The selnolig package: Selective suppression of typographic ligatures*

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Abstract

The selnolig package lets users suppress typographic ligatures selectively, i.e., based on predefined search patterns. The search patterns focus on ligatures deemed inappropriate because they span morpheme boundaries. For example, the word shelfful, which is mentioned in the TEXbook as a word for which the "ff" ligature might be inappropriate, is automatically typeset as shelfful rather than as shelfful.

For English and German language documents, the selnolig package provides extensive rules for the selective suppression of so-called "common" ligatures. These comprise not only f-ligatures such as ff, fi, fl, ffi, and ffl, but also the ft and fft ligatures.

For English language documents, the package further provides ligature suppression macros for a number of so-called "discretionary" and "historic" ligatures such as &t, &t, and &p.

The selnolig package requires the LuaLTEX format provided by a reasonably modern TEX distribution, such as TEXLive 2012 or 2013 and MiKTEX 2.9.

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The main fontfaces used in this document are "Sabon Next LT Pro" (upright) and "Garamond Premier Pro" (italics). "EB Garamond" is used for words that involve the #k ligature. Both "Common" and "Discretionary" typographic ligatures are enabled for these fonts—and suppressed selectively using selnolig's macros.

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1 Introduction

The ability of TEX and Friends to use typographic ligatures has long been cherished by its users. Indeed, the automated and transparent use of typographic ligatures by TEX and Friends is often offered up as one of the reasons for using these programs to obtain high-quality typeset output.

However, even though the automatic use of typographic ligatures is highly desirable in general, there are words for which the use of certain typographic ligatures may not be appropriate. The TEXbook observes, on page 19, that the word shelfful may look better if it is typeset as "shelfful", i.e., without the ff-ligature, rather than as "shelfful". Some other English-language words that would generally be considered to be good candidates for non-use of ligatures are cufflink and offload; compare their appearance with that of cufflink and offload. Observe that all three of these words are composed of two morphemes: the first morpheme ends in an "f" or "ff" while the second morpheme starts with either an "f" (in the case of shelfful) or an "l" (in the cases of cufflink and offload). A morpheme, briefly stated, is the smallest linguistic unit within a word that bears distinct meaning; all words—other than nonsense words, I suppose—contain at least one morpheme. The words apple and orange contain one morpheme each, and the words apples, oranges, shelfful, cufflink, and offload each contain two morphemes. Stated formally, the main purpose of the selnolig package is to provide automated methods and rules to perform a selective breaking up (or suppression) of typographic ligatures that span morpheme boundaries.

For English language documents, the need to suppress typographic ligatures that span morpheme boundaries does not appear to be a hugely pressing typographic concern, possibly because English doesn't feature composite words that frequently. However, in other languages, such as German, composite words are much more common. In these languages, there is naturally a much greater potential for composite words to feature instances of ff, fi, f1 etc. across morpheme boundaries. In German typography, a ligature that spans a morpheme boundary appears to be something that should be avoided at (nearly) all cost, presumably because these ligatures have the potential to impair seriously the intelligibility of the composite words in question. Words such as elffach and kopflos simply look wrong to a German reader; they should be typeset as elffach and kopflos.¹

TEX and Friends offer several methods for suppressing ligatures on a case-by-case basis.² However, these methods must be applied separately to each and every occurrence of all words that contain unwanted ligatures. As such, these case-by-case methods are both time-intensive

¹For German texts, I believe that the *Duden* provides authoritative backing for questions related to selective ligature suppression. For English texts, I'm not aware of the existenc of a document, issued by an official or quasi-official body, that prescribes if and how ligatures that span morpheme boundaries should be suppressed. If anybody can provide such a reference, I would be happy to list it.

²In LTEX, there are three basic methods for suppressing ligature within a character pair: (i) insertion of an "empty atom", {} between the characters, (ii) insertion of an explicit italic correction, \/, and (iii) insertion of an explicit "kern", e.g., \kern0pt or \hspace{0pt}. The babel package, when used with the ngerman option, offers the "shortcut" macro "| for this purpose. Note, though, that the first ligature suppression method, {}, does not work if the document is compiled with Lual*TEX.

and tedious. Moreover, there's a residual risk that some words for which certain ligatures should be suppressed will be overlooked in the editing process.

What has *not* been available so far is a LATEX package that (a) provides a list of word patterns and entire words for which ligatures should be suppressed and (b) systematically discovers all instances of these patterns in a document and applies the non-ligation rules automatically to all words for which one or more pattern matches are found. The selnolig package is meant to address this need. The package is currently set up to handle non-ligation issues for English and German language documents by providing extensive lists of ligature suppression rules tailored to the respective languages. Of course, no claim as to the completeness of either list is made. The package therefore makes it straightforward for users to provide their own supplemental ligature suppression rules to treat words not already covered by the package.³

For both English and German language documents, the selnolig package provides macros to suppress *selectively* the following f-ligatures: ff, fi, fl, ffi, and ffl—the "standard" f-ligatures that should be familiar to most users of Computer Modern fonts—as well as the ft and fft ligatures. The latter two ligatures, while not provided by the Computer Modern and Latin Modern font families, are frequently available in oldstyle (also known as "Garalde") font families.⁴ Oldstyle-type font families generally feature a great variety of typographic ligatures. Given the popularity of these font families for typesetting documents, it seem incumbent on the selnolig package to provide ligature suppression rules for the ligatures provided by these font families.

For both English and German language documents, the fb, fh, fj, and fk ligatures are suppressed *globally*; see also Section 5.3. However, exceptions are provided in order not to suppress these ligatures for selected words of *non-English/German* origin, such as fjord, fjell, Prokofjew, and Kafka.

For English language documents, the selnolig package recognizes an option called broadf; if it is set, additional f-ligatures will be suppressed selectively. The package also features an option called hdlig to provide selective ligature suppression for discretionary (aka rare) and historic ligatures, including the &, &t, and &p character pairs. Ligature suppression rules are also provided for the character pairs &k, th, at, et, as, is, and us. At this time, no macros for the selective suppression of ligatures classified as historic and/or discretionary are provided for German language documents.⁵

The selnolig package also provides supplemental hyphenation exception lists for both English and German language words. The words in these lists are generally composite and contain one or more typographic ligatures that should be suppressed.

³If you discover such words, please email them to me so that I can augment and update the package's ligature suppression rules. A suggested template for reporting such cases is provided in Appendix E.

⁴Some oldstyle font families render the "ft" and "fft" ligatures as "ft" and "fft", respectively.

⁵A remark on the classification of various forms of typographic ligatures in OpenType fonts: Among the ligaturerich OpenType fonts I'm familiar with, there appears to little terminological standardization as to which typographic ligatures are labelled "historic" and which ones are labelled "discretionary." To wit, the fonts Latin Modern Roman, Garamond Premier Pro, and Hoefler Text report having "only" discretionary ligatures, whereas Junicode, Cardo, EB Garamond, and Palatino Linotype report having both historic and discretionary ligatures. Interestingly, none of these fonts report having ligatures classified as either "contextual" or "required".

2 I'm in a hurry! How do I start using this package?

2.1 How do I load the selnolig package?

• If your document is in English and you want to suppress f-ligatures for a "basic" set of words and word patterns, you should load the package as follows:

```
\usepackage[english]{selnolig}
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Synonymous language options for english are UKenglish, british, USenglish, american, canadian, australian, and newzealand.

If you want to load a broader set of f-ligature suppression rules than the set that's enabled by default, be sure to also specify the option broadf; see Section 4.5. If you enable "historic" and/or "discretionary" ligatures (e.g., &t, &t, &p, th, as, is, and us) for your document's text font(s), be sure to specify the option hdlig as well. The options hdlig and broadf may be specified independently.

• If your document is written in German, load the package as follows:

```
\usepackage[ngerman]{selnolig}
```

Synonymous language options are german, austrian, naustrian, swissgerman, and swiss.

• If you load the package without an explicit language option, i.e., as

```
\usepackage{selnolig}
```

but if one or more of the language options noted above are specified as options in the \documentclass instruction, LATEX will pass these options on to the selnolig package.

• If no language options are set, either when the package is loaded or as options in the \documentclass instruction, you will need to specify various \nolig macros yourself in order to affect the suppression of typographic ligatures in your document.

2.2 Any hints on how to get started with LuaLATEX?

The ligature suppression macros of the selnolig package *require* the use of LualATEX; they will not work under either pdflaTEX or XHATEX.⁶ If you've been using pdflaTEX until now, the requirement to use LualATEX will likely force you to make some changes to your existing documents. Fortunately, these changes should be minor and straightforward to implement, because LualATEX is (for the most part) a strict superset of pdflaTEX. Almost all documents that compile correctly under pdflaTEX should also compile correctly under LualATEX. The two main required changes are:

⁶If the selnolig package is not run under Lual^ATEX, a warning message will be issued and only the package's supplemental hyphenation rules will be available to the user.

- (i) Do not load the inputenc and fontenc packages.
- (ii) Insert the instruction \usepackage{fontspec} in the preamble.⁷ Then, use commands such as \fontspec and \setmainfont to load the fonts you wish to use.

Depending on your TEX distribution, the default font family used by LuaLATEX will be either Computer Modern or Latin Modern. If you wish to use a different font family, further font-related instructions will be required. *How* to specify fonts and font families and set up various font-related options in LuaLATEX are topics that go far beyond the scope of this user guide. I urge you to become familiar with the very well-written user guide of the fontspec package.

The TEX distribution you use will need to feature a fairly recent version of LualATEX. TEXLive 2013, TEXLive 2012, and MiKTEX 2.9 satisfy this requirement; versions of TEXLive before 2011 probably do not. If you use a command-line interface to compile a document named, say, myfile.tex, type

lualatex myfile

rather than latex myfile (or pdflatex myfile) to use LuaLATEX. If you use an editor with pull-down menus or buttons to invoke a suitable compiler, be sure to select LuaLaTeX.

The first time one runs LuaLATEX on a document with a new set of fonts, the compilation speed will likely be quite slow, because LuaLATEX has to create various cache files to store font-related information. Subsequent compilation runs should be much faster.

The answers to the questions Frequently loaded packages: Differences between pdfLATEX and LuaLATEX? and Using LuaTEX as a replacement for pdfTEX, both posted to tex.stackexchange.com, provide very useful information for people who are new to LuaLATEX but at least somewhat familiar with pdfLATEXs ways of getting things done. Another great resource for people who wish to become more familiar with LuaLATEX is A Guide to LuaLATEX by Manuel Pégourié-Gonnard.

2.3 Anything else I need to do or know?

For multilingual support, LualATEX and the selnolig package work well with the babel package. If your document loads the babel package, be sure to load the selnolig package *after* the babel package, so that the supplemental hyphenation patterns provided by the selnolig package won't get clobbered by babel's hyphenation settings. The selnolig package is also compatible with the hyphsubst package (which, if used, should be loaded with a \RequirePackage statement *before* the \documentclass instruction).

LualATEX natively supports the so-called UTF-8 input encoding scheme; in fact, it is also the *only* input encoding scheme that LualATEX knows about. The selnolig package assumes that TEX files it operates on conform to this input encoding method. Nowadays, many modern TEX-aware editors support UTF-8 directly, and selnolig should have no problems with TEX files

⁷If the selnolig package is run under LuaL^ATEX but the fontspec package isn't loaded by the time the \begin{document} statement is encountered, selnolig will terminate with an error message.

produced by these editors. Legacy files, however, may use other input encoding systems. If your input files currently use a different input encoding scheme, such as LATINI, you must convert them to UTF-8. Several methods exist for changing a file's input encoding scheme; see the question How to change a .tex file's input encoding system (preferably to UTF-8)? and the associated answers on tex.stackexchage.com for some possibilities.

If your document is written in German, it is assumed that all vowels with diereses (Umlaute) are entered as ä, ö, ü, etc. rather than, say, as \"{a}, \"{o}, and \"{u} or, if you tend to use the babel "shortcuts", as "a, "o, and "u. Likewise, it's assumed that you enter the "eszett" ("scharfes s") character as ß rather than as \ss. It is also assumed that you use the triple-f (modern) spelling of words such as Schifffahrt, Stofffarbe, and grifffest as well as the double-t (modern) spelling of words such as Mannschafttest.

Finally, all babel-style "| ligature-suppressing shortcuts should either be removed entirely or be replaced with \breaklig instructions. (The selnolig package's \breaklig macro is explained in Section 4.2 below.) On my LualATEX system (MacTeX 2012), whenever a "| command is encountered, a bad crash occurs that requires a reboot of the computer.

3 The selnolig package's approach to breaking up ligatures

3.1 Preliminaries: Free, derivational, and inflectional morphemes

[[To be written]]

3.2 Ligature suppression: English language case

Typographic ligatures are suppressed selectively in the following cases:

- if two free morphemes are joined: halfline → halfline, shelflife → shelflife, rooftop → rooftop, halftone → halftone, wolftrap → wolftrap, houndstooth → houndstooth, arctangent → arctangent, newspaper → newspaper, clothespin → clothespin, etc.
- if a prefix (almost invariably a derivational morpheme) and main word are joined: offload
 → offload, mistrust → mistrust, display → display, etc.
- if a main word and a suffix are joined, *if* the suffix is a derivational morpheme that begins with an f or an l: shelfful \rightarrow shelfful, leafless \rightarrow leafless, dwarflike \rightarrow dwarflike, etc.
- The ft ligature is also suppressed in words that end in fth: fifth → fifth, and twelfth →
 twelfth. Note that the particle th in these words is a derivational morpheme. Moreover, at
 least in English, the th character pair is pronounced in a distinctive way. If the ft ligature
 were not suppressed, the readability of these would likely suffer.

In addition, if the broadf option is set, the selnolig package will suppress ligatures that arise if the main word ends in f and the suffix starts with an i (in which case it's usually a derivational

morpheme): elfin, selfish, golfing, surfing, beefier, fluffily, goofiness, standoffish, jiffies, buffiest. Note that the option broadf is *not* enabled by default. This is because I believe that any slight gain in readability that could result from breaking up the fi and ffi ligatures between word stems and suffixes of this type would be more than outweighed by the visual clashes created between the unligated f (ff) and i glyphs.

3.3 Ligature suppression: German language case

For German words, the following exceptions and adjustments, built mainly from rules stated in the *Duden* and various websites that have taken an interest in this subject, apply:

- Should the combination of a main word and suffix give rise to an fi or ffi ligature, this ligature is *not* suppressed. Examples: streifig and affig.
 - However, the fi and ffi ligatures *are* suppressed if two (or more) free morphemes are joined together: Schilfinsel, Zupfinstrument, Baustoffingenieur, and Wasserstoffionen.
- For some potentially ambiguous cases that could give rise to an fl-ligature at the juncture of a main word (Stammwort) and a suffix, preference is given to "how the syllables are pronounced and how a word would be hyphenated" (according to the Duden), leading to a suppression of the fl-ligature. For instance, the fl-ligature is suppressed in Verzweiflung, schweflig, and würflig.⁸
 - This convention may also be applied to justify the non-use of the fl-ligature in words such as knifflig and mufflig as well as in the present-tense/first-person-singular forms of verbs such as büffeln, löffeln, schaufeln, stiefeln, verteufeln, and zweifeln: they are typeset *without* the fl-ligature, i.e., as büffle, löffle, schaufle, stiefle, verteufle, and zweifle, respectively.
- If a word *ends* with an f1 character pair (say, because of an abbreviation that's in effect), the fl ligature *is* used even if the f and l characters belong to different morphemes. E.g., in the abbreviation "Aufl," the fl-ligature *is* employed even though the ligature isn't used in the unabbreviated form of the word (*viz.*, Auflage).
 - This convention may also be employed to justify the use of the ff-ligature in the abbreviation "Auff." (short for Aufführung, say) and of the ft-ligature in the abbreviation "Auft." (short for Auftrag, say).

⁸In my opinion, this reasoning for suppressing fl-ligatures for such words is not entirely satisfactory because, morphologically speaking, the words Schwefel, Würfel, and Zweifel contain two morphemes: a stem and the *derivational* morpheme el: Schwef|el, Würf|el, and Zweif|el. It is therefore not strictly necessary to appeal to a new rule to decide on the (non-)use of ligatures; instead, one could rely on the presence of two (or more) morphemes to motivate the suppression of the fl-ligature for words such as schweflig, teuflisch, würfle, and Verzweiflung, as their components are schwef|[e]1|ig, etc. I believe, though, that it's fair to say that most modern German speakers would barely notice the el morpheme in Würfel ("wurf"-el) and that they would be entirely unaware of its presence in Schwefel and Zweifel. At any rate, the typographical convention *not* to use the fl-ligature for these and similar words does not appear to be based on the fact that the f and l letters belong to different morphemes.

This convention further suggests that it's permissible to use the ffi- and ffl-ligatures in abbreviated names such as Steffi and Steffi since the ligatures occur at the very ends of the names.

- The convention mentioned in the preceding bullet point could also be taken to imply that ft and fft ligatures may be used *if* they occur at the very ends of words and word fragments that form syllables, as in verschärft, gerafft, and Unbedarftheit. Note that the "t" at the end of these words and word fragments represents an *inflectional* morpheme: it indicates a change in the tense of the underlying verb but does not change the word's meaning entirely.
- Relatedly, should the ft and fft ligatures be broken up for words that contain suffixes such as -f-te, -f-ten, -f-tes, etc. (e.g., gestreifte, schlürftest, and rafften)? Because the suffixes are "merely" inflectional morphemes rather than either derivational morphemes or free morphemes, the selnolig package for now takes the approach of *not* breaking up the ft and fft ligatures in these cases. However, I must admit that I haven't yet come across an authoritative discussion of this issue. I would be willing to change this setting, i.e., let the ft and fft ligatures be broken up, should someone be able to furnish a good argument (which may even be a reference to a typographic convention) that pertains to this issue.
- Here's a separate case for which I have not yet found a clear rule. If a morpheme ends in "ft" (e.g., Saft and Luft) and is followed by a suffix that starts with an i, as in saftig and luftig, one could typeset these words either as saftig and luftig (because the ft character pair belongs to a single morpheme), or one could give preference to the way the words are hyphenated and pronounced and thus not use the ft-ligature, i.e., typeset them as saftig and luftig, respectively. For now, the selnolig package implements the former option. As already noted, though, I have not yet found an authoritative reference on how this case should be treated. Clear guidance on this typographical issue would be much appreciated.

4 Structure of the package

4.1 Components of the package

The selnolig package has the following components:

- The main "driver" file is called selnolig.sty. It loads several other files and sets up the the package's main user macros, \nolig and \keeplig. These macros are explained in more detail in Section 4.2 below.
- The package's user macros rely on lua code contained in the file selnolig.lua.
- Extensive lists of non-ligation rules for English and German language documents are provided in the files selnolig-english-patterns.sty and selnolig-english-patterns.sty.

- Supplemental hyphenation exception patterns, mostly for words that involve one or more ligatures that are to be suppressed, are contained in the files selnolig-english-hyphex.sty and selnolig-english-hyphex.sty.
- A user guide (the document you're reading right now); the source code of the user guide is available in the file selnolig.tex.
- Ancillary files: the files selnolig-english-test.tex and selnolig-german-test.tex load the selnolig package as well as either selnolig-english-wordlist.tex or selnolig-german-wordlist.tex. They serve to demonstrate the output of the selnolig package when run on lists of English or German words that are candidates for non-use of ligatures. The files selnolig-english-test.pdf and selnolig-german-test.pdf contain the results of compiling the test programs.⁹

4.2 The package's user commands

The file selnolig.sty should be loaded with a \usepackage statement, generally with one or more options; see Section 5 for a discussion of the available options.

After setting up several Boolean switches to structure the processing of options, the package next loads the file selnolig.lua, which contains the package's lua code. The package then sets up several user macros which build on the lua code.

4.2.1 The \nolig macro

The package's main user macro is called \nolig. Each \nolig instruction takes two arguments: a search string and a string that indicates the insertion point for the non-ligation "whatsit". For example, the macro

