 02E9> MODIFIER LETTER EXTRA-HIGH EXTRA-LOW
    CONTOUR TONE BAR
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## 26 Structure of the Basic Multilingual Plane

An overview of the Basic Multilingual Plane is shown in figure 3 and a more detailed overview of Rows 00 to 33 is shown in figure 4.

The Basic Multilingual Plane includes characters in general use in alphabetic, syllabic, and ideographic scripts together with various symbols and digits.

Row-octet


Figure 2-Overview of the Basic Multilingual Plane

Row-octet


Figure 3-Overview of Rows 00 to 33 of the Basic Multilingual Plane

## 27 Structure of the Supplementary Multilingual Plane for Scripts and symbols

The Plane 02 of Group 00 is the Supplementary Multilingual Plane (SMP).

Because another supplementary plane is reserved for additional CJK Ideographs, the SMP is not used to date for encoding CJK Ideographs. Instead, the SMP is used for encoding graphic characters used in other scripts of the world that are not encoded in the BMP. Most, but not all, of the scripts encoded to date in the SMP are not in use as living scripts by modern user communities.

NOTE 1 - The following subdivision of the SMP has been proposed:

- Alphabetic scripts,
- Hieroglyphic, ideographic and syllabaries,
- Non CJK ideographic scripts,
- Newly invented scripts,
- Symbol sets.

An overview of the Supplementary Multilingual Plane for scripts and symbols is shown in figure 5 .

Row-octet

$=$ reserved for future standardization

NOTE 2 - Vertical boundaries within rows are indicated in approximate positions only.
NOTE 3 - The Old Italic block represents a unified script that covers the Etruscan, Oscan, Umbrian, Faliscan, North Picene, and South Picene alphabets. Some of these alphabets can be written with characters oriented in either left-to-right or right-to-left direction. The glyphs in the code table are shown with left to right orientation.

Figure 4 - Overview of the Supplementary Multilingual Plane for scripts and symbols

## 28 Structure of the Supplementary Ideographic Plane

The Plane 02 of Group 00 is the Supplementary Ideographic Plane (SIP).
The SIP is used for CJK unified ideographs (unified East Asian ideographs) that are not encoded in the BMP. The procedures for the unification and the rules for their arrangement are described in annex S .
The SIP is also used for compatibility CJK ideographs. These ideographs are compatibility characters as specified in clause 4.14.
The following figure 6 shows an overview of the Supplementary Ideographic Plane.
Row-octet



NOTE - Vertical boundaries within rows are indicated in approximate positions only.
Figure 6 - Overview of the Supplementary Ideographic Plane

## 29 Structure of the Supplementary Specialpurpose Plane

The Plane $0 E$ of Group 0 is the Supplementary Specialpurpose Plane (SSP).

The SSP is used for special purpose use graphic characters. Code positions from E0000 to EOFFF are reserved for Alternate Format Characters (see clause 16.3).

NOTE 1 - Some of these characters do not have a visual representation and do not have printable graphic symbols. The Tag Characters are example of such characters.
An overview of the Supplementary Special-purpose Plane is shown in figure 7 .

NOTE 2 - Unassigned code points in this range should be ignored in normal processing and display.
Row-octet


NOTE 3 - Vertical boundaries within rows are indicated in approximate positions only.
Figure 7 - Overview of the Supplementary Specialpurpose Plane

## 30 Code tables and lists of character names

Detailed code tables and lists of character names for the BMP, SMP, SIP and SSP are shown on the following pages. Access is provided by clicking on the appropriate highlighted text below.

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- Basic Latin to CJK Compatibility (0000-33FF)
- CJK Unified Ideographs Extension A (3400-4DBF)
- Yijing Hexagram Symbols (4DC0-4DFF)
- CJK Unified Ideographs Part }1\mathrm{ of 3 (4E00-680F)
- CJK Unified Ideographs Part 2 of 3 (6810-824F)
- CJK Unified Ideographs Part 3 of 3 (8250-9FFF)
- Yi Syllables to Specials (A000-FFFD)
- Linear B Syllabary to Mathematical Alphanumeric
    Symbols (10000-1D7FF)
- CJK Unified Ideographs Extension B (20000-2A6DF)
- CJK Compatibility Ideographs (2F800-2FA1F)
- Tag to Variation Selectors Supplement (E0000-
    E01EF)
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NOTE - To preserve the odd-even layout of the code charts, a page from the previous block may be inserted before the actual start of the code table.
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# Annex A: Collections of graphic characters for subsets (normative) 

## A. 1 Collections of coded graphic characters

The collections listed below are ordered by collection number. An * in the "positions" column indicates that the collection is a fixed collection.

| Coll | ction number and name | Positions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | BASIC LATIN | 0020-007E * |
| 2 | LATIN-1 SUPPLEMENT | 00A0-00FF * |
| 3 | LATIN EXTENDED-A | 0100-017F * |
| 4 | LATIN EXTENDED-B | 0180-024F * |
| 5 | IPA EXTENSIONS | 0250-02AF |
| 6 | SPACING MODIFIER LETTERS | 02B0-02FF * |
| 7 | COMBINING DIACRITICAL MARKS | 0300-036F * |
| 8 | BASIC GREEK | 0370-03CF |
| 9 | GREEK SYMBOLS AND COPTIC | 03D0-03FF |
| 10 | CYRILLIC | 0400-04FF |
| 11 | ARMENIAN | 0530-058F |
| 12 | BASIC HEBREW | 05D0-05EA * |
| 13 | HEBREW EXTENDED | $\begin{aligned} & 0590-05 \mathrm{CF} \\ & 05 \mathrm{~EB}-05 \mathrm{FF} \end{aligned}$ |
| 14 | BASIC ARABIC | 0600-065F |
| 15 | ARABIC EXTENDED | 0660-06FF * |
| 16 | DEVANAGARI | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 0900-097F } \\ & \text { 200C, 200D } \end{aligned}$ |
| 17 | BENGALI | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 0980-09FF } \\ & \text { 200C, 200D } \end{aligned}$ |
| 18 | GURMUKHI | $\begin{aligned} & \text { OAOO-OA7F } \\ & \text { 200C, 200D } \end{aligned}$ |
| 19 | GUJARATI | $\begin{aligned} & \text { OA80-OAFF } \\ & \text { 200C, 200D } \end{aligned}$ |
| 20 | ORIYA | $\begin{aligned} & \text { OB00-0B7F } \\ & 200 \mathrm{C}, 200 \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ |
| 21 | TAMIL | $\begin{aligned} & \text { OB80-0BFF } \\ & \text { 200C, 200D } \end{aligned}$ |
| 22 | TELUGU | $\begin{aligned} & 0 C 00-0 C 7 F \\ & 200 \mathrm{C}, 200 \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ |
| 23 | KANNADA | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 0C80-0CFF } \\ & \text { 200C, 200D } \end{aligned}$ |
| 24 | MALAYALAM | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 0D00-0D7F } \\ & \text { 200C, 200D } \end{aligned}$ |
| 25 | THAI | 0E00-0E7F |
| 26 | LAO | 0E80-0EFF |
| 27 | BASIC GEORGIAN | 10D0-10FF |
| 28 | GEORGIAN EXTENDED | 10A0-10CF |
| 29 | HANGUL JAMO | 1100-11FF |
| 30 | LATIN EXTENDED ADDITIONAL | 1E00-1EFF |

57, 58, 59 (These collection numbers shall not be used, see Note 2.)

| GREEK EXTENDED | 1F00-1FFF |
| :---: | :---: |
| GENERAL PUNCTUATION | 2000-206F |
| SUPERSCRIPTS AND SUBSCRIPTS | 2070-209F |
| CURRENCY SYMBOLS | 20A0-20CF |
| combining diacritical MARKS FOR SYMBOLS | 20D0-20FF |
| LETTERLIKE SYMBOLS | 2100-214F |
| NUMBER FORMS | 2150-218F |
| ARROWS | 2190-21FF * |
| MATHEMATICAL OPERATORS | 2200-22FF * |
| MISCELLANEOUS TECHNICAL | 2300-23FF |
| CONTROL PICTURES | 2400-243F |
| OPTICAL CHARACTER RECOGNITION | 2440-245F |
| ENCLOSED ALPHANUMERICS | 2460-24FF * |
| BOX DRAWING | 2500-257F * |
| BLOCK ELEMENTS | 2580-259F * |
| GEOMETRIC SHAPES | 25A0-25FF * |
| MISCELLANEOUS SYMBOLS | 2600-26FF |
| DINGBATS | 2700-27BF |
| CJK SYMBOLS AND PUNCTUATIO | 3000-303F |
| HIRAGANA | 3040-309F |
| KATAKANA | 30A0-30FF * |
| BOPOMOFO | $\begin{aligned} & 3100-312 \mathrm{~F} \\ & 31 \mathrm{~A} 0-31 \mathrm{BF} \end{aligned}$ |
| HANGUL COMPATIBILITY JAMO | 3130-318F |
| CJK MISCELLANEOUS | 3190-319F |
| ENCLOSED CJK LETTERS AND MONTHS | 3200-32FF |
| CJK COMPATIBILITY | 3300-33FF * |
| 58, 59 (These collection numbers shal Note 2.) | all not be used, see |
| CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS | 4E00-9FFF |
| PRIVATE USE AREA | E000-F8FF |
| CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS (Collection specified as union of oth | F900-FAFF <br> ther collections) |
| ARABIC PRESENTATION FORMS-A | $\begin{aligned} & \text { FB50-FDCF } \\ & \text { FDFO-FDFF } \end{aligned}$ |
| COMBINING HALF MARKS | FE20-FE2F |
| CJK COMPATIBILITY FORMS | FE30-FE4F * |
| SMALL FORM VARIANTS | FE50-FE6F |
| ARABIC PRESENTATION FORMS-B | FE70-FEFE |
| HALFWIDTH AND FULLWIDTH FORMS | FF00-FFEF |


| 70 | SPECIALS | FFFO-FFFD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 71 | HANGUL SYLLABLES | AC00-D7A3 * |
| 72 | BASIC TIBETAN | 0F00-0FBF |
| 73 | ETHIOPIC | 1200-137F |
| 74 | UNIFIED CANADIAN ABORIGINAL SYLLABICS | 1400-167F |
| 75 | CHEROKEE | 13A0-13FF |
| 76 | YI SYLLABLES | A000-A48F |
| 77 | YI RADICALS | A490-A4CF |
| 78 | KANGXI RADICALS | 2F00-2FDF |
| 79 | CJK RADICALS SUPPLEMENT | 2E80-2EFF |
| 80 | BRAILLE PATTERNS | 2800-28FF |
| 81 | CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS EXTENSION A | $\begin{aligned} & 3400-4 D B F \\ & \text { FA1F, FA23 } \end{aligned}$ |
| 82 | OGHAM | 1680-169F |
| 83 | RUNIC | 16A0-16FF |
| 84 | SINHALA | 0D80-0DFF |
| 85 | SYRIAC | 0700-074F |
| 86 | THAANA | 0780-07BF |
| 87 | BASIC MYANMAR | $\begin{aligned} & 1000-104 F \\ & 200 \mathrm{C}, 200 \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ |
| 88 | KHMER | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1780-17FF } \\ & \text { 200C, 200D } \end{aligned}$ |
| 89 | MONGOLIAN | 1800-18AF |
| 90 | EXTENDED MYANMAR | 1050-109F |
| 91 | TIBETAN | 0F00-0FFF |
| 92 | CYRILLIC SUPPLEMENT | 0500-052F |
| 93 | TAGALOG | 1700-171F |
| 94 | HANUNOO | 1720-173F |
| 95 | BUHID | 1740-175F |
| 96 | TAGBANWA | 1760-177F |
| 97 | MISCELLANEOUS MATHEMATICAL SYMBOLS-A | 27C0-27EF |
| 98 | SUPPLEMENTAL ARROWS-A | 27F0-27FF * |
| 99 | SUPPLEMENTAL ARROWS-B | 2900-297F * |
| 100 | MISCELLANEOUS MATHEMATICAL SYMBOLS-B | 2980-29FF * |
| 101 | SUPPLEMENTAL MATHEMATICAL OPERATORS | 2A00-2AFF * |
| 102 | KATAKANA PHONETIC EXTENSIONS | 31F0-31FF * |
| 103 | VARIATION SELECTORS | FE00-FEOF * |
| 104 | LTR ALPHABETIC PRESENTATION FORMS | FB00-FB1C |
| 105 | RTL ALPHABETIC PRESENTATION FORMS | FB1D-FB4F |
| 106 | LIMBU | 1900-194F |
| 107 | TAI LE | 1950-197F |
| 108 | KHMER SYMBOLS | 19E0-19FF * |
| 109 | PHONETIC EXTENSIONS | 1D00-1D7F * |


| 1014 | TAI XUAN JING SYMBOLS | 1D300-1D35F | 302 | BMP SECOND EDITION | see A.3.3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1015 | ANCIENT GREEK NUMBERS | 10140-1018F | 303 | UNICODE 3.1 | see A.6.1 * |
| 1016 | OLD PERSIAN | 103A0-103DF | 304 | UNICODE 3.2 | see A.6.2 * |
| 1017 | KHAROSHTHI | 10A00-10A5F | 305 | UNICODE 4.0 | see A.6.3 * |
| 1018 | ANCIENT GREEK MUSICAL NOTATION |  | 306 | UNICODE 4.1 | see A.6.4 * |
|  |  | 1D200-1D24F | 307 | UNICODE 5.0 | see A.6.5 * |
| 1019 | PHOENICIAN | 10900-1091F | 308 | UNICODE 5.1 | see A.6.6 * |
| 1020 | CUNEIFORM | 12000-123FF | 340 | COMBINED FIRST EDITION | see A.3.4 * |
| 1021 | CUNEIFORM NUMBERS AND PUNCTUATION | 12400-1247F | 10646 UNICODE |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 0000-FDCF } \\ & \text { FDFO-FFFD } \end{aligned}$ |
| 1022 | COUNTING ROD NUMERALS | 1D360-1D37F |  |  | 10000-1FFFD |
| 1023 | PHAISTOS DISC | 101D0-101FF |  |  | 20000-2FFFD |
| 1024 | LYCIAN | 10280-1029F |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3000-3 \text { FFFD } \\ & 40000-4 \text { FFFFD } \end{aligned}$ |
| 1025 | CARIAN | 102A0-102DF |  |  | 50000-5FFFD |
| 1026 | LYDIAN | 10920-1093F |  |  | 60000-6FFFD |
| 1027 | ANCIENT SYMBOLS | 10190-101CF |  |  | 70000-7FFFD <br> 80000-8FFFD |
| 1028 | MAHJONG TILES | 1F000-1F02F |  |  | 90000-9FFFD |
| 1029 | DOMINO TILES | 1F030-1F09F |  |  | A0000-AFFFD |
| 2001 | CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS |  |  |  | B0000-BFFFD |
|  | EXTENSION B | 20000-2A6DF |  |  | C0000-CFFFD D0000-DFFFD |
| 2002 | CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS |  |  |  | E0000-EFFFD |
|  | SUPPLEMENT | 2F800-2FA1F |  |  | F0000-FFFFD |
| 2003 | CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS |  |  |  | 100000-10FFFD |

NOTE 1 - The UNICODE collection incorporates all characters currently encoded in the standard.

The following collections only contain CJK ideographs.

| 370 | IICORE | see A.4.1 * |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 371 | JIS2004 IDEOGRAPHICS EXTENSI | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ION * } \\ & \text { see A.4.2 } \end{aligned}$ |
| 372 | JAPANESE IDEOGRAPHICS SUPPL | EMENT * see A.4.3 |
| 380 | CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS-2001 | $\begin{aligned} & 3400-4 D B 5 \text { * } \\ & 4 \text { E00-9FA5 } \\ & \text { FA0E-FAOF } \\ & \text { FA11 } \\ & \text { FA13-FA14 } \\ & \text { FA1F } \\ & \text { FA21 } \\ & \text { FA23-FA24 } \\ & \text { FA27-FA29 } \\ & \text { 20000-2A6D6 } \end{aligned}$ |

381 CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS-2001 *
F900-FAOD
FA10
FA12
FA15-FA1E
FA20
FA22
FA25-FA26
FA2A-FA6A
2F800-2FA1D
382 CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS-2005 Collection 380*
9FA6-9FBB

383 CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS-2005 * |  | Collection 381 |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | FA70-FAD9 |
| 384 CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS-2007 | Collection $382 *$ |
|  | 2A700-2B77A |

The following specify other collections, including extended collections.

| 270 | COMBINING CHARACTERS <br> characters specified in clause 4.13 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 271 | (This collection number shall not be used, <br> see Note 2.) |  |
| 281 | MES-1 | see A.5.1 * |
| 282 | MES-2 | see A.5.2 * |
| 283 | MODERN EUROPEAN SCRIPTS | see A.5.3 * |
| 284 | CONTEMPORARY LITHUANIAN LETTERS * |  |

The following specify collections which are the union of particular collections defined above.

## ALPHABETIC PRESENTATION FORMS

Collections 104-105

SCRIPT-SPECIFIC FORMAT CHARACTERS
Collections 204-206
4000 UCS PART-2 Collections 1000, 2000, 3000
NOTE 2 - Collections numbered 57,58 , and 59 were specified in the First Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 but have now been deleted. Collections numbered 400 and 500 were specified in the First and Second Editions of ISO/IEC 10646-1 but have now been deleted. Collections numbered 271 and 1900 were related to combining characters subsets which are now deprecated.

