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What fonts exist for this script?

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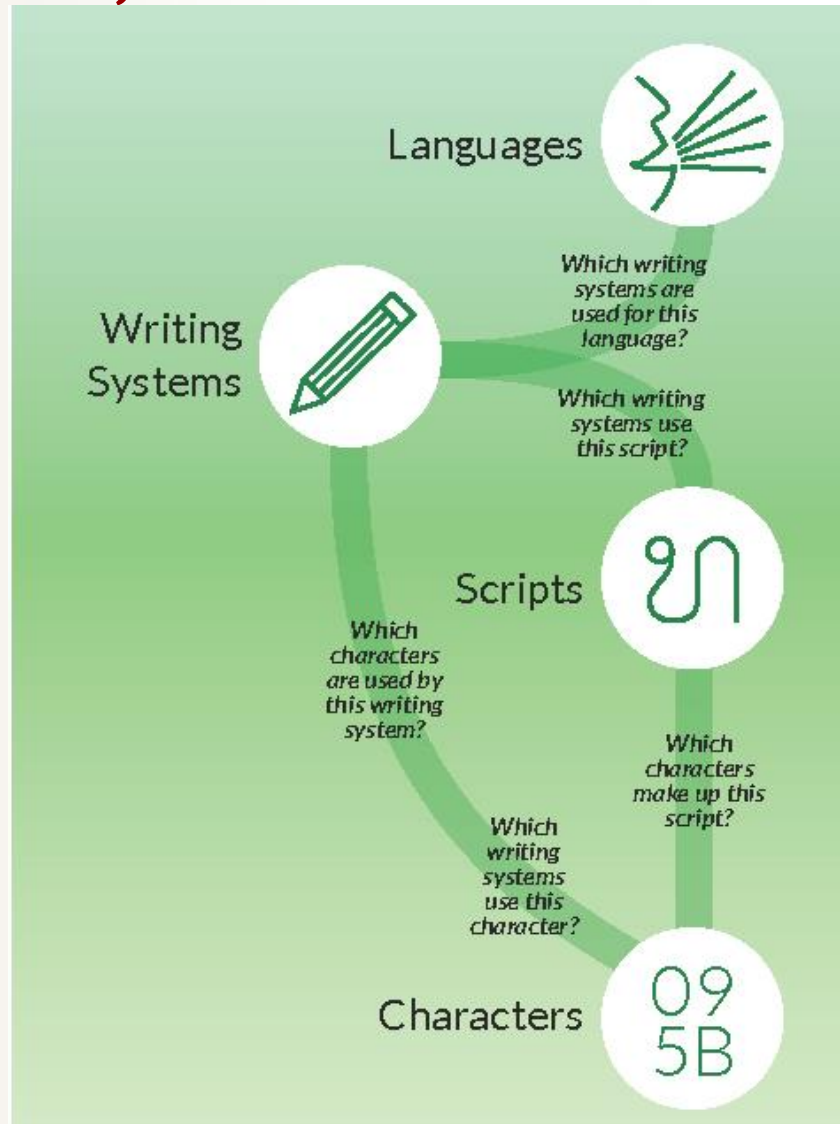
Which characters belong to this script?

What is the background for this language?

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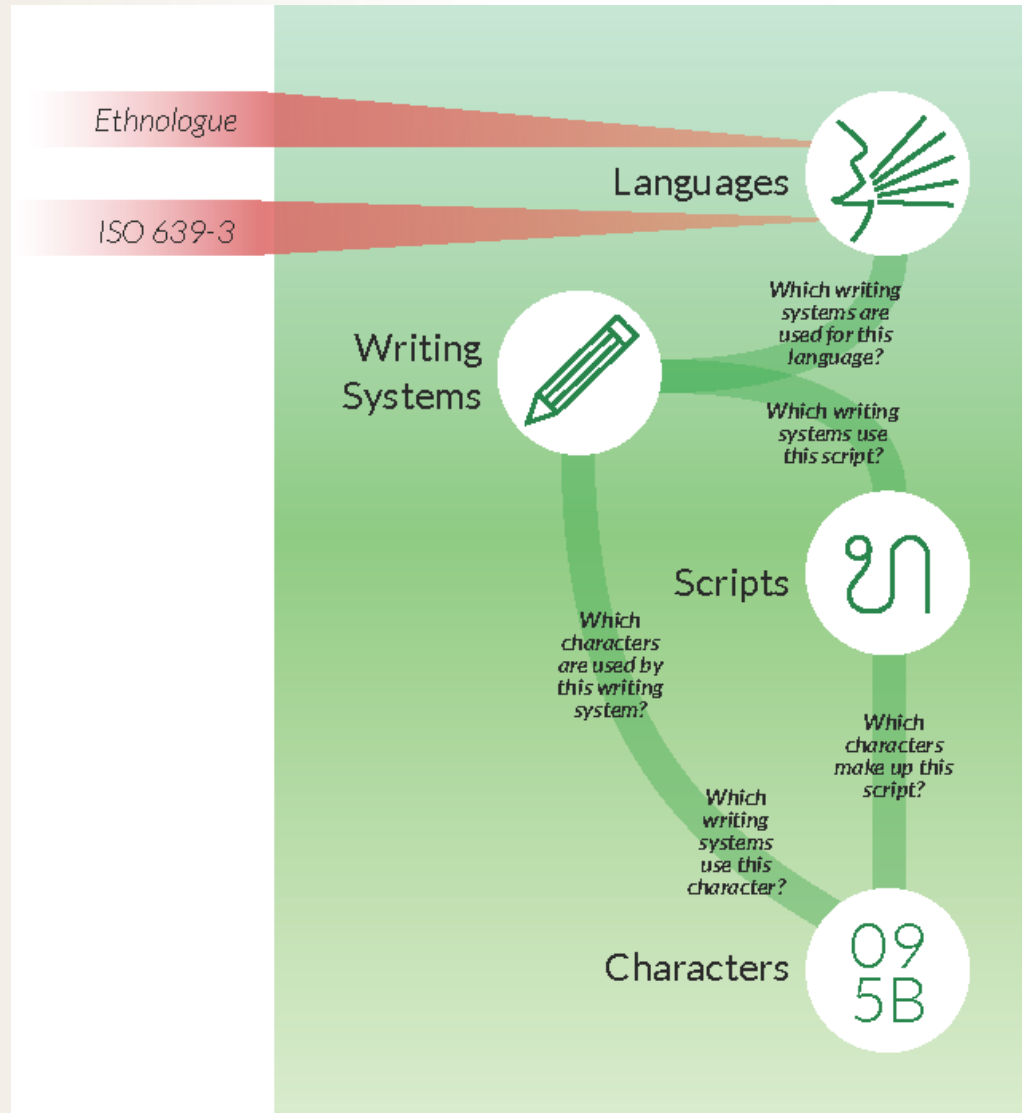
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Identifier: kbt
Name: Abadi
Status: Active
Code set: 639-3
Scope: [Individual](#)
Type: [Living](#)
Denotation: See corresponding entry in [Ethnologue](#).