```
\nolig{lfful}{lf|ful}
```

instructs LuaLIEX to suppress automatically the ff-ligature in words such as "shelfful", "bookshelfful", and "selffulfilling".

More than one ligature suppression point may be provided in the second argument of a \nolig instruction. For instance, one *could* specify \nolig{Auflaufform}{Auf|lauf|form} to suppress both the fl- and the ff-ligature in this word. However, for added flexibility, the selnolig package actually uses two separate \nolig commands.

It is possible to use Lua-style wildcard characters in the search string, as long as these characters occur *after* the non-ligation point. For example, the file selnolig-german-patterns.sty employs the instructions

```
\nolig{Dorff[aäeiloöruü]}{Dorf|f}
\nolig{dorff[aäeiloöruü]}{dorf|f}
```

⁹The two "test" files also load the package showhyphens to indicate automatically all instances where LuaL*TEX might insert hyphenation points.

to search for words that contain the strings Dorff and dorff followed by a letter in the set aäeiloöruü. ¹⁰ Incidentally, it is not absolutely necessary, in the second argument of the \nolig command, to provide any material *after* the vertical bar that indicates the non-ligation point. However, the readability of your \nolig instructions may suffer if you suppress that material.

If you examine the \nolig instructions provided in the files selnolig-german-patterns.sty and selnolig-english-patterns.sty, you'll notice quickly that there's some redundancy built into the package's ligature suppression rules. For instance, the need to suppress the ff-ligature in the verb "auffallen" is catered to both by \nolig{auff}{auff} auf|f} and by \nolig{ffall}{ffall}. This redundancy is there by design, because not all words that might fit one pattern will also fit the other. Providing some redundancy of this type seems like a reasonable way to proceed.

The arguments of the \nolig command, as well as of the package's other user commands, are case-sensitive.

4.2.2 The \keeplig macro

The macro \keeplig{<string>} lets users override \nolig instructions selectively, i.e., words that contain fragment <string> will not see the corresponding \nolig instruction enforced. For a \keeplig macro to work properly, its argument must be a string that includes as a subset a string treated by a \nolig instruction.

Having the \keeplig macro is very useful because it permits the specification of simpler, i.e., less restrictive, \nolig instructions; any Type-II errors that may arise from having \nolig macros whose scope may be insufficiently restrictive can be fixed by providing judiciously chosen \keeplig macros.

Consider the following example: If the ngerman option is set, the package uses the macro

\nolig{flich}{f|lich}

to break up the fl-ligature (correctly!) in begrifflich, beruflich, brieflich, glimpflich, hilflich, höflich, käuflich, sträflich, tariflich, trefflich, unerschöpflich, verwerflich—and quite a few more words that contain the suffix -lich—as well as in Lauflicht. The scope of this \nolig macro is a bit too broad, though, because it also operates on words such as Pflicht and verpflichten for which the fl-ligature should *not* be suppressed. Rather than provide a large number of slightly more restrictive \nolig macros just to avoid including the Pflicht- and pflicht-words in the preceding \nolig instruction, the package provides the command

\keeplig{flicht}

This macro serves to override the action of the \nolig{flich}{f|lich} instruction for all words that contain the string flicht. Most words affected by this \keeplig instruction contain the morpheme "Pflicht". However, this instruction also serves to preserve the fl-ligature in words

¹⁰These particular search strings are used so as not to suppress the ff-ligatures in words that *end* in either Dorff as dorff, such as the surnames Dorff and Hausdorff.

such as "anflicht" and "verflicht"—the third-person-singular forms of verbs that contain the morpheme flecht(en).

The earlier statement, that a \keeplig command serves to undo the action of a \nolig command, does *not* automatically imply that the ligature(s) suppressed by a \nolig command will now be used after all. Why not? It is because—as also noted above—*more than one* \nolig instruction can apply to a given word. Consider, for instance, the aforementioned word Lauflicht, which is caught by two \nolig rules and one \keeplig rule provided by the selnolig packarge:

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\nolig{aufl}{auf|1}
\nolig{flich}{f|lich}
\keeplig{flicht}
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Because the string aufl is *not* a subset of the string flicht, the instruction \keeplig{flicht} does not undo the action of \nolig{aufl}{aufl}. This is why the word Lauflicht ends up being typeset (correctly!) as Lauflicht, i.e., *without* an fl-ligature.

Just as it is possible to override the action of a \nolig command with a subsequent \keeplig command, it is also possible to override the action of a \keeplig macro with a more specific \nolig command. For instance, it turns out that the instruction \keeplig{flicht} instruction is also a bit too broad, because it affects the typesetting of the word Sumpflicht (swamp light), for which the fl-ligature *should* in fact be suppressed. To address this case, the file selnolig-german-patterns.sty provides the macros

```
\nolig{Sumpflicht}{Sumpf|licht}
\nolig{sumpflicht}{sumpf|licht}
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Incidentally, it turns out that the second of these \nolig macros has to be fine-tuned further, by providing still more \keeplig macros to deal with words such Visumpflicht, Konsumpflicht, and Impressumpflicht. Nobody has ever claimed that the rules of German typography are simple, right?

4.2.3 The \breaklig macro

The macro \breaklig, which doesn't take an argument, is provided as a hopefully easy-to-remember version of the lower-level LATEX command \-\hspace{0pt}. As its name suggests, you should insert this macro in places where you want to break up a ligature on an ad-hoc basis (and also wish to permit hyphenation to occur). For instance, to suppress the *sk* ligature in the word groundskeeper on a one-off basis, one might enter it as "grounds\breaklig keeper" to get *groundskeeper* rather than *groundskeeper*.¹¹

Incidentally, the selnolig package does not provide a dedicated macro to override the action of a \nolig instruction on an ad hoc basis, i.e., to force the use of a typographic ligature on a one-off basis. This is because the LATEX command \mbox{<string>} already provides this capability.

¹¹To suppress the *Sk* ligature globally for this word, as well as for words such as *greenskeeper* and *miskeep*, one could issue the directive \nolig{skeep}{s|keep}. The selnolig package does so.

4.3 Final steps in the package's startup process

The final few steps in the startup process depend on which language-related options are set.

- If *no* language-specific options are in effect, the loading process terminates. Users may still provide their own \nolig, \keeplig, and \breaklig instructions, of course.
- If the english option (or one of its synonymous options) is set, the files selnolig-english-patterns.sty and selnolig-english-hyphex.sty are loaded. The former file contains a long list of \nolig macros adapted to English language typographic usage; Appendix A provides a complete listing of these macros. The latter file contains a list of hyphenation exceptions, mainly for words that contain one or more potential non-ligation points and for which TEX's hypenation algorithm either misses valid hyphenation points or selects invalid hyphenation points; see Section 6.2 below.
- If the ngerman option (or one of its synonymous options) is set, the files selnolig-german-patterns.sty and selnolig-german-hyphex.sty are loaded. The former file contains ligature-suppressing instructions appropriate for German typographic usage; Appendix B lists its contents. The latter file provides additional hyphenation rules for German-language words.
- If the user specifies both the english and ngerman options (or some of their synonymous options), *both* language-specific style files will be loaded. Under normal circumstances, a user will probably want to load only one or the other set of language-specific files, but not both sets.

4.4 The package's main language options

The selnolig package currently offers two main language-specific options:

- english; synonyms: british, ukenglish, UKenglish, american, usenglish, USenglish, canadian, australian, and newzealand.
- ngerman; synonyms: german, austrian, naustrian, swiss, and swissgerman.

These language options may be used either individually or jointly. Indeed, this package's user guide was compiled with both the english and ngerman options set.

The ligature suppression rules associated with English and German are listed in Appendices A and B, respectively.

4.5 English language case: The broadf and hdlig options

The ligature suppression patterns listed in Appendix A for English language words are grouped into four parts. The first two parts concern the suppression of various "common" f-ligatures.

Part I provides a fairly limited, or "basic", set of patterns that will always be executed, and Part 2 contains a broader set of ligation suppression rules that will be executed if the broadf option is specified.

For English-language documents, only a fairly small number of the f-ligature suppression rules is enabled by default, i.e., if the broadf option is not enabled. Eliminating *all* f-ligatures that cross morpheme boundaries simply does not appear to be a major concern in English-language typography. Whereas many (maybe most?) people would agree that it's advisable not to use the ffi-ligature in words such as chaffinch and wolffish, and not to use the ffl-ligature in words such as scofflaw and offload, there appears to be far less of a perceived need to suppress the fi (ffi) ligature in the far more commonly occurring words that end in f (ff) followed by the particles -ing, -ish, -ier, -iest, -ily, and -iness. The same goes for the fl (ffl) ligature in words that end in f (ff) followed by -ly. That is why only a few f-ligature suppression macros are enabled by default if the english option is set. To enable the broader set of f-ligature suppression rules, users must set the broadf option explicitly.

My choices regarding which f-ligature suppression rules belong to the "basic-f" and "broadf" groups are almost entirely pragmatic. They are certainly not based on any overriding English-language typographic principles (which, possibly, don't even exist). However, if anyone happens to have a strong view on whether either *fewer* or *more* f-ligature suppression macros should be included in the "basic" group—especially if you can provide references to such discussions in learned circles—I would love to hear from you.

Part 3 of the file selnolig-english-patterns.sty, which is enabled if the hdlig option is set, provides ligature suppression patterns involving the ct , st , and sp ligatures. Examples are words such as arctangent (rather than arctangent), painstaking (rather than painstaking), and trespass (worse: trespass). Furthermore, the st and sp ligatures are suppressed automatically for words of Greek roots that contain the sth and sph character triples, such as anaesthesia, isthmus, atmosphere and hemisphere. In such cases, I'd argue that using the distinctive-looking st and sph ligatures unnecessarily obscures the th and ph character pairs (which derive from the Greek letters $\operatorname{\theta}$ or $\operatorname{\theta}$, and $\operatorname{\phi}$ or $\operatorname{\varphi}$, respectively). Given that the ph pair, in words that contain an sph character triple, is usually pronounced as f , readability of the words in question would likely suffer if they were typeset as atmosphere and spherical, respectively.

Setting the hdlig option also enables ligature suppression rules for additional discretionary ligatures such as th, at, and et. Using these ligatures might be deemed inappropriate if used in words such as lighthouse, pothole, aromatherapy, albatross, ninety, and nonetheless; with the hdlig option set, these words will be typeset as lighthouse, pothole, aromatherapy, albatross, ninety, and nonetheless. Ligature suppression rules are provided for the following discretionary ligatures, which occur only in the italic font shape of the font family used in this document: th, at, et, as, is, us, 5k, ll, and fr. Part 3 of Appendix A lists these rules.

¹² Examples of such words are surfing, oafish, leafier, goofiest, fluffily, and goofiness.

¹³Examples are aloofly and gruffly.

Part 4 of this file, which is also processed if the hdlig option is set, deals with cases where one discretionary typographic literature, say as, pre-empts the use of a typographic ligature, say \mathcal{B} or \mathcal{B} , in words such as $fast \to fast$ and $clasp \to clasp$. Note that the issue being addressed in this part is not that of a ligature crossing a morpheme boundary but of the pre-emption of one typographic ligature by another ligature within the same morpheme. This issue is discussed in more detail in Section 5.4.

5 Additional ligature-related matters

5.1 Composite words with ambiguous morphology

There may be pairs of composite words which look alike but are made up of two different pairs of morphemes. For instance, the German words Saufladen and Wachstube may be constructed as Sauf-laden/Sau-fladen and as Wachs-tube/Wach-stube, respectively. In one case, using the fl and st ligatures would be wrong; in the other, using the ligatures would help greatly in indicating the intended meaning of the composite words. For words such as these, software isn't—and won't be for a quite a while to come—smart enough to "know" on its own which possible meaning is intended. Writers, of course, can choose to insert explicit hyphen characters to indicate unambiguously the intended meaning.¹⁴

An even more complicated example is the word Chefinnenleben, which contains three morphemes. This word can be deconstructed as Chefinnenleben ("lives of female bosses") or as Chefinnenleben ("inner life, or lives, of a boss"). Here, the middle morpheme—"innen"—can function both as a suffix to "Chef" and as a prefix to "Leben".

The macros of the selnolig package are set *not* break up the fi-ligature in the shorter words Chefin and Chefinnen, in keeping with the principle that the fi-ligature is permitted for suffixes that start with an "i". In contrast, selnolig will break up the fi-ligature in the longer words Chefinnenleben and Chefinnenräume, as in these cases the assumption is made that the morpheme innen ("inner") acts as a prefix to the third morpheme. If this is *not* what you want, i.e., if you do mean to refer to lives and spaces of female bosses, be sure to use \mbox{fi} instructions where appropriate. Better yet: write the words in question using explicit hyphens, i.e., either as Chef-Innenleben and Chef-Innenräume or as Chefinnen-Leben and Chefinnen-Räume. That way, you'll be sure to eliminate any lingering doubts as to what you're talking about.

5.2 How to provide additional ligature suppression patterns

As already noted, I do not claim that the non-ligation search-and-insert patterns set up in selnolig-english-patterns.sty and selnolig-german-patterns.sty are complete or, for that matter, ever

¹⁴It turns out that if the ngerman option is set and the babel package is loaded as well, the selnolig package will break up the fl ligature in Saufladen but not the st ligature in Wachstube, i.e., the words will be typeset as "Saufladen" and "Wachstube", respectively. If that's not what you want, you'll need to mark up the words explicitly, say as follows: Sau\mbox{f1}aden and Wachs\breaklig tube.

will be entirely complete. If you come across words containing ligatures that ought to be suppressed but aren't caught, it is straightforward to create one or more new non-ligation rules to deal with the cases you've discovered.

Suppose, say, that you need to prepare a special edition of Thomas Mann's novel "Der Tod in Venedig". Suppose further that you have chosen to use an "Antiqua" (Roman) font to typeset the new edition, as fewer and fewer people nowadays can manage to read with ease text set in a period-appropriate blackletter font; of course, the font you've chosen features an ffl-ligature. During these preparations, you happen to notice (i) that the novel contains the word inbegriffleitend¹⁵ and (ii) that the selnolig package does not (yet) appear to include a macro to suppress the unwanted ffl-ligature for this word. To address this problem—while simultaneously creating a search pattern that also catches inappropriate ffl-ligatures in the (hopefully quite a bit more common!) words Jugendtreffleiter and Kunststoffleitung—you could add the following \nolig macro to your document's preamble:

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\nolig{ffleit}{ff|leit}
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With this macro in place, the words will be typeset as inbegriffleitend, Jugendtreffleiter, and Kunststoffleitung.¹⁶

5.3 How to use the selnolig package to suppress certain ligatures globally

The main purpose of the selnolig package is, obviously, to disable certain ligatures selectively. However, it can also be used to suppress ligation globally for selected character pairs.¹⁷

For instance, suppose that you are typesetting a Turkish text. The Turkish alphabet features both a dotted i and a dotless I character. I understand that in Turkish typesetting practice, the fi and ffi ligatures should *never* be employed in order to avoid creating doubt as to whether it's an i or an I that follows the "f" character. To satisfy the need of Turkish typography for global suppression of the fi and ffi ligatures, one could issue the command \nolig{fi}{fi} i in the preamble of the document.