NOTE 3 - The principal terms (keywords) used in the collection names shown above are listed below in alphabetical order. The entry for a term shows the collection number of every collection whose name includes the term. These terms do not provide a
complete cross-reference to all the collections where characters sharing a particular attribute, such as script name, may be found. Although most of the terms identify an attribute of the characters within the collection, some characters that possess that attribute may be present in other collections whose numbers do not appear in the entry for that term.

| Aegean numbers | 1009 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Alphabetic | 63 |
| Alphanumeric | 43 |
| Ancient Greek | 10151018 |
| Arabic | 14156468112 |
| Armenian | 11 |
| Arrows | 389899110 |
| Balinese | 129 |
| Bengali | 17 |
| Bidirectional | 202203 |
| Block elements | 45 |
| BMP | 300301302 (299) |
| Box drawing | 44 |
| Bopomofo | 52 |
| Braille patterns | 80 |
| Buginese | 115 |
| Buhid | 95 |
| Byzantine musical symbols | 1004 |
| Canadian Aboriginal | 74 |
| Carian | 1025 |
| Cham | 142 |
| Cherokee | 75 |
| CJK | 4954555660626678 <br> 8112420012002 |
| Combining | 73565117270271 |
| Compatibility | 53566266 |
| Control pictures | 41 |
| Coptic | 9119 |
| Counting Rod numerals | 1022 |
| Cuneiform | 10201021 |
| Currency | 34 |
| Cypriot syllabary | 1013 |
| Cyrillic | 1092141 |
| Deseret | 1003 |
| Devanagari | 16 |
| Diacritical marks | 735117 |
| Dingbats | 48 |
| Enclosed | 4355 |
| Ethiopic | 73113122 |
| Format | 201202203250251 |
| Fullwidth | 69 |
| Game Tiles | 10281029 |
| Geometric shapes | 46 |
| Georgian | 2728120 |
| Glagolitic | 118 |
| Gothic | 1002 |
| Greek | 8931 |
| Gujarati | 19 |
| Gurmukhi | 18 |
| Half (marks, width) | 6569 |
| Hangul | 295371204 |
| Hanunoo | 94 |
| Hebrew | 1213 |
| Hiragana | 50 |
| Ideographs | 606281207380381 |
| IPA extensions | 5 |
| Jamo | 2953 |
| Kangxi | 78 |
| Kannada | 23 |
| Katakana | 51102 |
| Kayah Li | 138 |
| Kharoshthi | 1017 |
| Khmer | 88108 |
| Lao | 26 |
| Lanna | 140 |


| Latin | 123430130131 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Lepcha | 134 |
| Letter | 3655 |
| Limbu | 106 |
| Linear B syllabary | 1007 |
| Linear B ideograms | 1008 |
| Lycian | 1024 |
| Lydian | 1026 |
| Malayalam | 24 |
| Mathematical alphanumeric |  |
| symbols | 1006 |
| Mathematical operators | 39101 |
| Mathematical symbols | 97100 |
| MES | 281282 |
| Mongolian | 89 |
| Months | 55 |
| Musical notation | 1018 |
| Musical symbols | 10041005 |
| Myanmar | 8790 |
| New Tai Lue | 114 |
| Nko | 128 |
| Number | 3710091015 |
| Ogham | 82 |
| Ol Chiki | 135 |
| Old Italic | 1001 |
| Old Persian | 1016 |
| Optical character |  |
| Oriya | 20 |
| Osmanya | 1012 |
| Phaistos Disc | 1023 |
| Phags-pa | 132 |
| Phoenician | 1019 |
| Phonetic extensions | 109116 |
| Presentation forms | 636468104105 |
| Private use | 61401 |
| Punctuation | 3249123 |
| Radicals | 777879 |
| Rejang | 139 |
| Runic | 83 |
| Saurashtra | 137 |
| Shape, shaping | 205206 |
| Shavian | 1011 |
| Sinhala | 84 |
| Small form | 67 |
| Spacing modifier | 6125 |
| Specials | 70 |
| Strokes | 124 |
| Subscripts, superscripts | 33 |
| Sundanese | 133 |
| Syllables, syllabics | 717476 |
| Syloti Nagri | 126 |
| Symbols | 93435364749971001027 |
| Syriac | 85 |
| Tagalog | 93 |
| Tagbanwa | 96 |
| Tags | 3001 |
| Tai Xuan Jing symbols | 1014 |
| Tail Le | 107 |
| Tamil | 21 |
| Technical | 40 |
| Telugu | 22 |
| Thaana | 86 |
| Thai | 25 |
| Tibetan | 7291 |
| Tifinagh | 121 |
| Ugaritic | 1010 |
| Unicode | $\begin{aligned} & 303304305306307308 \\ & 10646 \end{aligned}$ |
| Vai | 136 |
| Variation selectors | 1033003 |
| Vertical form | 127 |


| Yi | 7677 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Yijing hexagram symbols | 111 |
| Zero-width | 200 |

## A. 2 Blocks lists

## A.2.1 Blocks in the BMP

The following blocks are specified in the Basic Multilingual Plane. They are ordered by code position.

| Block name | from to |
| :---: | :---: |
| BASIC LATIN | 0020-007E |
| LATIN-1 SUPPLEMENT | 00A0-00FF |
| LATIN EXTENDED-A | 0100-017F |
| LATIN EXTENDED-B | 0180-024F |
| IPA (INTERNATIONAL PHONETIC |  |
| ALPHABET) EXTENSIONS | 0250-02AF |
| SPACING MODIFIER LETTERS | 02B0-02FF |
| COMBINING DIACRITICAL MARKS | 0300-036F |
| GREEK AND COPTIC | 0370-03FF |
| CYRILLIC | 0400-04FF |
| CYRILLIC SUPPLEMENT | 0500-052F |
| ARMENIAN | 0530-058F |
| HEBREW | 0590-05FF |
| ARABIC | 0600-06FF |
| SYRIAC | 0700-074F |
| ARABIC SUPPLEMENT | 0750-077F |
| THAANA | 0780-07BF |
| NKO | 07C0-07FF |
| DEVANAGARI | 0900-097F |
| BENGALI | 0980-09FF |
| GURMUKHI | OA00-0A7F |
| GUJARATI | 0A80-0AFF |
| ORIYA | 0B00-0B7F |
| TAMIL | 0B80-0BFF |
| TELUGU | 0C00-0C7F |
| KANNADA | 0C80-0CFF |
| MALAYALAM | 0D00-0D7F |
| SINHALA | 0D80-0DFF |
| THAI | 0E00-0E7F |
| LAO | 0E80-0EFF |
| TIBETAN | 0F00-OFFF |
| MYANMAR | 1000-109F |
| GEORGIAN | 10A0-10FF |
| HANGUL JAMO | 1100-11FF |
| ETHIOPIC | 1200-137F |
| ETHIOPIC SUPPLEMENT | 1380-139F |
| CHEROKEE | 13A0-13FF |
| UNIFIED CANADIAN ABORIGINAL |  |
| SYLLABICS | 1400-167F |
| OGHAM | 1680-169F |
| RUNIC | 16A0-16FF |
| TAGALOG | 1700-171F |
| HANUNOO | 1720-173F |
| BUHID | 1740-175F |
| TAGBANWA | 1760-177F |
| KHMER | 1780-17FF |
| MONGOLIAN | 1800-18AF |
| LIMBU | 1900-194F |
| TAI LE | 1950-197F |
| NEW TAI LUE | 1980-19DF |
| KHMER SYMBOLS | 19E0-19FF |
| BUGINESE | 1A00-1A1F |
| LANNA | 1A20-1AAF |
| BALINESE | 1B00-1B7F |


| SUNDANESE | 1880-1BBF |
| :---: | :---: |
| LEPCHA | 1C00-1C4F |
| OL CHIKI | 1C50-1C7F |
| PHONETIC EXTENSIONS | 1D00-1D7F |
| PHONETIC EXTENSIONS SUPPLEMENT | 1D80-1DBF |
| COMBINING DIACRITICAL MARKS |  |
| SUPPLEMENT | 1DC0-1DFF |
| LATIN EXTENDED ADDITIONAL | 1E00-1EFF |
| GREEK EXTENDED | 1F00-1FFF |
| GENERAL PUNCTUATION | 2000-206F |
| SUPERSCRIPTS AND SUBSCRIPTS | 2070-209F |
| CURRENCY SYMBOLS | 20A0-20CF |
| COMBINING DIACRITICAL MARKS FOR |  |
| SYMBOLS | 20D0-20FF |
| LETTERLIKE SYMBOLS | 2100-214F |
| NUMBER FORMS | 2150-218F |
| ARROWS | 2190-21FF |
| MATHEMATICAL OPERATORS | 2200-22FF |
| MISCELLANEOUS TECHNICAL | 2300-23FF |
| CONTROL PICTURES | 2400-243F |
| OPTICAL CHARACTER RECOGNITION | 2440-245F |
| ENCLOSED ALPHANUMERICS | 2460-24FF |
| BOX DRAWING | 2500-257F |
| BLOCK ELEMENTS | 2580-259F |
| GEOMETRIC SHAPES | 25A0-25FF |
| MISCELLANEOUS SYMBOLS | 2600-26FF |
| DINGBATS | 2700-27BF |
| MISCELLANEOUS MATHEMATICAL |  |
| SYMBOLS-A | 27C0-27EF |
| SUPPLEMENTAL ARROWS-A | 27F0-27FF |
| BRAILLE PATTERNS | 2800-28FF |
| SUPPLEMENTAL ARROWS-B | 2900-297F |
| MISCELLANEOUS MATHEMATICAL |  |
| SYMBOLS-B | 2980-29FF |
| SUPPLEMENTAL MATHEMATICAL |  |
| OPERATORS | 2A00-2AFF |
| MISCELLANEOUS SYMBOLS AND |  |
| ARROWS | 2B00-2BFF |
| GLAGOLITIC | 2C00-2C5F |
| LATIN EXTENDED-C | 2C60-2C7F |
| COPTIC | 2C80-2CFF |
| GEORGIAN SUPPLEMENT | 2D00-2D2F |
| TIFINAGH | 2D30-2D7F |
| ETHIOPIC EXTENDED | 2D80-2DDF |
| CYRILLIC EXTENDED-A | 2DE0-2DFF |
| SUPPLEMENTAL PUNCTUATION | 2E00-2E7F |
| CJK RADICALS SUPPLEMENT | 2E80-2EFF |
| KANGXI RADICALS | 2F00-2FDF |
| IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION |  |
| CHARACTERS | 2FFO-2FFF |
| CJK SYMBOLS AND PUNCTUATION | 3000-303F |
| HIRAGANA | 3040-309F |
| KATAKANA | 30A0-30FF |
| BOPOMOFO | 3100-312F |
| HANGUL COMPATIBILITY JAMO | 3130-318F |
| KANBUN (CJK miscellaneous) | 3190-319F |
| BOPOMOFO EXTENDED | 31A0-31BF |
| CJK STROKES | 31C0-31EF |
| KATAKANA PHONETIC EXTENSIONS | 31F0-31FF |
| ENCLOSED CJK LETTERS AND MONTHS | 3200-32FF |
| CJK COMPATIBILITY | 3300-33FF |
| CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS EXTENSION | 3400-4DBF |
| YIJING HEXAGRAM SYMBOLS | 4DC0-4DFF |
| CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS | 4E00-9FFF |


| YI SYLLABLES | A000-A48F |
| :--- | :--- |
| YI RADICALS | A4900-A4CF |
| VAI | A500-A63F |
| MODIFIER TONE LETTERS | A700-A71F |
| LATIN EXTENDED-D | A720-A7FF |
| SYLOTI NAGRI | A800-A82F |
| PHAGS-PA | A840-A87F |
| SAURASHTRA | A880-A8DF |
| KAYAH LI | A900-A92F |
| REJANG | A930-A95F |
| CHAM | AA00-AA5F |
| HANGUL SYLLABLES | AC00-D7A3 |
| PRIVATE USE AREA | E000-F8FF |
| CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS | F900-FAFF |
| ALPHABETIC PRESENTATION FORMS | FB00-FB4F |
| ARABIC PRESENTATION FORMS-A | FB50-FDFF |
| VARIATION SELECTORS | FE00-FE0F |
| VERTICAL FORMS | FE10-FE1F |
| COMBINING HALF MARKS | FE20-FE2F |
| CJK COMPATIBILITY FORMS | FE30-FE4F |
| SMALL FORM VARIANTS | FE50-FE6F |
| ARABIC PRESENTATION FORMS-B | FE70-FEFE |
| HALFWIDTH AND FULLWIDTH FORMS | FF00-FFEF |
| SPECIALS | FFF0-FFFD |

## A.2.2 Blocks in the SMP

The following blocks are specified in the Supplementary Multilingual Plane for scripts and symbols. They are ordered by code position.

| Block name | from to |
| :---: | :---: |
| LINEAR B SYLLABARY | 10000-1007F |
| LINEAR B IDEOGRAMS | 10080-100FF |
| AEGEAN NUMBERS | 10100-1013F |
| ANCIENT GREEK NUMBERS | 10140-1018F |
| ANCIENT SYMBOLS | 10190-101CF |
| PHAISTOS DISC | 101D0-101FF |
| LYCIAN | 10280-1029F |
| CARIAN | 102A0-102DF |
| OLD ITALIC | 10300-1032F |
| GOTHIC | 10330-1034F |
| UGARITIC | 10380-1039F |
| OLD PERSIAN | 103A0-103DF |
| DESERET | 10400-1044F |
| SHAVIAN | 10450-1047F |
| OSMANYA | 10480-104AF |
| CYPRIOT SYLLABARY | 10800-1083F |
| PHOENICIAN | 10900-1091F |
| LYDIAN | 10920-1093F |
| CUNEIFORM | 12000-123FF |
| CUNEIFORM NUMBERS AND |  |
| PUNCTUATION | 12400-1247F |
| KHAROSHTHI | 10A00-10A5F |
| BYZANTINE MUSICAL SYMBOLS | 1D000-1D0FF |
| MUSICAL SYMBOLS | 1D100-1D1FF |
| ANCIENT GREEK MUSICAL NOTATION | 1D200-1D24F |
| TAI XUAN JING SYMBOLS | 1D300-1D35F |
| COUNTING ROD NUMERALS | 1D360-1D37F |
| MATHEMATICAL ALPHANUMERIC |  |
| SYMBOLS | 1D400-1D7FF |
| MAHJONG TILES | 1F000-1F02F |
| DOMINO TILES | 1F030-1F09F |

## A.2.3 Blocks in the SIP

The following blocks are specified in the Supplementary Ideographic Plane. They are ordered by code position.

| Block name | from to |
| :---: | :---: |
| CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS EXTENSION B |  |
|  | 20000-2A6DF |
| CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS SUPPLEMENT |  |
|  | 2F800-2FA1F |
| CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS EXTENSION | C |
|  | 2A700-2B77F |

## A.2.4 Blocks in the SSP

The following blocks are specified in the Supplementary Special-purpose Plane. They are ordered by code position.

```
Block name
TAGS
VARIATION SELECTORS SUPPLEMENT
from to
E0000-E007F
E0100-E01EF
```


## A. 3 Fixed collections of the whole UCS (except Unicode collections)

The following collections contain the whole UCS assigned character content as it was when they were created. The Unicode collections are described in A.6.

## A.3.1 301 BMP-AMD. 7

The collection 301 BMP-AMD. 7 is specified below as a fixed collection (see clause 4.24). It comprises only those coded characters that were in the BMP after amendments up to, but not after, AMD. 7 were applied to the First Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1. Accordingly the repertoire of this collection is not subject to change if new characters are added to the BMP by any subsequent amendments.

NOTE - The repertoire of the collection 300 BMP is subject to change if new characters are added to the BMP by an amendment to this International Standard.

301 BMP-AMD. 7 is specified by the following ranges of code positions as indicated for each row or contiguous series of rows.

| Rows | Positions (cells) |
| :---: | :---: |
| 00 | 20-7E A0-FF |
| 01 | 00-F5 FA-FF |
| 02 | 00-17 50-A8 B0-DE E0-E9 |
| 03 | 00-45 60-61 74-75 7A 7E 84-8A 8C 8E-A1 A3-CE D0-D6 DA DC DE E0 E2-F3 |
| 04 | ```01-0C 0E-4F 51-5C 5E-86 90-C4 C7-C8 CB-CC D0- EB EE-F5 F8-F9``` |
| 05 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 31-56 59-5F 61-87 } 89 \text { 91-A1 A3-B9 BB-C4 D0-EA } \\ & \text { F0-F4 } \end{aligned}$ |
| 06 | ```0C 1B 1F 21-3A 40-52 60-6D 70-B7 BA-BE C0-CE D0-ED F0-F9``` |
| 09 | 01-03 05-39 3C-4D 50-54 58-70 81-83 85-8C 8F90 93-A8 AA-B0 B2 B6-B9 BC BE-C4 C7-C8 CB-CD D7 DC-DD DF-E3 E6-FA |
| OA | 02 05-0A 0F-10 13-28 2A-30 32-33 35-36 38-39 3C 3E-42 47-48 4B-4D 59-5C 5E 66-74 81-83 858B 8D 8F-91 93-A8 AA-B0 B2-B3 B5-B9 BC-C5 C7C9 CB-CD D0 E0 E6-EF |

FC

FF FF
FF 01-5E 61-BE C2-C7 CA-CF D2-D7 DA-DC E0-E6 E8-EE FD

## A.3.2 299 BMP FIRST EDITION

The collection number and collection name 299 BMP FIRST EDITION have been reserved to identify the fixed collection comprising all of the coded characters that were in the BMP in the First Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1. This collection is not now in conformity with this International Standard.

NOTE - The specification of collection 299 BMP FIRST EDITION consisted of the specification of collection 301 BMPAMD. 7 except for the replacement of the corresponding entries in the list above with the entries shown below:

| rows | positions |
| :---: | :---: |
| 05 | 31-56 59-5F 61-87 89 B0-B9 BB-C3 D0-EA FO-F4 |
| OF | [no positions] |
| 1E | 00-9A A0-F9 |
| 20 | 00-2E 30-46 6A-70 74-8E A0-AA DO-E1 |
| AC-D7 | [no positions] |

$34-4 \mathrm{D} \quad 3400-4 \mathrm{DFF}$
for the code position ranges of three collections $(57,58,59)$ of coded characters which have been deleted from this International Standard since the First Edition of IO/IEC 10646-1.