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Documentation for ISO 639 identifier: **kbt**

Abadi

 [Print](#)

A language of Papua New Guinea

ISO 639-3 [kbt](#)

Alternate Names Gabadi, Kabadi

Population 4,300 (2007 SIL), increasing.

Location Central Province, north of Galley reach.

Language Maps [Papua New Guinea, Map 16](#)

Language Status 5 (Developing).

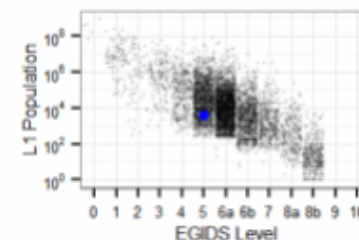
Classification [Austronesian](#), [Malayo-Polynesian](#), [Central-Eastern Malayo-Polynesian](#), [Eastern Malayo-Polynesian](#), [Oceanic](#), [Western Oceanic](#), [Papuan Tip](#), [Peripheral](#), [Central Papuan](#), [West Central Papuan](#), [Gabadi](#)

Dialects Lexical similarity: 53% with Toura [[don](#)] (most similar).

Language Use All ages. Positive attitudes. Youth increasingly use Tok Pisin [[tpi](#)]; those above 50 use Hiri Motu [[hmo](#)].

Language Development Literacy rate in L1: 75%. Literacy rate in L2: 40%. Used in primary education first 3 years. Poetry. Videos. Dictionary. Grammar. NT.

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Language Features

Alternate names Gabadi, Kabadi

Dialects

Status Living

OpenType tag [none]

Information from ISO 639-3 and the ↗ Ethnologue. Only a limited amount is shown here. For more detail consult the ↗ Ethnologue entry for Abadi.

This language is primarily used in

Papua New Guinea

Writing systems for this language

Name	Code	Is based on script
Abadi written with Latin script	kbt-Latn	Latin [Latn]

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Language map Papua New Guinea, Map 16, reference number 727

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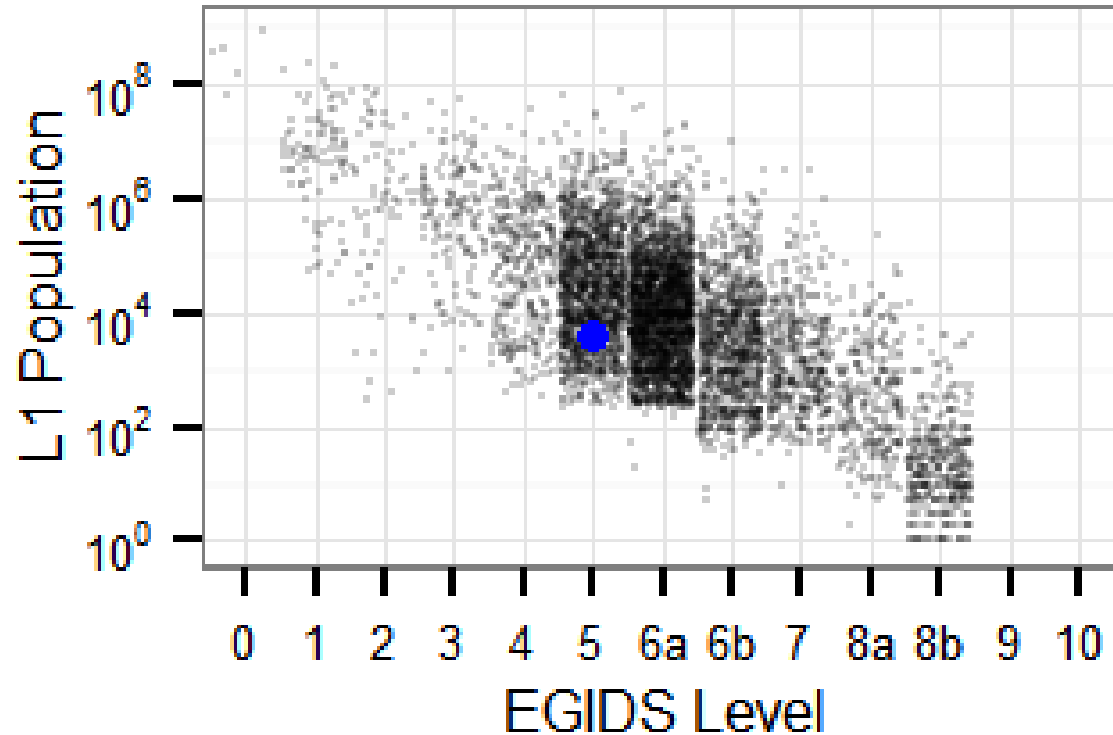
Language Used in primary education for first 3 years.