Or, suppose that you have a font that provides ligatures for the fb, fh, fj, and fk character pairs (as well as, possibly, the ffb, ffh, ffj, and ffk character triples). If you wanted to suppress the four former f-ligatures globally (and also break up the latter ligatures into ffb, ffh, ffj, and ffk, respectively), you could do so by issuing the following commands:

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\nolig{fb}{f|b}
\nolig{fh}{f|h}
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¹⁵This word really does occur in the aforementioned novel! This novel may also be pretty much the *only* place where the word inbegriffleitend is used. I performed a Google search for this word; the only occurrences of this word, apart from online editions of Thomas Mann's novel, are on sites of a couple of French bloggers who agonize over how this word might possibly be translated from German to French...

¹⁶The file selnolig-german-patterns.sty provides the more general (i.e., less restrictive) macro \nolig{fleit}{f|leit} to cover these and further words.

¹⁷I first became aware of the potential need for such a feature from reading Frank Mittelbach's posting, Suppress certain ligatures generally, on tex.stackexchange.com.

\nolig{fj}{f|j}
\nolig{fk}{f|k}

In fact, these commands are activated automatically if the package's ngerman or english options are set. This is done because I was unable to come up with a single instance of a *German* or *English* language word involving these character combinations that doesn't also involve a morpheme boundary collision.

Of course, your document may contain words *not* of German or English origin that contain some of these character pairs and do not involve a morpheme boundary crossing. For such words, it is not desirable to suppress the corresponding ligatures. One such word is Kafka: one may not wish to suppress the fk-ligature for this specific word. The selnolig package provides \keeplig macros to preserve the fk-ligature in names such as Kafka, Safka, Piefke, Potrafke, Sprafke, Shirafkan, and Tirafkan.¹⁸

Or, suppose that your document features words of *Nordic* origin that contain the fj character pair, such as Sognefjord and Dovrefjell. Because the fj character pair contained in these words does not span a morpheme boundary, the fj-ligature should not be broken up; i.e., the words should be typeset as Sognefjord and Dovrefjell, respectively. The package therefore provides \keeplig macros to take care of (a) words that contain the particles fjord, fjör, fjell, and fjäll and (b) names such as Eefje, Sufjan, Prokofjew, and Astafjew.

Here's a case not involving a "common" but a "rare" typographic ligature that may warrant global suppression, at least for English language documents: *ij*. ¹⁹ To the best of my knowledge, a morpheme boundary crossing occurs for all English language words that contain the ij character pair: *antijam*, *bijection*, *demijohns*, and *hijack*; by the logic set forth above, this ligature should therefore be suppressed for these words. ²⁰ The *ij* ligature also seems inappropriate for most words that came into English from languages such as French, Japanese, and Spanish, including *bijou* (jewel), *gaijin* (foreigner), *jipijapa* (Panama hat), and *marijuana* (Maryjane). (Wait: were you maybe thinking of something different?!) The *ij* ligature is therefore suppressed *globally* by the selnolig package if the options english and hdlig are set. However, this ligature *does* get used a lot in Dutch. Thus, the package makes exceptions so that this ligature isn't suppressed for some names and words of Dutch origin, such as *de Bruijn* and *rijsttafel*. ²¹

¹⁸Aside: It was Felix Lehmann's desire to preserve the fk ligature when typesetting "Kafka" that stimulated the creation of the package's \keeplig macro. Of course, once the \keeplig macro was created, all kinds of further great uses for this macro were quickly discovered.

¹⁹In many fonts I'm familiar with, including the one used for this user guide, the ij character pair is available in the upright font shape as a *digraph* rather than as a true, i.e., joined-up ligature. This is why, for the purposes of this discussion, I'm only concerned with the italic shape of the ij pair.

²⁰If this ligature weren't suppressed, the preceding words would be typeset as *antijam*, *bijection*, *demijohns*, and *bijack*—making them look rather strange. This is obviously just my personal opinion; others may disagree.

²¹The word *rijstrafel*, incidentally, features three consecutive "rare" ligatures. Another word that contains three rare ligatures, though not consecutive ones, is *isthmus*.

5.4 What if one ligature threatens to pre-empt a subsequent, more appropriate ligature?

If a font provides many discretionary ligatures, the likelihood increases that the use of a ligature for the first two characters of a character *triple* might pre-empt the use of a more appropriate ligature for the last two characters of that triple.²² In this section, we examine the use of \nolig instructions to address this contingency, focusing on cases of \mathcal{S} , \mathcal{S} ,

Ligatures for as, is, and us that pre-empt an st ligature

Suppose that the text font in use provides ligatures for the *as*, *is*, and *us* character pairs as well as for the *st* character pair. By TEX's rules for forming typographic ligatures, words that contain the character *triples* ast, ist, or ust will see the first two characters ligated, pre-empting the use of a typographic ligature for the trailing *st* character pair. There are (at least) three distinct reasons why this outcome may not be desirable.

First, given the rather distinctive look of the \$\mathcal{I}\$ ligature, the word stochastic may look a bit odd if the \$\mathcal{I}\$ ligature is used only once—\$\mathcal{I}\$ochastic—simply because the \$as\$ ligature pre-empts the second \$\mathcal{I}\$ ligature; readers may prefer the look of \$\mathcal{I}\$ochastic. Second, non-use of the \$\mathcal{S}\$/\$\mathcal{I}\$ ligature may be undesirable if the same word occurs twice and in close visual proximity, once set in the upright font shape—for which there are no ligatures for the as, is, and us character pairs, and hence for which the issue of ligature pre-emption doesn't arise—and once in italics: must and *must\$; readers may prefer the look of must and *must\$. Or, consider the words "historian" and "history" when typesetting them in italics: it's much better to typeset them as *historian* and *history* rather than as *historian* and *history*. To take this matter to a (slight?!) extreme: Do you prefer the look of *Do fast festive fists foster fustiness?

²²To be sure, the issue of ligature pre-emption is not limited to "discretionary" ligatures; it can also occur with "common" f-ligatures. Suppose that a certain font provides ff, fi, and fl ligatures but no ffi and ffl ligatures, and consider how words containing ffi and ffl character triples will be typeset. Left to its own devices, TEX would let the leading ff-ligature pre-empt the trailing fi- and fl-ligatures, resulting in typographically incorrect outcomes for words such as wolffish (better: wolffish), safflower (safflower), auffinden (auffinden), and Schaffleisch (Schaffleisch).

²³For the Garamond Premier Pro text font, I've discovered the following preculiar exception to the general rule that TEX always gives precedence to a ligature for the first two characters of a character triple: for the character triple fis (as in fist and fish), TEX gives preference to the trailing is ligature over the preceding ft ligature, causing these words to be typeset as fish and fist, respectively. I can't tell if this outcome is a conscious design feature or a bug.

For now, selnolig is set to override this behavior, i.e., to always give preference to the leading fi ligature over the trailing is ligature for words that contain the strings fist and fish; hence, they'll be rendered as fist and fish, respectively. Note that if the broadf option was set, this setting implies that words such as deafish, dwarfish, elfish, oafish, selfish, unselfish, wolfish, draffish, graffish, gruffish, offish, raffish, standoffish, stiffish, and toffish, as well as the associated adverbs ending in -ly, will not feature an is ligature. Of course, if the broadf option is not in effect, the fi and ffi ligatures will automatically preempt the is ligature in these words.

Third, there may be cases where an *as* ligature not only pre-empts a subsequent *A* ligature but also spans a morpheme boundary, as in the words *infrastructure* and *seastrand*.²⁴ For such words, the *as* ligature should probably be suppressed in any case to increase the words' legibility: *infrastructure* and *seastrand*.

If the hdlig option is set, it is assumed that you prefer giving preference to the distinctive-looking & ligature over as, is, and us ligatures. The following commands are therefore provided:²⁵

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\nolig{ast}{a|st}
\nolig{ist}{i|st}
\nolig{ust}{u|st}
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Ligatures for as, is, and us that pre-empt an Sp ligature

The same three reasons for not letting as, is, and us ligatures pre-empt an st ligature also apply to the case of the equally distinctive-looking st ligature. The selnolig package therefore provides rules to ensure that the st ligature is used in words such as clast, hast, histpanic, rast pherry, teast poon, wast, crist, list, whistper, wisty, and cust.

Ligatures for at and et that pre-empt a th ligature

Suppose that a font provides ligatures for the at, et, and th character pairs. By TEX's rules for forming ligatures, without special intervention the word mathematics will be typeset as mathematics rather than as mathematics because the at ligature pre-empts the th ligature. The same happens for words such as bath, Kathryn, and pathology. Given the commonness and the distinctive pronuciation of the th character pair in the English language, as well as the high frequency of this character pair in words of Greek origin (for which the Latin-alphabet th character pair derives from the Greek character θ , or θ), it seems undesirable to let the at-ligature pre-empt the th ligature for these words.

Fixing the *at-th* ligature pre-emption issue globally—e.g., via \nolig{ath}{a|th}—is not completely innocuous, because doing so will also suppress the *at* ligature for words such as boathook, for which the *th* ligature would span a morpheme boundary and thus shouldn't be employed anyway. For such words, then, there's no need to suppress the *at* ligature. These cases can be dealt with by providing \keeplig rules to enable use of the *at* ligature.

Suppressing an *et* ligature in favor of a subsequent *th* ligature via \nolig{eth}{e|th} is almost universally correct, either because the *th* ligature *should* take precedence—as in the words

²⁴This case was already noted in Footnote 22, where two words are noted for which the ff-ligature, which might improperly pre-empt fi- and fl-ligatures, happens to span a morpheme boundary.

²⁵Be aware, though, that the second of these three commands, while correct for most words that contain the string ist, unnecessarily suppresses the *is* ligature for words where the \$\mathcal{B}\$ character pair crosses a morpheme boundary. Examples of this case are words that start with *dis-t...*—e.g., *distend, distribute, distrust, disturb*—or with *mis-t...*—e.g., *mistake, mistranslate, mistype.* (Note that the \$\mathcal{S} / \mathcal{B}\$ ligature is already—and appropriately!—suppressed for these words.) At this time there are no plans to address this (overall minor?) problem.

ethics, methane, and teeth—or because the et ligature would cross a morpheme boundary and hence shouldn't be used anyway, as in the words forethought and rethink. I say that it's almost universally correct to do so; however, there are some words, such as Beethoven, prophethood, and sweetheart, for which the th ligature would be inappropriate anyway and for which the use of the et ligature would hence be unproblematic. To address this issue, \keeplig rules are provided to override the rule \nolig{eth}{e|th} for words such as Beethoven, prophethood, and sweetheart.²⁶

Ligatures for at and et that pre-empt a ta ligature

There seem to be only very few words for which an *at* ligature might inappropriately pre-empt a more important *ta* ligature. One such word is atap, which may be more readable if it's typeset as *atap* rather than as *atap*.²⁷ Because of the apparent paucity of such cases, I have decided for now not to provide specific ligature suppression rules to handle them.

To the best of my (admittedly not exhaustive) knowledge, virtually all words for which an et ligature might inappropriately pre-empt the use of a trailing ta ligature are words for which the et ligature crosses a morpheme boundary and hence probably shouldn't be used anyway.²⁸ Examples are betake, betatter, bristletail, caretaker, cheetah, detach, detail, detain, dovetail, foretaste, horsetail, pretake, pretax, retable, retack, retard, retarget, timetable, whitetail, and wiretap. As such, the et-related ligature suppression rules already put in place to deal with morpheme boundary crossing cases should suffice to catch these cases as well.

6 Further issues

6.1 Known bugs

Remark: The bugs in the following list may turn out to be related, i.e., they may be caused by a single bug in the package's lua code.

1. The \nolig directives don't work properly on the final word in the argument of a TEX macro (e.g., \footnote{} and \section{}), unless that word (including any trailing punctuation mark) is followed by one or more space characters before the closing curly brace of the macro's argument is encountered.

²⁶Note that this method works if the font being used provides *both et* and *th* ligatures. If the text font you employ provides only the *th* ligature but not the *et* ligature, these \keeplig rules should be disabled.

²⁷It's not advisable, however, to specify a macro such as \nolig{atap}{a|tap} to address this case, because of words such as *catapult* and *catacomb*, for which the use of the *at* ligature is presumably innocuous. Somebody please correct me if this assumption is not correct.

²⁸Of course, there may also be cases of names which include the string eta for which the *ta* ligature should not be pre-empted by an *et* ligature. For instance, the author of this package prefers to see his surname typeset as *Loretan* rather than as *Loretan*.

To wit, ligatures aren't broken up for \footnote{kopflos.} or \section{Shelfful}. The package does work as expected if the commands are modified to \footnote{kopflos.} and \section{Shelfful}, respectively.

- 2. The \nolig macros also don't operate correctly on words (including, if present, any trailing punctuation marks) that are followed *immediately* by a % (comment) character. The workaround is the same as for the preceding bug: be sure to leave one or more spaces between the word and the comment character.
- 3. In itemize or enumerate environments, if the content of an \item directive ends with a word (including an associated punctuation mark) that contains a ligature that should be suppressed —i.e., if it is followed immediately by either another \item directive or an \end{itemize} or \end{enumerate} statement—ligature suppression again fails.
 - The remedy, in these cases, is to leave a blank line between the end of one \item's content and the next \item instruction or the \end{itemize} or \end{enumerate} instruction.
- 4. If the final word (again, possibly, with an associated punctuation character) of a sentence that is followed immediately by an enumerate, itemize, or other such environment contains a ligature that should be suppressed, the \nolig macro again will not work properly.

The recommended remedy is to leave a blank line between that sentence and the start of the environment in question. Inserting an "invisible" item, such as \vphantom{x}, also works.

I'm not sure if the following matter constitutes a bug or "merely" a case of incompatibility between two LATEX packages. The selnolig package does not appear to interact well with the ngerman package. However, as was noted earlier, it interacts nicely with the babel package (with one or more of the ngerman, german, austrian, and naustrian options set). Unless someone can convince me that using the ngerman package is truly preferable to using the babel package along with one of the available German language options, I probably won't bother addressing this incompatibility.

6.2 Disabling the package's supplementary hyphenation exception patterns

TEX's hyphenation algorithms are widely acknowledged to be very good. However, for the English language case at least, it tends to miss quite a few permissible hyphenation points when dealing with words that end in -f-ing, -f-ier, -f-iest, -f-less, -f-like, etc. Hyphenation exception lists are provided in the files selnolig-english-hyphex.sty and selnolig-german-hyphex.sty, respectively, for English and German words.

The German-language hyphenation exception list is currently still the shorter of the two; however, this may change in the future. The German word list is shorter in part because it is assumed that writers of German-language documents use the babel package and select the option

ngerman (or one of the related options); doing so also loads specialized hyphenation patterns suitable for German text.²⁹

It is possible to instruct selnolig *not* to load the package's hyphenation exception lists. You may want to do so, say, if you must use UK-English hyphenation patterns and therefore mustn't make use of the US-English hyphenation patterns provided by the package. (To the best of my knowledge, though, most of the hyphenation patterns indicated in selnolig-english-hyphex.sty are common to UK and US English.) To skip loading the additional hyphenation patterns when invoking the selnolig package, you should specify the option noadditional hyphenation-patterns.³⁰

As was already noted in Section 2.3, if you use the babel package with, say, the ngerman option, be sure to load selnolig package *after* the babel package. That way, the selnolig package's additional hyphenation exception patterns won't be overridden by babel's settings.

Incidentally, if the files selnolig-english-hyphex.sty and selnolig-german-hyphex.sty are located in a directory that's in the search path of your TeX distribution, these packages may be loaded by users via the usual \usepackage statements without having to load the entire selnolig package.

6.3 Writing ancillary information about the package's activity to the .log file

By default, none of the inner workings of the selnolig package are written to the .log file. However, if you execute the command \debugon, detailed information about each pattern match that is encountered is written to the .log file. Incidentally, because of the built-in redundancy of some of the \nolig command, it is possible that more than one pattern match will be found for a given word. E.g., for the verb "auffahren", two separate \nolig commands simultaneously apply, and the following lines are written to the .log file:

```
pattern match: auffahren - auff
pattern match: auffahren - ffahr
Do ligature suppression for: auffahren
Inserting noliga whatsit before glyph: f
```

It is also possible that words are found with more than one ligature suppression point. For example, if the word "Auflaufform"—which happens to have both an fl- and an ff-ligature that should be suppressed—is encountered, the following lines are written to the .log file; note that in this case, two separate \nolig commands "catch" the fl and ff ligatures:

```
pattern match: Auflaufform - fform
pattern match: Auflaufform - Aufl[aäeioöuü]
pattern match: Auflaufform - auff
pattern match: Auflaufform - flauf
Do ligature suppression for: Auflaufform
```

²⁹As was already noted earlier, the selnolig package is also compatible with the hyphsubst package.

³⁰I am obviously not trying to make it too easy to invoke this option ...

```
Inserting noliga whatsit before glyph: 1 Inserting noliga whatsit before glyph: f
```

If both a \nolig and a \keeplig command apply to a word—as is the case for fjord, to which the macros \nolig{fj}{f|j} and \keeplig{fjord} apply—information along the following line is written to the .log file:

```
pattern match nolig and keeplig: fjord - fj - fjord
```

If more than one \nolig directive as well as a \keeplig instruction apply to a word, as is the case for the word Streiflicht, that information is written to the .log file as well:

```
pattern match nolig and keeplig: Streiflicht - flich - flicht
pattern match: Streiflicht - reifl
Do ligature suppression for: Streiflicht
```

To terminate or suspend the writing of the debugging-related information to the .log file, one may execute the command \debugoff.

