General Punctuation

Range: 2000–206F

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	200	201	202	203	204	205	206
0	NQSP 2000	‐ 2010	† 2020	‰ 2030	⁀ 2040	⁐ 2050	WJ 2060
1	MQSP 2001	NB‑ 2011	‡ 2021	‱ 2031	⁁ 2041	⁑ 2051	ƒ() 2061
2	ENSP 2002	— 2012	• 2022	′ 2032	⁂ 2042	⁒ 2052	× 2062
3	EMSP 2003	— 2013	▶ 2023	″ 2033	▪ 2043	~ 2053	, 2063
4	3/MSP 2004	― 2014	‧ 2024	‴ 2034	⁄ 2044	⁔ 2054	+ 2064
5	4/MSP 2005	― 2015	‥ 2025	‵ 2035	⁅ 2045	⁕ 2055	░ 2055
6	6/MSP 2006	‖ 2016	… 2026	‶ 2036	⁆ 2046	⁖ 2056	LRI 2066
7	FSP 2007	‗ 2017	‧ 2027	‷ 2037	⁇ 2047	⁗ 2057	RLI 2067
8	PSP 2008	' 2018	LSEP 2028	∧ 2038	⁈ 2048	⁘ 2058	FSI 2068
9	THSP 2009	' 2019	PSEP 2029	‹ 2039	⁉ 2049	⁙ 2059	PDI 2069
A	HSP 200A	‚ 201A	LRE 202A	› 203A	⁊ 204A	⁚ 205A	ISS 206A
B	ZWSP 200B	‛ 201B	RLE 202B	⁋ 203B	⁋ 204B	⁛ 205B	ASS 206B
C	ZWNJ 200C	" 201C	PDF 202C	‼ 203C	⁌ 204C	⁜ 205C	IAFS 206C
D	ZWJ 200D	" 201D	LRO 202D	⁝ 203D	⁍ 204D	⁝ 205D	AAFS 206D
E	LRM 200E	„ 201E	RLO 202E	‾ 203E	⁎ 204E	⁞ 205E	NADS 206E
F	RLM 200F	‟ 201F	NNBSP 202F	⁀ 203F	⁏ 204F	MMSP 205F	NODS 206F

For additional general punctuation characters see also Basic Latin, Latin-1, Supplemental Punctuation and CJK Symbols and Punctuation.

Spaces

2000 [NQSP] EN QUAD
≡ 2002 [ENSP] en space

2001 [MQSP] EM QUAD
= mutton quad
≡ 2003 [EMSP] em space

2002 [ENSP] EN SPACE
= nut
• half an em
≈ 0020 [SP] space

2003 [EMSP] EM SPACE
= mutton
• nominally, a space equal to the type size in points
• may scale by the condensation factor of a font
≈ 0020 [SP] space

2004 [3/MSP] THREE-PER-EM SPACE
= thick space
≈ 0020 [SP] space

2005 [4/MSP] FOUR-PER-EM SPACE
= mid space
≈ 0020 [SP] space

2006 [6/MSP] SIX-PER-EM SPACE
• in computer typography sometimes equated to thin space
≈ 0020 [SP] space

2007 [FSP] FIGURE SPACE
• space equal to tabular width of a font
• this is equivalent to the digit width of fonts with fixed-width digits
≈ <noBreak> 0020 [SP]

2008 [PSP] PUNCTUATION SPACE
• space equal to narrow punctuation of a font
≈ 0020 [SP] space

2009 [THSP] THIN SPACE
• a fifth of an em (or sometimes a sixth)
→ 202F [NNBSP] narrow no-break space
≈ 0020 [SP] space

200A [HSP] HAIR SPACE
• thinner than a thin space
• in traditional typography, the thinnest space available
≈ 0020 [SP] space

Format characters

200B [ZWSP] ZERO WIDTH SPACE
• commonly abbreviated ZWSP
• this character is intended for invisible word separation and for line break control; it has no width, but its presence between two characters does not prevent increased letter spacing in justification

200C [ZWNJ] ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER
• commonly abbreviated ZWNJ

200D [ZWJ] ZERO WIDTH JOINER
• commonly abbreviated ZWJ

200E [LRM] LEFT-TO-RIGHT MARK
• commonly abbreviated LRM

200F [RLM] RIGHT-TO-LEFT MARK
• commonly abbreviated RLM
→ 061C [ALM] arabic letter mark

Dashes

2010 - HYPHEN
→ 002D - hyphen-minus
→ 00AD [SHY] soft hyphen

2011 [NB] NON-BREAKING HYPHEN
≈ <noBreak> 2010 -

2012 – FIGURE DASH

2013 – EN DASH

2014 — EM DASH
• may be used in pairs to offset parenthetical text
→ 2E3A [2M] two-em dash
→ 30FC ー katakana-hiragana prolonged sound mark