GIDS	(adapted from Fishman 1991)
LEVEL	DESCRIPTION
1	The language is used in education, work, mass media, government at the nationwide level
2	The language is used for local and regional mass media and governmental services
3	The language is used for local and regional work by both insiders and outsiders
4	Literacy in the language is transmitted through education
5	The language is used orally by all generations and is effectively used in written form throughout the community
6	The language is used orally by all generations and is being learned by children as their first language
7	The child-bearing generation knows the language well enough to use it with their elders but is not transmitting it to their children
8	The only remaining speakers of the language are members of the grandparent generation

EGIDS: **Expanded** Graded Intergenerational Disruption Scale (section)

6a	Vigorous	The language is used orally by all generations and is being learned by children as their first language.	Safe
6b	Threatened	The language is used orally by all generations but only some of the child-bearing generation are transmitting it to their children.	Vulnerable
7	Shifting	The child-bearing generation knows the language well enough to use it among themselves but none are transmitting it to their children	Definitely Endangered
8a	Moribund	The only remaining active speakers of the language are members of the grandparent generation.	Severely Endangered
8b	Nearly Extinct	The only remaining speakers of the language are members of the grandparent generation or older who have little opportunity to use the language.	Critically Endangered
9	Dormant	The language serves as a reminder of heritage identity for an ethnic community. No one has more than symbolic proficiency.	Extinct
10	Extinct	No one retains a sense of ethnic identity associated with the language, even for symbolic purposes.	Extinct

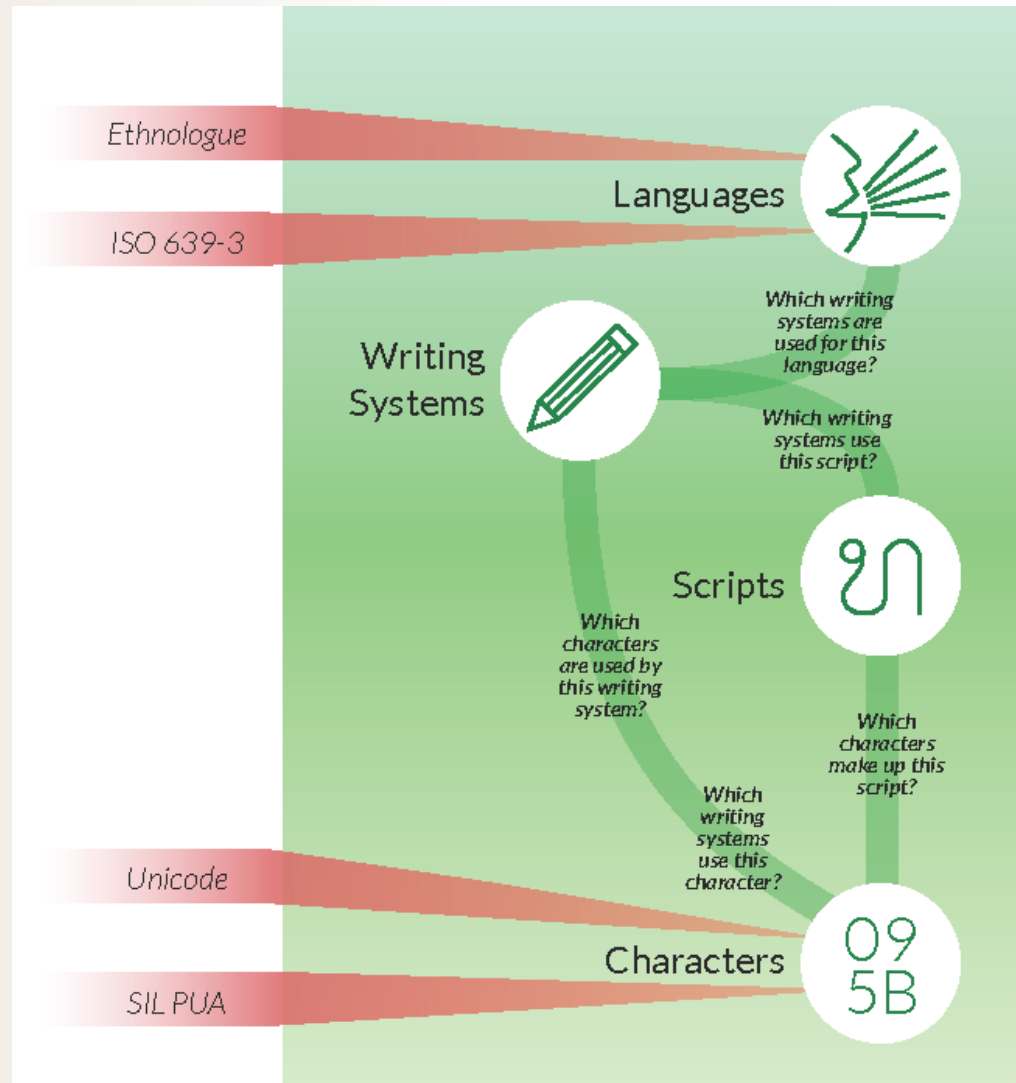
Abadi in the Language Cloud



This graph shows the place of Abadi within the cloud of all living languages. Each small dot that is placed on the grid in relation to its population (in the vertical axis); endangerment (in the horizontal axis), with the largest and strongest languages in

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Unicode Character Blocks

FULL LIST

There are 219 character blocks. Click on a column heading to sort the list.