6.4 Suspending and restarting the operation of selnolig's macros

By default, selnolig's macros are switched on (assuming, of course, that your document is compiled under LuaLaTeX). If you want to suspend their operation, you should issue the command

```
\selnoligoff
```

at the desired point in your document. Conversely, if selnolig's macros need to be switched back on, just issue the command

\selnoligon

6.5 Lists of words fitting German and English language non-ligation patterns

Extensive lists of German and English language words for which one or more ligatures should be suppressed are provided in the files selnolig-german-test.pdf and selnolig-english-test.pdf. I started the list of German language words with the examples provided by the rmligs script; I've added quite a few more words to that list in the meantime. Thanks importantly to the work of Felix Lehmann and Steffen Hildebrand, noted in more detail in Section 7, the package's German language search patterns apply to a far more words than those listed in selnolig-german-test.pdf. Obviously, I can't and won't make a claim that either of these lists is complete. Suggestions for additional words are always welcome.

The files selnolig-german-test.tex and selnolig-english-text.tex are "driver programs" that load the selnolig package and then run it on the respective lists of German- and English-language words. To compile the driver programs, be sure to use Lual-TeX.

7 License and acknowledgments

The entire selnolig package is placed under the terms of the LATEX Project Public License, version 1.3 or later (http://www.latex-project.org/lppl.txt). It has the status "maintained".

I owe a huge intellectual and programming debt to Patrick Gundlach and Taco Hoekwater, who responded kindly and generously with detailed computer code to various queries I posted to tex.stackexchange.com.³¹ Without their expertise in programming in Lua and interfacing the lua code with LATEX, this package would not exist. They certainly deserve most of the credit for the lua code used by the selnolig package.

Felix Lehmann (a linguist and expert in morphology, i.e., the study of morphemes) and Steffen Hildebrandt (computer scientist extraordinaire) served as patient and careful testers of several early beta versions of this package, uncovering and fixing bugs, pointing out unclear passages in the user guide, writing scripts to automate the discovery of syntax errors in the package's \nolig and \keeplig instructions, and providing many excellent suggestions for important enhancements and other improvements. Steffen also provided crucial modifications to the package's lua code to make possible the \keeplig macro.

Even more importantly, Felix and Steffen created scripts to test systematically and comprehensively the package's German \nolig and \keeplig search patterns for linguistic adequacy and (relative) completeness. They began with a corpus of almost 850 million [!] words, which they marked up with information on the morphological constituents of each word. From this huge word list, they extracted a set of 462,000 unique word forms containing potential f-ligatures. According to their analysis, an early version (ca. late October 2012) of the selnolig package already dealt correctly with 85 percent (394,000) of those word forms, while still generating 21,000 Type I errors and 48,000 Type II errors!32,33 Fortunately (for me at least), they also discovered that a non-negligible part of the 69,000 errors wasn't real but, rather, the result of typos in the words included in the corpus and/or of incorrect morphological analysis. The detailed Type I and II error lists they generated were critical in helping me refine—and occasionally revise completely—the package's search patterns, rapidly bringing down the number of Type I and II errors.34 All major changes to the German language ligature suppression patterns are still being subjected to their testing algorithms to streamline the tasks of detecting what's left to improve and catching any newly introduced errors.

³¹See especially the questions Any suggestions/requests for features for a new package that allows disabling ligatures for (pre)selected words?, How to suppress the operation of a luatex-defined macro on a string if the string is part of macro or a label, and Ligature suppression algorithm fails if the word in question contains an Umlaut (dieresis) before the ligature.

³²In the context of the selnolig package, a Type I error is the failure to suppress a typographically inappropriate ligature, and a Type II error is the improper suppression of a typographically valid ligature.

³³1,000 words contained more than one potential f-ligature, hence the difference.

³⁴For instance, after Steffen wrote the lua code that made possible the \keeplig macro, I was able to eliminate, in one fell swoop, more than 10,000 [!] Type II errors generated by the package's earlier, incorrect suppression of the fl-ligature in words that contain the morpheme Pflicht.

Felix and Steffen started the automated testing of the package's \nolig and \keeplig macros as their finals project for the course *Introduction to Computational Linguistics* at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst in the fall of 2012.³⁵ They wish to thank the Institut für Maschinelle Sprachverarbeitung at the Universität Stuttgart for granting them a license for the morphological analysis tool SMOR³⁶ and, in particular, Helmut Schmid for his guidance. They also express their gratitude to the *Web-as-Corpus kool ynitiative (WaCky)* for letting them use the SDeWaC corpus,³⁷ as well as to Rajesh Bhatt (University of Massachusetts at Amherst), Miriam Butt (Universität Konstanz), and Sabine Schulte im Walde (Universität Stuttgart) for helping them find the right resources for their project.

The rmligs script lists hundreds of German language words for which various f-ligatures should be suppressed. I created many of the initial German language ligature suppression rules of the selnolig package to treat the words listed in the rmligs package.³⁸

Matthias Vogel very kindly shared with me a set of regular-expression based macros, named Ligatures-German, he wrote for the WinEdt programmer's editor. The macros serve to suppress f-ligatures in a document selectively, and they work by inserting the babel "| shortcut macro in the appropriate spots in the .tex file. Matthias' macros, and a file he sent me containing an extensive list of German words for which one or more f-ligatures should be suppressed, led me to thoroughly refine and extend the scope of the selnolig package's ligature-suppressing rules.

Barbara Beeton provided careful and incisive comments on an early version of this user guide and the English-language ligature suppression macros. Other contributors to tex.stackexchange.com and comp.text.tex, too numerous to name individually, also helped guide and influence the genesis of this package. To all of you, I express my sincere thanks.

The website http://www.morewords.com provides very convenient methods for searching English language words that may contain cases of ligature collisions across morpheme boundaries. For German words, the site http://corpora.informatik.uni-leipzig.de/?dict=de provides a similar resource.

³⁵Their code and finals paper is available online.

³⁶Schmid, H., A. Fitschen, and U. Heid, 2004, "SMOR: A German Computational Morphology Covering Derivation, Composition, and Inflection", *Proceedings of the IVth International Conference on Language Resources and Evaluation (LREC)*, pp. 1263–1266, Lisbon, Portugal.

³⁷Baroni, M., S. Bernardini, A. Ferraresi, and E. Zanchetta, 2009, "The WaCky Wide Web: A Collection of Very Large Linguistically Processed Web-Crawled Corpora", *Language Resources and Evaluation*, 43 (3), pp. 209–226.

³⁸All versions of the rmligs package are archived at http://www.j3e.de/ispell/igerman98/dict/.

Appendices

A English-language ligature suppression patterns: selnolig-english-patterns.sty

```
% !TeX root = selnolig.tex
                                              \nolig{flife}{f|life}
                                              % halflife shelflife
%!TEX TS-program = lualatex
\ProvidesPackage{selnolig-english-patterns}% \nolig{flive}{f|live}
[2013/05/16]
                                              % halflives shelflives
% This entire package is placed under the
                                              \nolig{fline}{f|line}
% terms of the LaTeX Project Public License,
                                              % halfline roofline offline
% version 1.3 or later
% (http://www.latex-project.org/lppl.txt).
                                              \nolig{leaflet}{leaf|let}
% It has the status "maintained".
                                              \nolig{Leaflet}{Leaf|let}
                                              % leaflet(-s, -ed) leafleting
% Author: Mico Loretan
                                              % leafletting leafletted
% (loretan dot mico at gmail dot com)
                                              % leafleteer(s)
                                              \nolig{pdflatex}{pdf|latex}
% Part 1: "Basic" f-ligature patterns
                                              \nolig{Pdflatex}{Pdf|latex}
% better to write 'pdf\LaTeX', right?
% (a) ff -> f-f
                                              \nolig{otfload}{otf|load}
                                              % for the 'luaotfload' package...
\nolig{lfful}{lf|ful}
% shelfful bookshelffuls -- TeXBook, p. 19
                                             %(d)ffi->ff-i
%(b)fi->f-i
                                              \nolig{faffian}{faff|ian}
% no cases in 'basic' group
                                              % (must avoid picking up 'affianced')
%(c)fl->f-1
                                              \nolig{lffian}{lff|ian}
                                              % Wolffian Wulffian
\nolig{fless}{f|less}
% beefless leafless ...
% Also: cuffless stuffless
                                             % (e) ffl -> ff-1
\nolig{flike}{f|like}
                                              \nolig{fflaw}{ff|law}
% dwarflike elflike ....
                                              % scofflaw scofflaws
% Also: rufflike clifflike
                                             \nolig{fflink}{ff|link}
```

% cufflink cufflinks

```
\nolig{ffload}{ff|load}
% offload offloads offloaded
                                             %(i) fb, fh, fj, and fk ligatures
                                             % suppress these ligatures globally, but make
% (f) ffi -> f-fi
                                             % exceptions for Kafka, fjord, and fjell
                                             \nolig{fb}{f|b}
\nolig{haffinch}{haf|finch}
                                             \nolig{fh}{f|h}
% chaffinch(es)
                                             \nolig{fj}{f|j}
                                             \nolig{fk}{f|k}
\nolig{lffish}{lf|fish}
% wolffish
                                              % There are, of corse, words of non-English
                                              % origin for which the 'fj' ligature should
                                              % not be suppressed.
%(g)ffl->f-fl
                                              \keeplig{fjord} % Norwegian spelling
                                              \keeplig{fjör} %Icelandic spelling, e.g., in
\nolig{afflower}{af|flower}
                                                     % Isafjördur and Ísafjörður
% safflower
                                              \keeplig{fjarð} % Ísafjarðarbær (in Iceland)
                                              \keeplig{fjell} % Norwegian
                                              \keeplig{fjall} % Swedish (?)
%(h)ft->f-t
                                              \keeplig{fjäll}
                                              \keeplig{fjöll}
\nolig{ieftain}{ief|tain}
\nolig{alftime}{alf|time}
                                              \keeplig{Prokofjew}
\nolig{alftone}{alf|tone}
                                              \keeplig{Sufjan} % Stevens
\nolig{ooftop}{oof|top}
                                              \keeplig{Eefje} % Dutch first name
\nolig{ooftree}{oof|tree}
                                              \keeplig{Astafjew}
% chieftain halftime halftone
                                               % Author (Wiktor) and soccer player (Maksim)
% rooftop rooftree
                                              \keeplig{Kafka}
\nolig{ifth}{if|th}
                                              \keeplig{Safka}
%fifth(s)
                                              \keeplig{Potrafke}
\nolig{elfth}{elf|th}
                                              \keeplig{Sprafke}
% twelfth(s)
                                              \keeplig{Shirafkan}
% Obscuring the 'th' pair with an
                                              \keeplig{Tirafkan}
% 'ft' ligature just looks weird!
\nolig{lftr}{lf|tr}
% wolftrap calftrap
                                             % Part 2: Additional f-ligature suppression
                                             % patterns if 'broadf' option is set.
\nolig{eaftr}{eaf|tr}
                                             %leaftrap
                                             \if@broadfset
\nolig{fftr}{ff|tr}
                                             %(a) ff -> f-f
% offtrack
```

```
% no cases in 'broad' group
                                              \nolig{deafish}{deaf|ish}
                                              \nolig{dwarfish}{dwarf|ish}
                                              \nolig{elfish}{elf|ish}
%(b)fi->f-i
                                              % elfish selfish unselfish, etc.
                                              \nolig{oafish}{oaf|ish}
\nolig{elfin}{elf|in}
                                              \nolig{serfish}{serf|ish}
\nolig{Elfin}{Elf|in}
                                              \nolig{wolfish}{wolf|ish}
\nolig{afing}{af|ing}
                                              \nolig{Deafish}{Deaf|ish}
% chafing leafing loafing sheafing
                                              \nolig{Dwarfish}{Dwarf|ish}
% strafing vouchsafing
                                              \nolig{Elfish}{Elf|ish}
                                              \nolig{Oafish}{Oaf|ish}
\nolig{eefing}{eef|ing}
                                              \nolig{Serfish}{Serf|ish}
% beefing reefing
                                              \nolig{Wolfish}{Wolf|ish}
                                              \nolig{beefier}{beef|ier}
\nolig{iefing}{ief|ing}
% briefing debriefing
                                              \nolig{comfier}{comf|ier}
                                              \nolig{goofier}{goof|ier}
\nolig{ifing}{if|ing}
                                              \nolig{gulfier}{gulf|ier}
% coifing fifing jackknifing knifing
                                              \nolig{leafier}{leaf|ier}
% midwifing waifing wifing
                                              \nolig{reefier}{reef|ier}
                                              \nolig{surfier}{surf|ier}
\nolig{oofing}{oof|ing}
                                              \nolig{turfier}{turf|ier}
% goofing hoofing roofing ...
                                              \nolig{Beefier}{Beef|ier}
                                              \nolig{Comfier}{Comf|ier}
\nolig{lfing}{lf|ing}
% golfing rolfing ...
                                              \nolig{Goofier}{Goof|ier}
                                              \nolig{Gulfier}{Gulf|ier}
\nolig{arfing}{arf|ing}
                                              \nolig{Leafier}{Leaf|ier}
% barfing bedwarfing dwarfing...
                                              \nolig{Reefier}{Reef|ier}
                                              \nolig{Surfier}{Surf|ier}
\nolig{serfing}{serf|ing}
                                              \nolig{Turfier}{Turf|ier}
\nolig{Serfing}{Serf|ing}
                                              % (Mustn't perform 'fier -> f-ier'
\nolig{kerfing}{kerf|ing}
                                              % substitution because of words
\nolig{Kerfing}{Kerf|ing}
                                              % such as pacifier, reifier, etc.)
% Don't specify 'erfing' search string
% b/c of 'butterfinger'
                                              \nolig{afiest}{af|iest}
                                              \nolig{efiest}{ef|iest}
\nolig{urfing}{urf|ing}
                                              \nolig{lfiest}{lf|iest}
% (wind-) surfing turfing
                                              \nolig{mfiest}{mf|iest}
                                              \nolig{ofiest}{of|iest}
\nolig{rfism}{rf|ism}
                                              \nolig{rfiest}{rf|iest}
                                              % leafiest beefiest reefiest ...
% dwarfism
\nolig{rfist}{rf|ist}
                                              % (Mustn't do 'fiest -> f-iest'
% dwarfist
                                              % subst.b/c of 'fiesta')
```

```
\keeplig{amselfish}
                                              %\nolig{ffily}{ff|ily}
\keeplig{stelfink}
                                               % Caught by 'fily -> f-ily' rule
\nolig{fily}{f|ily}
                                              \nolig{ffiness}{ff|iness}
                                               % fluffiness huffiness ...
% beefily goofily
% This rule also catches the
% ffily -> ff-ily case:
                                              \nolig{waffie}{waff|ie}
% daffily fluffily gruffily ...
                                              \nolig{Waffie}{Waff|ie}
\nolig{oofiness}{oof|iness}
                                              \nolig{ffies}{ff|ies}
% goofiness
                                               % baffies biffies jiffies stuffies ...
% (Mustn't do 'finess -> f-iness'
                                               % buffiest chaffiest ...
% substitution b/c of 'finesse')
                                              % (e) ffl -> ff-1
%(c) f1 -> f-1
                                              \nolig{ffly}{ff|ly}
\nolig{aloofly}{aloof|ly}
                                              % bluffly gruffly ruffly ...
\nolig{briefly}{brief|ly}
\nolig{chiefly}{chief|ly}
\nolig{deafly}{deaf|ly}
                                              %(f)ffi->f-fi
\nolig{liefly}{lief|ly}
                                              % nothing additional in 'broad' group
\nolig{Aloofly}{Aloof|ly}
                                              %(g)ffl->f-fl
\nolig{Briefly}{Brief|ly}
\nolig{Chiefly}{Chief|ly}
                                              % nothing additional in 'broad' group
\nolig{Deafly}{Deaf|ly}
\nolig{Liefly}{Lief|ly}
% (Mustn't perform 'fly -> f-ly' subst.
                                              %(h) ft -> f-t
% b/c of 'fly' 'butterfly' ...)
                                              \nolig{ifteen}{if|teen}
                                               % fifteen fifteens fifteenth
%(d)ffi->ff-i
                                              \nolig{fifti}{fif|ti}
\nolig{affish}{aff|ish}
                                              \nolig{Fifti}{Fif|ti}
                                               % fifties fiftieth fiftieths
\nolig{offish}{off|ish}
\nolig{iffish}{iff|ish}
\nolig{uffish}{uff|ish}
                                              \nolig{fifty}{fif|ty}
% draffish offish sniffish gruffish
                                              \nolig{Fifty}{Fif|ty}
                                               % fifty fiftyish
\nolig{ffing}{ff|ing}
% baffing biffing bluffing...
\nolig{ffier}{ff|ier}
                                              \fi%end of \if@broadfset block
% buffier chaffier ...
```

