

REPRESENTATION

language — language designation

DESCRIPTION

The **language** tandem interpretation permits the identification of the language for a given textual or phonetic Humdrum representation.

Language tandem interpretations consist of a single asterisk, followed by the upper-case letter **L**, followed by a language keyword designator. Several pre-defined language tandem interpretations are illustrated in below.

SIGNIFIERS

The following table summarizes the mappings of signifiers and signifieds for language designations.

A-Z	upper-case Roman letters
a-z	lower-case Roman letters

Summary of **language** Signifiers

EXAMPLES

Examples of pre-defined language designations are given below:

Bengali	*LBengali
Croatian	*LHrvatski
Czech	*LCecha
Danish	*LDansk
Dutch	*LNederlands
English	*LEnglish
Finnish	*LSuomi
French	*LFrancais
German	*LDeutsch
Hindi	*LHindi
Italian	*LItaliano
Japanese	*LNihongo
Latin	*LLatin
Mandarin	*LPinying
Norwegian	*LNorsk

Polish	*LPolski
Portugese	*LPortugues
Romanian	*LRomana
Russian	*LRuski
Serbian	*LSrbski
Spanish	*LEspanol
Swahili	*LSwahili
Swedish	*LSvenska
Urdu	*LUrdu
Xhosa	*LIsixhosa
Zulu	*LIsizulu

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