Subject: Re: Spreadsheet of OCBS data for dialect comparison
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Hi Mattis, here are two 200+ lists: Jingpo and Dulong, from

Huang Bufan et al. (1992) *Zang-Mian Yuzu Yuyan Cihui* [A Tibeto-Burman
Lexicon]. Beijing: Zhongyang Minzu Xueyuan Chubanshe.

typed by Varvara Kozhevina.

For a spreadsheet, I'll see what I can do. I need to get in touch with Bill which is
not easy these days.

Best,

Laurent

2015-01-31 10:16 GMT+01:00 Mattis List <mattis.list@lingpy.org>:
Dear Laurent,

is it possible to provide me with your Old Chinese reconstructions in
some spreadsheet form (like an Excel version of the OCBS 1.1, which is
only on PDF in the internet)? I would like to set up a general
infra-structure to quickly carry out alignments between Old Chinese,
Middle Chinese, and modern dialects. Sing Sing's data could be a first
test-case for this. I made some initial tests yesterday, and I think
that this could turn out to be useful and interesting in many ways: Once
one has the alignments between a given dialect and Old Chinese and
Middle Chinese, it is much easier to identify those cases, where sound
change patterns go beyond MCH (plus: one can automatically extract all
examples), and one could also identify stratifications and the like.

This is only for internal work at the moment, and I won't share the data
to outsiders without asking your permission, of course.

Best,

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