	\nolig{Distr}{Dis tr}
	% distract distribution distrust
% Part 3: Discretionary ligatures crossing	\nolig{distu}{dis tu}
% morpheme boundaries	<pre>\nolig{Distu}{Dis tu}</pre>
%st,ct,sp,	% disturb
%th, at, et, as, is, us, ta, ll, sk	
%	%%% mis-t words
	<pre>\nolig{mista}{mis ta}</pre>
\if@hdligset	<pre>\nolig{Mista}{Mis ta}</pre>
	% mistake mistaken mistaught unmistakable
% (A) st -> s-t	<pre>\nolig{mistea}{mis tea}</pre>
%	<pre>\nolig{Mistea}{Mis tea}</pre>
	% misteach
<pre>\nolig{osstalk}{oss talk}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{istend}{is tend}</pre>
% crosstalk	% mistend distend
<pre>\nolig{gstai}{gs tai}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{isterm}{is term}</pre>
% dogstail	% misterm misterms
\nolig{nstak}{ns tak}	\nolig{isth}{is th}
% painstaker painstaking	% misthink misthought misthrew misthrow
<pre>\nolig{stight}{s tight}</pre>	% isthmus calisthenic
% gastight	<pre>\nolig{istime}{is time}</pre>
<pre>\nolig{stooth}{s tooth}</pre>	% mistime mistimed
% houndstooth	<pre>\nolig{istitl}{is titl}</pre>
<pre>\nolig{steeth}{s teeth}</pre>	% mistitle
% houndsteeth	<pre>\nolig{istook}{is took}</pre>
	% mistook
%%% dis-t words	<pre>\nolig{istouc}{is touc}</pre>
\nolig{dista}{dis ta}	% mistouch
\nolig{Dista}{Dis ta}	<pre>\nolig{mistrac}{mis trac}</pre>
% distant distasteful	<pre>\nolig{Mistrac}{Mis trac}</pre>
<pre>\nolig{distem}{dis tem}</pre>	% Mistrace
<pre>\nolig{Distem}{Dis tem}</pre>	\nolig{mistran}{mis tran}
% distemperate	\nolig{Mistran}{Mis tran}
<pre>\nolig{disten}{dis ten}</pre>	% Mistranscribe Mistranslate
<pre>\nolig{Disten}{Dis ten}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{istrea}{is trea}</pre>
% distended	% mistreat mistreatment
\nolig{distil}{dis til}	\nolig{mistru}{mis tru}
\nolig{Distil}{Dis til}	\nolig{Mistru}{Mis tru}
% distil distillation	% mistrust mistruth
\nolig{distin}{dis tin}	\nolig{istrys}{is trys}
\nolig{Distin}{Dis tin}	% mistryst
% distinct distinguish	\nolig{mistu}{mis tu}
\nolig{disto}{dis to}	\nolig{Mistu}{Mis tu}
\nolig{Disto}{Dis to}	% mistune Mistutor
% distort distortion	<pre>\nolig{istyp}{is typ}</pre>
\nolig{distr}{dis tr}	% mistype

	% suspend suspension suspicious
<pre>\nolig{aastricht}{aas tricht}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{sph}{s ph} % 'ph' from Greek 'phi'!</pre>
% Maastricht	% atmosphere biosphere hemisphere
) 7: ()) () ()	% spherical asphodel phosphorous phosphate
<pre>\nolig{sthes}{s thes}</pre>	% blaspheme blasphemy
% anaesthesia synesthesia prosthesis	
<pre>\nolig{sthet}{s thet}</pre>	\nolig{ranspa}{rans pa}
% aesthetic esthetic unesthetic	% transparent transpacific
% prosthetist	<pre>\nolig{ranspe}{rans pe}</pre>
	% transpersonal
0/ /= \	<pre>\nolig{ranspie}{rans pie}</pre>
% (B) ct -> c-t	% transpierce
%	\nolig{ranspl}{rans pl}
	% transplant
\nolig{rctan}{rc tan}	\nolig{ranspol}{rans pol}
% arctangent	% transpolar
<pre>\nolig{rctat}{rc tat}</pre>	\nolig{ranspor}{rans por}
% coarctation	% transport transportation
	\nolig{ranspos}{rans pos}
% (C) sp -> s-p	% transpose transposon
%	
	\nolig{risprud}{ris prud}
<pre>\nolig{othesp}{othes p}</pre>	% jurisprudence
% clothespin clothespress	<pre>\nolig{spiec}{s piec}</pre>
<pre>\nolig{speople}{s people}</pre>	% crosspiece frontispiece
% business- congress- crafts-	
% dis- news- sales- spokes-	<pre>\nolig{ewspa}{ews pa}</pre>
% towns- trades- tribes- people	% newspaper
<pre>\nolig{sperson}{s person}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{ewspr}{ews pr}</pre>
% business- congress- crafts- drafts-	% newsprint
% news- sales- spokes- person	<pre>% Don't suppress sp lig in "newspeak"!</pre>
<pre>\nolig{espas}{es pas}</pre>	
% trespass trespassing	
<pre>\nolig{isplat}{is plat}</pre>	% (D) th -> t-h
% cisplatin (cis-platin, not cisp-latin!)	%
\nolig{disp}{dis p}	<pre>\nolig{eethov}{eet hov}</pre>
\nolig{Disp}{Dis p}	% Beethoven
% disparage disparaging	\nolig{thook}{t hook}
	% boathook meathook pothook
<pre>\nolig{misp}{mis p}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{thouse}{t house}</pre>
<pre>\nolig{Misp}{Mis p}</pre>	% boathouse cathouse courthouse
<pre>% misplace misperception misprint</pre>	\nolig{othol}{ot hol}
	% foothold knothole potholder
<pre>\nolig{susp}{sus p}</pre>	\nolig{lthol}{lt hol}
<pre>\nolig{Susp}{Sus p}</pre>	% bolthole

\nolig{sthol}{st|hol} % outhustle % posthole pesthole \nolig{tthour}{tt|hour} \nolig{rathol}{rat|hol} % watthour kilowatthour \nolig{Rathol}{Rat|hol} \nolig{sthm}{s|thm} % rathole % asthma isthmus \nolig{arthog}{art|hog} % (E) at -> a-t % warthog \nolig{stha}{st|ha} % -----% firsthand postharvest posthaste \nolig{thawk}{t|hawk} \nolig{lbatr}{lba|tr} % nighthawk % albatross \nolig{atroop}{a|troop} \nolig{horth}{hort|h} % shorthair shorthand shorthorn % paratrooper \nolig{arthei}{art|hei} \nolig{eatra}{ea|tra} % apartheid antiapartheid % seatrain seatransport \nolig{thead}{t|head} % (F) et -> e-t % bolthead cathead fathead ... \nolig{therd}{t|herd} % -----% goatherd neatherd \nolig{theap}{t|heap} \nolig{ninet}{nine|t} % dustheap \nolig{Ninet}{Nine|t} \nolig{theart}{t|heart} % ninetieth ninetieths ninety nineteen nineties % fainthearted sweetheart ... \nolig{uthear}{ut|hear} \nolig{ametag}{ame|tag} % outhear outheard % nametag \nolig{thill}{t|hill} \nolig{betat}{be|tat} % anthill foothill \nolig{Betat}{Be|tat} \nolig{thood}{t|hood} % betatter beta % adulthood knighthood ... \nolig{betr}{be|tr} \nolig{thunt}{t|hunt} \nolig{Betr}{Be|tr} % pothunt outhunt % betray betroth \nolig{orthol}{ort|hol} \nolig{deta}{de|ta} % porthole \nolig{sthum}{st|hum} % detach detain detail % posthumous \nolig{etect}{e|tect} \nolig{uthau}{ut|hau} % detect undetectable detective % outhaul \nolig{detent}{de|tent} \nolig{uthit}{ut|hit} \nolig{Detent}{De|tent} % outhit % detent detention \nolig{uthom}{ut|hom} \nolig{detest}{de|test} % outhomer \nolig{Detest}{De|test} \nolig{uthow}{ut|how} % detest % outhowl \nolig{detr}{de|tr} \nolig{uthum}{ut|hum} \nolig{Detr}{De|tr} % outhumor % detract detrain detriment detritus \nolig{uthust}{ut|hust}

\nolig{etail}{e|tail} % timetable % bristletail detail dovetail horsetail \nolig{etah}{e|tah} \nolig{reteen}{re|teen} % cheetah chetah % preteen \nolig{etak}{e|tak} \nolig{retend}{re|tend} % betake retake caretaker % pretend \nolig{etax}{e|tax} \nolig{retenc}{re|tenc} % pretence \nolig{eteach}{e|teach} \nolig{retens}{re|tens} % reteach % pretense pretension \nolig{etell}{e|tell} \nolig{retent}{re|tent} % foretell fortunetelling \nolig{Retent}{Re|tent} \nolig{eterg}{e|terg} % pretentious retention retentive \nolig{retest}{re|test} % detergent \nolig{eterio}{e|terio} \nolig{Retest}{Re|test} % deteriorate % pretest retest \nolig{eterm}{e|term} % determent determinant preterm \nolig{reta}{re|ta} \nolig{etext}{e|text} \nolig{Reta}{Re|ta} % pretext retext teletext % retag retape retake \nolig{ethink}{e|think} % foretaste caretaker % pretaste pretape pretaxretain % freethinking \nolig{ethrow}{e|throw} % retain retake retaliate retard % freethrow % retarget retaste wiretap \nolig{etick}{e|tick} \keeplig{pretable} % interpretable % bluetick detick \keeplig{cretar} % secretary \nolig{etide}{e|tide} % betide yuletide \nolig{reteam}{re|team} \nolig{etigh}{e|tigh} \nolig{Reteam}{Re|team} % retighten % reteam reteamed reteaming reteams \nolig{etime}{e|time} \nolig{retear}{re|tear} % betime lifetime peacetime sometime \nolig{Retear}{Re|tear} \nolig{eetop}{ee|top} % retear retears % treetop \nolig{retemp}{re|temp} \nolig{etrain}{e|train} \nolig{Retemp}{Re|temp} % detrain drivetrain housetrain retrain % retemper retempering \nolig{etrap}{e|trap} % firetrap livetrap mousetrap \nolig{retie}{re|tie} \nolig{etree}{e|tree} \nolig{Retie}{Re|tie} % axletree saddletree shoetree % retie entireties sureties \nolig{retil}{re|til} \nolig{foret}{fore|t} \nolig{Retil}{Re|til} \nolig{Foret}{Fore|t} %retile % foretaste foretell foretold foretime \nolig{retim}{re|tim} % foretoken foretop foretopman \nolig{Retim}{Re|tim} \nolig{imetable}{ime|table} % retime beforetime

\nolig{retint}{re|tint} % retwist retwisting \nolig{Retint}{Re|tint} % retint \nolig{etooth}{e|tooth} \nolig{retir}{re|tir} % bluetooth eyetooth snaggletoothed \nolig{Retir}{Re|tir} \nolig{eteeth}{e|teeth} % retire retiring % snaggleteeth eyeteeth \nolig{retitl}{re|titl} \nolig{Retitl}{Re|titl} \nolig{deter}{de|ter} % retitle pretitling \nolig{Deter}{De|ter} % deter determine deteriorate undeterred \nolig{retold}{re|told} \nolig{Retold}{Re|told} \nolig{ceties}{ce|ties} % retold % niceties \nolig{retoo}{re|too} \nolig{cety}{ce|ty} \nolig{Retoo}{Re|too} % nicety % retook retool \nolig{feties}{fe|ties} \nolig{retor}{re|tor} \nolig{Retor}{Re|tor} % safeties unsafeties biosafeties % retore retorn retort retorted \nolig{fety}{fe|ty} \nolig{retou}{re|tou} % safety \nolig{Retou}{Re|tou} % retouch retouched \nolig{leties}{le|ties} \nolig{retra}{re|tra} % subtleties \nolig{Retra}{Re|tra} \nolig{lety}{le|ty} % retrace retrack retract retrans retransmit % subtlety teletype teletypewriter \nolig{retre}{re|tre} \nolig{Retre}{Re|tre} \nolig{rety}{re|ty} % pretreat retread retreat retrench % surety entirety retype pretype \nolig{retri}{re|tri} \nolig{Retri}{Re|tri} \nolig{etelev}{e|telev} % pretrim pretrial retrieve retribution % pretelevision % retries retrim \nolig{etyp}{e|typ} \nolig{etrors}{e|trors} % archetype archetypal retype pretype % retrorse \nolig{retrous}{re|trous} % (G) as -> a-s \nolig{Retrous}{Re|trous} % retrousse \nolig{eastran}{ea|stran} \nolig{retry}{re|try} \nolig{Retry}{Re|try} % seastrand % retry retrying \nolig{aspore}{a|spore} % diaspora megaspore tetraspore \nolig{retu}{re|tu} \nolig{aseps}{a|seps} \nolig{Retu}{Re|tu} % asepsis % return retune unreturnable \nolig{asept}{a|sept} \nolig{retwi}{re|twi} % aseptic aseptically \nolig{Retwi}{Re|twi} \nolig{asund}{a|sund}

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\nolig{Asund}{A|sund}
                                              \nolig{Antisha}{Anti|sha}
% asunder
                                              % antishark antiship antishock
\nolig{aspec}{a|spec}
                                              \nolig{antishi}{anti|shi}
\nolig{Aspec}{A|spec}
                                              \nolig{Antishi}{Anti|shi}
% aspect infraspecific intraspecies
                                              % antishark antiship antishock
% intraspecific
                                              \nolig{antisho}{anti|sh}
\nolig{infras}{infra|s}
                                              \nolig{Antisho}{Anti|sh}
\nolig{Infras}{Infra|s}
                                              % antishark antiship antishock
% infrastructure infraspecific
                                              \nolig{antisk}{anti|sk}
\nolig{megast}{mega|st}
                                              \nolig{Antisk}{Anti|sk}
                                              % antiskid
\nolig{Megast}{Mega|st}
% megastructure megastar
                                              \nolig{antisl}{anti|sl}
\nolig{megasp}{mega|sp}
                                              \nolig{Antisl}{Anti|sl}
\nolig{Megasp}{Mega|sp}
                                              % antislavery antislip
% megaspores megascopic
                                              \nolig{antismo}{anti|smo}
                                              \nolig{Antismo}{Anti|smo}
\nolig{aspoon}{a|spoon}
% teaspoon
                                              % antismog antismoke
                                              \nolig{antismu}{anti|smu}
% how to do 'asea'?
                                              \nolig{Antismu}{Anti|smu}
                                              % antismuggling antismut
%(H) is -> i-s
                                              \nolig{antisn}{anti|sn}
                                              \nolig{Antisn}{Anti|sn}
                                              % antisnob
% (a) not across morpheme boundaries
                                              \nolig{antiso}{anti|so}
% (The following may be a bug in fontspec)
                                              \nolig{Antiso}{Anti|so}
                                              % antisocial antisolar
\nolig{fish}{fi|sh}
                                              \nolig{antisp}{anti|sp}
                                              \nolig{Antisp}{Anti|sp}
\nolig{fist}{fi|st}
\nolig{Fist}{Fi|st}
                                              % antispasmodic antispeculative
                                              \nolig{antist}{anti|st}
% (b) across morpheme boundaries
                                              \nolig{Antist}{Anti|st}
                                              % antistatic antistick antistress
%% Mustn't do global \nolig{antis}{anti|s}
                                              \nolig{antisu}{anti|su}
%% because of words such as sycophantism,
                                              \nolig{Antisu}{Anti|su}
%% vigilantism, and mantissa.
                                              % antisubmarine antisubversion
                                              \nolig{antisy}{anti|sy}
\nolig{antisa}{anti|sa}
                                              \nolig{Antisy}{Anti|sy}
                                              % antisymmetric antisyphilitics
\nolig{Antisa}{Anti|sa}
% antisag antisatellite
                                              \nolig{multis}{multi|s}
\nolig{antisc}{anti|sc}
\nolig{Antisc}{Anti|sc}
                                              \nolig{Multis}{Multi|s}
% antiscience
                                              % multiscreen multisense multisensory
                                              % multiservice multisided multisite
\nolig{antise}{anti|se}
\nolig{Antise}{Anti|se}
                                              % multisize multiskilled multisource
% antisecrecy antisense antiseptic
                                              % multispecies multispectral multispeed
\nolig{antisha}{anti|sha}
                                              % multisport multistage multistate
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% multistemmed multistep multistoried
% multistory multistranded multisyllabic
                                            %(M)ij->i-j
% multisystem
                                            % The 'ij' ligature seems to have no good
\nolig{isph}{i|sph}
% hemisphere planisphere hemispheric
                                            % use in English-language words -- incl.
                                            % words introduced to English from other
% (I) us -> u-s
                                            % languages, such as marijuana, gaijin, and
% -----
                                            % bijou; the 'ij' ligature seems to span
                                            % morpheme boundaries in all of these cases.
% %% (no examples yet)
                                            % Hence, we disable this ligature globally.
                                            % We do make exceptions for words of Dutch
                                            % origin, where the ij ligature does have
%(J) sk \rightarrow s-k
                                            % legitimate uses.
% (available in EB Garamond font)
% -----
                                            \nolig{ij}{i|j}
                                             \keeplig{ijs} % rijsttafel (Indonesian dish)
\nolig{skeep}{s|keep}
                                             \keeplig{ijn} % de Bruijn
% greenskeeper groundskeeper miskeep
\nolig{iskai}{is|kai}
% triskaidekaphobia
                                            % Part 4: Disabling one discretionary
\nolig{thsk}{ths|k}
% rathskeller
                                            % ligature so that a subsequent, more
\nolig{misk}{mis|k}
                                            % important one doesn't get pre-empted
                                            % -----
\nolig{Misk}{Mis|k}
% miskeep miskept miskick misknow
\nolig{atskill}{ats|kill}
                                            %(i) as, is, and us preceding st
                                            % Catskills Mountains, Catskill Park
\nolig{eekskill}{eeks|kill}
% Peekskill % a town ca. 40 miles north of New York Koiting{ast}{a|st}
                                            \nolig{ust}{u|st}
                                            \nolig{ist}{i|st}
% (K) 11 -> 1-1
% -----
                                            % (ii) as, is, and us preceding sp
                                            \nolig{llike}{l|like}
% animallike soullike
                                            \nolig{aspar}{a|spar}
\nolig{lless}{l|less}
                                            \nolig{Aspar}{A|spar}
% soulless tailless
                                            % asparagus Caspar aspartame asparkle
                                            \nolig{asper}{a|sper}
%(L)fr->f-r
                                            \nolig{Asper}{A|sper}
% -----
                                            % aspersion Casper Jasper exasperate
                                            \nolig{aspir}{a|spir}
\nolig{oofr}{oof|r}
                                            \nolig{Aspir}{A|spir}
% proofread proofroom proofrock
                                            % aspire aspirator aspirin
                                            \nolig{gasp}{ga|sp}
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\nolig{Gasp}{Ga|sp}
                                              %% trailing 'th' ligature to take precedence
                                              %% over any preceding 'at' or 'et' ligas,
% gasp
\nolig{hasp}{ha|sp}
                                              %% make sure the following macros are
\nolig{Hasp}{Ha|sp}
                                              %% active (i.e., not commented out).
% hasp
\nolig{lasp}{la|sp}
                                              \nolig{ath}{a|th}
% clasp unclasp beclasp enclasp
                                              \nolig{eth}{e|th}
\nolig{rasp}{ra|sp}
\nolig{Rasp}{Ra|sp}
% grasp rasp raspberry
                                              % The preceding instructions are a bit too
                                              % broad, as they also suppress the 'at' ligature
\nolig{wasp}{wa|sp}
\nolig{Wasp}{Wa|sp}
                                              % for words such as boathook, flathead,
% wasp waspish
                                              % etc., and the 'et' ligature in words such as
                                              % Beethoven, prophethood, and sweetheart.
\nolig{risp}{ri|sp}
                                              % To address these cases, we provide \keeplig
                                              % macros:
% crisp
\nolig{ispani}{i|spani}
% hispanic
                                              \keeplig{oathook} % boathook
\nolig{lisp}{li|sp}
                                              \keeplig{eathook} % meathook
\nolig{Lisp}{Li|sp}
                                              \keeplig{athouse} % bathouse boathouse cathouse
% lisp lisping
                                              %%\keeplig{rathole} % this will re-enable "th" liga
                                              %%\keeplig{Rathole} % if "at" liga doesn't exist...
\nolig{whisp}{whi|sp}
\nolig{Whisp}{Whi|sp}
                                              \keeplig{athead} % cathead fathead flathead meathead
% whisper
                                              \keeplig{atherd} % goatherd neatherd
\nolig{wisp}{wi|sp}
                                              \keeplig{eatheart} % greathearted sweetheart
\nolig{Wisp}{Wi|sp}
                                              \keeplig{eetheart}
%wisp
                                              \keeplig{Beethoven}
\nolig{cusp}{cu|sp}
                                              \keeplig{ophethood}
\nolig{Cusp}{Cu|sp}
% cusp bicuspid tricuspid
\nolig{ausp}{au|sp}
                                              % (iv) at and et preceding ta
\nolig{Ausp}{Au|sp}
                                              % auspicious inauspicious
                                              \nolig{Loretan}{Lore|tan} % :-)
% (iii) at and et preceding th
                                              % All other cases seem to involve 'at'
% or 'et' crossing a ligature boundary.
%% If you have 'at' and 'et' ligatures as
                                              % As such, these cases should be dealt
%% well as the 'th' ligature (as is the
                                              % with in Part 3 of this file.
%% case for the font "Garamond Premier Pro",
%% and any other fonts?!) and want a
                                              \fi %% end of \@ifhdligset
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B German-language ligature suppression patterns: selnolig-german-patterns.sty