## A.3.3 302 BMP SECOND EDITION

The fixed collection 302 BMP SECOND EDITION comprises only those coded characters that are in the BMP in the Second Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1. The repertoire of this collection is not subject to change if new characters are added to the BMP by any subsequent amendments.
302 BMP SECOND EDITION is specified by the following ranges of code positions as indicated for each row or contiguous series of rows.

| Rows | Positions (cells) |
| :---: | :---: |
| 00 | 20-7E A0-FF |
| 01 | 00-FF |
| 02 | 00-1F 22-33 50-AD B0-EE |
| 03 | 00-4E 60-62 74-75 7A 7E 84-8A 8C 8E-A1 A3-CE D0-D7 DA-F3 |
| 04 | 00-86 88-89 8C-C4 C7-C8 CB-CC D0-F5 F8-F9 |
| 05 | 31-56 59-5F 61-87 89-8A 91-A1 A3-B9 BB-C4 D0- EA F0-F4 |
| 06 | OC 1B 1F 21-3A 40-55 60-6D 70-ED F0-FE |
| 07 | 00-0D 0F-2C 30-4A 80-B0 |
| 09 | 01-03 05-39 3C-4D 50-54 58-70 81-83 85-8C 8F90 93-A8 AA-B0 B2 B6-B9 BC BE-C4 C7-C8 CB-CD |
| OA | 02 05-0A 0F-10 13-28 2A-30 32-33 35-36 38-39 |
|  | 3C 3E-42 47-48 4B-4D 59-5C 5E 66-74 81-83 858B 8D 8F-91 93-A8 AA-B0 B2-B3 B5-B9 BC-C5 C7- |
|  | C9 CB-CD D0 E0 E6-EF |
| OB | 01-03 05-0C 0F-10 13-28 2A-30 32-33 36-39 3C- |
|  | 43 47-48 4B-4D 56-57 5C-5D 5F-61 66-70 82-83 |
|  | 85-8A 8E-90 92-95 99-9A 9C 9E-9F A3-A4 A8-AA |
|  | AE-B5 B7-B9 BE-C2 C6-C8 CA-CD D7 E7-F2 |
| OC | 01-03 05-0C 0E-10 12-28 2A-33 35-39 3E-44 46- |
|  | 48 4A-4D 55-56 60-61 66-6F 82-83 85-8C 8E-90 |
|  | 92-A8 AA-B3 B5-B9 BE-C4 C6-C8 CA-CD D5-D6 |
|  | DE E0-E1 E6-EF |
| OD | 02-03 05-0C 0E-10 12-28 2A-39 3E-43 46-48 4A- |
|  | 4D 57 60-61 66-6F 82-83 85-96 9A-B1 B3-BB BD |
|  | C0-C6 CA CF-D4 D6 D8-DF F2-F4 |
| OE | 01-3A 3F-5B 81-82 84 87-88 8A 8D 94-97 99-9F |
|  | A1-A3 A5 A7 AA-AB AD-B9 BB-BD C0-C4 C6 C8- |
|  | CD D0-D9 DC-DD |
| OF | 00-47 49-6A 71-8B 90-97 99-BC BE-CC CF |
| 10 | 00-21 23-27 29-2A 2C-32 36-39 40-59 A0-C5 D0- |
|  | F6 FB |
| 11 | 00-59 5F-A2 A8-F9 |
| 12 | 00-06 08-46 48 4A-4D 50-56 58 5A-5D 60-86 88 |
|  | 8A-8D 90-AE B0 B2-B5 B8-BE C0 C2-C5 C8-CE |
|  | D0-D6 D8-EE F0-FF |
| 13 | 00-0E 10 12-15 18-1E 20-46 48-5A 61-7C A0-F4 |
| 14-15 | 1401-15FF |
| 16 | 00-76 80-9C A0-F0 |
| 17 | 80-DC E0-E9 |
| 18 | 00-0E 10-19 20-77 80-A9 |
| 1E | 00-9B A0-F9 |
| 1F | 00-15 18-1D 20-45 48-4D 50-57 59 5B 5D 5F-7D |
|  | 80-B4 B6-C4 C6-D3 D6-DB DD-EF F2-F4 F6-FE |
| 20 | 00-46 48-4D 6A-70 74-8E AO-AF DO-E3 |
| 21 | 00-3A 53-83 90-F3 |
| 22 | 00-F1 |


| 23 | 00-7B 7D-9A |
| :---: | :---: |
| 24 | 00-26 40-4A 60-EA |
| 25 | 00-95 A0-F7 |
| 26 | 00-13 19-71 |
| 27 | 01-04 06-09 0C-27 29-4B 4D 4F-52 56 58-5E 6167 76-94 98-AF B1-BE |
| 28 | 00-FF |
| 2E | 80-99 9B-F3 |
| 2F | 00-D5 FO-FB |
| 30 | 00-3A 3E-3F 41-94 99-9E A1-FE |
| 31 | 05-2C 31-8E 90-B7 |
| 32 | 00-1C 20-43 60-7B 7F-BO C0-CB D0-FE |
| 33 | 00-76 7B-DD E0-FE |
| 34-4D | 3400-4DB5 |
| 4E-9F | 4E00-9FA5 |
| A0-A3 | A000-A3FF |
| A4 | 00-8C 90-A1 A4-B3 B5-C0 C2-C4 C6 |
| AC-D7 | AC00-D7A3 |
| E0-F8 | E000-F8FF |
| F9-FA | F900-FA2D |
| FB | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 00-06 13-17 1D-36 38-3C 3E 40-41 43-44 46-B1 } \\ & \text { D3-FF } \end{aligned}$ |
| FC | 00-FF |
| FD | 00-3F 50-8F 92-C7 F0-FB |
| FE | 20-23 30-44 49-52 54-66 68-6B 70-72 74 76-FC FF |
| FF | 01-5E 61-BE C2-C7 CA-CF D2-D7 DA-DC E0-E6 E8-EE F9-FD |

## A.3.4 340 COMBINED FIRST EDITION

The collection 340 COMBINED FIRST EDITION is specified below as a fixed collection. It comprises only those coded characters that were in the First Edition of 10646:2003 and consists of collections from clause A. 1 and A. 3 and several ranges of code positions. The collection list is arranged by planes as follows.

| Plane 00 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Collection number and name |  |
| 302 | BMP SECOND EDITION |
| 98 | SUPPLEMENTAL ARROWS-A |
| 99 | SUPPLEMENTAL ARROWS-B |
| 100 | MISCELLANEOUS MATHEMATICAL |
|  | SYMBOLS-B |
| 101 | SUPPLEMENTAL MATHEMATICAL OPERATORS |
| 102 | KATAKANA PHONETIC EXTENSIONS |
| 103 | VARIATION SELECTORS |
| 108 | KHMER SYMBOLS |
| 111 | YIJING HEXAGRAM SYMBOLS |
| Row | Positions (cells) |
| 02 | 20-21 34-36 AE-AF EF-FF |
| 03 | 4F-57 5D-5F 63-6F D8-D9 F4-FB |
| 04 | 8A-8B C5-C6 C9-CA CD-CE |
| 05 | 00-0F |
| 06 | 00-03 0D-15 56-58 6E-6F EE-EF FF |
| 07 | 2D-2F 4D-4F B1 |
| 09 | 04 BD |
| OA | 0103 8C E1-E3 F1 |
| OB | 3571 F3-FA |
| OC | BC-BD |
| 10 | F7-F8 |
| 17 | 00-0C 0E-14 20-36 40-53 60-6C 6E-70 72-73 DD |
|  | F0-F9 |


| 19 | 00-1C 20-2B 30-3B 40 44-4F 50-6D 70-74 |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1D | 00-6B |
| 20 | 47 4E-54 57 5F-63 71 B0-B1 E4-EA |
| 21 | 3B 3D-4B F4-FF |
| 22 | F2-FF |
| 23 | 7C 9B-D0 |
| 24 | EB-FF |
| 25 | 96-9F F8-FF |
| 26 | 14-17 72-7D 80-91 A0-A1 |
| 27 | 68-75 D0-EB |
| 2B | 00-0D |
| 30 | 3B-3D 95-96 9F-A0 FF |
| 32 | 1D-1E 50-5F 7C-7D B1-BF CC-CF |
| 33 | 77-7A DE-DF FF |
| A4 | A2-A3 B4 C1 C5 |
| FA | 30-6A |
| FD | FC-FD |
| FE | 45-48 73 |
| FF | 5F-60 |
| Plane 01 |  |
| Collection number and name |  |
| 1003 | DESERET |
| 1011 | SHAVIAN |
| Rows | Positions |
| 00 | 00-0B 0D-26 28-3A 3C-3D 3F-4D 50-5D 80-FA |
| 01 | 00-02 07-33 37-3F |
| 03 | 80-9D 9F |
| 04 | 80-9D A0-A9 |
| 08 | 00-05 08 0A-35 37-38 3C 3F |
| D0 | 00-F5 |
| D1 | 00-26 2A-DD |
| D3 | 00-56 |
| D4 | 00-54 56-9C 9E-9F A2 A5-A6 A9-AC AE-B9 BB BDC3 C5-FF |
| D5 | $\begin{aligned} & 00-05 \text { 07-OA 0D-14 16-1C 1E-39 3B-3E 40-44 } 46 \\ & 4 A-5052-F F \end{aligned}$ |
| D6 | 00-A3 A8-FF |
| D7 | 00-C9 CE-FF |

## Plane 02

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| $00-A 6$ | $0000-A 6 D 6$ |
| F8-FA | F800-FA1D |

## Plane 0E

Collection number and name
3003 VARIATION SELECTORS SUPPLEMENT

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 00 | $0120-7 \mathrm{~F}$ |

## Plane 0F

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| $00-$ FF | $0000-$ FFFD |

Plane 10

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| $00-$ FF | $0000-F F F D$ |

## A. 4 CJK collections <br> A.4.1 $\quad 370$ IICORE

370 The fixed collection IICORE is the International Core subset of the CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS-2001 collection.

NOTE 1 - Given its large size ( 9810 characters) and the large number of sparse ranges, the collection is not speci-fied by Rows/Positions but instead by a linked content.

The content linked to is a plain text file, using ISO/IEC 646-IRV characters with LINE FEED as end of line mark, that specifies, after a 11 -lines header, as many lines as IICORE characters; each containing the following information in fixed length field:

- 1st field: BMP or SIP code position (0hhhh), (2hhhh), normative.
- 2nd field: Hanzi G usage identifier (GOa), (G1a), (G3a), (G5a), (G7a), (G8a), (G9a), or (GEa), informative.
- 3rd field: Hanzi T usage identifier (T1a), (T2a), (T3a), (T4a), (T5a) or (TFa), informative.
- 4th field: Kanji J usage identifier (J1A), informative.
- 5th field: Hanzi H usage identifier (H1a), informative.
- 6th field: Hanja K usage identifier (K0a), (K1a), (K2a) or (к3a), informative.
- 7th field: Hanzi M (for Macao SAR) usage identifier (M1a), informative.
- 8th field: Hanja KP usage identifier (P0a), informative.
- 9th field: General category, informative (A, B or C in decreasing order of priority).
The format definition uses ' $h$ ' as a hexadecimal unit and ' $a$ ' as an enumerated unit for letters from ' $A$ ' to ' $G$ '. Uppercase characters and digits between parentheses appear as shown.

NOTE 2 - The usage information provided in this sub-clause describes the usage and priority level of individual IICORE characters in the context of each source (G, T, J, H, K, M, and KP). This should not be confused with the source references for CJK Ideographs in clause 27 which establish the identity of all CJK Ideographs.

## Click on this highlighted text to access the reference file.

NOTE 3 - The content is also available as a separate viewable file in the same file directory as this document. The file is named: "IICORE.txt".

## A.4.2 371 JIS2004 IDEOGRAPHICS EXTENSION

371 The fixed collection JIS2004 IDEOGRAPHICS EXTENSION consists of all level 3 and level 4 CJK characters defined in JIS X 0213:2004.

NOTE 1 - Given its large size ( 3695 characters) and the large number of sparse ranges, the collection is not specified by Rows/Positions but instead by a linked content.
The content linked to is a plain text file, using ISO/IEC $646-$ IRV characters with LINE FEED as end of line mark, that specifies, after a 3 -lines header, as many lines as characters in the collection; each containing the following information in fixed length field:

- BMP or SIP code position (0hhhh), (2hhhh), normative.

The format definition uses ' $h$ ' as a hexadecimal unit. Digits between parentheses appear as shown.

Click on this highlighted text to access the reference file.

NOTE 2 - The content is also available as a separate viewable file in the same file directory as this document. The file is named: "JIEx.txt".

## A.4.3 372 JAPANESE IDEOGRAPHICS SUPPLEMENT

372 The fixed collection JAPANESE IDEOGRAPHICS SUPPLEMENT consists of all CJK characters defined in JIS X 0212:1990. It contains 5801 characters.

NOTE - 2742 characters are common between the collections 371 and 372.

The code positions of this collection are identified by the J1 Kanji J sources in the Source Reference file for CJK Unified Ideographs (CJKU_SR.txt). See clause 23.1 for further details.

## A. 5 Other collections

The collections specified within this clause address the referencing need of users community. Characters may be from different writing systems and may be coded in different planes. It includes collection for users community from Lithuania, Japan and Europe as a whole.

NOTE - The acronym MES used in collections names below indicates Multilingual European Subset.

## A.5.1 281 MES-1

281 The fixed collection MES-1 is specified by the following ranges of code positions as indicated for each row.

| Plane |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Rows | Positions (cells) |
| 00 | 20-7E A0-FF |
| 01 | 00-13 16-2B 2E-4D 50-7E |
| 02 | C7 D8-DB DD |
| 20 | 15 18-19 1C-1D AC |

$21 \quad 2226$ 5B-5E 90-93

26 6A

## A.5.2 282 MES-2

282 The fixed collection MES-2 is specified by the following ranges of code positions as indicated for each row.

| Plane 00 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Rows Positions (cells) |  |
| 00 | 20-7E A0-FF |
| 01 | 00-7F 8F 92 B7 DE-EF FA-FF |
| 02 | 18-1B 1E-1F 597 C 92 BB-BD C6-C7 C9 D8-DD EE |
| 03 | 74-75 7A 7E 84-8A 8C 8E-A1 A3-CE D7 DA-E1 |
| 04 | 00-5F 90-C4 C7-C8 CB-CC D0-EB EE-F5 F8-F9 |
| 1E | $\begin{aligned} & 02-03 \text { OA-0B 1E-1F 40-41 56-57 60-61 6A-6B 80- } \\ & 85 \text { 9B F2-F3 } \end{aligned}$ |
| 1F | 00-15 18-1D 20-45 48-4D 50-57 59 5B 5D 5F-7D 80-B4 B6-C4 C6-D3 D6-DB DD-EF F2-F4 F6-FE |
| 20 | 13-15 17-1E 20-22 26 30 32-33 39-3A 3C 3E 44 4A 7F 82 A3-A4 A7 AC AF |
| 21 | 05162226 5B-5E 90-95 A8 |
| 22 | 00 02-03 06 08-09 0F 11-12 19-1A $1 \mathrm{E}-1 \mathrm{~F} 27-2 \mathrm{~B}$ 4859 60-61 64-65 82-83 9597 |
| 23 | 0210 20-21 29-2A |
| 25 | 00020 C 1014181 C 242 C 34 3C 50-6C 8084 |
|  | 88 8С 90-93 A0 AC B2 BA BC C4 CA-CB D8-D9 |
| 26 | 3A-3C 40426063 65-66 6A-6B |
| FB | 01-02 |
| FF | FD |

## A.5.3 283 MODERN EUROPEAN SCRIPTS

283 The collection MODERN EUROPEAN SCRIPTS is specified by the following collections:
Plane 00
Collection number and name
1 BASIC LATIN
2 LATIN-1 SUPPLEMENT
3 LATIN EXTENDED-A
LATIN EXTENDED-A
IPA EXTENSIONS
SPACING MODIFIER LETTERS
COMBINING DIACRITICAL MARKS
BASIC GREEK
GREEK SYMBOLS AND COPTIC
CYRILLIC
ARMENIAN
BASIC GEORGIAN
LATIN EXTENDED ADDITIONAL
GREEK EXTENDED
GENERAL PUNCTUATION
SUPERSCRIPTS AND SUBSCRIPTS
CURRENCY SYMBOLS
COMBINING DIACRITICAL MARKS FOR SYMBOLS
LETTERLIKE SYMBOLS
NUMBER FORMS
ARROWS
MATHEMATICAL OPERATORS
MISCELLANEOUS TECHNICAL
OPTICAL CHARACTER RECOGNITION
BOX DRAWING
BLOCK ELEMENTS

| 46 | GEOMETRIC SHAPES |
| :--- | :--- |
| 47 | MISCELLANEOUS SYMBOLS |
| 65 | COMBINING HALF MARKS |
| 70 | SPECIALS |
| 92 | CYRILLIC SUPPLEMENT |
| 104 | LTR ALPHABETIC PRESENTATION FORMS |

## A.5.4 284 CONTEMPORARY LITHUANIAN LETTERS

10000 The fixed extended collection CONTEMPORARY LITHUANIAN LETTERS is defined as follows.

Plane 00
Row Positions (cells)

```
00 41-50 52-56 59-5A 61-70 72-76 79-7A C0-C1 C3
    C8-C9 CC-CD D1-D3 D5 D9-DA DD E0-E1 E3 E8-
    E9 F1-F3 F5 F9-FA FD
01 04-05 0C-0D 16-19 28 2E-2F 60-61 68-6B 72-73
    7D-7E
1E BC-BD F8-F9
```

```
UCS Sequence Indentifiers
<0104, 0301> <0105, 0301> <0104, 0303> <0105, 0303>
<0118, 0301> <0119, 0301> <0118, 0303> <0119, 0303>
<0116, 0301> <0117, 0301> <0116, 0303> <0117, 0303>
<0069, 0307, 0300> <0069, 0307, 0301> <0069, 0307,
0303> <012E, 0301> <012F, 0307, 0301> <012E, 0303>
<012F, 0307, 0303> <004A, 0303> <006A, 0307, 0303>
<004C, 0303> <006C, 0303> <004D, 0303> <006D,
0303> <0052, 0303> <0072, 0303> <0172, 0301>
<0173, 0301> <0172, 0303> <0173, 0303> <016A, 0301>
<016B, 0301> <016A, 0303> <016B, 0303>
```