Name	USV Range
Aegean Numbers	10100 - 1013F
Alchemical Symbols	1F700 - 1F77F
Alphabetic Presentation Forms	FB00 - FB4F
Ancient Greek Musical Notation	1D200 - 1D24F
Ancient Greek Numbers	10140 - 1018F
Ancient Symbols	10190 - 101CF
Arabic	0600 - 06FF
Arabic Extended-A	08A0 - 08FF
Arabic Mathematical Alphabetic Symbols	1EE00 - 1EEFF

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Unicode Character Blocks

FULL **Arabic** 0600-06FF

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CHARACTERS IN THIS UNICODE CHARACTER BLOCK

There are 253 characters. Click on a column heading to sort the list.

USV	Graphic	Character	Name	Category	Direction
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0600	٠	٠	ARABIC NUMBER SIGN	Other, format [Cf]	Arabic number [AN]
0601	١	١	ARABIC SIGN SANAH	Other, format [Cf]	Arabic number [AN]
0602	٢	٢	ARABIC FOOTNOTE MARKER	Other, format [Cf]	Arabic number [AN]
0603	٣	٣	ARABIC SIGN SAFHA	Other, format [Cf]	Arabic number [AN]
0604	٤	٤	ARABIC SIGN SAMVAT	Other, format [Cf]	Arabic number [AN]
0606	√	√	ARABIC-INDIC CUBE ROOT	Symbol, math [Sm]	Other neutral [ON]

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Unicode Character Blocks

Arabic

FULL

ARABIC LETTER YEH WITH HAMZA ABOVE 0626

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Aeg
Alc
Alp
Anc
Anc
Anc
Ara

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Character Features

Character يٰ

USV 0626

Unicode Block Arabic [0600-06FF]

Unicode Status accepted

Unicode Version 1.1

Category Letter, other [Lo]

Direction Arabic right to left [AL]

Scripts that include this character

Name

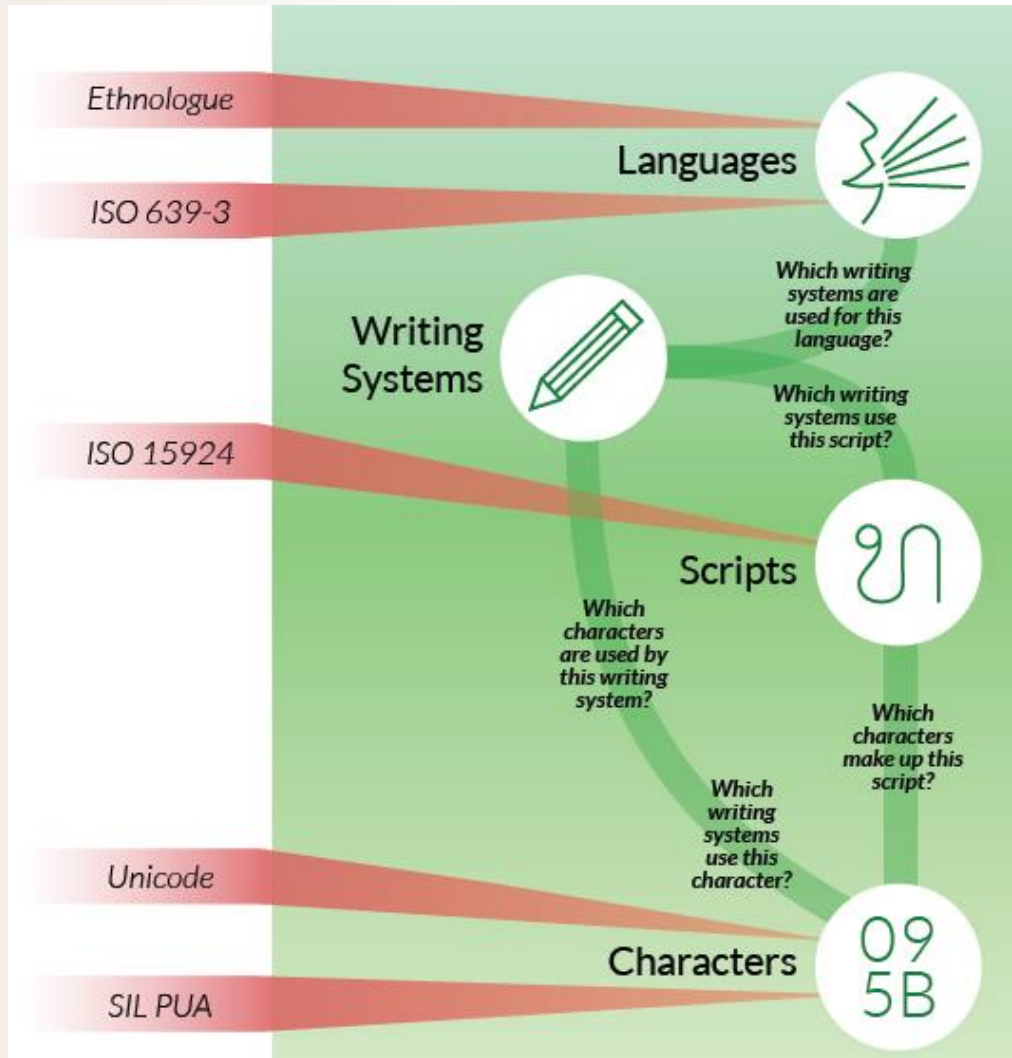
Arabic

ISO Code

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Codes for the representation of names of scripts Codes pour la représentation des noms d'écritures

Table 3
Alphabetical list of English script names
Liste alphabétique des noms d'écriture en anglais

