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On the basis of future comments, suggestions, necessities etc, more symbols may be added.

The term "Unicode" stands for the Unicode Standard 5.0

This listing does not imply any sorting order.

I II III IV

01	ಅ	a	a
02	ಆ	ā	A
03	ಇ	i	i
04	್ಯಿ	ī	I
05	ಉ	u	u
06	್ಯಾ	ū	U
07	ರು	r	x
08	್ಯಾರು	ರಿ	X
09	ಲು	l	q
10	್ಯಾಲು	ಿ	Q
11	ಎ	e	e
12	್ಯಾ	ē	E
13	ಎ	ai	ai
14	್ಯಾ	ê	ae
15	ಓ	o	o
16	್ಯಾ	ō	O
17	ಔ	au	au
18	್ಯಾ	ô	ao
19	ಂ		aM
20	್ಯಂ	m̥	m'
21	ಾ:		aH
22	ಕ	ka	ka

23	ਖ	kha	kha
24	ਗ	ga	ga
25	ਘ	gha	gha
26	ਙ	ñ'a	ng'a
27	ਚ	ca	ca
28	ਛ	cha	cha
29	ਜ	ja	ja
30	ਝ	jha	jha
31	ਞ	ñ'a	nj'a
32	ਟ	ṭa	Ta
33	ਠ	ṭha	Tha
34	ਡ	ḍa	Da
35	ਢ	ḍha	Dha
36	ਣ	ṇa	Na
37	ਤ	ta	ta
38	ਥ	tha	tha
39	ਦ	da	da
40	ਧ	dha	dha
41	ਨ	na	na
42	ਨ੍ਹ	na	n'a
43	ਪ	pa	pa
44	ਫ	pha	pha
45	ਬ	ba	ba
46	ਭ	bha	bha
47	ਮ	ma	ma
48	ਧ	ya	ya
49	ਯ	ŷa	Ya
50	ਰ	ra	ra
51	ର	ra	Ra
52	ର'	ra	r'a
53	ଲ	la	la
54	ଲ	la	La

55	ঁ	za	Za
56	ঁ	va	va
57	শ	śa	sha
58	ষ	ṣa	Sa
59	স	sa	sa
60	হ	ha	ha
61	ঁ		g"a
62	ঁ		j"a
63	ঁ		D"a
64	ঁ		b"a
65	ঁ		k'a
66	ঁ		kh'a
67	ঁ		g'a
68	ঁ		j'a
69	ঁ		D'a
70	ঁ		Dh'a
71	ঁ		ph'a
72	ী		\1
73	ূ		\2
74	ৃ		\3
75	ৄ		\4
76	ু		\5
77	ু		\6
78	৭		\7
79	৮		\8
80	৯		\9
81	০		\0
82	।		\.
83	॥		\..
84	ঁ		\s
85	ঁ		c'a
86	ঁ		ch'a
87	।		"

88	ॐ	@M
89	'	\'
90	"	\"
91	ઠ	s`a
92	ડ	za
93	ચ	s'a
94	ڙ	z'a
95	ત	t`a
96	ڦ	z`a
97	ع	A'
99	ه	Ha
100	ء	a'

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Note AA: Columns I to IV stand for:

I=Serial Number (this is the number to be used in further discussions)

II= Devanagari Character used for illustrative purpose. The corresponding characters for other Indic scripts have to be derived by using the appropriate xml tagging and interpretation.

III= ISCII input equivalent (BIS standard ISCII-91 = IS13194:1991)

IV= ASCII keyboard keystroke(s) that will call the corresponding Unicode codepoints

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NOTE AB: 11, 15 stand for the short half-open vowels (front and back respectively) found especially in Dravidian languages.

NOTE AC: 14, 18 stand for the open vowels (front and back respectively) specifically marked in Marathi orthography and to some extent in Hindi orthography.

NOTE AD: 42 stands for Tamil ண

NOTE AE: 49 stands for Bangla and Asamiya ণ

NOTE AF: 51 stands for Tamil ஞ Kannada ಣ Telugu ణ Malayalam ൣ

NOTE AG: 52 stands for the so-called 'eyelash r' used in Marathi and Nepali.

NOTE AH: 54 stands for Tamil ண, Malayalam ൣ Telugu ణ Kannada ڻ

NOTE AI: 55 stands for Tamil ஞ, Malayalam ൣ

NOTE AJ: 61, 61, 63, 64 stand for the underlined ग ज झ ब respectively which are implemented for Sindhi implosives (these are the Unicode U+ 097B, 097C, 097E, 097F respectively)

NOTE AK: 65-71 are the Devanagari characters with nukta (listed as U+ 0958 to 095E respectively)

NOTE AL: 72-81 are the Devanagari digits (U+0966 to +0970)

NOTE AM: 82 and 83 are the Devanagari Danda and Double Danda respectively (U+0964, 0965 respectively)

NOTE AN: 84 is the Devanagari avagraha character (U+093D)

NOTE AO: 85-86 are the dental affricates of Kashmiri (85 stands for ڦ with nukta and 86 stands for ڦ with nukta)

NOTE AP: 87 is the {sur} symbol of Dogri

NOTE AQ: 88 is the ॐ symbol of Devanagari (this is a single character in Unicode and is different from the string ઓમ or the string ૌમ)

NOTE AR: 89 and 90 stand for the ASCII 'single quote' and "double quote" respectively (thus 87 stands for the Dogri {sur} symbol whereas 89 stands for the ASCII 'single quote')

NOTE AS: 91 stands for Urdu ئ.

NOTE AT: 92 stands for Urdu ؤ

NOTE AU: 93-94 stands for Urdu ص and ض

NOTE AV: 95-96 stands for Urdu ط and ظ

NOTE AW: 97 stands for Urdu ع

NOTE AX: 98 stands for Urdu آ

NOTE AY: 99 STANDS FOR Urdu ؔ

Sample Scheme of converting LDC-IL {Base XML string} into the corresponding {Unicode5.0} string An Illustration

Column A gives an illustrative {XML string in ASCII}. All the data in Indic scripts will be of this structure.

Column B gives the desired corresponding processed {Unicode5.0 output string}

Output in Script:

<SDvn>bhAratamAtA</SDvn>

ભારતમાતા

<SKan>bhAratamAtA<SKan>

ભારતમાતા

<SGjr>bhAratamAtA</SGjr>

ભારતમાતા

<SBgl>bhAratamAtA</SBgl>

ભારતમાતા

<SGrm>bhAratamAtA</SGrm>

ભારતમાતા

<STlg>bhAratamAta</STlg>

ભારતમાતા

<HndPhnm>bhAratamAtA</HndPhnm >

બારતમાતા:

<PnjPhnm>bhAratamAtA</ PnjPhnm >

બારતમાતા:

<HndPhnt>bhAratamAtA</ HndPhnt >

Output in Phonemic Transcription:

ba:ratma:ta:

<PnjPhnt>bhAratamAtA</ PnjPhnt >

ba:ratma:ta:

Output in Phonetic Transcription:

ba:ratma:ta:

pa:ratma:ta:

Note: The above xml tags for languages are just for illustration. A comprehensive language name tag set along with other tag sets (that form part of the Global Tag Set of LDC-IL) will be made available.