# **Accordance Semitic Tags**

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**Note:** For all tags below use the tag 0 (zero) for unknown tag.

# **ADJECTIVE (a)**

### Gender

Masculine m
Feminine f
Both b
Common c

### Number

Singular s
Plural p
Dual d

### State

Absolute a Construct c

Determined **d** (Aramaic only)

### Class

Cardinal c Ordinal o

Gentilic g (WIVU only)

# Case (Ugaritic only)

Nominative n Accusative a Genitive g

## **Example:**

ampao = Adjective masculine plural absolute ordinal

## NOUN (n)

### **Class**

Common c
Proper name p

Gentilic **g** (Aramic only)

Transliteration **t** (Aramaic Peshitta)

Distributive **d** (WIVU only)

Copulative 1 (letter, WIVU only)

Potential adverb **a** (WIVU only)
Potential preposition **s** (WIVU only)
Multitude **m** (WIVU only)
Cardinal **r** (WIVU only)

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### **Example:**

**ncfsa** = Noun common feminine singular absolute

**PARAGRAPH (x)** (HMT-W4 only, no tag classes)

# **PARTICLE (P)** [note upper case]

### Class

Article a
Conjunction c
Adverb d
Interrogative g
Interjection i
Negative n
Object marker o
Preposition p
Relative r

Existence **e** (Aramaic Peshitta)

# **Subclass** (for adverb only for WIVU)

Anaphoric **a**Conjunctive **c**Focus **f** 

# **Examples:**

**Pa** = Article

**Pdc** = Adverb conjunctive (WIVU only)

# PRONOUN (p)

# Class

Independent i Interrogative r

Demonstrative **d** (Aramaic Peshitta) Relative **v** (Ugaritic only)

### Person

First 1
Second 2
Third 3

## Gender

Masculine m Feminine f Common c

# Number

Singular s
Plural p

# Case (Ugaritic only)

Nominative **n**Accusative **a**Genitive **g** 

# **Example:**

pi2fp = Pronoun independent secondPerson feminine plural

### **SUFFIX (X)**

#### **Notes:**

- 1. Suffixes are joined to Nouns and Verbs on the same line, with a slash separating the suffix from the prior inflected word.
- 2. Even though the Class and Person are shown separately below, either of them can occupy the first character in the tag string after the part of speech, as follows:
  - a. For most Hebrew texts, either the Person or one of the tags in Class is used, except for Pronominal.
  - b. For WIVU, any of the tags in Class are used, followed by two zero tags (00) to fill the Gender and Number, which are not tagged in WIVU.
  - c. Optionally the Other class or Case class can be added to the above tags.

### Class

Pronominal **p** (WIVU only)
Paragogic Heh h
Directional Heh d
Paragogic Nun n

### Person

First 1
Second 2
Third 3

### Gender

Masculine m<br/>Feminine f<br/>Common c

#### Number

Singular s Plural p

Dual **d** (Ugaritic only)

#### Other

Energic nun e

Waw Compagnis **w** (WIVU only) Yod Compagnis **y** (WIVU only) Enclitic mem **m** (Ugaritic only)

# Case (Ugaritic only)

Nominative n Accusative a Genitive g

# **Examples** (following a noun or verb):

**X1cp** = Suffix FirstPerson common plural

**X3msXe** = Suffix ThirdPerson masculine singular followed by energicNun (The extra X is optional in HMT-W4 and does not denote a separate tag.)

Xp00y = WIVU tagging for a pronominal suffix that also has a Yod Compagnis **X3ms0a** = Suffix ThirdPerson masculine singular accusative (Ugaritic only)

## VERB (v)

### Stem

Qal q Nifal n Piel p Pual P Hitpael t Hifil h Hofal H Passive qal Q Palel a Hpealal b Pilel C Pilpel d Polel e Poel k Tifil m Polal f Polpal g Pulal

Poal 1 (letter)

Hotpaal u
Hitpolel v
Hitpalpel w
Hishtafel z
Nitpael x

Nitpalpel 7 (Mishnah) Nitpoel 8 (Mishnah) Hitpoel 9 (Qumran) Bqal © (Samaritan) Bpiel ∫ (Samaritan) Bnifal å (Samaritan) Bhitpael † (Samaritan) Bpassive piel  $\Pi$  (Samaritan) Passive piel  $\pi$  (Samaritan) Passive hifil √ (Samaritan) Aphel **A** (Aramaic) Haphel **B** (Aramaic) Hishtaphel H (Aramaic)

Hithaphel E (Qumran Aramaic)

Hithpaal **S** (Aramaic)

Hithpalpel '(Aramaic, unused?)

Hithpeel **F** (Aramaic) Hithpolel **G** (Aramaic) Hophal **D** (Aramaic) Ishtaphel I (Aramaic) Ithpaal K (Aramaic) Ithpeel L (Aramaic) Ithpoel **V** (Aramaic) Pael M (Aramaic) Peal N (Aramaic) Peil **O** (Aramaic) Apolel P (Aramaic)

Saphal **Q** (Aramaic Peshitta)

Shaphel R (Aramaic)

Apoel 1 (Aramaic Targums)
Palpel 2 (Aramaic Targums)
Ithpapel 3 (Aramaic, unused?)
Ithpolel 4 (Aramaic Targums)
Ittaphal 5 (Aramaic Targums)
Quadriradical 6 (Aramaic Targums)
Istaphel 8 (Aramaic Peshitta)

### Aspect

Perfect p (qatal)
Imperfect i (yiqtol)
Waw-consecutive w (wayyiqtol)

Imperative v
Infinitive construct c
Infinitive absolute a
Participle P
Passive Participle s

# Person (not used for participles)

First 1
Second 2
Third 3

### Gender

Masculine m
Feminine f
Common c

#### Number

Singular s
Plural p

Dual **d** (Ugaritic only)

#### State

Absolute a Construct c

Determined **d** (Aramaic only)

### Other

**Note: 1.** Jussive and Cohortative forms are used only in HMT-W4, and the entire string "stands" for one character in the converted tag.

Apocopated j (Note: in HMT-W4 this tag is Xa)

Consecutive s or {2}
Jussive both {1}Jt
Jussive form {1}Jf
Jussive meaning {1}Jm
Cohortative both {1}Ct
Cohortative form {1}Cf
Cohortative meaning {1}Cm

Cohortative heh Copulative c (WIVU only)
Quotation q (WIVU only)

### **Case** (Ugaritic only)

Nominative n
Accusative a
Genitive g

### **Examples:**

vqp3ms = Verb qal perfect thirdPerson masculine singular vpPfsa = Verb piel participle feminine singular absolute vni3mp{1}Jm = Verb nifal imperfect masculine plural jussiveMeaning