English Name	Code	N°	Nom français	<u>Property Value</u> <u>Alias</u>	Date
Afaka	Afak	439	afaka		2010-12-21
Anatolian Hieroglyphs (Luwian Hieroglyphs, Hittite Hieroglyphs)	Hluw	080	hiéroglyphes anatoliens (hiéroglyphes louvites, hiéroglyphes hittites)		2011-12-09
Arabic	Arab	160	arabe	Arabic	2004-05-01
Armenian	Armn	230	arménien	Armenian	2004-05-01
Avestan	Avst	134	avestique	Avestan	2009-06-01
Balinese	Bali	360	balinais	Balinese	2006-10-10
Bamum	Bamu	435	bamoum	Bamum	2009-06-01
Bassa Vah	Bass	259	bassa		2010-03-26
Batak	Batk	365	batik	Batak	2010-07-23

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Avestan	Avst	134
Balinese	Bali	360
Bamum	Bamu	435
Bassa Vah	Bass	259
Batak	Batk	365
Bengali	Beng	325
Blissymbols	Blis	550
Book Pahlavi	Phlv	133
Bopomofo	Bopo	285
Brahmi	Brah	300
Braille	Brai	570
Buginese	Bugi	267

There are 240 scripts. Click on the column headings to sort the list.

ISO Code	Name	Script Family	Script Type
Afak	Afaka	American	syllabary
	Ahom	Indic	abugida
	Akkha	Indic	abugida
	Alpine Scripts	European	[unspecified]
Hluw	Anatolian Hieroglyphs (Luwian Hieroglyphs, Hittite Hieroglyphs)	Middle Eastern	logo-syllabary
Arab	Arabic	Middle Eastern	abjad
Armn	Armenian	European	alphabet
Avst	Avestan	Middle Eastern	alphabet
	Aztec Pictograms	American	logo-syllabary
	Bagam (Eghap)	African	logo-syllabary
Bali	Balinese	Insular Southeast Asian	abugida
	Balti	Indic	abugida
Bamu	Bamum	African	syllabary
Bass	Bassa Vah	African	alphabet

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Pahawh Hmong Hmng

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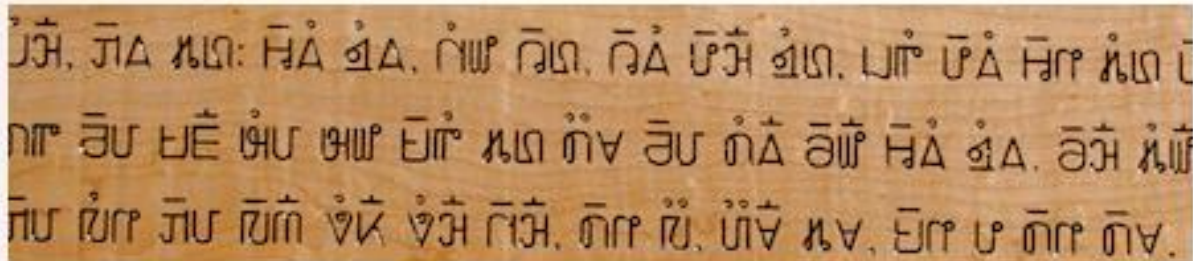


Image provided by Tim Brookes. See Use and History tab for details.

Script Features

Type syllabary

Family East Asian

Direction LTR

Baseline bottom

Case no

White Space [unspecified]

ISO 15924 Code / Key Hmng / 450 (syllabic)

Status Current

Diacritics yes

Contextual Forms yes

Complex Positioning [unknown]

Reordering yes

Split Graphs [unknown]

Ligatures [unspecified]

OpenType Tag [none]

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Beria

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Script Features

Type **alphabet**

Family **African**

Direction **LTR**

Baseline **hanging**

Case **yes**

White Space **none**

ISO 15924 Code **[none]**

Status **Current**

Diacritics **yes**

Contextual Forms **[unknown]**

Complex Positioning **[unknown]**

Reordering **[unknown]**

Split Graphs **[unknown]**

Ligatures **[unspecified]**

OpenType Tag **[none]**

Script Description

The Beria script is used to write the Zaghawa language spoken by about 169,000 people in Chad and Sudan. It was created in the 1950s when Adam Tajir, a schoolteacher, noted that the language was failing to spread and was in fact being replaced by Arabic, which he attributed to the lack of a Zaghawa writing system. The script was originally based on the cattle brands

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Unicode Status

A preliminary proposal for the Beria script has been submitted to the Unicode Technical Committee and is available for review from scripts.sil.org. The proposal is pending feedback from the user community. The Beria script has been added to the Unicode roadmap for encoding in The Unicode Standard in the range U+AB90..U+AB9F.

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ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 2/WG 2
PROPOSAL SUMMARY FORM TO ACCOMPANY SUBMISSIONS
FOR ADDITIONS TO THE REPERTOIRE OF ISO/IEC 10646¹

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Please read Principles and Procedures Document (P & P) from <http://www.dkuug.dk/JTC1/SC2/WG2/docs/principles.html> for guidelines and details before filling this form.

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See also <http://www.dkuug.dk/JTC1/SC2/WG2/docs/roadmaps.html> for latest *Roadmaps*.