## A.5.5 285 BASIC JAPANESE

285 The fixed collection BASIC JAPANESE is a core Japanese subset. Its 6884 characters are identified by:

- All JO Kanji J sources in the Source Reference file for CJK Unified Ideographs (CJKU_SR.txt). See clause 23.1 for further details.
- Ranges of code positions arranged by planes:


## Plane 00

## Row Positions (cells)

| 00 | 20-7E A2 A3 A5 A7-A8 AC B0-B1 B4 B6 D7 F7 |
| :---: | :---: |
| 03 | 91-A1 A3-A9 B1-C1 C3-C9 |
| 04 | 01 10-4F 51 |
| 20 | ```10 14 16 18-19 1C-1D 20-21 25-26 30 32-33 3B``` |
| 21 | 03 2B 90-93 D2 D4 |
| 22 | 00 02-03 07-08 0B 12 1A 1D-1E 20 27-2C 34-35 3D 52 60-61 66-67 6A-6B 82-83 86-87 A5 |
| 23 | 12 |
| 25 | 00-03 0C 0F-10 13-14 17-18 1B-1D 20 23-25 28 |
|  | 2B-2C 2F-30 33-34 37-38 3B-3C 3F 42 4B A0-A1 |
|  | B2-B3 BC-BD C6-C7 CB CE-CF EF |
| 26 | 05-06 4042 6A 6D 6F |
| 30 | 00-03 05-15 1C 41-93 9B-9E A1-F6 FB-FE |

## A.5.6 286 JAPANESE NON IDEOGRAPHICS EXTENSION

286 The fixed collection JAPANESE NON IDEOGRAPHICS EXTENSION is a Japanese subset which completes JIS X 0213 non-ideographic repertoire in combination with either 285 BASIC JAPANESE or 287 COMMON JAPANESE. Its 631 characters are identified by the following ranges of code positions arranged by planes:
Plane 00
Row Positions (cells)
00 A0-A1 A4 A6 A9-AB AD-AF B2-B3 B7-D6 D8-F6 F8FF
01 00-09 0C-0F 11-13 18-1D 24-25 27 2A-2B 34-35
39-3A 3D-3E 41-44 47-48 4B-4D 50-55 58-65 6A-
71 79-7E 93 C2 CD-CE D0-D2 D4 D6 D8 DA DC F8-F9 FD
02 50-5A 5C 5E-61 64-68 6C-73 75 79-7B 7D-7E 8184 88-8E 90-92 94-95 98 9D A1-A2 C7-C8 CC D0D1 D8-D9 DB DD-DE E5-E9 00-04 0608 0B-0C 0F 18-1A 1C-20 24-25 29-2A 2C 2F-30 34 39-3D 61 C2
3E-3F
70-73
1322 3C 3F 42 47-49 51 AC
OF 1316212735 53-55 60-6B 70-7B 94 96-99 C4 E6-E9
050913 1F 25-26 2E 43454862 76-77 84-85 8A-8B 95-97 BF DA-DB
05-06 18 BE-CC CE
23 60-73 D0-E9 EB-FE
B1 B6-B7 C0-C1 C9 D0-D3 E6
00-03 OE 16-17 1E 60-69 6B-6C 6E
1356 76-7F
34-35 BF FA-FB
16-19 1D 1F-20 33-35 3B-3D 94-96 9A 9F-A0 F7-
FA FF
FO-FF
31-32 39 51-5F A4-A8 B1-BF D0-E3 E5 E9 EC-ED FA
03 OD 1418 22-23 26-27 2B 36 3B 49-4A 4D 51
57 7B-7E 8E-8F 9C-9E A1 C4 CB CD
FE 45-46
FF 5F-60

## A.5.7 287 COMMON JAPANESE

287 The fixed collection COMMON JAPANESE is a core Japanese subset containing 7493 characters. It includes a fixed collection from A. 5 and several ranges of code positions.

Planes 00-10
Collection number and name
285 BASIC JAPANESE

Plane 00
Row Positions (cells)
$20 \quad 15$
211621 60-69 70-79
2211 1F 25 2E BF
24 60-73
30 1D 1F


| 95 | 92 |
| :---: | :---: |
| 96 | 9D AF |
| 97 | 33 3B 43 4D 4F 5155 |
| 98 | 5765 |
| 99 | 27 9E |
| 9A | 4E D9 DC |
| 9 B | 7275 8F B1 BB |
| 9 C | 00 |
| 9 D | 6B 70 |
| 9E | 19 D1 |
| F9 | 29 DC |
| FA | 0E-2D |
| FF | 01-5E 61-9F E0-E5 |

## A. 6 Unicode collections

These collections correspond to various versions of the Unicode Standard. They include characters from the BMP as well as Supplementary planes.

> NOTE - Unicode 2.0 corresponds to collection 301 . Unicode 2.1 adds the code positions 20AC EURO SIGN and FFFC OBJECT REPLACEMENT CHARACTER to the collection 301 . Unicode 3.0 corresponds to collection 302 .

## A.6.1 303 UNICODE 3.1

303 The fixed collection UNICODE 3.1 consists of collections from clause A. 3 and several ranges of code positions. The collection list is arranged by planes as follows.

## Plane 00

Collection number and name
302 BMP SECOND EDITION

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 03 | F4-F5 |

## Plane 01

Row Positions (cells)
03 00-1E 20-23 30-4A
04 00-25 28-4D
D0 00-F5
D1 00-26 2A-DD
D4 00-54 56-9C 9E-9F A2 A5-A6 A9-AC AE-B9 BB BDC0 C2-C3 C5-FF
D5 00-05 07-0A 0D-14 16-1C 1E-39 3B-3E 40-44 46 4A-50 52-FF
D6 00-A3 A8-FF
D7 00-C9 CE-FF
Plane 02
Row Positions (cells)
00-A6 0000-A6D6
F8-FA F800-FA1D
Plane 0E

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 00 | $0120-7 \mathrm{~F}$ |

Plane 0F

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| $00-$ FF | $0000-F F F D$ |

## Plane 10

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| $00-\mathrm{FF}$ | $0000-\mathrm{FFFD}$ |

## A.6.2 304 UNICODE 3.2

304 The fixed collection UNICODE 3.2 consists of fixed collections from clause A. 1 and A. 6 and several ranges of code positions arranged by planes as follows.
Planes 00-10
Collection number and name
303 UNICODE 3.1

## Plane 00

Collection number and name

| 98 | SUPPLEMENTAL ARROWS-A |
| :--- | :--- |
| 99 | SUPPLEMENTAL ARROWS-B |
| 100 | MISCELLANEOUS MATHEMATICAL |
|  | SYMBOLS-B |
| 101 | SUPPLEMENTAL MATHEMATICAL OPERATORS |
| 102 | KATAKANA PHONETIC EXTENSIONS |
| 103 | VARIATION SELECTORS |


| Rows | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 02 | 20 |

03 4F 63-6F D8-D9 F6
04 8A-8B C5-C6 C9-CA CD-CE
05 00-0F
06 6E-6F
07 B1
10 F7-F8
17 00-0C 0E-14 20-36 40-53 60-6C 6E-70 72-73
$20 \quad 47$ 4E-52 57 5F-63 71 B0-B1 E4-EA
21 3D-4B F4-FF
22 F2-FF
23 7C 9B-CE
24 EB-FE
25 96-9F F8-FF
26 16-17 72-7D 80-89
27 68-75 DO-EB
30 3B-3D 95-96 9F-A0 FF
32 51-5F B1-BF
A4 A2-A3 B4 C1 C5
FA 30-6A
FE $\quad 45-4673$
FF 5F-60

## A.6.3 305 UNICODE 4.0

305 The fixed collection UNICODE 4.0 is identical to the fixed collection 340 COMBINED FIRST EDITION.

## A.6.4 306 UNICODE 4.1

306 The fixed collection UNICODE 4.1 consists of a fixed collection from A. 6 and several ranges of code positions. The collection list is arranged by planes as follows.

## Plane 00-10

| Collection number and name |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 305 | UNICODE 4.0 |
| Plane 00 |  |
| Row | Positions (cells) |
| 02 | 37-41 |
| 03 | 58-5C FC-FF |
| 04 | F6-F7 |
| 05 | A2 C5-C7 |
| 06 | 0B 1E 59-5E |
| 07 | 50-6D |
| 09 | 7D CE |
| OB | B6 E6 |
| OF | D0-D1 |
| 10 | F9-FA FC |
| 12 | 074787 AF CF EF |
| 13 | 0F 1F 47 5F-60 80-99 |
| 19 | 80-A9 B0-C9 D0-D9 DE-DF |
| 1A | 00-1B 1E-1F |
| 1D | 6C-C3 |
| 20 | 55-56 58-5E 90-94 B2-B5 EB |
| 21 | 3C 4C |
| 23 | D1-DB |
| 26 | 18 7E-7F 92-9C A2-B1 |
| 27 | C0-C6 |
| 2B | 0E-13 |
| 2C | 00-2E 30-5E 80-EA F9-FF |
| 2D | 00-25 30-65 6F 80-96 A0-A6 A8-AE B0-B6 B8-BE C0-C6 C8-CE D0-D6 D8-DE |
| 2E | 00-17 1C-1D |
| 31 | C0-CF |
| 32 | 7E |
| 9F | A6-BB |
| A7 | 00-16 |
| A8 | 00-2B |
| FA | 70-D9 |
| FE | 10-19 |
| Plane 01 |  |
| Row | Positions (cells) |
| 01 | 40-8A |
| 03 | A0-C3 C8-D5 |
| OA | 00-03 05-06 0C-13 15-17 19-33 38-3A 3F-47 5058 |
| D2 | 00-45 |
| D6 | A4-A5 |

## A.6.5 306 UNICODE 5.0

307 The fixed collection UNICODE 5.0 consists of a fixed collection from A. 6 and several ranges of code positions. The collection list is arranged by planes as follows.
Plane 00-10
Collection number and name
306 UNICODE 4.1
Plane 00

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 02 | $42-4 F$ |
| 03 | 7B-7D |
| 04 | CF FA-FF |

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| 05 | 10-13 BA |
| :--- | :--- |
| 07 | CO-FA |
| 09 | 7B-7C 7E-7F |
| $0 C$ | E2-E3 F1-F2 |
| 1B | $00-4 B 50-7 C$ |
| 1D | C4-CA FE-FF |
| 20 | EC-EF |
| 21 | $4 D-4 E 84$ |
| 23 | DC-E7 |
| 26 | B2 |
| 27 | C7-CA |
| 2B | 14-1A 20-23 |
| 2C | $60-6 C 74-77$ |
| A7 | $17-1 A 20-21$ |
| A8 | $40-77$ |

Plane 01

| Row | Positions (cells) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 09 | $00-191 \mathrm{~F}$ |
| $20-22$ | $2000-22 \mathrm{FF}$ |
| 23 | $00-6 \mathrm{E}$ |
| 24 | $00-6270-73$ |
| D3 | $60-71$ |
| D7 | CA-CB |

## A.6.6 308 UNICODE 5.1

308 The fixed collection UNICODE 5.1 consists of a fixed collection. The collection list is arranged by planes as follows.

| Plane 0 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Row | Positions (cells) |
| 00 | 20-7E A0-FF |
| 01-02 | 0100-02FF |
| 03 | 00-77 7A-7E 84-8A 8C 8E-A1 A3-FF |
| 04 | 00-86 88-FF |
| 05 | 00-13 31-56 59-5F 61-87 89-8A 91-C7 D0-EA FOF4 |
| 06 | 00-03 06-15 1B 1E-3A 40-5E 60-FF |
| 07 | 00-0D 0F-4A 4D-7D 80-B1 C0-FA |
| 09 | 01-39 3C-4D 50-54 58-71 7B-7F 81-83 85-8C 8F90 93-A8 AA-B0 B2 B6-B9 BC-C4 C7-C8 CB-CE D7 DC-DD DF-E3 E6-FA |
| OA | 01-03 05-0A 0F-10 13-28 2A-30 32-33 35-36 3839 3C 3E-42 47-48 4B-4D 51 59-5C 5E 66-75 8183 85-8D 8F-91 93-A8 AA-B0 B2-B3 B5-B9 BC-C5 C7-C9 CB-CD D0 E0-E3 E6-EF F1 |
| OB | 01-03 05-0C 0F-10 13-28 2A-30 32-33 35-39 3C43 47-48 4B-4D 56-57 5C-5D 5F-61 66-71 82-83 85-8A 8E-90 92-95 99-9A 9C 9E-9F A3-A4 A8-AA AE-B9 BE-C2 C6-C8 CA-CD D0 D7 E6-FA |
| OC | 01-03 05-0C 0E-10 12-28 2A-33 35-39 3D-44 4648 4A-4D 55-56 58-59 60-63 66-6F 71 78-7F 8283 85-8C 8E-90 92-A8 AA-B3 B5-B9 BC-C4 C6-C8 CA-CD D5-D6 DE E0-E3 E6-EF F1-F2 |
| OD | 02-03 05-0C 0E-10 12-28 2A-39 3D-44 46-48 4A4D 57 60-62 66-75 79-7F 82-83 85-96 9A-B1 B3BB BD C0-C6 CA CF-D4 D6 D8-DF F2-F4 |
| OE | 01-3A 3F-5B 81-82 84 87-88 8A 8D 94-97 99-9F A1-A3 A5 A7 AA-A8 AD-B9 BB-BD C0-C4 C6 C8CD D0-D9 DC-DD |
| OF | 00-47 49-6C 71-8B 90-97 99-BC BE-CC CE-D4 |
| 10 | 00-8A A0-C5 D0-FC |
| 11 | 00-59 5F-A2 A8-F9 |

A7 00-88
A9 00-53 5F
E0-F8 E000-F8FF
F9 00-FF
FC 00-FF
Plane 01
Row Positions (cells)
$00 \quad 00-0 B$ 0D-26 28-3A 3C-3D 3F-4D 50-5D 80-FA
01 00-02 07-33 37-8A 90-9A D0-FD
02 80-9C A0-D0
03 00-1E 20-23 30-4A 80-9D 9F-C3 C8-D5

Row Positions (cells)
$00 \quad 00-0 B$ 0D-26 28-3A 3C-3D 3F-4D 50-5D 80-FA 00-02 07-33 37-8A 90-9A D0-FD
80-9C A0-D0
00-1E 20-23 30-4A 80-9D 9F-C3 C8-D5

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    00-2E 30-5E 60-6F 71-7D 80-EA F9-FF 
    C0-C6 C8-CE D0-D6 D8-DE EO-F5
    00-18 1C-1D 80-99 9B-F3
    00-D5 F0-FB
    00-3F 41-96 99-FF
    05-2C 31-8E 90-B7 C0-E3 F0-FF
    00-1E 20-43 50-FE
    00-FF
3400-4CFF
    00-B5 C0-FF
4E-9F 4E00-9FBB
A0-A3 A000-A3FF
A4 00-8C 90-C6
A5-A6 A500-A629
A8 00-2B 40-77 80-C4 CE-D9
AA 00-36 40-4D 50-59 5C-5F
AC-D7 AC00-D7A3
FA 00-2D 30-6A 70-D9
FB 00-06 13-17 1D-36 38-3C 3E 40-41 43-44 46-B1
        D3-FF
FD 00-3F 50-8F 92-C7 F0-FD
FE 00-19 20-23 30-52 54-66 68-6B 70-74 76-FC FF
    FF 01-BE C2-C7 CA-CF D2-D7 DA-DC E0-E6 E8-EE
    F9-FD
00-48 4A-4D 50-56 58 5A-5D 60-88 8A-8D 90-B0
    B2-B5 B8-BE C0 C2-C5 C8-D6 D8-FF
    00-10 12-15 18-5A 5F-7C 80-99 A0-F4
    1401-15FF
    00-76 80-9C A0-F0
    00-0C 0E-14 20-36 40-53 60-6C 6E-70 72-73 80-
    DD E0-E9 FO-F9
    00-0E 10-19 20-77 80-AA
    00-1C 20-2B 30-3B 40 44-6D 70-74 80-A9 B0-C9
    D0-D9 DE-FF
    00-1B 1E-5E 60-7D 7F-89 90-99 A0-AC
    00-4B 50-7C 80-AA AE-B9
    00-37 3B-49 4D-7F
    00-E6 FE-FF
    00-9D 9F-FF
    00-15 18-1D 20-45 48-4D 50-57 59 5B 5D 5F-7D
    80-B4 B6-C4 C6-D3 D6-DB DD-EF F2-F4 F6-FE
    00-63 6A-71 74-8E 90-94 A0-B5 D0-EF
    00-4E 53-84 90-FF
    00-FF
    00-E7
    00-26 40-4A 60-FF
    00-FF
    00-9D A0-BC C0-C3
    01-04 06-09 0C-27 29-4B 4D 4F-52 }56\mathrm{ 58-5E 61-
    94 98-AF B1-BE C0-CA D0-ED F0-FF
    2800-2AFF
        00-1A 20-23 30-44
    00-25 30-65 6F 80-96 A0-A6 A8-AE B0-B6 B8-BE
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| 04 | 00-9D A0-A9 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 08 | 00-05 08 0A-35 37-38 3C 3F | Plane 00 |
| 09 | 00-19 1F-39 3F | Row Positions (cells) |
| OA | 00-03 05-06 0C-13 15-17 19-33 38-3A 3F-47 50- |  |
|  | 58 | 03 70-73 76-77 CF |
| 20-22 | 2000-22FF | 06 06-0A |
| 23 | 00-6E | 07 6E-7D |
| 24 | 00-62 70-73 | 0971 |
| D0 | 00-F5 | OA 5175 |
| D1 | 00-26 29-DD | OB D0 |
| D2 | 00-45 | OC 3D 58-59 62-63 71 78-7F |
| D3 | 00-56 60-71 | OD 3D 4462 70-75 79-7F |
| D4 | 00-54 56-9C 9E-9F A2 A5-A6 A9-AC AE-B9 BB BD- | OF 6B-6C CE D2-D4 |
|  | C3 C5-FF | $1022282 B 33-35$ 3A-3F 5A-8A |
| D5 | 00-05 07-0A 0D-14 16-1C 1E-39 3B-3E 40-44 46 | 18 AA |
|  | 4A-50 52-FF | 1A 20-5E 60-7D 7F-89 90-99 A0-AC |
| D6 | 00-A5 A8-FF | 1 B 80-AA AE-B9 |
| D7 | 00-CB CE-FF | 1C 00-37 3B-49 4D-7F |
| FO | 00-2B 30-93 | 1D CB-E6 |
|  |  | 1E 9C-9D 9F FA-FF |
| Plane 02 |  | 26 9D B3-BC C0-C3 |
| Row Positions (cells) |  | 27 EC-ED |
|  |  | 2B 30-44 |
| 00-A6 0000-A6D6 |  | 2C 6D-6F 71-73 78-7D |
| A7-B7 A700-B77A |  | 2D E0-F5 |
| F8-FA | F800-FA1D | $\begin{array}{ll} 2 \mathrm{E} & 18 \\ 31 & \mathrm{DO}-\mathrm{E} \end{array}$ |
| Plane 0E |  | A5 00-FF |
|  |  | A6 00-29 |
| Row Positions (cells) |  | A7 1B-1F 22-88 |
| $000120-7 \mathrm{~F}$ |  | A8 80-C4 CE-D9 |
| 01 00-EF |  | A9 00-53 5F |
|  |  | AA 00-36 40-4D 50-59 5C-5F |
| Plane 0F |  | Plane 01 |
| Row Positions (cells) |  | Row Positions (cells) |
| 00-FF 0000-FFFD |  | 01 90-9A D0-FD |
|  |  | 02 80-9C A0-D0 |
| Plane 10 |  | 09 20-39 3F |
| Row Positions (cells) |  | D1 29 |
|  |  | F0 00-2B 30-93 |
| 00-FF 0000-FFFD |  | Plane 02 |
| NOTE - The collection 309 UNICODE 5.1 can also be determined by using another fixed collection from A. 6 and several ranges of code positions. |  | Row Positions (cells) |
|  |  | A7-B7 A700-B77A |
| Plane 00-10 |  |  |
| Collection number and name |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |

# Annex F: Format characters (informative) 

There is a special class of characters called Format characters the primary purpose of which is to affect the layout or processing of characters around them. With few exceptions, these characters do not have printable graphic symbols and, like the space characters, are represented in the character code tables by dotted boxes.