Introductory note: To accommodate the practice of Swiss-German writers of not using the "ß" character at akk (and using "ss" in its place), all search-and-insert strings that contain an "ß" character are duplicated with equivalent search-and-insert strings containing "ss".

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% !TeX root = selnolig.tex
                                                 \keeplig{Lauffen}
% !TEX TS-program = lualatex
                                                 \keeplig{Stauffach} %Stauffacher
                                                 \keeplig{Stauffen} % Stauffenbergattentat
\ProvidesPackage{selnolig-german-patterns}%
                                                \keeplig{stauffen}
[2013/05/16]
                                                 \keeplig{Stauffer}
                                                 \keeplig{stauffer}
% This entire package is placed under the
                                                 \keeplig{Stauffisch}
                                                 \keeplig{stauffisch}
% terms of the LaTeX Project Public License,
% version 1.3 or later
% (http://www.latex-project.org/lppl.txt).
                                                 \keeplig{chauffier}
% It has the status "maintained".
                                                 \keeplig{Chauffier}
                                                \keeplig{chauffeur}
% Author: Mico Loretan
                                                \keeplig{Chauffeur}
% (loretan dot mico at gmail dot com)
                                                \keeplig{chauffement} % Echauffement
                                                \nolig{Brieff}{Brief|f}
% A note on the organization of the \nolig
                                                \nolig{brieff}{brief|f}
% macros in this file: They are grouped by
                                                % Brief-f... (viele Fälle!)
% the f-ligature being suppressed: ff -> f-f;
                                                \nolig{Cheff}{Chef|f}
% fi -> f-i, fl -> f-l, etc. Within each of
                                                \nolig{cheff[aäeioöruü]}{chef|f}
% these sections, the \nolig commands are
                                                % Cheffahrer Cheffront ...
% listed first for word-beginnings and
                                                 \keeplig{cheffekt} % Lacheffekt Wischeffekt
                                                \keeplig{Scheffel}
% second by word-interior search strings,
% alphabetically within each group.
                                                \keeplig{scheffel} % scheffeln
                                                \keeplig{cheffizi} % hocheffizient
                                                \keeplig{cheffé} % Scheffé (a statistician)
%1. ff -> f-f
                                                \nolig{cheffl[aiou]}{chef|f1}
% -----
                                                \nolig{Dampff}{Dampf|f}
                                                \nolig{dampff}{dampf|f}
\nolig{Auff[aeiloruyäöü]}{Auf|f}
                                                % (viele Fälle!)
\nolig{auff[aeiloruyäöü]}{auf|f}
                                                \nolig{Dorff[aäeiloöruü]}{Dorf|f}
% Hundreds (thousands?!) of words that
                                                \nolig{dorff[aäeiloöruü]}{dorf|f}
 % start with or contain [aA]uff-,
                                                % (viele Fälle!)
 % [kK]auff-, [lL]auf- and don't end
                                                \nolig{Hanff}{Hanf|f}
 % with "ff".
                                                \nolig{hanff}{hanf|f}
 \% We must provide a few \ensuremath{\texttt{keeplig}} macros,
                                                % Hanffasern Hanffeld
 % though, to deal with some surnames and
                                                \nolig{Hoff[aäiloöruü]}{Hof|f}
 % some words of French origin.
                                                % (viele Fälle!)
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\keeplig{Hoffacker} \nolig{Sumpff}{Sumpf|f} \keeplig{Hoffart} \nolig{sumpff}{sumpf|f} \keeplig{Hoffärt} %Hoffärtigkeit % (viele Fälle!) \keeplig{Hoffricht} % Hoffrichter \nolig{Tariff}{Tarif|f} \keeplig{Hoffranz} % Hoffranzen (?) \nolig{tariff}{tarif|f} % (viele Fälle!) \nolig{Golff}{Golf|f} \nolig{Tieff}{Tief|f} \nolig{golff}{golf|f} \nolig{tieff}{tief|f} % (viele Fälle!) % (viele Fälle!) \nolig{Hoffern}{Hof|fern} \keeplig{tieffekt} \nolig{hoffern}{hof|fern} % Multieffekt Konfettieffekt % Hofferne hofferner \keeplig{tieffiz} % Antieffizienz \nolig{Hoffest}{Hof|fest} % Hoffest Hoffesterlös Hoffestteam \nolig{Impff}{Impf|f} % Impffurcht Impffortbildung \nolig{chaffron}{chaf|fron} \nolig{Kampff}{Kampf|f} % Schaffron \nolig{kampff}{kampf|f} \nolig{eiffest}{eif|fest} % kampffertig Kampffigur %reiffest % Kampffuchs Kampffüchse \nolig{Kopff[aäeoöruü]}{Kopf|f} \nolig{ffabrik}{f|fabrik} \nolig{kopff[aäeoöruü]}{kopf|f} % Strumpffabrik % (viele Fälle!) \nolig{ffacet}{f|facet} % [kK]opffi -> caught by pffi rule % Relieffacetten % [kK]opffl -> caught by pffl rule \nolig{ffachl}{f|fachl} \nolig{Klopff}{Klopf|f} % beruffachlich golffachlich \nolig{klopff}{klopf|f} \nolig{ffachm}{f|fachm} % Schenkelklopffrohsinn klopfrei % Huffachmann Wahlkampffachmann \nolig{Prüff}{Prüf|f} % Golffachmesse Fünffachmord \nolig{prüff}{prüf|f} \nolig{ffäch}{f|fäch} % (viele Fälle!) % Brieffächer Einwurffächer fünffächrig \nolig{Ruffach}{Ruf|fach} \nolig{ffaden}{f|faden} % Ruffach % Einzelknopffaden Knüpffaden \nolig{ruffach}{ruf|fach} \nolig{ffäd}{f|fäd} % Hausnotruffachberater beruffachlichen % Einzelknopffäden Tropffäden \nolig{ffähig}{f|fähig} \nolig{Rumpff}{Rumpf|f} % Rumpffassung % hoffähig kampffähig lauffähig \nolig{Schaffang}{Schaf|fang} \nolig{ffahn}{f|fahn} \nolig{Schaffarm}{Schaf|farm} % Totenkopffahne Dorffahne Wahlkampffahnen \nolig{ffahr}{f|fahr} \nolig{Schilff}{Schilf|f} % Schifffahrt Schleiffahrt Tariffahrplan \nolig{schilff}{schilf|f} \nolig{ffähr}{f|fähr} % Schilffeld Schilfflöte Schilffloß % Dampffährdienst \nolig{Senff}{Senf|f} \nolig{ffaktor}{f|faktor} \nolig{senffa}{senf|fa} % Hoffaktor Schlupffaktoren % Senffabrik senffarbig Senffleck \nolig{ffakult}{f|fakult}

% Rumpffakultät	%Schärffehler
\nolig{ffall}{f fall}	<pre>\nolig{ffeier}{f feier}</pre>
% Anruffalle auffallen Straffall	% Hoffeierlichkeiten
% Tariffalle Streiffall Maulwurffalle	<pre>\nolig{ffeind[els]}{f feind}</pre>
\keeplig{ffallee} %Oppenhoffallee	<pre>% -f-feinde -f-feindlich -f-feindschaft</pre>
\keeplig{ffallerg} % Duftstoffallergie	\keeplig{ffeindealer}%Koffeindealer
\keeplig{ffallokat}% Rohstoffallokation	\nolig{ffeld}{f feld}
\nolig{ffäll}{f fäll}	% Prüffeld Schilffeld Kampffeld
% straffällig unauffällig	\keeplig{Büffeld} % Büffeldecke
\nolig{ffalt}{f falt}	\keeplig{büffeld}
% Fünffaltigkeit Dickkopffalter	\keeplig{ffeldenk} % Scheffeldenkmal
\keeplig{iffalt}%Segelschiffalter	\keeplig{Iffeld} %Iffeldorf
\keeplig{offalt} % Kraftstoffalternativen	\keeplig{Löffeld} % Löffeldüngung
\nolig{ffält}{f fält}	\keeplig{löffeld}
% fünffältig	\keeplig{Müffeld} % Müffeldoktor
<pre>\nolig{ffami}{f fami}</pre>	\keeplig{muffeld}
% Zwölffamilienhäuser	\keeplig{nüffeld} % Schnüffeldienst -droge
\keeplig{Diffami} % Diffamierung	\keeplig{Riffeld} % Riffeldielen
\keeplig{diffami} % diffamierend	\keeplig{taffeld} % Staffeldach -diplomatie
\nolig{ffanat}{f fanat}	\keeplig{toffeld} %Kartoffeldruck -dieb
% Schärffanatiker	\keeplig{Trüffeld} % Trüffelduft -dorf
\nolig{ffans}{f fans}	\keeplig{trüffeld}
%Waldhoffans	\keeplig{Waffeld} % Waffelduft
\keeplig{riffans} % Griffansätze	\keeplig{waffeld}
\keeplig{toffans} % Sprengstoffanschlag	()
\nolig{ffanta}{f fanta}	<pre>\nolig{ffell}{f fell}</pre>
% Schlaffantasie Straffantasie	% Werwolffell Schaffell
\nolig{ffarb}{f farb}	\keeplig{ffelleck}%Waffelleckereien
% Zwölffarbenmaschine zwölffarbig	\keeplig{ffellinde}% Scheffellinde
\keeplig{ffarbeit}	\keeplig{Muffell} % Muffellämmer
\nolig{ffärb}{f färb}	\keeplig{muffell} % muffellig
% Kopffärbung	\keeplig{öffell}
\nolig{ffaschi}{f faschi}	% Löffellamm Kochlöffellängen
% Schulhoffaschismus	\keeplig{taffell} % Staffellauf -läufer
\nolig{ffassad}{f fassad}	\keeplig{toffell}
% Innenhoffassade	% Kartoffellager -liebhaber
\nolig{ffäul}{f fäul}	% Pantoffellarve Kunstoffelle
% Sumpffäulnis	\keeplig{üffell} % Büffelleber -leder -leib
	% Trüffelleidenschaft Schnüffellust
<pre>\nolig{ffecht}{f fecht}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{ffeile}{f feile}</pre>
% Klopffechter	%Prüffeile
\nolig{ffeder}{f feder}	\nolig{ffenster}{f fenster}
%-f-feder	% Hinterhoffenster Schlaf- Tarif-
\nolig{ffedr}{f fedr}	\nolig{fferien}{f ferien}
% zwölffedrig	% Reiterhofferien Bauernhofferien
\nolig{ffehl}{f fehl}	\nolig{ffernseh}{f fernseh}
	. 30 701 7

% Abruffernsehen % Tarifforderung Strafforderung \nolig{ffertig}{f|fertig} \nolig{fförder}{f|förder} % ruffördernd kreislauffördernd schlaffördernd % schlaffertig \nolig{ffestl}{f|festl} \nolig{fforell}{f|forell} % Straffestlegung % Werfforellen \nolig{ffests}{f|fests} \nolig{fform}{f|form} % Kopfform Gugelhupfform aufformen % Straffestsetzung % Hoffestspiele Dorffestspiel \nolig{fform}{f|form} \nolig{ffetisch}{f|fetisch} % reifförmig schweifförmig % Schaffetischisten \nolig{fforsch}{f|forsch} \nolig{ffetus}{f|fetus} % Schlafforschung Impfforschung % Schaffetus \nolig{fforen}{f|foren} \nolig{ffett}{f|fett} % Abrufforen % Huffett Rumpffett Scharffetter \nolig{fforu}{f|foru} \keeplig{Buffett} % Buffettheke % Schlafforum \keeplig{Büffett} \nolig{ffoto}{f|foto} \keeplig{buffett} % Schlaffotogalerie \keeplig{büffett} % Obstbüffett \nolig{fföt}{f|föt} %Wolffötus \nolig{ffetz}{f|fetz} % Brieffetzen Stofffetzen \keeplig{Buffetz} % Buffetzeit \nolig{ffracht}{f|fracht} \keeplig{Büffetz} % Büffetzusammenstellung % Dampffrachter \nolig{ffeud}{f|feud} \nolig{ffrag}{f|frag} % Kasernenhoffeudalismus % Streiffragen \nolig{ffeue}{f|feue} \keeplig{Suffrage} % Suffragette % Dorffeuerwehr Torffeuer Lauffeuer \keeplig{suffrage} \nolig{ffrak}{f|frak} \nolig{ffilet}{f|filet} % Rumpffraktion % Meerwolffilet \keeplig{toffrak} % Flüssigstoffrakete \nolig{ffindung}{f|findung} \nolig{ffrank}{f|frank} % Beruffindungsprozess % Fünffrankenstück \nolig{ffräs}{f|fräs} \nolig{ffirm}{f|firm} % Brieffirmen Tariffirmen % Baumstumpffräse \keeplig{affirm} \nolig{ffrau}{f|frau} \keeplig{Affirm} % Hoffrau Kauffrau \keeplig{ffraum} % Sprengstoffraub \nolig{ffolg}{f|folg} \keeplig{ffraub} % Treffraum \keeplig{ffrausch} % Klebstoffrausch % Impffolgen \nolig{ffoli}{f|foli} \keeplig{ffraup} % Stoffraupe % Relieffolien \nolig{ffolter}{f|folter} \nolig{ffreak}{f|freak} % Tropffolter % Surffreak \keeplig{Affoltern} % town near Zurich \keeplig{toffreak} % Schadstoffreaktionen \nolig{ffond}{f|fond} \nolig{ffregat}{f|fregat} % Tariffondslösung % Kampffregatte Dampffregatte

\nolig{ffrei}{f|frei}

\nolig{fforder}{f|forder}

% tariffrei Schlaffrei \nolig{ffühl}{f|fühl} \keeplig{chiffrei}% Schiffreise % Scharffühler \keeplig{toffrei} % stoffrein sauerstoffreich \nolig{ffüll}{f|füll} \keeplig{uffreis} % Puffreis % Prüffüllgut Dampffüllung \keeplig{luffrei} % schluffreich \nolig{ffürst}{f|fürst} \keeplig{iffreig} % Riffreigen %-f-fürst \nolig{ffremd}{f|fremd} \nolig{ffuß}{f|fuß} % hoffremd \nolig{ffuss}{f|fuss} \nolig{ffüß}{f|füß} \nolig{ffreq}{f|freq} % Schlaffrequenz \nolig{ffüss}{f|füss} % Greiffuß Greiffüße \nolig{ffreu}{f|freu} % Straffreude Brieffreund \keeplig{iffuss} % Diffusschall -strahlung \nolig{ffrisch}{f|frisch} \nolig{ffutter}{f|futter} % Schaffrischkäse zapffrisch % Prüffutter \nolig{ffütter}{f|fütter} \nolig{ffried}{f|fried} % Dorffrieden Hoffrieden % Abruffütterung