A. Administrative

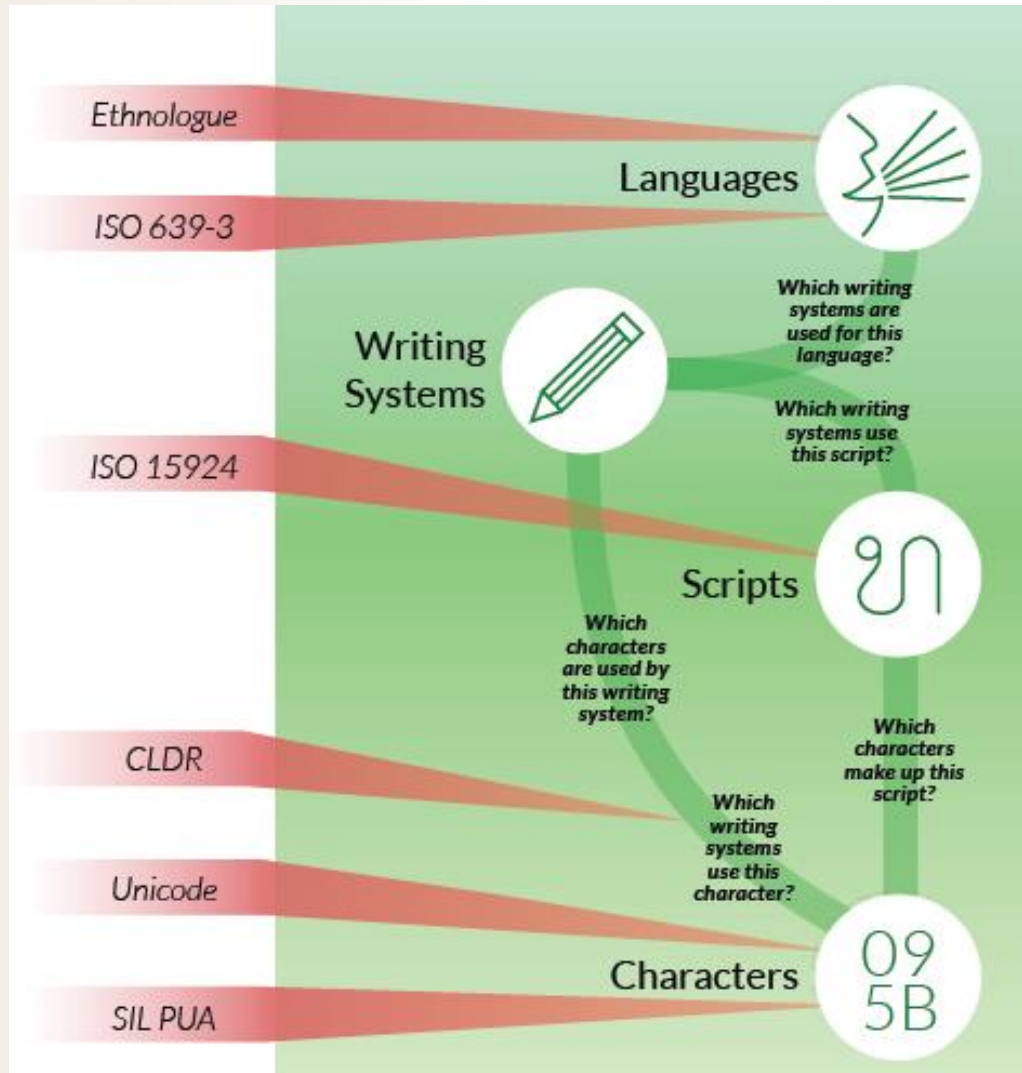
1. Title:	<u>Preliminary proposal to encode Beria</u>
2. Requester's name:	<u>Loma A. Priest</u>
3. Requester type (Member body/Liaison/Individual contribution):	<u>Individual contribution</u>
4. Submission date:	<u>20 August 2008</u>
5. Requester's reference (if applicable):	<u>L2/08-265</u>
6. Choose one of the following:	
This is a complete proposal:	<u>No</u>
or, More information will be provided later:	<u>Yes</u>

B. Technical – General

1. Choose one of the following:	
a. This proposal is for a new script (set of characters):	<u>Yes</u>
Proposed name of script:	<u>Beria</u>

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Gurmukhi Guru

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ਗਿਆ ਕਿ ਵਰਦੀ ਨਾਲ ਟੋਪੀ ਉਦੋਂ ਤਕ ਨਹੀਂ ।

Writing systems that use this script (3)

Name	Code	Is used to write language
Panjabi written with Gurmukhi script	pa	Panjabi [pan]
Seraiki written with Gurmukhi script	skr-Guru	Seraiki [skr]
Sindhi written with Gurmukhi script	sd-Guru	Sindhi [snd]

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Panjabi written with Gurmukhi script pa

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Status	<i>Currently in use</i>
Use	primary usage
Language	Panjabi [pan]
Script	Gurmukhi [Guru]
CLDR Locale	pa_Guru [Panjabi]

This writing system page displays only information that is specifically associated with both the related language and script. See the language and script pages for a richer body of information.

Entries for this writing system

Entries can contain text, graphics, media, files and software. Click on the title to see full details.

Title	Subject Area
Ardaas in the Gurmukhi Script	Use & History
Font Options	Fonts & Keyboards
Freelang Font Directory	Fonts & Keyboards
Indix - Indian Fonts for Linux	Fonts & Keyboards
INDOLIPI for Indian Scripts	Fonts & Keyboards
Names of Months and Days in Panjabi	Use & History
Saab Font	Fonts & Keyboards
SikhNet Gurmukhi Fonts	Fonts & Keyboards

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Panjabhi written with Gurmukhi script ...

Names of Months and Days in Panjabi

CONTENT

Names of Months and Days in Panjabi

Gregorian Calendar

Months

January: ਜਨਵਰੀ (ਜ)

February: ਫ਼ਰਵਰੀ (ਫ਼)

March: ਮਾਰਚ (ਮ)

April: ਅਪ੍ਰੈਲ (ਅ)

May: ਮਈ (ਮ)

June: ਜੂਨ (ਜੂ)

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Paniahi written with Gurmukhi script ...