The function of most of these characters is to indicate the correct presentation of a CC-sequence. For any text processing other than presentation (such as sorting and searching), the alternate format characters, except for ZWJ and ZWNJ described in F.1.1, can be ignored by filtering them out. The alternate format characters are not intended to be used in conjunction with bidirectional control functions from ISO/IEC 6429.

There are collections of graphic characters for selected subsets which consist of Alternate Format Characters (see annex A).

## F. 1 General format characters

## F.1.1 Zero-width boundary indicators

COMBINING GRAPHEME JOINER (034F): The Combining Grapheme Joiner is used to indicate that adjacent characters are to be treated as a unit for the purpose of language-sensitive collation and searching. In languagesensitive collation and searching, the combining grapheme joiner should be ignored unless it specifically occurs with a tailored collation element mapping. For rendering, the combining grapheme joiner is invisible.

> NOTE 1 - The combining grapheme joiner may be used to differentiate two usages of a combining character by using it for one of the two cases. For example, where a distinction is needed between the German umlaut and the tréma, the COMBINING GRAPHEEME JOINER (034F) followed by the COMBINING DIAERESIS (0308) should be used to represent the tréma while the COMBINING DIAERESIS (0308) alone should be used to represent the German umlaut.

The following characters are used to indicate whether or not the adjacent characters are separated by a word boundary or hyphenation boundary. Each of these zerowidth boundary indicators has no width in its usual own presentation.
SOFT HYPHEN (OOAD): SOFT HYPHEN (SHY) is a format character that indicates a preferred intra-word linebreak opportunity. If the line is broken at that point, then whatever mechanism is appropriate for intra-word linebreaks should be invoked, just as if the line break had been triggered by another mechanism, such as a dictionary lookup. Depending on the language and the word, that may produce different visible results, such as:

- inserting a graphic symbol indicating the hyphenation and breaking the line after it,
- inserting a graphic symbol indicating the hyphenation, breaking the line after the symbol and changing spelling in the divided word parts,
- not showing any visible change and simply breaking the line at that point.

The inserted graphic symbol, if any, can take a wide variety of shapes, such as HYPHEN (2010), ARMENIAN HYPHEN (058A), MONGOLIAN TODO SOFT HYPHEN (1806), as appropriate for the situation.

When encoding text that includes explicit line breaking opportunities, including actual hyphenations, characters such as HYPHEN, ARMENIAN HYPHEN, and MONGOLIAN TODO SOFT HYPHEN may be used, depending on the language.
When a SOFT HYPHEN is inserted into a CC-sequence to encode a possible hyphenation point (for example: "tug\{00AD\}gumi"), the character representation remains otherwise unchanged. When encoding a CC-sequence that includes characters encoding hard line breaks, including actual hyphenations, the character representation of the text sequence must reflect any changes due to hyphenation (for example: "tugg\{2010\}" / "gumi", where / represents the line break).

NOTE 2 - The notations \{00AD $\}$ and \{2010\} indicate the inclusion of the corresponding code points: 00AD and 2010 into the CC-sequences. The curly brackets "\{\}" are not part of the CCsequence.
ZERO WIDTH SPACE (200B): This character behaves like a SPACE in that it indicates a word boundary, but unlike SPACE it has no presentational width. For example, this character could be used to indicate word boundaries in Thai, which does not use visible gaps to separate words.
WORD JOINER (2060) and ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE (FEFF): These characters behave like a NOBREAK SPACE in that they indicate the absence of word boundaries, but unlike NO-BREAK SPACE they have no presentational width. For example, these characters could be inserted after the fourth character in the text "base+delta" to indicate that there is to be no word break between the "e" and the "+".

NOTE 3 - For additional usages of the ZERO WIDTH NOBREAK SPACE for "signature", see annex H.

The following characters are used to indicate whether or not the adjacent characters are joined together in rendering (cursive joiners).
ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER (200C): This character indicates that the adjacent characters are not joined together in cursive connection even when they would normally join together as cursive letter forms. For example, ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER between ARABIC LETTER NOON and ARABIC LETTER MEEM indicates that the characters are not rendered with the normal cursive connection.
ZERO WIDTH JOINER (200D): This character indicates that the adjacent characters are represented with joining forms in cursive connection even when they would not normally join together as cursive letter forms. For example, in the sequence SPACE followed by ARABIC LETTER BEH followed by SPACE, ZERO WIDTH JOINER can be inserted between the first two characters to display the final form of the ARABIC LETTER BEH.

## F.1.2 Format separators

The following characters are used to indicate formatting boundaries between lines or paragraphs.
LINE SEPARATOR (2028): This character indicates where a new line starts; although the text continues to the next line, it does not start a new paragraph; e.g. no interparagraph indentation might be applied.
PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR (2029): This character indicates where a new paragraph starts; e.g. the text continues on the next line and inter-paragraph line spacing or paragraph indentation might be applied.

## F.1.3 Bidirectional text formatting

The following characters are used in formatting bidirectional text. If the specification of a subset includes these characters, then texts containing right-to-left characters are to be rendered with an implicit bidirectional algorithm.

An implicit algorithm uses the directional character properties to determine the correct display order of characters on a horizontal line of text.

The following characters are format characters that act exactly like right-to-left or left-to-right characters in terms of affecting ordering (Bidirectional format marks). They have no visible graphic symbols, and they do not have any other semantic effect.

Their use can be more convenient than the explicit embeddings or overrides, since their scope is more local.

LEFT-TO-RIGHT MARK (200E): In bidirectional formatting, this character acts like a left-to-right character (such as LATIN SMALL LETTER A).
RIGHT-TO-LEFT MARK (200F): In bidirectional formatting, this character acts like a right-to-left character (such as ARABIC LETTER NOON).
The following format characters indicate that a piece of text is to be treated as embedded, and is to have a par-
ticular ordering attached to it (Bidirectional format embeddings). For example, an English quotation in the middle of an Arabic sentence can be marked as being an embedded left-to-right string. These format characters nest in blocks, with the embedding and override characters initiating (pushing) a block, and the pop character terminating (popping) a block.

The function of the embedding and override characters are very similar; the main difference is that the embedding characters specify the implicit direction of the text, while the override characters specify the explicit direction of the text. When text has an explicit direction, the normal directional character properties are ignored, and all of the text is assumed to have the ordering direction determined by the override character.
LEFT-TO-RIGHT EMBEDDING (202A): This character is used to indicate the start of a left-to-right implicit embedding.
RIGHT-TO-LEFT EMBEDDING (202B): This character is used to indicate the start of a right-to-left implicit embedding.
LEFT-TO-RIGHT OVERRIDE (202D): This character is used to indicate the start of a left-to-right explicit embedding.
RIGHT-TO-LEFT OVERRIDE (202E): This character is used to indicate the start of a right-to-left explicit embedding.
POP DIRECTIONAL FORMATTING (202C): This character is used to indicate the termination of an implicit or explicit directional embedding initiated by the above characters.

## F.1.4 Other boundary indicators

NARROW NO-BREAK SPACE (202F): This character is a non-breaking space. It is similar to 00AO NO-BREAK SPACE, except that it is rendered with a narrower width. When used with the Mongolian script this character is usually rendered at one-third of the width of a normal space, and it separates a suffix from the Mongolian wordstem. This allows for the normal rules of Mongolian character shaping to apply, while indicating that there is no word boundary at that position.

## F. 2 Script-specific format characters

## F.2.1 Hangul fill characters

The following format characters have a special usage for Hangul characters.
HANGUL FILLER (3164): This character represents the fill value used with the standard spacing Jamos.
HALFWIDTH HANGUL FILLER (FFAO): As with the other halfwidth characters, this character is included for compatibility with certain systems that provide halfwidth forms of characters.

## F.2.2 Symmetric swapping format characters

The following characters are used in conjunction with the class of left/right handed pairs of characters listed in clause 19. The following format characters indicate whether the interpretation of the term LEFT or RIGHT in the character names is OPENING or CLOSING respectively. The following characters do not nest.
The default state of interpretation may be set by a higher level protocol or standard, such as ISO/IEC 6429. In the absence of such a protocol, the default state is as established by ACTIVATE SYMMETRIC SWAPPING.
INHIBIT SYMMETRIC SWAPPING (206A): Between this character and the following ACTIVATE SYMMETRIC SWAPPING format character (if any), the stored characters listed in clause 19 are interpreted and rendered as LEFT and RIGHT, and the processing specified in that clause is not performed.

ACTIVATE SYMMETRIC SWAPPING (206B): Between this character and the following INHIBIT SYMMETRIC SWAPPING format character (if any), the stored characters listed in clause 19 are interpreted and rendered as OPENING and CLOSING characters as specified in that clause.

## F.2.3 Character shaping selectors

The following characters are used in conjunction with Arabic presentation forms. During the presentation process, certain characters may be joined together in cursive connection or ligatures. The following characters indicate that the character shape determination process used to achieve this presentation effect is either activated or inhibited. The following characters do not nest.
INHIBIT ARABIC FORM SHAPING (206C): Between this character and the following ACTIVATE ARABIC FORM SHAPING format character (if any), the character shaping determination process is inhibited. The stored Arabic presentation forms are presented without shape modification. This is the default state.
ACTIVATE ARABIC FORM SHAPING (206D): Between this character and the following INHIBIT ARABIC FORM SHAPING format character (if any), the stored Arabic presentation forms are presented with shape modification by means of the character shaping determination process.

NOTE - These characters have no effect on characters that are not presentation forms: in particular, Arabic nominal characters as from 0600 to 06FF are always subject to character shaping, and are unaffected by these formatting characters.

## F.2.4 Numeric shape selectors

The following characters allow the selection of the shapes in which the digits from 0030 to 0039 are rendered. The following characters do not nest.
NATIONAL DIGIT SHAPES (206E): Between this character and the following NOMINAL DIGIT SHAPES format character (if any), digits from 0030 to 0039 are rendered with the appropriate national digit shapes as specified by
means of appropriate agreements. For example, they could be displayed with shapes such as the ARABICINDIC digits from 0660 to 0669 .
NOMINAL DIGIT SHAPES (206F): Between this character and the following NATIONAL DIGIT SHAPES format character (if any), the digits from 0030 to 0039 are rendered with the shapes as those shown in the code tables for those digits. This is the default state.

## F.2.5 Mongolian vowel separator

MONGOLIAN VOWEL SEPARATOR (180E): This character may be used between the MONGOLIAN LETTER A or the MONGOLIAN LETTER E at the end of a word and the preceding consonant letter. It indicates a special form of the graphic symbol for the letter A or E and the preceding consonant. When rendered in visible form it is generally shown as a narrow space between the letters, but it may sometimes be shown as a distinct graphic symbol to assist the user.

## F.2.6 Kharoshthi virama

KHAROSHTHI VIRAMA (10A3F): This character, which indicates the suppression of an inherent vowel, when followed by a consonant, causes a combined form consisting of two or more consonants. When not followed by another consonant, it causes the consonant which precedes it to be written as subscript to the left of the letter before it and is not displayed as a visible stroke or dot as VIRAMAs are in other scripts.

## F. 3 Ideographic description characters

An Ideographic Description Character (IDC) is a graphic character, which is used with a sequence of other graphic characters to form an Ideographic Description Sequence (IDS). Such a sequence may be used to describe an ideographic character which is not specified within this International Standard.

The IDS describes the ideograph in the abstract form. It is not interpreted as a composed character and does not imply any specific form of rendering.

NOTE - An IDS is not a character and therefore is not a member of the repertoire of ISO/IEC 10646.

## F.3.1 Syntax of an ideographic description sequence

An IDS consists of an IDC followed by a fixed number of Description Components (DC). A DC may be any one of the following :

- a coded ideograph
- a coded radical
- another IDS

NOTE 1 - The above description implies that any IDS may be nested within another IDS.
Each IDC has four properties as summarized in table F. 1 below;

- the number of DCs used in the IDS that commences with that IDC,
- the definition of its acronym,
- the syntax of the corresponding IDS,
- the relative positions of the DCs in the visual representation of the ideograph that is being described in its abstract form.
The syntax of the IDS introduced by each IDC is indicated in the "IDS Acronym and Syntax" column of the table by the abbreviated name of the IDC (e.g. IDC-LTR) followed by the corresponding number of DCs, i.e. $\left(D_{1} D_{2}\right)$ or $\left(D_{1} D_{2} D_{3}\right)$.

NOTE 2 - An IDS is restricted to no more than 16 characters in length. Also no more than six ideographs and/or radicals may occur between any two instances of an IDC character within an IDS.

## F.3.2 Individual definitions of the ideographic description characters

IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER LEFT TO RIGHT (2FF0): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ on the left and $D_{2}$ on the right.

IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER ABOVE TO BELOW (2FF1): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ above $D_{2}$.

IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER LEFT TO MIDDLE AND RIGHT (2FF2): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ on the left of $D_{2}$, and $D_{2}$ on the left of $D_{3}$.

IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER ABOVE TO MIDDLE AND BELOW (2FF3): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ above $D_{2}$, and $D_{2}$ above $D_{3}$.

IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER FULL SURROUND (2FF4): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ surrounding $D_{2}$.

IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER SURROUND FROM ABOVE (2FF5): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ above $D_{2}$, and surrounding $D_{2}$ on both sides.

IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER SURROUND FROM BELOW (2FF6): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ below $D_{2}$, and surrounding $D_{2}$ on both sides.
IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER SURROUND FROM LEFT (2FF7): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ on the left of $D_{2}$, and surrounding $D_{2}$ above and below.

## IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER

SURROUND FROM UPPER LEFT (2FF8): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ at the top left corner of $D_{2}$, and partly surrounding $D_{2}$ above and to the left.
IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER SURROUND FROM UPPER RIGHT (2FF9): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ at the top right corner of $D_{2}$, and partly surrounding $D_{2}$ above and to the right.
IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER SURROUND FROM LOWER LEFT (2FFA): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ at the bottom left corner of $D_{2}$, and partly surrounding $D_{2}$ below and to the left.

## IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER

OVERLAID (2FFB): The IDS introduced by this character describes the abstract form of the ideograph with $D_{1}$ and $D_{2}$ overlaying each other.

Table F．1：Properties of ideographic description characters

| Character Name： IDEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION CHARACTER ．．． | no. of DCs | IDS Acronym and Syntax | Relative posi－ tions of DCs | Example of IDS | IDS example represents： |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| LEFT TO RIGHT | 2 | IDC－LTR $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ | －－－－－ | 个 団 | 付 |
| ABOVE TO BELOW | 2 | IDC－ATB $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ | － | 人 | $\xrightarrow{\gamma}$ |
| LEFT TO MIDDLE AND RIGHT | 3 | IDC－LMR $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2} \mathrm{D}_{3}$ | ＇D 1＇D2D3＇ | T $/ \overline{\overline{\text { F }}}$ | 信丁 |
| ABOVE TO MIDDLE AND BELOW | 3 | IDC－AMB $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2} \mathrm{D}_{3}$ | $-D 1-$ <br> $-D 2$ <br> -1 | 人 人 | 关 |
| FULL SURROUND | 2 | IDC－FSD D $\mathrm{D}_{2}$ | C－D1－－ | －口共 | 巷 |
| SURROUND FROM ABOVE | 2 | IDC－SAV D ${ }_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ |  | 「開宁 | 而家 |
| SURROUND FROM BELOW | 2 | IDC－SBL $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ | ［－－ | $\square$ | 11 |
| SURROUND FROM LEFT | 2 | IDC－SLT $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ | －－－－－－－ | ए 虎 | 虎 |
| SURROUND FROM UPPER LEFT | 2 | IDC－SUL $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ | p1 | 门多舞 | 舞年 |
| SURROUND FROM UPPER RIGHT | 2 | IDC－SUR $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ |  | 年示 | 圭 |
| SURROUND FROM LOWER LEFT | 2 | IDC－SLL $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ |  | 女交 | 交 |
| OVERLAID | 2 | IDC－OVL $\mathrm{D}_{1} \mathrm{D}_{2}$ |  | $\square 从 \mathrm{~T} \square$ | 人人 |

＊NOTE－$D_{1}$ and $D_{2}$ overlap each other．This diagram does not imply that $D_{1}$ is on the top left corner and $\mathrm{D}_{2}$ is on the bottom right corner．

## F. 4 Interlinear annotation characters

The following characters are used to indicate that an identified character string (the annotation string) is regarded as providing an annotation for another identified character string (the base string).