2015 — HORIZONTAL BAR
= quotation dash
• long dash introducing quoted text

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2016 ‖ DOUBLE VERTICAL LINE
• used in pairs to indicate norm of a matrix
→ 20E6 ⃦ combining double vertical stroke overlay
→ 2225 ∥ parallel to
→ 23F8 ⏸ double vertical bar

2017 ‗ DOUBLE LOW LINE
• this is a spacing character
→ 005F _ low line
→ 0333 ◌̳ combining double low line
≈ 0020 [SP] 0333 ◌̳

Quotation marks and apostrophe

Use of quotation marks differs by language. The character names cannot reflect actual usage for all languages.

2018 ‘ LEFT SINGLE QUOTATION MARK
= single turned comma quotation mark
• this is the preferred character (as opposed to 201B ‛)
→ 0027 ' apostrophe
→ 02BB ʻ modifier letter turned comma
→ 275B ❛ heavy single turned comma quotation mark ornament

2019 ’ RIGHT SINGLE QUOTATION MARK
= single comma quotation mark
• this is the preferred character to use for apostrophe
→ 0027 ' apostrophe
→ 02BC ʼ modifier letter apostrophe
→ 275C ❜ heavy single comma quotation mark ornament

201A ‚ SINGLE LOW-9 QUOTATION MARK
= low single comma quotation mark
• used as opening single quotation mark in some languages

201B ‛ SINGLE HIGH-REVERSED-9 QUOTATION MARK
= single reversed comma quotation mark
• has same semantic as 2018 ‘ , but differs in appearance
→ 02BD ʽ modifier letter reversed comma

201C   "   LEFT DOUBLE QUOTATION MARK
= double turned comma quotation mark
- this is the preferred character (as opposed to 201F ")
→ 0022 " quotation mark
→ 275D ❝ heavy double turned comma quotation mark ornament
→ 301D 〝 reversed double prime quotation mark

201D   "   RIGHT DOUBLE QUOTATION MARK
= double comma quotation mark
→ 0022 " quotation mark
→ 2033 ″ double prime
→ 275E ❞ heavy double comma quotation mark ornament
→ 301E 〞 double prime quotation mark

201E   „   DOUBLE LOW-9 QUOTATION MARK
= low double comma quotation mark
- used as opening double quotation mark in some languages
→ 2E42 „ double low-reversed-9 quotation mark
→ 301F 〟 low double prime quotation mark

201F   ‟   DOUBLE HIGH-REVERSED-9 QUOTATION MARK
= double reversed comma quotation mark
- has same semantic as 201C " , but differs in appearance

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2020   †   DAGGER
= obelisk, long cross, oblong cross
→ 2E38 ⸸ turned dagger

2021   ‡   DOUBLE DAGGER
= diesis, double obelisk
→ 2E4B ⹋ triple dagger

2022   •   BULLET
= black small circle
→ 00B7 · middle dot
→ 2024 ․ one dot leader
→ 2219 ∙ bullet operator
→ 25D8 ◘ inverse bullet
→ 25E6 ◦ white bullet

2023   ‣   TRIANGULAR BULLET
→ 220E ∎ end of proof
→ 25B8 ▸ black right-pointing small triangle

2024   ․   ONE DOT LEADER
- also used as an Armenian semicolon (mijaket)
→ 00B7 · middle dot
→ 2022 • bullet
→ 2219 ∙ bullet operator
≈ 002E . full stop

2025   ‥   TWO DOT LEADER
≈ 002E . 002E .

2026   …   HORIZONTAL ELLIPSIS
= three dot leader
→ 22EE ⋮ vertical ellipsis
→ FE19 ︙ presentation form for vertical horizontal ellipsis
≈ 002E . 002E . 002E .

2027   ‧   HYPHENATION POINT
- visible symbol used to indicate correct positions for word breaking, as in dic‧tion‧ar‧ies

Separators

2028   [LSEP]   LINE SEPARATOR
- may be used to represent this semantic unambiguously

2029   [PSEP]   PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR
- may be used to represent this semantic unambiguously