Main characters used by this writing system

USV	Graphic	Character	Name
0A71	ੳ	ੳ	GURMUKHI ADDAK
0A70	ੲ	ੲ	GURMUKHI TIPPI
0A3C	ੴ	ੴ	GURMUKHI SIGN NUKTA
0A66	੦	੦	GURMUKHI DIGIT ZERO
0A67	੧	੧	GURMUKHI DIGIT ONE
0A68	੨	੨	GURMUKHI DIGIT TWO
0A69	੩	੩	GURMUKHI DIGIT THREE
0A6A	੪	੪	GURMUKHI DIGIT FOUR
0A6B	੫	੫	GURMUKHI DIGIT FIVE
0A6C	੬	੬	GURMUKHI DIGIT SIX
0A6D	੭	੭	GURMUKHI DIGIT SEVEN

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Blog posts in this subject area

These are posts from the blogs on this site; the full blogs can be accessed under the Topics link.

There are no blog posts for this subject.

Discussions in this subject area

Discussions include ideas, opinions or questions that invite comments from other ScriptSource users.

There are no discussions for this subject.

The following information on writing systems usage is based on data from the Common Locale Data Repository (CLDR) and/or SIL's Locale Data Repository, and may not be complete; see ScriptSource and the CLDR.

Writing systems that use this character as a main symbol

Name	Code	Is used to write language	Is based on script
Panjabi written with Gurmukhi script	pa	Panjabi [pan]	Gurmukhi [Guru]

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CYRILLIC SMALL LETTER SHCHA 0449

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Writing systems that use this character as a main symbol

Name	Code	Is used to write language	Is based on script
Bulgarian written with Cyrillic script	bg	Bulgarian [bul]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Kazakh written with Cyrillic script	kk	Kazakh [kaz]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Mongolian written with Cyrillic script	mn-Cyrl	Mongolian [mon]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Ossetian written with Cyrillic script	os-Cyrl	Ossetian [oss]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Russian written with Cyrillic script	ru	Russian [rus]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Ukrainian written with Cyrillic script	uk	Ukrainian [ukr]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]

Writing systems that use this character as an auxiliary symbol

Name	Code	Is used to write language	Is based on script
Azerbaijani written with Cyrillic script	az-Cyrl	Azerbaijani [aze]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Kyrgyz written with Cyrillic script	ky-Cyrl	Kyrgyz [kir]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Yakut written with Cyrillic script	sah-Cyrl	Yakut [sah]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Serbian written with Cyrillic script	sr-Cyrl	Serbian [srp]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Tajik written with Cyrillic script	tg-Cyrl	Tajik [tgk]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]
Uzbek written with Cyrillic script	uz-Cyrl	Uzbek [uzb]	Cyrillic [Cyrl]

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Language Features

Alternate names **Arabunna**

Dialects

Status **Extinct**

OpenType tag [none]

Information from ISO 639-3 and the ↗ Ethnologue. Only a limited amount is shown here. For more detail consult the ↗ Ethnologue entry for Arabana.

This language is primarily used in

Australia

Writing systems for this language

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Title	Type
ALA resources for Arabana [ard] - Aboriginal Languages of Australia	web page
Endangered Languages page associated with Arabana - Endangered Languages Catalog	web page
Ethnologue entry for Arabana - Ethnologue	web page
Glottolog entry for Arabana - Glottolog/Langdoc	web page
ISO 639-3 page for Arabana - ISO 639-3	web page
MultiTree entry for Arabana - MultiTree: A Digital Library of Language Relationships	web page
OLAC resources for Arabana - Open Language Archives Community	web page
UNESCO Endangered Languages Atlas page for Arabana [ard] - UNESCO Interactive Atlas of the World's Languages in Danger	web page

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OLAC resources in and about the Arabana language

La ISO 639-3: [ard](#)

Alte The combined catalog of all OLAC participants contains the following resources that are relevant to this language:

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- [Other resources about the language](#)

Info Other known names and dialect names: Arabunna

Th Use faceted search to [explore resources for Arabana language](#).

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Language descriptions

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1. [ONLINE](#) *Glottolog 2.1 Resources for Arabana*. n.a. 2013. Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology. [oai:glottolog.org:arab1267](http://oai.glottolog.org:arab1267)
2. [ONLINE](#) *WALS Online Resources for Arabana*. Dryer, Matthew S. & Haspelmath, Martin (editor). 2011-02-08. Max Planck Digital Library. oai:wals.in