INTERLINEAR ANNOTATION ANCHOR (FFF9): This character indicates the beginning of the base string.
INTERLINEAR ANNOTATION SEPARATOR (FFFA): This character indicates the end of the base string and the beginning of the annotation string.
INTERLINEAR ANNOTATION TERMINATOR (FFFB): This character indicates the end of the annotation string.
The relationship between the annotation string and the base string is defined by agreement between the user of the originating device and the user of the receiving device. For example, if the base string is rendered in a visible form the annotation string may be rendered on a different line from the base string, in a position close to the base string.
If the interlinear annotation characters are filtered out during processing, then all characters between the Interlinear Annotation Separator and the Interlinear Annotation Terminator should also be filtered out.

## F. 5 Subtending format characters

The following characters are used to subtend a sequence of subsequent characters:

| 0600 | ARABIC NUMBER SIGN |
| :--- | :--- |
| 0601 | ARABIC SIGN SANAH |
| 0602 | ARABIC FOOTNOTE MARKER |
| 0603 | ARABIC SIGN SAFHA |
| 06DD | ARABIC END OF AYAH |
| $070 F$ | SYRIAC ABBREVIATION MARK |

The scope of these characters is the subsequent sequence of digits (plus certain other characters), with the exact specification as defined in the Unicode Standard, Version 5.0 (see annex M for referencing information), for ARABIC END OF AYAH.

## F. 6 Western musical symbols

This international standard does not specify an encoding solution for musical scores or musical pitch. Solutions for these needs would require another description layer on top of the encoding definition of the characters specified in this standard. However, even without that additional layer, these characters can be used as simple musical reference symbols for general purposes in text descriptions of musical matters.
Extended beams are used frequently in music notation between groups of notes having short values. The format
characters MUSICAL SYMBOL BEGIN BEAM and MUSICAL SYMBOL END BEAM can be used to indicate the extents of beam groupings. In some exceptional cases, beams are unclosed on one end. This can be indicated with a "null note" (MUSICAL SYMBOL NULL NOTEHEAD) character if no stem is to appear at the end of the beam.
Similarly, other format characters have been provided for other connecting structures. The characters