Format characters

202A   [LRE]   LEFT-TO-RIGHT EMBEDDING
- commonly abbreviated LRE

202B   [RLE]   RIGHT-TO-LEFT EMBEDDING
- commonly abbreviated RLE

202C   [PDF]   POP DIRECTIONAL FORMATTING
- commonly abbreviated PDF

202D   [LRO]   LEFT-TO-RIGHT OVERRIDE
- commonly abbreviated LRO

202E   [RLO]   RIGHT-TO-LEFT OVERRIDE
- commonly abbreviated RLO

Space

202F   [NNBSP]   NARROW NO-BREAK SPACE
- commonly abbreviated NNBSP
- a narrow form of a no-break space, typically the width of a thin space or a mid space
→ 00A0 [NBSP] no-break space
→ 2005 [4/MSP] four-per-em space
→ 2009 [THSP] thin space
≈ <noBreak> 0020 [SP]

General punctuation

2030   ‰   PER MILLE SIGN
= permille, per thousand
- used, for example, in measures of blood alcohol content, salinity, etc.
→ 0025 % percent sign
→ 0609 ٪ arabic-indic per mille sign

2031   ‱   PER TEN THOUSAND SIGN
= permyriad
- percent of a percent, rarely used
→ 0025 % percent sign
→ 060A ٪ arabic-indic per ten thousand sign

2032   ′   PRIME
= minutes, feet
→ 0027 ' apostrophe
→ 00B4 ´ acute accent
→ 02B9 ʹ modifier letter prime

2033   ″   DOUBLE PRIME
= seconds, inches
→ 0022 " quotation mark
→ 02BA ʺ modifier letter double prime
→ 201D " right double quotation mark
→ 3003 〃 ditto mark
→ 301E 〞 double prime quotation mark
≈ 2032 ′ 2032 ′

2034   ‴   TRIPLE PRIME
= lines (old measure, 1/12 of an inch)
≈ 2032 ′ 2032 ′ 2032 ′

2035   ‵   REVERSED PRIME
→ 0060 ` grave accent

2036   ‶   REVERSED DOUBLE PRIME
→ 301D 〝 reversed double prime quotation mark
≈ 2035 ‵ 2035 ‵

2037 ‴ REVERSED TRIPLE PRIME
≈ 2035 ‵ 2035 ‵ 2035 ‵
2038 ⌃ CARET
→ 2303 ⌃ up arrowhead
→ A788 ˯ modifier letter low circumflex accent

Quotation marks

2039 ‹ SINGLE LEFT-POINTING ANGLE QUOTATION MARK
= left pointing single guillemet
• usually opening, sometimes closing
→ 003C < less-than sign
→ 2329 〈 left-pointing angle bracket
→ 3008 〈 left angle bracket
203A › SINGLE RIGHT-POINTING ANGLE QUOTATION MARK
= right pointing single guillemet
• usually closing, sometimes opening
→ 003E > greater-than sign
→ 232A 〉 right-pointing angle bracket
→ 3009 〉 right angle bracket

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203B ※ REFERENCE MARK
= Japanese kome
= Urdu paragraph separator
→ 0FBF ❋ tibetan ku ru kha bzhi mig can
→ 200AD ※

Double punctuation for vertical text

203C ‼ DOUBLE EXCLAMATION MARK
→ 0021 ! exclamation mark
≈ 0021 ! 0021 !

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203D ‽ INTERROBANG
→ 0021 ! exclamation mark
→ 003F ? question mark
→ 2E18 ⸘ inverted interrobang
→ 1F679 ‽ heavy interrobang ornament
203E ‾ OVERLINE
= spacing overscore
≈ 0020 [SP] 0305 ◌̅
203F ‿ UNDERTIE
= Greek enotikon
→ 2323 ⌣ smile
2040 ⁀ CHARACTER TIE
= z notation sequence concatenation
→ 2322 ⌢ frown
2041 ⁁ CARET INSERTION POINT
• proofreader's mark: insert here
→ 22CC ⋌ right semidirect product
2042 ⁂ ASTERISM
2043 ⁃ HYPHEN BULLET
→ 002D - hyphen-minus
2044 ⁄ FRACTION SLASH
= solidus (in typography)
• for composing arbitrary fractions
→ 002F / solidus
→ 2215 ∕ division slash

Brackets

2045 ⁅ LEFT SQUARE BRACKET WITH QUILL
→ 2E20 ⸠ left vertical bar with quill
→ 2E55 ⹕ left square bracket with stroke
2046 ⁆ RIGHT SQUARE BRACKET WITH QUILL

Double punctuation for vertical text

2047 ⁇ DOUBLE QUESTION MARK
≈ 003F ? 003F ?
2048 ⁈ QUESTION EXCLAMATION MARK
≈ 003F ? 0021 !
2049 ⁉ EXCLAMATION QUESTION MARK
≈ 0021 ! 003F ?

