

The diagram illustrates the historical and linguistic relationships between various writing systems. It is organized into a grid with color-coded boxes and arrows indicating the flow of influence and evolution.

Legend:

- Color Coding:**
 - Purple:** Hellenic, Chinese, Northern Brahmi, Southern Brahmi, Semitic, Independent, Specialized use, Not in Unicode
 - Cyan:** Alphabet, Abugida, Abjad, Syllabary, Logographic, Writing direction
 - Yellow:** Historical, 10m+ / 100m+ users
 - Pink:** Other categories
- Arrows:** Indicate the direction of influence and evolution.
- Dashed Boxes:** Indicate disputed or specialized systems.

Key Systems and Relationships:

- Top Level:** Hellenic, Chinese, Northern Brahmi, Southern Brahmi, Semitic, Independent, Specialized use, Not in Unicode, Disputed.
- Alphabet Systems:** Ω Alphabet, Ω Duployan Shorthand, Ω Braille, Ω SignWriting, Ω Zaghawa / Beria, Ω N'ko, Ω Adlam.
- Abugida Systems:** दे Abugida, दे Kirat Rai, दे Canadian Aboriginal Syllabics, दे Pollard Miao, दे Fraser / Lisu, 𑌌 Cherokee, 𑌌 Vai.
- Abjad Systems:** 𐤀 Abjad, 𐤀 Egyptian Hieroglyphs, 𐤀 Coptic, 𐤀 Latin, 𐤀 Cyrillic.
- Syllabary Systems:** 𑌌 Syllabary, 𑌌 Bengali-Assamese, 𑌌 Odia, 𑌌 Nagari, 𑌌 Gaudi, 𑌌 Neo-Tifinagh, 𑌌 Tifinagh, 𑌌 Samaritan, 𑌌 Syriac, 𑌌 Aramaic, 𑌌 Hebrew, 𑌌 Arabic, 𑌌 Hanifi Rohingya, 𑌌 Mongolian, 𑌌 Tibetan, 𑌌 Limbu, 𑌌 Lepcha, 𑌌 Khema, 𑌌 Meitei, 𑌌 Sunuwar, 𑌌 Mru, 𑌌 Telugu, 𑌌 Kannada, 𑌌 Old Mon, 𑌌 Sinhala, 𑌌 Mon-Burmese, 𑌌 Tai Le, 𑌌 Kayah Li, 𑌌 Chakma, 𑌌 New Tai Lue, 𑌌 Grantha, 𑌌 Malayalam, 𑌌 Cham, 𑌌 Baybayin, 𑌌 Buhid, 𑌌 Hanuno'o, 𑌌 Sundanese, 𑌌 Batak, 𑌌 Javanese, 𑌌 Rejang, 𑌌 Balinese, 𑌌 Lontara, 𑌌 Kawi, 𑌌 Sukhothai, 𑌌 Lao, 𑌌 Thai, 𑌌 Nyiakeng Puachue Hmong, 𑌌 Thaana, 𑌌 Pahawh Hmong, 𑌌 Tai Viet, 𑌌 Khmer, 𑌌 Pallava, 𑌌 Kadamba, 𑌌 Tamil, 𑌌 Brahmi, 𑌌 Gupta, 𑌌 Sharada, 𑌌 Gurmukhi, 𑌌 Gurumukhi, 𑌌 Devanagari, 𑌌 Gujarati, 𑌌 Siddham, 𑌌 Odia, 𑌌 Bengali-Assamese, 𑌌 Kirat Rai, 𑌌 Canadian Aboriginal Syllabics, 𑌌 Pollard Miao, 𑌌 Fraser / Lisu, 𑌌 Cherokee, 𑌌 Vai.
- Logographic Systems:** 𑌌 Logographic, 𑌌 Oracle Bone, 𑌌 Traditional Chinese (Hanzi / Kanji / Hanja), 𑌌 Man'yōgana, 𑌌 Hiragana, 𑌌 Katakana, 𑌌 Hentaigana, 𑌌 Modern Yi, 𑌌 Hangul.

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