% Dorffrieden Hoffrieden
\nolig{ffries}{f|fries}
% Relieffries
\keeplig{toffries} % Rohstoffriese
\nolig{ffrist}{f|frist}
% Prüffrist Ablauffrist
\nolig{ffrisur}{f|frisur}
% Schlaffrisur Topffrisur Zopffrisur

\nolig{ffront}{f|front}
% Hoffront Kampffront
\keeplig{affront}
\keeplig{Affront}
\nolig{ffrosch}{f|frosch}
% Pfeiffrosch
\nolig{ffrösch}{f|frösch}
% Pfeiffrösche
\nolig{ffrucht}{f|frucht}
% Rumtopffrucht
\nolig{ffrücht}{f|frücht}
% Rumtopffrüchte

\nolig{ffund}{f|fund}
% Brückenkopffundament
\keeplig{iffund} % diffundieren
\keeplig{toffund} % stoffundurchlässig
\nolig{fführ}{f|führ}
% Kampffführung aufführen
\nolig{ffunk}{f|funk}
% Brieffunktion Abruffunktion

\nolig{hoffan}{hof|fan}
% Waldhoffan
\nolig{hoffersch}{hof|fersch}
% Talhofferschen
\nolig{hoffest}{hof|fest}
% Pfarrhoffest Hinterhoffest
\nolig{hoffete}{hof|fete}
% Schneckenhoffete

\nolig{lffach}{lf|fach}
% elffach zwölffach

\nolig{offegen}{of|fegen}
%Hoffegen

\nolig{pffach}{pf|fach}
% Strumpffach
\nolig{pffern}{pf|fern}
% rumpffern
\nolig{pffest}{pf|fest}
% Klopffestigkeit tropffester
\nolig{pffels}{pf|fels}
% Hirschkopffelsen
\nolig{pffont}{pf|font}
% Dampffontäne
\nolig{pffüh}{pf|füh}
% Kampfführung

<pre>\nolig{reiffern}{reif fern}</pre>	\nolig{Chefin[a-mo-z]}{Chef in}
%reiffern	<pre>% Chefinder -indianer -inspektor</pre>
\nolig{rffan}{rf fan}	<pre>% -inquisitor</pre>
% Surffan	\keeplig{chefin}
<pre>\nolig{rffeel}{rf feel}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{chefind}{chef ind}</pre>
% Surffeeling	\keeplig{chefibel}%Recherchefibel
<pre>\nolig{rffest}{rf fest}</pre>	\keeplig{chefiebe}%Recherchefieber
% Surffest	\keeplig{chefigur}%Nietzschefigur
\nolig{rffinn}{rf finn}	\keeplig{chefilm} % Rachefilm
% Surffinne	\keeplig{chefili} %Wäschefiliale
<pre>\nolig{rffleck}{rf fleck}</pre>	\keeplig{chefirm} % Geldwäschefirma
% Schorfflecken	\keeplig{chefisch} % Wäschefische
<pre>\nolig{straffern}{straf fern}</pre>	\nolig{Dorfi}{Dorf i}
\keeplig{rtstraffern}%Gurtstraffern	\nolig{dorfi}{dorf i}
\keeplig{ssstraffern}	<pre>% Dorfidylle -information -institute</pre>
%Gurtschlossstraffern	\nolig{Hofi}{Hof i}
	% (viele Fälle!)
\nolig{ünff}{ünf f}	\keeplig{Hofier}%Hofieren
% fünffarbig fünffingrig fünfflügelig	<pre>\nolig{Kampfi}{Kampf i}</pre>
% Fünfflach fünfflammig fünffleckige	<pre>\nolig{kampfi}{kampf i} %KampfideologieKampfinstrument</pre>
<pre>\nolig{wurff[aäeiloöruü]}{wurf f}</pre>	<pre>\nolig{Kaufi}{Kauf i}</pre>
% Auswurffach Einwurffehler	<pre>\nolig{kaufi}{kauf i}</pre>
% Hammerwurffinale	% Kaufidee kaufinteressiert Kaufimpuls
	<pre>\nolig{Laufi}{Lauf i}</pre>
	<pre>\nolig{laufi}{lauf i}</pre>
% 2. fi -> f-i	% Laufidol Kreislaufinsuffizienz
%	\keeplig{Laufig}
	\keeplig{Blaufi}
\nolig{Aufi}{Auf i}	% Blaufichte Blaufilter Blaufisch
<pre>\nolig{aufinstr}{auf instr}</pre>	\keeplig{laufilter}%Planetenblaufilter
% aufinstruieren	\keeplig{laufiedr} % blaufiedrig
\nolig{aufirr}{auf irr}	\nolig{rüfi}{rüf i}
% hinaufirrte	% Prüfinhalt Prüfinstitution Prüfintervall
<pre>\nolig{aufisst}{auf isst}</pre>	\nolig{Rumpfi}{Rumpf i}
	\nolig{rumpfi}{rumpf i}
<pre>\nolig{Briefi}{Brief i}</pre>	% Rumpfitalien Strumpfindustrie
\nolig{briefi}{brief i}	\keeplig{rumpfig}
% Briefidiom Briefinhalt Pfandbriefinhaber	
	<pre>\nolig{chafi}{chaf i}%Schaf-i</pre>
<pre>\nolig{Chefi}{Chef i}</pre>	% Schafimperium Schafinnereien
<pre>\nolig{chefi}{chef i}</pre>	\keeplig{schafigu}%Maharadschafigur
% Chefideologe Chefindianer	\nolig{chlafi}{chlaf i}%Schlaf-i
% Chefinformatiker	% Schlafiglu schlafinduzierend
\keenlig{Chefin} % Chefin Chefinnen	\keenlig{chlafitt}%Schlafittchen

\nolig{Strafi}{Straf|i} \nolig{findiz}{f|indiz} \nolig{strafi}{straf|i} % Tarifindizes % strafisolierend Strafinstanz \nolig{findust}{f|indust} \nolig{Tarifi}{Tarif|i} % Golfindustrie \nolig{tarifi}{tarif|i} \nolig{finfekt}{f|infekt} % (viele Fälle!) % Dampfinfektion \keeplig{Tarifier} % Tarifierung \nolig{finfiz}{f|infiz} \keeplig{tarifier} % tarifierbar % Laufinfizierte \nolig{Tiefinn}{Tief|inn} \nolig{finfo}{f|info} % Tarifinformation Telefoninformation \nolig{tiefinn}{tief|inn} % tiefinnen -innerste -innig -innerste \keeplig{Delfinfo} % Delfinforscher -foto \nolig{fidee}{f|idee} \nolig{finfra}{f|infra} % Kopfidee Luftschiffidee %Hofinfrastruktur \nolig{fideol}{f|ideol} \nolig{finfus}{f|infus} % Tiefideologie % Tropfinfusion \nolig{fidentif}{f|identif} \nolig{fingenieur}{f|ingenieur} % Stoffidentifizierung % Prüfingenieur Kaufingenieur \nolig{fidentit}{f|identit} \nolig{finhab}{f|inhab} % Steppenwolfidentität Berufidentität % Hofinhaber \nolig{fidol}{f|idol} \nolig{finhalat}{f|inhalat} % Golfidol % Kamilledampfinhalationen \nolig{fidyll}{f|idyll} \nolig{finhalt}{f|inhalt} % Bauernhofidyll % Begriffinhalte Kropfinhalt \keeplig{Delfinhalt} % Delfinhaltung \nolig{figel}{f|igel} % Köpfigel Stoffigel \keeplig{raffinhalt} % Paraffinhaltig \keeplig{figelehrt} % Sufigelehrter \nolig{finitia}{f|initia} \nolig{fikone}{f|ikone} % Korallenriffinitiative % Laufikone \nolig{finjekt}{f|injekt} \nolig{fillus}{f|illus} % Dampfinjektionsverfahren % Sumpfillusion \nolig{finkont}{f|inkont} % Ueberlaufinkontinenz \nolig{fimman}{f|imman} % ablaufimmanente \keeplig{Delfinkont} % Delfinkontakt \nolig{fimmob}{f|immob} % Kaufhofimmobilie \nolig{finnenaus}{f|innenaus} \nolig{fimmun}{f|immun} % Schiffinnenausbau \nolig{finnenohr}{f|innenohr} % Strafimmunität \nolig{fimp}{f|imp} % Schafinnenohr \nolig{finnenfl}{f|innenfl} % Torfimporte Kaufimpuls aufimpft % Hofinnenflächen \nolig{findex}{f|index} \nolig{finnenl}{f|innenfl} % Kaufindex Pfandbriefindex % Hofinnenleben \nolig{findikat}{f|indikat} \nolig{finnenraum}{f|innenraum} % Impfindikation % Kopfinnenraum \nolig{findiv}{f|indiv} \nolig{finnenräum}{f|innenräum}

% Hofindividualität

\nolig{finnens}{f|innens} % Rumpfinnenseite \nolig{finner}{f|inner} % tiefinnerlich Kopfinneres \nolig{finnig}{f|innig} % tiefinnige \nolig{finnov}{f|innov} % Tarifinnovationen \nolig{finsass}{f|insass} % Raumschiffinsassen \nolig{finsekt}{f|insekt} % Laufinsekt \nolig{finsel}{f|insel} % Schafinsel Schilfinsel Saufinsel \nolig{finserat}{f|inserat} % Titelkopfinserat \nolig{finsign}{f|insign} % Knopfinsignien \nolig{finspek}{f|inspek} % Kirchhofinspektor \nolig{finsta}{f|insta} % Kunstriffinstallateur % Schiffinstandsetzung % Strafinstanz rumpfinstabil \nolig{finstinkt}{f|instinkt} % Zupfinstinkt \nolig{finstitu}{f|institu} % Strafinstitutionen \nolig{finstrukt[io]}{f|instrukt} % Wurfinstruktion Chefinstruktor \nolig{finstrum}{f|instrum} % Zupfinstrumente Schleif- Greif-\nolig{finsuff}{f|insuff} % Kreislaufinsuffizienz \nolig{finszen}{f|inszen} % Kopfinszenierung \nolig{fintars}{f|intars} % Griffintarsien \nolig{fintell}{f|intell} % Hofintellektueller

\nolig{fintegr}{f|integr}

\nolig{fintens}{f|intens}

% Tarifintegration

% eingriffintensiv

% Schlafinnenräumen

\nolig{finter}{f|inter}
% Feuerschiffinteressierte
% Begriffinterpretationen
% Strafinterventionen Rufintervalle
\nolig{finton}{f|inton}
% Tiefintonieren
\nolig{fintrig}{f|intrig}
% Briefintrige Hofintrige
\nolig{finvent}{f|invent}
% Laufinventar
\nolig{finvest}{f|invest}
% Anlaufinvestitition

\nolig{firis}{f|iris}
% Sumpfiris
\nolig{fironi}{f|ironi}
% tiefironisch
\nolig{firre}{f|irre}
% Dorfirre
\nolig{firru}{f|irru}
% Werfirrung

\nolig{fisolat}{f|isolat}
% Strafisolator Schaumstoffisolation
\nolig{fisolie}{f|isolie}
% Griffisolierung

\nolig{uffax}{uf|fax}
% Notruffax Abruffax

% 3. fl -> f-1 % -----

\nolig{Auf1[aeiouyäöü]}{Auf|1}
% Must avoid catching "Auf1.".
\nolig{auf1}{auf|1}
% Hundreds (thousands?!) of words
% However, must allow for quite a few
% exceptions:
\keeplig{auflair} % Tierschauflair
\keeplig{aufläche}% Anbau- Grau- Kau-...
% Niveau- Plateau- Schau- Staufläche
\keeplig{auflieg1}% Tauflieglein
\keeplig{auflüssig} % Tauflüssigkeit