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204A ⁊ TIRONIAN SIGN ET
• Irish Gaelic, Old English, ...
→ 0026 & ampersand
→ 2E52 Ꙅ tironian sign capital et
→ 1F670 et script ligature et ornament
204B ⁋ REVERSED PILCROW SIGN
→ 00B6 ¶ pilcrow sign
→ 2E4D ⹍ paragraphus mark
204C ⁌ BLACK LEFTWARDS BULLET
204D ⁍ BLACK RIGHTWARDS BULLET
204E ⁎ LOW ASTERISK
→ 002A * asterisk
→ 0359 ◌͙ combining asterisk below
204F ⁏ REVERSED SEMICOLON
• used occasionally in Sindhi when Sindhi is written in the Arabic script
→ 003B ; semicolon
→ 061B ؛ arabic semicolon
2050 ⁐ CLOSE UP
• editing mark
→ AB5B ꭛ modifier breve with inverted breve
2051 ⁑ TWO ASTERISKS ALIGNED VERTICALLY
2052 ⁒ COMMERCIAL MINUS SIGN
= abzüglich (German), med avdrag av (Swedish), piska (Swedish, "whip")
• a common glyph variant and fallback representation looks like ./.
• may also be used as a dingbat to indicate correctness
• used in Finno-Ugric Phonetic Alphabet to indicate a related borrowed form with different sound
→ 0025 % percent sign
→ 066A ٪ arabic percent sign
→ 00F7 ÷ division sign
2053 ⁓ SWUNG DASH
→ 007E ~ tilde
2054 ⁔ INVERTED UNDERTIE
2055 ⁕ FLOWER PUNCTUATION MARK
= phul, puspika
• used as a punctuation mark with Syloti Nagri, Bengali and other Indic scripts
→ 274B ❋ heavy eight teardrop-spoked propeller asterisk

Archaic punctuation

2056 ⁖ THREE DOT PUNCTUATION
→ 10FB ჻ georgian paragraph separator

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2057 ⁗ QUADRUPLE PRIME
≈ 2032 ′ 2032 ′ 2032 ′ 2032 ′

Archaic punctuation

See also historic punctuation with multiple dots in the range 2E2A-2E2D.

2058 ⁘ FOUR DOT PUNCTUATION

2059 ∴ FIVE DOT PUNCTUATION
= Greek pentonkion
= quincunx
→ 2684 ⊡ die face-5

205A ⁚ TWO DOT PUNCTUATION
• historically used to indicate the end of a sentence or change of speaker
• extends from baseline to cap height
→ FE30 ︰ presentation form for vertical two dot leader
→ 1015B greek acrophonic epidaurean two

205B ∵ FOUR DOT MARK
• used by scribes in the margin as highlighter mark
• this is centered on the line, but extends beyond top and bottom of the line

205C ⌖ DOTTED CROSS
• used by scribes in the margin as highlighter mark

205D ⁝ TRICOLON
= Epidaurean acrophonic symbol three
→ 22EE ⋮ vertical ellipsis
→ 2AF6 ⫶ triple colon operator
→ FE19 ︙ presentation form for vertical horizontal ellipsis

205E ⁞ VERTICAL FOUR DOTS
• used in dictionaries to indicate legal but undesirable word break
• glyph extends the whole height of the line
→ 2E3D vertical six dots

Space

205F MEDIUM MATHEMATICAL SPACE
• abbreviated MMSP
• four-eighteenths of an em
≈ 0020 space

Format character

2060 WORD JOINER
• commonly abbreviated WJ
• a zero width non-breaking space (only)
• intended for disambiguation of functions for byte order mark
→ FEFF zero width no-break space

Invisible operators

2061 𝑓() FUNCTION APPLICATION
• contiguity operator indicating application of a function

2062 INVISIBLE TIMES
• contiguity operator indicating multiplication

2063 INVISIBLE SEPARATOR
= invisible comma
• contiguity operator indicating that adjacent mathematical symbols form a list, e.g. when no visible comma is used between multiple indices

2064 INVISIBLE PLUS
• contiguity operator indicating addition

Format characters

2066 LEFT-TO-RIGHT ISOLATE
• commonly abbreviated LRI

2067 RIGHT-TO-LEFT ISOLATE
• commonly abbreviated RLI

2068 FIRST STRONG ISOLATE
• commonly abbreviated FSI

2069 POP DIRECTIONAL ISOLATE
• commonly abbreviated PDI

Deprecated

Use of these characters is strongly discouraged.

206A INHIBIT SYMMETRIC SWAPPING
206B ACTIVATE SYMMETRIC SWAPPING
206C INHIBIT ARABIC FORM SHAPING
206D ACTIVATE ARABIC FORM SHAPING
206E NATIONAL DIGIT SHAPES
206F NOMINAL DIGIT SHAPES