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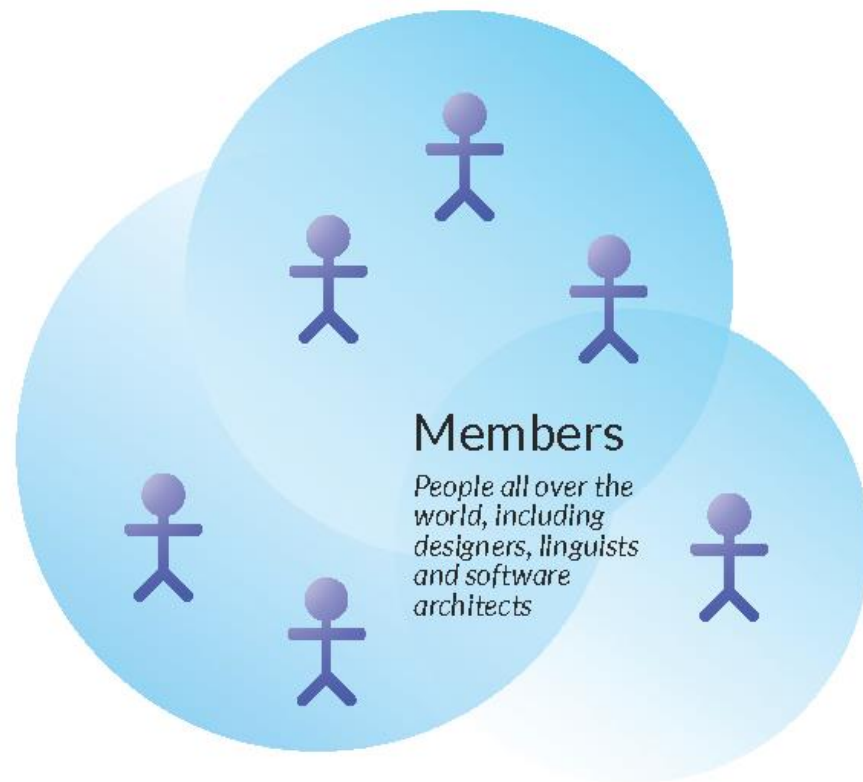
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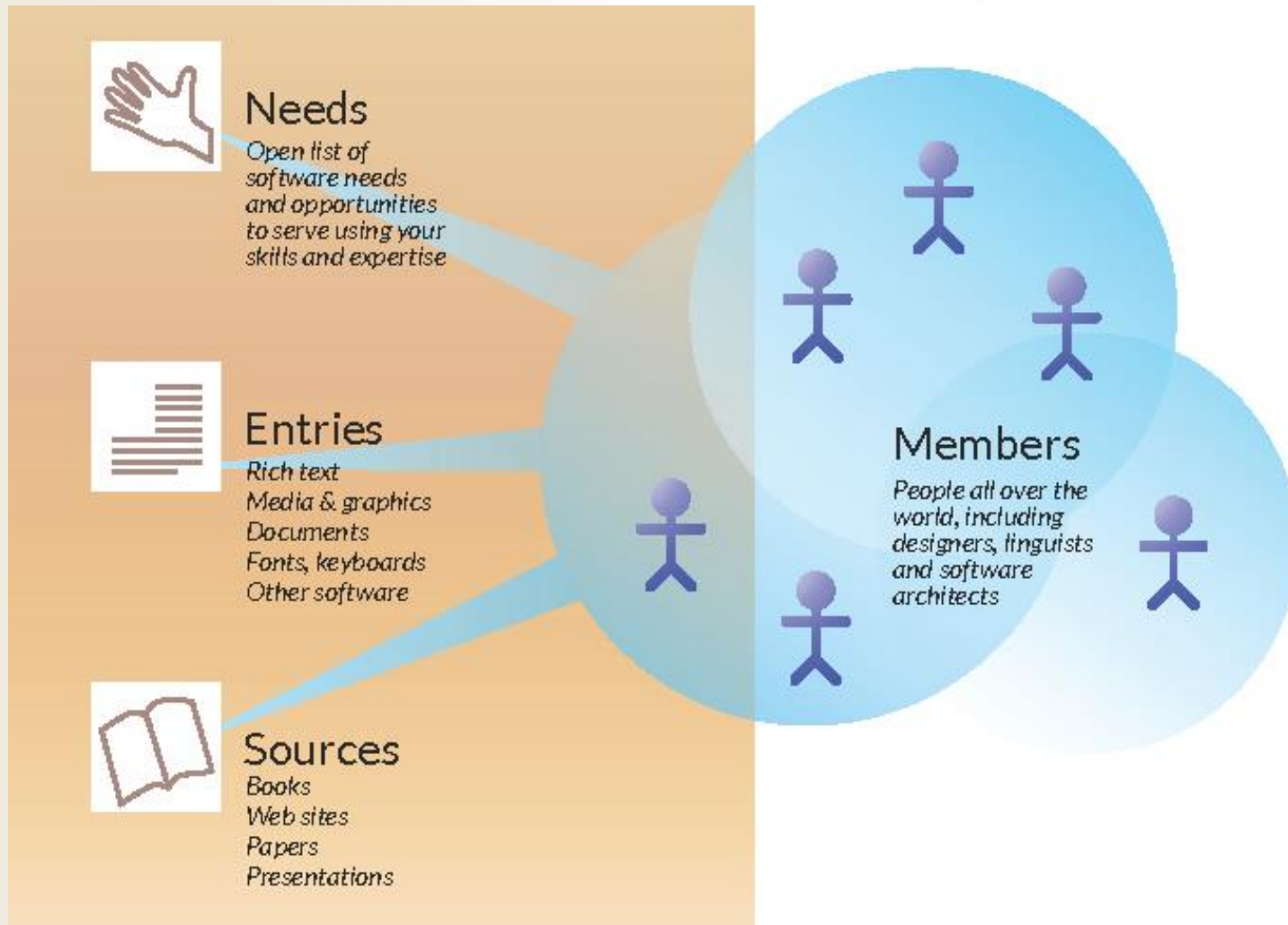
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/dʒ/ voiced post-alveolar affricate

Related phonemes

Voiced post-alveolar affricates **/dʒ/** | **/dʒʰ/**

Graphemes used to write this phoneme

Writing System	Grapheme	Sequence	Example	Notes
ast-Latn	⟨yy⟩		yyave 'key'	Only in some places of Western Asturian
dv	⟨ڭ⟩		ڭارڭ	Occurs before ⟨ع⟩ to indicate a geminate.
dv	⟨ع⟩		عازير	
en	⟨g⟩		gem	Before e and i
en	⟨j⟩		jam	
en	⟨dge⟩		bridge	
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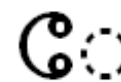
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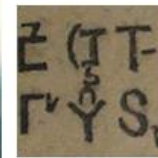


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