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MUSICAL SYMBOL BEGIN TIE
MUSICAL SYMBOL END TIE
MUSICAL SYMBOL BEGIN SLUR
MUSICAL SYMBOL END SLUR
MUSICAL SYMBOL BEGIN PHRASE
MUSICAL SYMBOL END PHRASE
```

indicate the extent of these features.
These pairs of characters modify the layout and grouping of notes and phrases in full music notation. When musical examples are written or rendered in plain text without special software, the start/end control characters may be rendered as brackets or left un-interpreted. More sophisticated in-line processes may interpret them, to the extent possible, in their actual control capacity, rendering ties, slurs, beams, and phrases as appropriate.
For maximum flexibility, the character set includes both pre-composed note values as well as primitives from which complete notes are constructed. Due to their ubiquity, the pre-composed versions are provided mainly for convenience.
Coding convenience notwithstanding, notes built up from alternative noteheads, stems and flags, and articulation symbols are necessary for complete implementations and complex scores. Examples of their use include American shape-note and modern percussion notations. For example,

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MUSICAL SYMBOL SQUARE NOTEHEAD BLACK + MUSICAL SYMBOL COMBINING STEM
MUSICAL SYMBOL X NOTEHEAD + MUSICAL SYMBOL COMBINING STEM
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Augmentation dots and articulation symbols may be appended to either the pre-composed or built-up notes.
In addition, augmentation dots and articulation symbols may be repeated as necessary to build a complete note symbol. For example,

[^1]
## Annex L: Character naming guidelines (informative)

The clause 28 of this standard specifies rules for name formation and name uniqueness. These rules are used in other information technology coded character set standards such as ISO/IEC 646, ISO/IEC 6937, ISO/IEC 8859, and ISO/IEC 10367. This annex provides additional guidelines for the creation of these entity names.

NOTE - These guidelines do not apply to the names of CJK Ideographs and Hangul syllables which are formed using rules specified in clause 24.6 and 24.7 respectively.

## Guideline 1

The name of an entity wherever possible denotes its customary meaning (for example, the character name: PLUS SIGN or the block name: BENGALI).
Some entities, such as characters, may have a name describing shapes, not usage, (for example, the character name: UPWARDS ARROW).

The name on an entity is not intended to identify its properties or attributes, or to provide information on its linguistic characteristics, except as defined in guideline 4 below.

## Guideline 2

An acronym consists of Latin capital letters $A$ to $Z$ and digits and is associated with a name.
Acronyms may be used in entity names where usage already exists and clarity requires it. For example, the names of control functions are coupled with an acronym.
Examples:

| Name: | LOCKING-SHIFT TWO RIGHT |
| :--- | :--- |
| Acronym: | LS2R |
| Name: | SOFT HYPHEN |
| Acronym: | SHY |
| Name: | INTERNATIONAL PHONETIC ALPHABET |
| Acronym: | IPA |

NOTE - In ISO/IEC 6429, also the names of the modes have been presented in the same way as control functions.

## Guideline 3

Character names and named UCS Sequence Identifiers only include digits 0 to 9 if spelling out the name of the corresponding digits(s) would be inappropriate.

NOTE - As an example the name of the character at position 201A is SINGLE LOW-9 QUOTATION MARK; the symbol for the digit 9 is included in this name to illustrate the shape of the character, and has no numerical significance.

## Guideline 4

Character names and named UCS Sequence Identifiers are constructed from an appropriate set of the applicable terms of the following grid and ordered in the sequence of this grid. Exceptions are specified in guidelines 9 to 11. The words WITH and AND may be included for additional clarity when needed.

| 1 | Script | 5 | Attribute |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 | Case | 6 | Designation |
| 3 | Type | 7 | Mark(s) |
| 4 | Language | 8 | Qualifier |

Examples of such terms:

| Script | Latin, Cyrillic, Arabic |
| :---: | :---: |
| Case | capital, small |
| Type | letter, ligature, digit |
| Language | Ukrainian |
| Atribute | final, sharp, subscript, vulgar |
| Designation | customary name, name of letter |
| Mark | acute, ogonek, ring above, diaeresis |
| Qualifier | sign, symbol |
| Examples of names: |  |
| $\underset{1}{\text { LATIN CAPITAL }}$ LETTER ${ }_{3}{ }_{3}{ }_{6}^{\text {W WITH }}$ ACUTE |  |
| $\begin{array}{cc}\text { DIGIT FIVE } \\ 3 & 6\end{array}$ |  |
| $\underset{5}{\text { LEFT CURLY }}$ | BRACKET 6 |

NOTE 1 - A ligature is a graphic symbol in which two or more other graphic symbols are imaged as a single graphic symbol.
NOTE 2 - Where a character comprises a base letter with multiple marks, the sequence of those in the name is the order in which the marks are positioned relative to the base letter, starting with the marks above the letters taken in upwards sequence, and followed by the marks below the letters taken in downwards sequence.

## Guideline 5

The letters of the Latin script are represented within their name by their basic graphic symbols (A, B, C, etc.). The letters of all other scripts are represented by their transcription in the language of the first published International Standard.

## Examples: <br> K <br> LATIN CAPITAL LETTER K CYRILLIC CAPITAL LETTER YU

## Guideline 6

In principle when a character of a given script is used in more than one language, no language name is specified.

Exceptions are tolerated where an ambiguity would otherwise result.

## Examples:

$\begin{array}{ll}\text { И } & \text { CYRILLIC CAPITAL LETTER I } \\ \text { I } & \text { CYRILLIC CAPITAL LETTER }\end{array}$
I CYRILLIC CAPITAL LETTER

## Guideline 7

Letters that are elements of more than one script are considered different even if their shape is the same; they have different names.

## Examples:

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { A } & \text { LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A } \\
\text { A } & \text { GREEK CAPITAL LETTER ALPHA } \\
\text { A } & \text { CYRILLIC CAPITAL LETTER A }
\end{array}
$$

## Guideline 8

Where possible, named UCS Sequence Identifiers are constructed by appending the names of the constituent elements together while eliding duplicate elements. Should this process result in a name that already exists, the name is modified suitably to guarantee uniqueness among character names and named UCS Sequence Identifiers. The words WITH and AND may be included for additional clarity when needed.

## Guideline 9

A character of one script used in isolation in another script, for example as a graphic symbol in relation with
physical units of dimension, is considered as a character different from the character of its native script.

Example:
$\mu \quad$ MICRO SIGN

## Guideline 10

A number of characters have a traditional name consisting of one or two words. It is not intended to change this usage.

Examples:

| 1 | APOSTROPHE |
| :--- | :--- |
| $:$ | COLON |
| $@$ | COMMERCIAL AT |
| - | LOW LINE |
| $\sim$ | TILDE |

## Guideline 11

In some cases, characters of a given script, often punctuation marks, are used in another script for a different usage. In these cases the customary name reflecting the most general use is given to the character. The customary name may be followed in the list of characters of a particular standard by the name in parentheses which this character has in the script specified by this particular standard.

Example:
UNDERTIE (Enotikon)

## Annex M: Sources of characters (informative)

Several sources and contributions were used for constructing this coded character set. In particular, characters of the following national and international standards are included in ISO/IEC 10646.

ISO 233:1984, Documentation - Transliteration of Arabic characters into Latin characters.

ISO/IEC 646:1991, Information technology - ISO 7-bit coded character set for information interchange.
ISO 2033:1983, Information processing - Coding of machine readable characters (MICR and OCR).

ISO 2047:1975, Information processing - Graphical representations for the control characters of the 7 -bit coded character set.

ISO 5426:1983, Extension of the Latin alphabet coded character set for bibliographic information interchange.
ISO 5427:1984, Extension of the Cyrillic alphabet coded character set for bibliographic information interchange.

ISO 5428:1984, Greek alphabet coded character set for bibliographic information interchange.
ISO 6438:1983, Documentation - African coded character set for bibliographic information interchange.
ISO 6861, Information and documentation - Glagolitic coded character set for bibliographic information interchange.
ISO 6862, Information and documentation - Mathematical coded character set for bibliographic information interchange.
ISO 6937:1994, Information technology - Coded graphic character sets for text communication - Latin alphabet.

ISO/IEC 8859, Information technology - 8-bit single-byte coded graphic character sets
-Part 1: Latin alphabet No. 1 (1998).
-Part 2: Latin alphabet No. 2 (1999).
-Part 3: Latin alphabet No. 3 (1999).
-Part 4: Latin alphabet No. 4 (1998).
-Part 5: Latin/Cyrillic alphabet (1999)
-Part 6: Latin/Arabic alphabet (1999)
-Part 7: Latin/Greek alphabet
-Part 8: Latin/Hebrew alphabet (1999)
-Part 9: Latin alphabet No. 5 (1999)
-Part 10: Latin alphabet No. 6 (1998).
ISO 8879:1986, Information processing - Text and office systems - Standard Generalized Markup Language (SGML).

ISO 8957:1996, Information and documentation - Hebrew alphabet coded character sets for bibliographic information interchange.
ISO 9036:1987, Information processing - Arabic 7-bit coded character set for information interchange.
ISO/IEC 9995-7:1994, Information technology - Keyboard layouts for text and office systems - Part 7: Symbols used to represent functions.
ISO/IEC 10367:1991, Information technology - Standardized coded graphic character sets for use in 8-bit codes.
ISO 10754:1984, Information and documentation - Extension of the Cyrillic alphabet coded character set for non-Slavic languages for bibliographic information interchange.

ISO 11548-1:2001. Communication aids for blind persons - identifiers, names and assignation to coded character sets for 8 -dot Braille characters - Part 1: General guidelines for Braille identifiers and shift marks.

ISO/IEC TR 15285:1998, Information technology - An operational model for characters and glyphs.
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ANSI X3.32-1973 American National Standards Institute. American national standard graphic representation of the control characters of American national standard code for information interchange.

ANSI Y10.20-1988 American National Standards Institute. Mathematic signs and symbols for use in physical sciences and technology.

ANSI Y14.5M-1982 American National Standard. Engineering drawings and related document practices, dimensioning and tolerances.

ANSI Z39.47-1985 American National Standards Institute. Extended Latin alphabet coded character set for bibliographic use.

ANSI Z39.64-1989 American National Standards Institute. East Asian character code for bibliographic use.
ASMO 449-1982 Arab Organization for Standardization and Metrology. Data processing - 7 -bit coded character set for information interchange.
GB2312-80 Code of Chinese Graphic Character Set for Information Interchange: Jishu Biaozhun Chubanshe (Technical Standards Publishing).

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# Annex N: External references to character repertoires (informative) 

## N. 1 Methods of reference to character repertoires and their coding

Within programming languages and other methods for defining the syntax of data objects there is commonly a need to declare a specific character repertoire from among those that are specified in ISO/IEC 10646. There may also be a need to declare the corresponding coded representations applicable to that repertoire.
For any character repertoire that is in accordance with ISO/IEC 10646 a precise declaration of that repertoire should include the following parameters:

- identification of ISO/IEC 10646,
- the adopted subset of the repertoire, identified by one or more collection numbers,
- the adopted encoding form.

One of the methods now in common use for defining the syntax of data objects is Abstract Syntax Notation 1 (ASN.1) specified in ISO/IEC 8824. The corresponding coded representations are specified in ISO/IEC 8825. When this method is used the forms of the references to character repertoires and coding are as indicated in the following clauses.

## N. 2 Identification of ASN. 1 character abstract syntaxes

The set of all character strings that can be formed from the characters of an identified repertoire in accordance with ISO/IEC 10646 is defined to be a "character abstract syntax" in the terminology of ISO/IEC 8824. For each such character abstract syntax, a corresponding object identifier value is defined to permit references to be made to that syntax when the ASN. 1 notation is used.
ISO/IEC 8824-1 annex B specifies the form of object identifier values for objects that are specified in an ISO standard. In such an object identifier the features and options of ISO/IEC 10646 are identified by means of numbers (arcs) which follow the arcs " 10646 " and " 0 " which identify the whole ISO/IEC 10646.

NOTE 1 - The arc ( 0 ) is required to complement the arcs (1) and (2) which represent respectively ISO/IEC 10646-1 and ISO/IEC 10646-2. These two arcs should not be used.

The first such arc following a 10646 arc is always 'level-3 (3)'.


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NOTE 2 - The arc level-3 (3) refers to the implementation level 3 (unrestricted) specified by previous editions of this standard and is required to indicate that this standard only supports the unrestricted implementation level specified in those former editions. The level arc identification is maintained for backward compatibility.


The second such arc identifies the repertoire subset, and is either:

- all (0), or
- collections (1).

Arc (0) identifies the entire collection of characters specified in ISO/IEC 10646. No further arc follows this arc.

NOTE 3 - This collection includes private groups and planes, and is therefore not fully-defined. Its use without additional prior agreement is deprecated.

Arc (1) is followed by one or a sequence of further arcs, each of which is a collection number from annex $A$, in ascending numerical order. This sequence identifies the subset consisting of the collections whose numbers appear in the sequence.

NOTE 4 - As an example, the object identifier for the subset comprising the collections BASIC LATIN, LATIN-1 SUPPLEMENT, and MATHEMATICAL OPERATORS is:
\{iso standard 106460 level-3 (3) collections (1) 12 39\}
ISO/IEC 8824 also specifies object descriptors corresponding to object identifier values. For each combination of arcs the corresponding object descriptors are as follows:
30 : "ISO 10646 level-3 unrestricted"
For a single collection with collection name "xxx".
31 : "ISO 10646 level-3 xxx"
For a repertoire comprising more than one collection, numbered $\mathrm{m} 1, \mathrm{~m} 2$, etc.

31 : "ISO 10646 level-3 collections m1, m2, m3, .. "
NOTE 5 - All spaces are single spaces.

## N. 3 Identification of ASN. 1 character transfer syntaxes

The coding method for character strings that can be formed from the characters in accordance with ISO/IEC 10646 is defined to be a "character transfer syntax" in the terminology of ISO/IEC 8824. For each such character transfer syntax, a corresponding object identifier value is
defined to permit references to be made to that syntax when the ASN. 1 notation is used.

In an object identifier in accordance with ISO/IEC 8824-1 annex B, the encoding form specified in ISO/IEC 10646 is identified by means of numbers (arcs) which follow the arcs "10646" and " 0 " which identify the whole ISO/IEC 10646.

The first such arc is:

- transfer-syntaxes (0).

The second such arc identifies the encoding form and is either:

- four-octet-form (4), or
- utf16-form (5), or
- utf8-form (8).

NOTE - As an example, the object identifier for the UCS UTF-
16 encoding form is:
\{iso standard 106460 transfer-syntaxes (0) utf16-form (5)\}
The corresponding object descriptors are:

- "ISO 10646 form 4"
- "ISO 10646 utf-16"
- "ISO 10646 utf-8".


# Annex P: Additional information on characters (informative) 

This annex contains additional information on some of the characters specified in clause 34 of this International Standard. This information is intended to clarify some feature of a character, such as its naming or usage, or its associated graphic symbol.
Each entry in this annex consists of the name of a character preceded by its code position in the two-octet form, followed by the related additional information. Entries are arranged in ascending sequence of code position.

When an entry for a character is included in this annex an * symbol appears immediately following its name in the corresponding table in clause 34.
OOAB LEFT-POINTING DOUBLE ANGLE QUOTATION MARK
This character may be used as an Arabic opening quotation mark, if it appears in a bidirectional context as described in clause 19. The graphic symbol associated with it may differ from that in the table for Row 00.
00BB RIGHT-POINTING DOUBLE ANGLE QUOTATION MARK This character may be used as an Arabic closing quotation mark, if it appears in a bidirectional context as described in clause 19. The graphic symbol associated with it may differ from that in the table for Row 00.
$00 C 6$ LATIN CAPITAL LETTER AE (ash)
In the first edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 the name of this character was:

LATIN CAPITAL LIGATURE AE
00E6 LATIN SMALL LETTER AE (ash)
In the first edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 the name of this character was:

LATIN SMALL LIGATURE AE
0189 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER AFRICAN D
This character is the capital letter form of: 0256 LATIN SMALL LETTER D WITH TAIL
019F LATIN CAPITAL LETTER O WITH MIDDLE TILDE
This character is the capital letter form of: 0275 LATIN SMALL LETTER BARRED O
01A6 LATIN LETTER YR
This character is the capital letter form of:
0280 LATIN LETTER SMALL CAPITAL R
01E2 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER AE WITH MACRON (ash)
In the first edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 the name of this character was:

LATIN CAPITAL LIGATURE AE WITH MACRON

01E3 LATIN SMALL LETTER AE WITH MACRON (ash) In the first edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 the name of this character was:

LATIN SMALL LIGATURE AE WITH MACRON
01FC LATIN CAPITAL LETTER AE WITH ACUTE (ash)
In the first edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 the name of this character was:

LATIN CAPITAL LIGATURE AE WITH ACUTE
01FD LATIN SMALL LETTER AE WITH ACUTE (ash)
In the first edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 the name of this character was:

LATIN SMALL LIGATURE AE WITH ACUTE
0218 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER S WITH COMMA BELOW This character is intended for use only in those cases where it is necessary to make a distinction from the letter with cedilla. Both forms of the letter may be found in a single document written in a single language, e.g. Romanian or Turkish.
In ISO/IEC 8859-2 only a single (8-bit) coded character is provided, LATIN CAPITAL LETTER $S$ WITH CEDILLA, which maps to 015E in ISO/IEC 10646 by default, and may map by mutual agreement between sender and receiver to this letter with comma below. See ISO/IEC 8859-2 for further information on the use of that standard.
0219 LATIN SMALL LETTER S WITH COMMA BELOW
This character is intended for use only in those cases where it is necessary to make a distinction from the letter with cedilla. Both forms of the letter may be found in a single document written in a single language, e.g. Romanian or Turkish.
In ISO/IEC 8859-2 only a single (8-bit) coded character is provided, LATIN SMALL LETTER S WITH CEDILLA, which maps to 015F in ISO/IEC 10646 by default, and may map by mutual agreement between sender and receiver to this letter with comma below. See ISO/IEC 8859-2 for further information on the use of that standard.
021A LATIN CAPITAL LETTER T WITH COMMA BELOW This character is intended for use only in those cases where it is necessary to make a distinction from the letter with cedilla. Both forms of the letter may be found in a single document written in a single language, e.g. Romanian.
In ISO/IEC 8859-2 only a single (8-bit) coded character is provided, LATIN CAPITAL LETTER T WITH CEDILLA, which maps to 0162 in ISO/IEC 10646 by default, and may map by mutual agreement be-
tween sender and receiver to this letter with comma below. See ISO/IEC 8859-2 for further information on the use of that standard.
021B LATIN SMALL LETTER T WITH COMMA BELOW
This character is intended for use only in those cases where it is necessary to make a distinction from the letter with cedilla. Both forms of the letter may be found in a single document written in a single language, e.g. Romanian.
In ISO/IEC 8859-2 only a single (8-bit) coded character is provided, LATIN SMALL LETTER T WITH CEDILLA, which maps to 0163 in ISO/IEC 10646 by default, and may map by mutual agreement between sender and receiver to this letter with comma below. See ISO/IEC 8859-2 for further information on the use of that standard.
0280 LATIN LETTER SMALL CAPITAL R
This character is the small letter form of:
01A6 LATIN LETTER YR
03D8 GREEK LETTER ARCHAIC KOPPA
The name of this character distinguishes it from O3DE GREEK LETTER KOPPA, which is most commonly used with its numeric value, such as in the dating of legal documentation. GREEK LETTER ARCHAIC KOPPA is primarily used alphabetically to represent the letter used in early Greek inscriptions.
03D9 GREEK SMALL LETTER ARCHAIC KOPPA
The name of this character distinguishes it from O3DF GREEK SMALL LETTER KOPPA, which is most commonly used with its numeric value, such as in the dating of legal documentation. GREEK SMALL LETTER ARCHAIC KOPPA is primarily used alphabetically to represent the letter used in early Greek inscriptions.
0596 HEBREW ACCENT TIPEHA
This character may be used as a Hebrew accent tarha.
0598 HEBREW ACCENT ZARQA
This character may be used as a Hebrew accent zinorit.
05A5 HEBREW ACCENT MERKHA
This character may be used as a Hebrew accent yored.
05A8 HEBREW ACCENT QADMA This character may be used as a Hebrew accent azla.
05AA HEBREW ACCENT YERAH BEN YOMO
This character may be used as a Hebrew accent galgal.
05B8 HEBREW POINT QAMATS
This character may be used generically or as qamats gadol in orthography which distinguishes it from 05C7 HEBREW POINTS QAMATS QATAN.
05BD HEBREW POINT METEG
This character may be used as a Hebrew accent sof pasuq or siluq.

05C0 HEBREW PUNCTUATION PASEQ
This character may be used as a Hebrew accent legarme.
05C3 HEBREW PUNCTUATION SOF PASUQ
This character may be used as a Hebrew punctuation colon.
06AF ARABIC LETTER GAF
The symbol for a Hamza (see position 0633) may appear in the centre of the graphic symbol associated with this character.
06DO ARABIC LETTER E
This character may be used as an Arabic letter Sindhi bbeh.

0F6A TIBETAN LETTER FIXED-FORM RA
This character has the same graphic symbol as that shown in the table for:

0F62 TIBETAN LETTER RA
It may be used when the graphic symbol is required to remain unchanged regardless of context.
OFAD TIBETAN SUBJOINED LETTER WA
The graphic symbol for this character occurs in two alternative forms, a full form and a short form (known as wa.zur (wazur)). The short form of the letter is shown in the table, since it occurs more frequently.
0FB1 TIBETAN SUBJOINED LETTER YA
The graphic symbol for this character occurs in two alternative forms, a full form and a short form (known as ya.btags (ya ta)). The short form of the letter is shown in the table, since it occurs more frequently.
0FB2 TIBETAN SUBJOINED LETTER RA
The graphic symbol for this character occurs in two alternative forms, a full form and a short form (known as ra.btags (ra ta)). The short form of the letter is shown in the table, since it occurs more frequently.
1100 HANGUL CHOSEONG KIYEOK ...
1112 HANGUL CHOSEONG HIEUH
The Latin letters shown in parenthesis after the names of the characters in the range 1100 to 1112 (except 110B) are transliterations of these Hangul characters. These transliterations are used in the construction of the names of the Hangul syllables that are allocated in code positions AC00 to D7A3 in this International Standard.
11A8 HANGUL JONGSEONG KIYEOK ...
11C2 HANGUL JONGSEONG HIEUH
The Latin letters shown in parenthesis after the names of the characters in the range 11A8 to 11C2 are transliterations of these Hangul characters. These transliterations are used in the construction of the names of the Hangul syllables that are allocated in code positions AC00 to D7A3 in this International Standard.

17A3 KHMER INDEPENDENT VOWEL QAQ
This character is only used for Pali/Sanskrit transliteration. The use of this character is discouraged; 17A2 KHMER LETTER QA should be used instead.
17A4 KHMER INDEPENDENT VOWEL QAA
This character is only used for Pali/Sanskrit transliteration. The use of this character is discouraged; the sequence <17A2, 17B6> (KHMER LETTER QA followed by KHMER VOWEL SIGN AA) should be used instead.
17B4 KHMER VOWEL INHERENT AQ
17B5 KHMER VOWEL INHERENT AA
Khmer inherent vowels. These characters are for phonetic transcription to distinguish Indic language inherent vowels from Khmer inherent vowels. They are included solely for compatibility with particular applications; their use in other contexts is discouraged.

## 17D3 KHMER SIGN BATHAMASAT

This character represents a rare sign representing the first August of leap year in the lunar calendar. The use of this character is discouraged in favor of the characters from the KHMER SYMBOLS collection.
17D8 KHMER SIGN BEYYAL
This character represents the concept of 'et cetera'. The use of this character is discouraged; other abbreviations for 'et cetera' also exist. The preferred spelling is the sequence <17D4, 179B, 17D4>.
234A APL FUNCTIONAL SYMBOL DOWN TACK UNDERBAR The relation between the name of this character and the orientation of the "tack" element in its graphical symbol is inconsistent with that of other characters in this International Standard, such as:

22A4 DOWN TACK and 22A5 UP TACK
234E APL FUNCTIONAL SYMBOL DOWN TACK JOT Information for the character at 234A applies.
2351 APL FUNCTIONAL SYMBOL UP TACK OVERBAR Information for the character at 234A applies.
