

Seximal and Niftimal Dedicated Digits

Formation Logic and Equivalence

Digits, from 1 to 15, are formed summing the values of four quadrants; **pure seximal digits** use only quadrants with values 1 and 2; **niftimal digits** use also the 10 quadrant; a vertical line indicates that none of those quadrants are used, top or bottom; an open bowl, an angle or a “hook” indicates that only the left or right quadrant is used; a circle indicates that both the left and right quadrants are used; from 20 to 35, a dot above indicates “plus 20” over the digit’s value, and, from 40 to 55, two dots above indicate “plus 40.”

1	2
2	10

value with dedicated digits		dedicated digit		decimal value		niftimal value	
		value with regular digits					
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18
19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19
20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21
22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22
23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23
24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24
25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25
26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26
27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28
29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29
30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31
32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32
33	33	33	33	33	33	33	33
34	34	34	34	34	34	34	34
35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35
36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36
37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37
38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38
39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39
40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40
41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41
42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42
43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43
44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44
45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46
47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47
48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48
49	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51
52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52
53	53	53	53	53	53	53	53
54	54	54	54	54	54	54	54
55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55

Encoding

Encoding is proposed at the codepoints shown in the following table:

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F
F1A0	o	ɥ	ɹ	ɸ	ɔ	e	ɓ	ɖ	ɔ	9	ə	8	ö	ɥ	ɹ	ɸ
	F1A00	F1A01	F1A02	F1A03	F1A04	F1A05	F1A06	F1A07	F1A08	F1A09	F1A0A	F1A0B	F1A0C	F1A0D	F1A0E	F1A0F
F1A1	č	ě	š	ś	đ	ǵ	ə	8	ö	ɥ	ɹ	ɸ	č	ě	š	ś
	F1A10	F1A11	F1A12	F1A13	F1A14	F1A15	F1A16	F1A17	F1A18	F1A19	F1A1A	F1A1B	F1A1C	F1A1D	F1A1E	F1A1F
F1A2	ö	ɥ	ə	8	o	ɥ	ɹ	ɸ	ɔ	e	ɓ	ɖ	9	ə	8	
	F1A20	F1A21	F1A22	F1A23	F1A24	F1A25	F1A26	F1A27	F1A28	F1A29	F1A2A	F1A2B	F1A2C	F1A2D	F1A2E	F1A2F
F1A3	ö	ɥ	ə	8	č	ě	š	ś	đ	ǵ	ə	8	ö	ɥ	ɹ	ɸ
	F1A30	F1A31	F1A32	F1A33	F1A34	F1A35	F1A36	F1A37	F1A38	F1A39	F1A3A	F1A3B	F1A3C	F1A3D	F1A3E	F1A3F
F1A4	č	ě	š	ś	ö	ɥ	ə	8	o	ɥ	ɹ	ɸ	ɔ	e	ɓ	ɖ
	F1A40	F1A41	F1A42	F1A43	F1A44	F1A45	F1A46	F1A47	F1A48	F1A49	F1A4A	F1A4B	F1A4C	F1A4D	F1A4E	F1A4F
F1A5	ɔ	9	ə	8	ö	ɥ	ə	8	č	ě	š	ś	đ	ǵ	ə	8
	F1A50	F1A51	F1A52	F1A53	F1A54	F1A55	F1A56	F1A57	F1A58	F1A59	F1A5A	F1A5B	F1A5C	F1A5D	F1A5E	F1A5F
F1A6	ö	ɥ	ə	8	č	ě	š	ś	ö	ɥ	ə	8				
	F1A60	F1A61	F1A62	F1A63	F1A64	F1A65	F1A66	F1A67	F1A68	F1A69	F1A6A	F1A6B	F1A6C	F1A6D	F1A6E	F1A6F

Regular seximal digits are encoded from codepoints U+F1A00 to U+F1A05, and regular niftimal digits from U+F1A06 to U+F1A23; following are the superscript and subscript variants.

Fonts and how to type

There've been made two fonts:

1. Andika-Regular.ttf – a copy of Andika (created by SIL International), version 6.200, with the dedicated digits at the codepoints indicated previously;

2. AndikaBase6-Regular.ttf – a copy of Andika (created by SIL International), version 6.200, with regular digits from 0 to 5 replaced by the regular seximal dedicated digits o to e, and digits 6 to 9 replaced by the niftimal dedicated digits ɓ to 9; the dozenal digits ɔ (U+218A) and ɛ (U+218B) also have been replaced by ə and 8; the

superscript and subscript variants also have been replaced, so that 0123456789 yields 04P9Z05569 and 0123456789 yields 04P9Z05569;

Both fonts have niftimal digit ligatures activated, using the Zero Width Joiner (U+200D, ‍), as the trigger, as following:

Type	Andika	AndikaBase6
Regular		
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Z E	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Z E	o 4 P 9 Z 0 5 5 6 9 0 8
ZWJ + 00 01 02 03 04 05	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 10 11 12 13 14 15	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8
ZWJ + 20 21 22 23 24 25	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 30 31 32 33 34 35	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8
ZWJ + 40 41 42 43 44 45	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 50 51 52 53 54 55	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8
Superscript		
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	o 4 P 9 Z 0 5 5 6 9
ZWJ + 00 01 02 03 04 05	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 10 11 12 13 14 15	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8
ZWJ + 20 21 22 23 24 25	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 30 31 32 33 34 35	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8
ZWJ + 40 41 42 43 44 45	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 50 51 52 53 54 55	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8
Subscript		
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	o 4 P 9 Z 0 5 5 6 9
ZWJ + 00 01 02 03 04 05	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 10 11 12 13 14 15	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8
ZWJ + 20 21 22 23 24 25	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 30 31 32 33 34 35	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8
ZWJ + 40 41 42 43 44 45	o 4 P 9 Z 0	o 4 P 9 Z 0
ZWJ + 50 51 52 53 54 55	5 5 6 9 0 8	5 5 6 9 0 8