2355 APL FUNCTIONAL SYMBOL UP TACK JOT Information for the character at 234A applies.
2361 APL FUNCTIONAL SYMBOL UP TACK DIAERESIS Information for the character at 234A applies.
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { 9FB9 } & \text { CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPH-9FB9 } \\ \text { 9FBA } & \text { CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPH-9FBA } \\ \text { 9FBB } & \text { CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPH-9FBB }\end{array}$
These three characters are intended to represent a component at a specific position of a full ideograph. The ideographs representing the same structure without a preferred positional preference are encoded at 20509, 2099D, and 470C respectively.
FA1F CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPH-FA1F
This character should be considered as an extension to the block of characters CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS EXTENSION A (see clause 27). It is not a duplicate of a character already allocated in the
blocks of CJK Unified Ideographs, unlike many other characters in the block CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS. The source of this character, shown as described in clause 23, is:

| C | $\mathbf{J}$ | K | $\mathbf{V}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| G-Hanzi-T | Kanji | Hanja | ChuNom |
|  | 月自 |  |  |
|  | A-264B |  |  |
|  | A-0643 |  |  |

FA23 CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPH-FA23
This character should be considered as an extension to the block of characters CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS EXTENSION A (see clause 27). It is not a duplicate of a character already allocated in the blocks of CJK Unified Ideographs, unlike many other characters in the block CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS. The sources of this character, shown as described in clause 23, are:


This character has a common glyph variation that looks like a double left parenthesis.
FF60 FULLWIDTH RIGHT WHITE PARENTHESIS
This character has a common glyph variation that looks like a double right parenthesis.
FFE3 FULLWIDTH MACRON
This character is the full-width form of the character: OOAF MACRON. It is also used as the full-width form of the character:

## 203E OVERLINE

1 D300 MONOGRAM FOR EARTH,
1D301 DIGRAM FOR HEAVENLY EARTH,
1D302 DIGRAM FOR HUMAN EARTH,
1D303 DIGRAM FOR EARTHLY HEAVEN,
1 D304 DIGRAM FOR EARTHLY HUMAN,
1D305 DIGRAM FOR EARTH
A Tai Xuan Jing symbol comprises a combina-tion of three elements: tian, di and ren, and these three Chinese words usually translate to heaven, earth and human, respectively. The character names of the six Tai Xuan Jing sym-bols in this International Standard, however, are based on an uncommon mapping; tian for heaven, di for human, and ren for earth. Users are advised to identify these symbols by their representative glyphs or Chinese annotations but not character names.

## Annex Q: Code mapping table for Hangul syllables (informative)

This annex provides a cross-reference between the Hangul syllables (and code positions) that were specified in the First Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 and their amended code positions as now specified in this edition of ISO/IEC 10646.

In the First Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 6656 Hangul syllables were allocated to consecutive code positions in the range 3400 to 4DFF. These Hangul syllables are now reallocated non-consecutively to code positions in the larger range AC00 to D7A3.

The cross-reference is provided in machine-readable format that is accessible as link to this document. The content linked to is a plain text file, using ISO/IEC 646IRV characters with LINE FEED as end of line mark, that specifies, after a 5 -lines header, as many lines as Hangul syllables specified in the First Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1; each containing the following information organized in fixed width fields:

- 01-05 octet: First Edition of ISO/IEC 10646-1 code positions for Hangul syllables (hhhh)
- 05 octet: SEMICOLON ';' used as a separator
- 06-09 octet: Current Edition of ISO/IEC 10646 code positions for Hangul syllables (hhhh).

The format definition uses ' h ' as a hexadecimal unit.

## Click on this highlighted text to access the crossreference file.

NOTE 1 - The content is also available as a separate viewable file in the same file directory as this document. The file is named: "HangulX.txt".
NOTE 2 - The referenced files are only available to users who obtain their copy of the standard in a machine-readable format. However, the file format makes them printable.

## Annex R: Names of Hangul syllables (informative)

This annex provides the names of Hangul syllables in two formats, both available through linked files:

1. Tabular arrangement showing the syllable-name of each character in the block HANGUL SYLLABLES (AC00-D7A3). The syllable-name is the final component of the full character name, and is derived as described in clause 24.7, steps 1 to 5 , which is the definitive specification of the names in that block. The leftmost column of the table shows the cell numbers ( $00-\mathrm{FF}$ ) of the corresponding characters. The headings of the other columns of the table show the row numbers of the characters.

NOTE 1 - The content linked to is a PDF file, using a format similar to this standard containing the tabular arrangement.

Click on this highlighted text to access the file containing the Hangul syllable names in tabular arrangement.

The content is also available as a separate viewable file in the same directory as this document. The file is named: "HangulTb.pdf".
2. The full name and annotation of the Hangul syllables are also provided in a machine-readable format that is accessible as a link to this document.

NOTE 2 - The content linked to is a plain text file, using ISO/IEC 646-IRV characters with LINE FEED as end of line mark that specifies, after a 5 -lines header, as all the Hangul syllables, each line specified as follows:

- 01-04 octet: UCS-2 code position in hexadecimal notation,
- 05 octet: SPACE character,
- 06 octet until end of line: Hangul syllable with the annotation between parentheses.

Click on this highlighted text to access the file containing the Hangul syllable names.
The content is also available as a separate viewable file in the same directory as this document. The file is named: "HangulSy.txt".

# Annex S: Procedure for the unification and arrangement of CJK Ideographs (informative) 


#### Abstract

The graphic character collections of CJK unified ideographs in ISO/IEC 10646 are specified in clause 30. They are derived from many more ideographs which are found in various different national and regional standards for coded character sets (the "sources"). This annex describes how the ideographs in this standard are derived from the sources by applying a set of unification procedures. It also describes how the ideographs in this standard are arranged in the sequence of consecutive code positions to which they are assigned.


The source references for CJK unified ideographs are specified in clause 23.1.

Within the context of ISO/IEC 10646 a unification process is applied to the ideographic characters taken from the codes in the source groups. In this process, single ideographs from two or more of the source groups are associated together, and a single code position is assigned to them in this standard. The associations are made according to a set of procedures that are described below. Ideographs that are thus associated are described here as "unified".

NOTE - The unification process does not apply to the following collections of ideographic characters:

- CJK RADICALS SUPPLEMENT (2E80-2EFF)
- KANGXI RADICALS (2F00-2FDF)
- CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS (F900 - FAFF with the exception of FA0E, FA0F, FA11, FA13, FA14, FA1F, FA21, FA23, FA24, FA27, FA28 and FA29)
- CJK COMPATIBILITY IDEOGRAPHS SUPPLEMENT (2F800-2FA1F).


## S. 1 Unification procedure

## S.1.1 Scope of unification

Ideographs that are unrelated in historical derivation (non-cognate characters) have not been unified.

Example:


NOTE - The difference of shape between the two ideographs in the above example is in the length of the lower horizontal line. This is considered an actual difference of shape. Furthermore these ideographs have different meanings. The meaning of the first is "Soldier" and of the second is "Soil or Earth".

An association between ideographs from different sources is made here if their shapes are sufficiently similar, according to the following system of classification.

## S.1.2 Two level classification

A two-level system of classification is used to differentiate (a) between abstract shapes and (b) between actual shapes determined by particular typefaces. Variant forms of an ideograph, which can not be unified, are identified based on the difference between their abstract shapes.

## S.1.3 Procedure

A unification procedure is used to determine whether two ideographs have the same abstract shape or different ones. The unification procedure has two stages, applied in the following order:
a) Analysis of component structure;
b) Analysis of component features;

## S.1.3.1 Analysis of component structure

In the first stage of the procedure the component structure of each ideograph is examined. A component of an ideograph is a geometrical combination of primitive elements. Alternative ideographs can be configured from the same set of components. Components can be combined to create a new component with a more complicated structure. An ideograph, therefore, can be defined as a component tree, where the top node is the ideograph itself, and the bottom nodes are the primitive elements. This is shown in Figure S.1.


Figure S. 1 - Component structure

## S.1.3.2 Analysis of component features

In the second stage of the procedure, the components located at corresponding nodes of two ideographs are
compared，starting from the most superior node，as shown in Figure S．2．


Figure S． 2 －The most superior node of a component
The following features of each ideograph to be compared are examined：
a）the number of components，
b）the relative position of the components in each com－ plete ideograph，
c）the structure of corresponding components．
If one or more of the features a）to c）above are different between the ideographs in the comparison，the ideo－ graphs are considered to have different abstract shapes and are therefore not unified．

If all of the features a）to c）above are the same between the ideographs，the ideographs are considered to have the same abstract shape and are therefore unified．

## S．1．4 Examples of differences of abstract shapes

To illustrate rules derived from a）to c）in S．1．3．2，some typical examples of ideographs that are not unified，owing to differences of abstract shapes，are shown below．

## S．1．4．1 Different number of components

The examples below illustrate rule a）since the two ideo－ graphs in each pair have different numbers of compo－ nents．
崖•厓，肱•厷，降•夅

## S．1．4．2 Different relative positions of components

The examples below illustrate rule b）．Although the two ideographs in each pair have the same number of com－ ponents，the relative positions of the components are different．

## 峰•峯，荊•荆

## S．1．4．3 Different structure of a corresponding com－ ponent

The examples below illustrate rule c）．The structure of one（or more）corresponding components within the two ideographs in each pair is different．


## S．1．5 Differences of actual shapes

To illustrate the classification described in S．1．2，some typical examples of ideographs that are unified are shown below．The two or three ideographs in each group below have different actual shapes，but they are considered to have the same abstract shape，and are therefore unified．


The differences are further classified according to the following examples．
a）Differences in rotated strokes／dots
半•半，乌。勺，炣羽，酋•酋，芽•兼，盒•益
b）Differences in overshoot at the stroke initiation and／or termination
身•身，雪•雪，拐•拐，不•不，非•非，周•周
c）Differences in contact of strokes

d）Differences in protrusion at the folded corner of strokes

e）Differences in bent strokes
朋•肌
f）Differences in folding back at the stroke termination

g）Differences in accent at the stroke initiation
K•K, Y。X
h）Differences in＂rooftop＂modification
八。八, 穴•穴
j）Combinations of the above differences
y。入。可
These differences in actual shapes of a unified ideograph are presented in the corresponding source columns for each code position entry in the code table in clause 34 of this International Standard．

## S．1．6 Source separation rule

To preserve data integrity through multiple stages of code conversion（commonly known as＂round－trip integrity＂）， any ideographs that are separately encoded in any one of the source standards listed below have not been unified．
\(\left.$$
\begin{array}{ll}\text { G－source：} \quad \begin{array}{l}\text { GB2312－80，GB12345－90，} \\
\text { GB7589－87＊，GB7590－87＊}\end{array} \\
& \begin{array}{l}\text { GB8565－88＊，}\end{array} \\
& \begin{array}{l}\text { General Purpose Hanzi List for }\end{array}
$$ <br>

\& Modern Chinese Language＊\end{array}\right\}\)| T－source： | TCA－CNS 11643－1986／1st plane， |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | TCA－CNS 11643－1986／2nd plane， |
|  | TCA－CNS 11643－1986／14th plane＊ |
| J－source： | JIS X 0208－1990，JIS X 0212－1990 |
| K－source： | KS C 5601－1989，KS C 5657－1991 |

（A＂＊＂after the reference number of a standard indicates that some of the ideographs included in that standard are not introduced into the unified collection．）

However，some ideographs encoded in two standards belonging to the same source group（e．g．GB2312－80 and GB12345－90）have been unified during the process of collecting ideographs from the source group．
The source separation rule described in this clause only applies to the CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS block speci－ fied in the Basic Multilingual Plane．

> NOTE - CJK Compatibility Ideographs are created following a rule very similar to the source separation rule. However, the end result is the combination of a single CJK Unified Ideograph and one or several CJK Compatibility Ideographs. When the source separation rule is applied, all 'similar' source CJK Ideographs result in separate CJK Unified Ideographs.

## S． 2 Arrangement procedure

## S．2．1 Scope of arrangement

The arrangement of the CJK UNIFIED IDEOGRAPHS in the code table of clause 34 of this International Standard is based on the filing order of ideographs in the following dictionaries．

Priority Dictionary Edition

| 1 | Kangxi Dictionary | 康熙字典 | Beijing <br> 7th edition |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 | Daikanwa Jiten | 大漢和辞典 | 9th edition |
| 3 | Hanyu Dazidian | 漢語大字典 | 1st edition |
| 4 | Daejaweon | 大字源 | 1st edition |

The dictionaries are used according to the priority order given in the table above．Priority 1 is highest．If an ideo－ graph is found in one dictionary，the dictionaries of lower priority are not examined．

## S．2．2 Procedure

## S．2．2．1 Ideographs found in the dictionaries

a）If an ideograph is found in the Kangxi Dictionary，it is positioned in the code table in accordance with the Kang－ xi Dictionary order．
b）If an ideograph is not found in the Kangxi Dictionary but is found in the Daikanwa Jiten，it is given a position at the end of the radical－stroke group under which is in－ dexed the nearest preceding Daikanwa Jiten character that also appears in the Kangxi dictionary．
c）If an ideograph is found in neither the Kangxi nor the Daikanwa，the Hanyu Dazidian and the Daejaweon dic－ tionaries are referred to with a similar procedure．

## S．2．2．2 Ideographs not found in the dictionaries

If an ideograph is not found in any of the four dictionaries， it is given a position at the end of the radical－stroke group （after the characters that are present in the dictionaries） and it is indexed under the same radical－stroke count．

## S． 3 Source code separation examples

The pairs（or triplets）of ideographs shown below are ex－ ceptions to the unification rules described in clause S． 1 of this annex．They are not unified because of the source separation rule described in clause S．1．6．

| 妄 毛 | T | 分 分 | T |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4E1F 4E22 |  | 514C 5151 |  |
| $\neq 4 \underset{5 E 7 A}{4}$ | GT | 㞍 免 | TJ |
| $\underset{\text { 4E89 722D }}{\vec{F}}$ | GTJ | 穴 穴 | T |
| 们 仪 | J |  | TJ |
| 4EDE 4EED |  | 518A 518C |  |
| 併 併 | T | 净 凈 | G |
| 4F75 5002 |  | 51C0 51C8 |  |
| 侣 侣 | T | $\curvearrowleft \curvearrowleft$ | T |
| 4FA3 4FB6 |  | 51E2 51E3 |  |
| 俣 俣 | TJK | $y>$ | TJ |
| 4FC1 4FE3 |  | 52035204 |  |
| 命门 㑒队 | T | 于［］于］ | TJ |
| 4FDE 516A |  | 520A 520B |  |
| 俱 偩 | T | $\text { 删 } \Gamma \text { 灲 }$ | T |
| 4FF1 5036 |  | 5220 522A |  |
| 伯 值 | T | 号 5 另 5 | T |
| 5024 503C |  | 5225 522B |  |
| 倫价佮 | T | 券 券 | TJ |
| 50775078 |  | 5238 52B5 |  |
| 伪僞 | TJ | 杀[] 杀[] | T |
| 507D 50DE |  | 5239 524E |  |

NOTE－The particular source group（or groups）that causes the source separation rule to apply is indicated by the letter（ G ， $\mathrm{J}, \mathrm{K}$, or T ）that appears to the right of each pair（or triplet）of ideographs．The source groups that correspond to these letters are identified at the beginning of this annex．

| 并刃 剙 | T | 呐 呐 | T |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 524F 5259 |  | 54365450 |  |
| 彔[ 录! | T | $\frac{H}{\square} \frac{4}{\square}$ | T |
| 525D 5265 |  | 543F 544A |  |
|  | J | 唧啊 | T |
| 52925294 |  | 5527 559E |  |
| 気 今 | T |  | T |
| 52FB 5300 |  | 55A9 55BB |  |
| 并 单 | T | 嘘 嘘 | T |
| 53555358 |  | 56185653 |  |
| 即自川 | TK | 䪘 磺 | GTJ |
| 5373 537D |  | 568F 5694 |  |
| 关 兰 | TJ | 王 玉 | T |
| 5377 5DFB |  | 56EF 56FD |  |
| 莑 忩 | GT | 卷 巻 | TJ |
| 53C1 53C2 |  | 5708 570F |  |
| 䏍䏍 至会 | T | 貵 員 | T |
| 53C3 53C4 |  | 570E 5713 |  |
| $\square \square$ | T | 啚 畐 | T |
| 54155442 |  | 57165717 |  |
| $\text { 弚 } \bar{F}$ | T | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ए荷 } \\ & \text { 菏 } \end{aligned}$ | T |
| 541E 5451 |  | 5759 5DE0 |  |
| 洖 号 号 | TJ | 咥 土寽 | J |
| 543354345449 |  | 57D2 57D3 |  |


|  | T |
| :---: | :---: |
| 5848 588D |  |
| 言 堛 直 | TJ |
| 5861 586B |  |
| 㘿 昌皃 | T |
| 5897 589E |  |
| ㄷ | GTJ |
| 58EE 58EF |  |
|  | T |
| 58FD 5900 |  |
|  | T |
| 5910 657B |  |
|  | GTJ |
| 5932 672C |  |
|  | $J$ |
|  | TJ |
| 5968 596C |  |
| 娞 所 | GT |
| 5986 599D |  |
|  | T |
| 598D 59F8 |  |
|  | T |
| 59CD 59D7 |  |
| 扣号 如号 | GT |
| 59EB 59EC |  |




| 涐 潙 | T | 㾇 瘦 | J | 絕 純 | T | 舖 舗 | J |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6E88 6F59 |  | 75E9 7626 |  | 7D55 7D76 |  | 82168217 |  |
| 泿先 泊勧 | T | 白㿞 罪 | T | 綠緑 | T | 壮 䚾 | TJ |
| 6E89 6F11 |  | 76A1 76A5 |  | 7DA0 7DD1 |  | 8358 838A |  |
| 㳘 偯 | T | 帯 真 | TJ | 緒緒 | T |  | TJ |
| 6EDA 6EFE |  | 771E 771F |  | 7DD2 7DD6 |  | 83D1 8458 |  |
| 沅无 洗先洗无洗先 | GTJK | 品 衆 | TJK | 緣 縁 | T | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 蒀 盢 } \\ & \text { 皿 } \end{aligned}$ | T |
| 6F5B 6FF3 |  | 773E 8846 |  | 7DE3 7E01 |  | 84808495 |  |
| 瀨 瀬 | T | 石开 矿 | T | 縕 縕 | T | 蒋 蔣 | GJ |
| 7028 702C |  | 7814 784F |  | 7DFC 7E15 |  | 848B 8523 |  |
|  | GTJ | 祿 禄 | TJ | 繈 繦 | T |  | T |
| 70BA 7232 |  | 797F 7984 |  | 7E48 7E66 |  | 848D 853F |  |
|  | GTJK | $\underset{\text { 79BF 79C3 }}{\underset{\mathrm{J}}{\text { 杰 }}}$ | T |  | TJ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { さ十瑥 䒸 } \\ & \text { 年 } \\ & 85708580 \end{aligned}$ | T |
| 嘦 巸 | J | 稅 税 | T | 馡射 罪扵 | T | 車 皿 專 | T |
| 71557199 |  | 7A05 7A0E |  | 7FF6 7FFA |  | 85AB 85B0 |  |
| 煴 畑 | T | 穂 穗 | TJ | 胼 訮 | T | 辒 縕 | T |
| 71747185 |  | 7A42 7A57 |  | 80FC 8141 |  | 85F4 860A |  |
| 状 出犬 | GT | 笋 筝 | GJ | 脫 脱 | T | 虚 虐 | T |
| 72B6 72C0 |  | 7B5D 7B8F |  | 812B 8131 |  | 865A 865B |  |
| 珤珤 | TJ |  | T | 腽 膃 | T | 蚡 蜕 | T |
| 74647476 |  | 7BB3 7C08 |  | 817D 8183 |  | 86FB 8715 |  |
| 瓶 利瓦 | T | 矮筧 | T | 腎 豎 | GT | 徫 徫 | TJK |
| 74F6 7501 |  | 7BE1 7C12 |  | 82038204 |  | 885B 885E |  |
| 坆 座 | T | 粵 膰 | T | $\text { 兮 } \frac{\text { 吕 }}{\square}$ | TJ | 公 哀 | TK |
| 75227523 |  | 7CA4 7CB5 |  | 820D 820E |  | 886E 889E |  |



In accordance with the unification procedures described in clause S. 1 of this annex the pairs (or triplets) of ideographs shown below are not unified. The reason for non-
unification is indicated by the reference which appears to the right of each pair (or triplet). For "non-cognate" see clause S.1.1

NOTE－The reason for non－unification in these examples is different from the source separation rule described in clause

| 寻 春 | non cognate |  | S．1．4．3 | 胢朐 | non cognate | 利少 檤 | S．1．4．3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 519180 C 4 |  | 5BF3 5BF6 |  | 6710 80CA |  | 7 7 32 7A3B |  |
| 冲沛 | S．1．4．3 | 府冎 㕔 | S．1．4．1 | 朓朓 | non cognate | 㚖村 少村 | S．1．4．3 |
| 51B2 6C96 |  | 5EF0 5EF3 |  | 67138101 |  | 7FF1 7FF6 |  |
| 决 決 | S．1．4．3 | 潩 嵪 | S．1．4．1 | 朘 朘 | non cognate | 者 者 者 | S．1．4．3 |
| 51B3 6C7A |  | 61D0 61F7 |  | 67188127 |  | 800780088009 |  |
| 兄 況 | S．1．4．3 | 双叕 双 | S．1．4．3 | 朣 朣 | non cognate | 聴 聴 聴 | S．1．4．1 |
| 51B5 6CC1 |  | 6560 656A |  | 6723 81A7 |  | 8074 807C 807D |  |
| 垛 㙅 | S．1．4．3 | 朌 朌 | non cognate | 杂 尕 | S．1．4．3 | 去刑 卉卉 | S．1．4．2 |
| 579B 579C |  | 670C 80A6 |  | 67356736 |  | 8346 834A |  |
| 菅辛 菅宰 | S．1．4．2 | 屾屾 | non cognate | 僼巴 嗖他 | S．1．4．3 | 身朶 身朵 | S．1．4．3 |
| 5B7C 5B7D |  | 670F 80D0 |  | 70547067 |  | 8EB1 8EB2 |  |

# Annex T: Language tagging using Tag Characters (informative) 

The purpose of Tag characters is to associate a text attribute with a point or range of a text string. The value of a particular tag is not generally considered to be part of the content of the text. For example, tagging could be used to mark the language or the font applied to a portion of text. Outside of that usage, these characters are ignorable.

These tag characters can be used to spell out a character string in any ASCII-based tagging scheme that needs to be embedded into plain text. These characters can be easily identified by their code value and there is no overloading of usage for these tag characters. They can only express tag values and never textual content itself.

When characters are used within the context of a protocol or syntax containing explicit markup providing the same association, the Tag characters may be filtered out and ignored by these protocols.

For example, in SGML/XML context, an explicit language markup is specified. Therefore, the LANGUAGE TAG and other tag characters should not be used to mark a language in that context. The Unicode Consortium and the W3C have co-written a technical report: Unicode in XML and other Markup Languages (UTR\#20), available from the Unicode web site (http://www.unicode.org/reports/), which describes these issues in detail.

The TAGS block contains 97 dedicated tag characters consisting of a clone of the BASIC LATIN graphic characters (names formed by prefixing these BASIC LATIN names with the word 'TAG'), as well as a language tag identification character: LANGUAGE TAG and a cancel tag character: CANCEL TAG.

The tag identification character is used as a mechanism for identifying tags of different types. This enables multiple types of tags to coexist amicably embedded in plain text and solves the problem of delimitation if a tag is concatenated directly onto another tag. Although only one type of tag is currently specified, namely the language tag, the encoding of other tag identification characters in the future would allow for distinct types to be used.

## T. 1 Syntax for embedding tag characters

In order to embed any ASCII-derived tag in plain text, the tag is simply spelled out with the tag characters, prefixed with the relevant tag identification character. The resultant string is embedded directly in the text.

No termination character is required for a tag. A tag terminates either when the first non Special Purpose Plane character is encountered, or when the next tag identification character is encountered.

Tag arguments can only encoded using tag characters. No other characters are valid for expressing the tag arguments.

## T. 2 Tag scope and nesting

The value of a tag continues from the point the tag is embedded in text until:

- either the end of the cc-sequence is reached,
- or the tag is explicitly cancelled by the CANCEL TAG character.

Tags of the same type cannot be nested. The appearance of a new embedded language tag, for example after text which was already language-tagged, simply changes the tagged value for subsequent text to that specified in the new tag.

## T. 3 Canceling tag values

The CANCEL TAG character is provided to allow the specific canceling of a tag value. For example to cancel a language tag, the LANGUAGE TAG must precede the CANCEL TAG character.

The usage of the CANCEL TAG character without a prefixed tag identification character cancels any tag value that may be defined.
The main function of the character is to make possible such operations as blind concatenation of strings in a tagged context without the propagation of inappropriate tag values across the string boundaries.

## T. 4 Language tags

Language tags are of general interest and may have a high degree of interoperability for protocol usage. For example, to embed a language tag for Japanese, the tag characters would be used as follows:

## E0001 E006A E0061

The first value is the coded value of the LANGUAGE TAG character, the second corresponds to the TAG LATIN SMALL LETTER J, and the third corresponds to the TAG LATIN SMALL LETTER A. The sequence 'ja' corresponds to the 2-letter code representing the Japanese language in ISO 639:1988.

# Annex U: Characters in identifiers (informative) 

A common task facing an implementer of UCS is the provision of a parsing and/or lexing engine for identifiers. Each programming language standard has its own identifier syntax; different programming languages have different conventions for the use of certain characters from the ASCII (ISO 646-IRV) range (\$, @, \#, _) in identifiers. Questions as to which characters to use for syntactic purposes versus which to be allowed in identifiers, whether case-pairing should be included, normalization should be performed, and other factors enter into the picture when defining the set of permitted characters for a given identification purpose.
Unicode Consortium publishes a document "UAX 31 Identifier and Pattern Syntax" to assist in the standard treatment of identifiers in UCS character-based parsers. Those specifications are recommended for determining the list of UCS characters suitable for use in identifiers. The document is available at http://www.unicode.org/reports/tr31/.


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[^1]:    MUSICAL SYMBOL EIGHTH NOTE + MUSICAL SYMBOL COMBINING AUGMENTATION DOT + MUSICAL SYMBOL COMBINING AUGMENTATION DOT + MUSICAL SYMBOL COMBINING ACCENT