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\keeplig{baufl}
                                              \nolig{Dorfl}{Dorf|1}
 % Modellbauflieger Weinbauflecken
                                              \nolig{dorfl}{dorf|1}
\keeplig{Baufl} % Bauflaute
                                               % Dorfladen Dorflage Dorfleitplan
 \nolig{bauflösen}{bauf|lösen}
                                               \keeplig{dorfliese} % Korridorfliesen
  % grobauflösend
                                               \keeplig{dorflüg} %Condorflüge
\keeplig{blaufl}% blaufleckig blauflauschig
                                              \nolig{Fünfl}{Fünf|1}
 \nolig{blaufloch}{blauf|loch}
                                              \nolig{fünfl}{fünf|l}
   % Ablaufloch
                                               % fünflitrig Fünflochdüsen
 \nolig{blauflog}{blauf|log}
                                              \nolig{Golfl}{Golf|1}
   % Ablauflogik
                                              \nolig{golfl}{golf|1}
\keeplig{Blaufl}% Blauflügel (Libelle)
                                              % viele Faelle
\keeplig{fraufl}% Frauflüge
                                              \nolig{Hanfl}{Hanf|l}
\keeplig{Fraufl}
                                              \nolig{hanfl}{hanf|1}
\keeplig{gauflöte} % Rheingauflöte
                                               % Hanfladen Hanfland Hanflegalisierung
\keeplig{graufl}% Graufleckentest
                                               \keeplig{thanflamm} % Methanflamme
\keeplig{Graufl}
                                              \nolig{Hofl}{Hof|l}
\keeplig{onauflo} % Donauflotte
                                              \nolig{hofl}{hof|1}
\keeplig{onauflu} % Donauflut Donaufluss
                                               % Hoflaborant Hoflieferant
\keeplig{Moskaufl} % Moskauflug
                                               \keeplig{hoflosk} % Echofloskeln
                                              \nolig{Huflatt}{Huf|latt}
\keeplig{Schauflieg}% Schaufliegen
\keeplig{Schaufloß} % Schaufloßfahrten
                                              \nolig{huflatt}{huf|latt}
\keeplig{schauflöß}
                                               % Huflattich huflattichartig
\keeplig{Schauflug}
                                              \nolig{Hufled}{Huf|led}
\keeplig{Schauflüg} % Schauflüge
                                              \nolig{hufled}{huf|led}
\keeplig{schauflieg}
                                               % Huflederhautentzundung
\keeplig{schaufloß}
                                              \nolig{Impfl}{Impf|1}
\keeplig{schauflöß} % Wahrschauflöße
                                              \nolig{impfla}{impf|la}
\keeplig{schauflug}
                                               % Schimpflaute
\keeplig{schauflüg}
                                               \keeplig{eimpflanz} % Keimpflanze
                                              \nolig{impfle}{impf|le}
                                               % Impflegende
\nolig{Briefl}{Brief|1}
                                               \keeplig{eimpfleg} % Heimpfleger
                                               \keeplig{timpfleg} % Intimpflege
\nolig{briefl}{brief|1}
% lots and lots of words ...
                                              \nolig{Kampfl}{Kampf|1}
\nolig{Chefl}{Chef|1}
                                              \nolig{kampfl}{kampf|1}
\nolig{chefl}{chef|1}
                                               % Kampflegende kampflüstern
% Cheflieferant -limousine -lobbyist -los
                                               % Wahlkampflüge
\keeplig{achefl}
                                              \nolig{Kopfl[äeioöuüy]}{Kopf|1}
 % Rachefluch Einspracheflut
                                              \nolig{kopfl[äeioöuüy]}{kopf|1}
\keeplig{ichefl} % Speichefluss
                                              \nolig{Köpfl[aäioöuüy]}{Köpf|1}
\keeplig{schefl}
                                              \nolig{köpfl[aäioöuüy]}{köpf|1}
 % Ascheflocken Tuschefleck
                                               % Dutzende (Hunderte?) von Worten...
\keeplig{chefläche} % Bracheflächen
                                               % [kK]opfla -> caught by opfla rule
\nolig{Dampfl}{Dampf|l}
                                               % [kK]öpfle -> caught by öpfle rule
\nolig{dampfl}{dampf|1}
                                               \keeplig{kopflaster}% Ökopflaster
% Dampflanze Natriumdampflampe
                                               \keeplig{kopfleg} % Risikopflege
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\keeplig{kopflaum} % Schokopflaumen
                                              \nolig{Strafl}{Straf|1}
\nolig{Pfeifl}{Pfeif|1}
                                              \nolig{strafl}{straf|1}
\nolig{pfeifl}{pfeif|1}
                                              % lots and lots of words..
% Pfeiflaute
                                              \nolig{Strumpfl}{Strumpf|1}
\nolig{Prüfl}{Prüf|1}
                                              \nolig{strumpfl}{strumpf|1}
\nolig{prüfl}{prüf|1}
                                              % Strumpfladen Strumpfloch
% Prüflabor Prüflast Prüflampe
                                              \nolig{Sumpfl}{Sumpf|1}
\nolig{Reliefl}{Relief|1}
                                              % Sumpflabkraut -leiche -licht
\nolig{reliefl}{relief|1}
% Relieflandschaft -lagen -landkarte
                                              \nolig{Surfl}{Surf|1}
% relieflos
                                              \nolig{surfl}{surf|1}
\nolig{Rufl}{Ruf|1}
                                              % Surflizenz Surflegende
\nolig{rufl}{ruf|1}
                                              \keeplig{surfleck}% Lasurfleck
% viele Fälle, aber...
                                               \keeplig{surflüg} % Klausurflügel
                                               \keeplig{surflüss}%Glasurflüssigkeit
\keeplig{Durufl} % Duruflé
                                              \nolig{Tarifl}{Tarif|l}
\keeplig{mbarufl} % Gambarufluss
\keeplig{ruflagge} % Peruflagge
                                              \nolig{tarifl}{tarif|1}
\keeplig{rufleisch} % Kängurufleisch
                                              % lots and lots of words...
                                              \nolig{Tiefl}{Tief|1}
\nolig{Schafl}{Schaf|1}
                                              \nolig{tiefl}{tief|1}
\nolig{schafl}{schaf|1}
                                              % Tieflager stieflich
% Schafleder Schaflaus Schafleber
                                               \keeplig{tiefläche} % Garantieflächen
\nolig{Schiefl}{Schief|1}
                                               \keeplig{atieflaute}% Demokratieflaute
\nolig{schiefl}{schief|1}
                                               \keeplig{atieflut} % Bürokratieflut
% schieflachen Schieflage schieflaufen
\nolig{Schilf1}{Schilf|1}
                                              \nolig{Topfl}{Topf|1}
\nolig{schilfl}{schilf|1}
                                              \nolig{topfl}{topf|1}
% Schilflabyrinth Schilflieder
                                              % Topflappen Topflumpen
\nolig{Schlafl}{Schlaf|1}
                                               \keeplig{Topflagg} % Topflaggen
\nolig{schlafl}{schlaf|1}
                                               \keeplig{Topflitz} % Topflitzer
% lots and lots of words...
                                               \keeplig{Topflor} %Topflor
\nolig{Schleifl}{Schleif|1}
                                               \keeplig{rtopfli} % portopflichtig
                                               \keeplig{topfläch} %Biotopfläche
\nolig{schleifl}{schleif|1}
% Schleiflack Schleiflade
                                               \keeplig{topfleg} % Autopflege
\nolig{Schrumpf1}{Schrumpf|1}
                                               \nolig{rtopfleg}{rtopf|leg}
\nolig{schrumpfl}{schrumpf|1}
                                                 % Schmortopflegen
% Schrumpflack
                                               \keeplig{topflop} % Megatopflop
                                               \keeplig{topflug} % Nonstopflug
\nolig{Schweifl}{Schweif|1}
                                               \keeplig{topflüg} % Nonstopflüge
\nolig{schweifl}{schweif|1}
% Schweiflecken
                                              \nolig{Torfl}{Torf|1}
\nolig{Senfl}{Senf|1}
                                              \nolig{torfl}{torf|1}
% Senfladen Senfliebhaber
                                              % Torflieferant Torfloch
\nolig{Steif1}{Steif|1}
                                               \keeplig{Torflagge}
\nolig{steifl}{steif|1}
                                               \keeplig{Torflügel}
% steiflippig
                                               \keeplig{Torflut}
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\keeplig{torfläche}%Rotorfläche	<pre>\nolig{eufle}{euf le}</pre>
\keeplig{torflasch}%Applikatorflasche	% verteufle
\keeplig{torflieg} % Motorfliegen	\keeplig{eufleiß} %treufleißig
\keeplig{torflimm} % Monitorflimmern	\keeplig{eufleiss}%treufleissig
\keeplig{torflitz} %Motorflitzer	
\keeplig{torfloss} %Stabilisatorflossen	<pre>\nolig{flaberer}{f laberer}</pre>
\keeplig{torflott} % Exploratorflotte	% Dumpflaberer
\keeplig{torfluch} % Auswärtstorfluch	\nolig{flabor}{f labor}
\keeplig{torflug} %Simulatorflug	% Edelsteinprüflabor
\keeplig{torflüg} % Motorflüge	<pre>\nolig{flage}{f lage}</pre>
\keeplig{torflüss} %Indikatorflüssigkeit	% Rohstofflager Straflager Auflage
\keeplig{torfluss}	\keeplig{siflage}%Persiflage
\keeplig{torfluß} %Motorflußschiff	\keeplig{ouflage} % Camouflage
	\nolig{flagun}{f lagun}
	% Rifflagune
\nolig{Tropfl}{Tropf 1}	\nolig{flähm}{f lähm}
\nolig{tropfl}{tropf 1}	% Kehlkopflähmung
% Tropfleckagen	<pre>\nolig{flaminat}{f laminat}</pre>
\keeplig{tropflug}% Elektropflug	% Rumpflaminat
	<pre>\nolig{flamp}{f lamp}</pre>
\nolig{Wurfl}{Wurf 1}	% Kompaktleuchtstofflampe Notruflampe
\nolig{wurfl}{wurf 1}	$\nolig{fland}{f land}$
% Wurfluke Abwurfluke Einwurfluke	% Hofland Kauf- Sumpf- Tief-
\nolig{Würfl}{Würf 1}	% Straflandesgericht Dorflandwirtschaft
\nolig{würfl}{würf 1}	% Iffland Rifflandschaft
% Würflung würfle	% Altelfland Delfland
	\keeplig{flandern} %Ostflandern
<pre>\nolig{aflied}{af lied}</pre>	\keeplig{flandrisch}
% Schlaflied	\nolig{fländ}{f länd}
\nolig{aflos}{af los}	% hofländlich Sumpfländer Tiefländer
% straflos schlaflos	\nolig{fläng}{f läng}
\keeplig{aflosk}%Propagandafloskel	% Straflänge Rumpflänge Lauflänge
\keeplig{rafloss}%lyraflossig	<pre>\nolig{flapp}{f lapp}</pre>
<pre>\nolig{aflück}{af lück}</pre>	% Seiflappen Topflappen
% Straflücke	\nolig{flärm}{f lärm}
<pre>\nolig{ampfl[aäou]}{ampf 1}</pre>	% Auspufflärm
% Dampflokomotive	<pre>\nolig{fflatter}{f flatter}</pre>
% Kampflärm Kampfluftschiff	% Vorhofflattern aufflattert
\keeplig{ampfläch} % Campfläche	<pre>\nolig{flauf}{f lauf}</pre>
\keeplig{ampflanz}%Balsampflanzungen	% schieflaufen Auflauf Brieflauf
<pre>\keeplig{ampfleg} % Teampflege</pre>	\nolig{fläuf}{f läuf}
\nolig{arflad}{arf lad}	% schiefläuft Hofläufer Strafläufe
% Zeichenbedarfladen	% Prüfläufe Aufläufe Tiefläufer
<pre>\nolig{äufle}{äuf le}</pre>	$\nolig{flaun}{f laun}$
% Häuflein träufle	% Kauflaune Wurflaune Kampflaune

\nolig{fleb}{f|leb} \nolig{flila}{f|lila} % Hofleben Kopfleben % tieflila stumpflila % Druckkopflebensdauer \nolig{flinde}{f|linde} \keeplig{huffleb} % shuffleboard % Dorflinde Wolflinde Ziegelhoflinde \nolig{flehn}{f|lehn} % krampflindernd % steiflehnig \nolig{fling}{f|ling} \nolig{flehr}{f|lehr} % Prüfling Fünfling Sträfling Täufling % Dorflehrer Eislauflehrerin \nolig{flini}{f|lini} \nolig{fleiden}{f|leiden} % Wurflinie Straflinie Rumpflinie % Kropfleidende \nolig{flinse}{f|linse} \nolig{flein}{f|lein} % Fünflinser Wegwerflinsen % Laufleine Scherflein Wölflein \nolig{flisch}{f|lisch} % teuflisch Tüpflischeißer % Köpflein Zöpflein \nolig{fleist}{f|leist} \nolig{flist}{f|list} % Dampfleistung Knopfleiste % Prüfliste Rufliste Kaufliste % Kopfleiste Auswurfleistung \nolig{fliter}{f|liter} % Griffleiste Stoffleiste % Hofliteratur Fünflitermotor % Abstreifleiste \nolig{flizenz}{f|lizenz} \nolig{fleit}{f|leit} % Radfahrprüflizenz % Dampfleitung Hofleitung Baufhofleiter % Kaufleitung Notrufleitung aufleiten \nolig{flobby}{f|lobby} % inbegriffleitend Kraftstoffleitung % Maulwurflobbyisten \keeplig{Kaltefleiter} % a surname... \nolig{flöch}{f|löch} \nolig{flektür}{f|lektür} % Sturmwurflöcher Knopflöcher % Sufflöcher Grifflöcher % Schenkelklopflektüre \nolig{fler}{f|ler} \keeplig{flöchte} % Freiberufler Löffler Büffler Schnüffler \nolig{flöff}{f|löff} \nolig{fleut}{f|leut} % Tieflöffelbagger auflöffeln % Hofleute % Schöpflöffel \nolig{flohn}{f|lohn} \nolig{flich}{f|lich} % Tariflohn Tieflohnland % tariflich reiflich glimpflich ... \keeplig{flohnetz} % Wasserflohnetz \nolig{flöhn}{f|löhn} % (many words!) %% Vorsicht aber mit Pflicht und pflicht, % Tariflöhne %% sowie mit einflicht, verflicht, etc.: \nolig{flok}{f|lok} % Dampflokomotive \keeplig{flicht} \nolig{öpflicht}{öpf|licht} \nolig{flord}{f|lord} % kröpflicht (??) % Wolflord \nolig{flösch}{f|lösch} \nolig{flieb}{f|lieb} % Hoflöschmaschine

\nolig{fluft}{f|luft}
%Auspuffluft
\nolig{flung}{f|lung}

\nolig{flösu}{f|lösu}

% Schmierseiflösung

% freiberufliebend riffliebend

% schweflig würflig knifflig mufflig

\nolig{flief}{f|lief}

\nolig{flig}{f|lig}

% schieflief Hoflieferant

% zweigipflig fünfzipflig

% Verzweiflungsakt Verteuflung Stafflung % Dorfladen \nolig{flust}{f|lust} % Kampflust Impflust kauflustig Rauflust \nolig{pflaut}{pf|laut} % Kehlkopflaut \nolig{Gipfle}{Gipf|le} \nolig{pfleier}{pf|leier} \nolig{gipfle}{gipf|le} % Zupfleier % gipfle \nolig{pflehm}{pf|lehm} % Stampflehm \nolig{chopfl}{chopf|1} \nolig{pfleis}{pf|leis} % Schopflilie Schopflavendel % Knopfleise \nolig{pfleu}{pf|leu} \nolig{lflady}{lf|lady} % Natriumdampfleuchten Kopfleuchte % Goldlady \nolig{pflid}{pf|lid} \nolig{lflast}{lf|last} % Schlupflid % Wolflast \nolig{pflied}{pf|lied} % Kampflied \nolig{lflos}{lf|los} \nolig{pfloch}{pf|loch} % hilflos % Knopfloch \keeplig{lfloss} \nolig{pflos}{pf|los} % Walflosse Kiel- Paddel-% kampflos kopflos \keeplig{lflosk} \keeplig{pfloss} % Pappflossen % Moralfloskel Sozial - Spiel -\nolig{pflös}{pf|lös} \nolig{lürfl}{lürf|l} % krampflösend Hüftkopflösung % Schlürflaut \nolig{pflup}{pf|lup} % Kopflupe \nolig{nflehm}{nf|lehm} \nolig{pflux}{pf|lux} % Hanflehm % Hüftkopfluxation \nolig{oflad}{of|lad} \nolig{rfläd}{rf|läd} % Biohofladen % Dorfläden Surfläden Schulbedarfläden \nolig{ofläd}{of|läd} \nolig{rflück}{rf|lück} % Sturmwurflücken % Biohofläden \nolig{oflück}{of|lück} \nolig{rfluke}{rf|luke} % Vorhoflücke % Abwurfluke Einwurfluke \nolig{opfla}{opf|la} \nolig{reifl}{reif|1} % Topflappen Kopflaus kopflastig % Greiflippe Stegreiflieder Streiflacher \keeplig{gopflaum} % Mangopflaumen \keeplig{Breifl} \keeplig{iopflast} % Biopflaster \keeplig{breifl} \keeplig{nopflaster}% Kinopflaster \keeplig{Dreifl} \keeplig{opflair} % Popflair \keeplig{dreifl} \keeplig{opflanz} \keeplig{Freifl} % Kakaopflanzen Indigopflanzen \keeplig{freifl} \keeplig{eiereifl} % Meiereiflügel \nolig{opfle}{opf|le} % köpfle tröpfle Knöpfle \keeplig{reifläch} % Freiflächen \nolig{orflad}{orf|lad} \keeplig{reiflagg} % Reedereiflagge

\keeplig{reiflamm} % dreiflammig \nolig{ffigu}{f|figu} \keeplig{reiflasch}% Milchbreiflaschen % Streiffigur \keeplig{reiflies} % Fleischereifliesen \nolig{ffilm}{f|film} \keeplig{reiflock} % Breiflocken % Werwolffilm \keeplig{reifloh} % Büchereiflohmarkt \nolig{ffilter}{f|filter} \keeplig{reiflöhe} % Gießereiflöhe % Tropffilter Topffilter \keeplig{reiflott} % Fischereiflotte \nolig{ffinal}{f|final} % Hammerwurffinale \nolig{ffinte}{f|finte} \nolig{Tafle}{Taf|le} \nolig{tafle}{taf|le} % Sprungwurffinte % tafle \keeplig{raffinte} % Paraffintest \nolig{ffinanz}{f|finanz} \keeplig{tafleck} % Zahnpastaflecken \keeplig{taflege} % Regattaflegel % Hoffinanz Kauffinanzierung \nolig{ffistel}{f|fistel} \nolig{urflad}{urf|lad} % Kropffistel % Surfladen \nolig{ffixier}{f|fixier} \nolig{urfloch}{urf|loch} % Dampffixiergerät % Balleinwurfloch \nolig{hoffing}{hof|fing} \nolig{wafle}{waf|le} % Bischoffinger % schwafle \nolig{wefle}{wef|le} \nolig{iffind}{if|find} % schwefle % Tariffindung \nolig{weifle}{weif|le} % bezweifle verzweifle \nolig{lffing}{lf|fing} \keeplig{weifleck} % zweifleckig % Zwölffingerdarm \nolig{werfl}{werf|1} \nolig{lffisch}{lf|fisch} % Wegwerflied % Wolffisch \keeplig{chwerfl} % Schwerflugzeug schwerfließend \nolig{nffing}{nf|fing} \keeplig{werflitz} % Powerflitzer % fünffingrig Fünffingergebirge \nolig{pffi}{pf|fi} % topffit Kopffilm Wahlkampffinanzierung % Schlangenkopffisch Kampffisch %4.ffi->f-fi % -----\nolig{reiffing}{reif|fing} % Greiffinger \nolig{affind}{af|find} % Straffindung \keeplig{araffind} % Paraffinduft %5.ffi->ff-i \nolig{ffibel}{f|fibel} % -----% Zwiebelknopffibeln \nolig{ffieb}{f|fieb} \nolig{Stoffi}{Stoff|i} % Sumpffieber Wahlkampffieber \nolig{stoffi}{stoff|i}

\nolig{ffloch}{ff|loch} % Rohstoffindustrieller -importe % Baustoffingenieur Kunststoffingenieur % Suffloch Griffloch Sauerstoffloch % Kohlenstoffisotope \nolig{fflos}{ff|los} % auspufflos \keeplig{stoffiz} % Geheimdienstoffiziere \keeplig{stoffig} \nolig{ifflo}{iff|lo} % permit ffi ligature for ff-ig suffix % Schifflogbuch grifflos Griffloch \nolig{ffinnen}{ff|innen} \nolig{offlad}{off|lad} % Schiffinnenraum Schiffinnenausbau % Sprengstoffladung \nolig{\overline{offle}}{\overline{offle}} % löffle %6. ff1 -> ff-1 \nolig{offlo}{off|lo} % -----% wirkstofflos Sauerstoffloch % offload \nolig{Griffl}{Griff|1} \nolig{griffl}{griff|l} \nolig{pufflack}{puff|lack} % Grifflängen -laschen -leiste % Auspufflack % grifflos angrifflustig \nolig{Offline}{Off|line} \nolig{taffle}{taff|le} % staffle \nolig{offline}{off|line} % offline, Offline \nolig{Pfiffl}{Pfiff|1} \nolig{ufflad}{uff|lad} % Pfifflaute % Suffladen \nolig{Scheffle}{Scheff|le} \nolig{uffläd}{uff|läd} \nolig{scheffle}{scheff|le} % Suffläden % Scheffler Geldscheffler \nolig{luffleck}{luff|leck} \nolig{Schiffl}{Schiff|1} % Bluffleck \nolig{schiffl}{schiff|1} \nolig{üffle}{üff|le} % Schifflache Schiffladung Schifflinie % schnüffle büffle trüffle \nolig{Stoffl}{Stoff|1} \nolig{ufflon}{uff|lon} \nolig{stoffl}{stoff|1} % Mufflon % lots of words... \nolig{Treffl}{Treff|1} \nolig{treffl}{treff|1} % Trefflokal %7. ff1 -> f-f1 % -----\nolig{afflu}{aff|lu} % Gafflust \nolig{Auffl}{Auf|fl} \nolig{auffl}{auf|fl} \nolig{fflamell}{ff|lamell} % aufflackern aufflammen Aufflickung % Rafflamellen % Auffliegen \nolig{fflast}{ff|last} % Rohstofflastigkeit Treibstofflaster \nolig{eiffleck}{eif|fleck} \nolig{fflatsch}{ff|latsch} % Schleifflecklein % Rifflatschern

\nolig{ffläch}{f fläch}	%Wegwerfflasche
% Lauffläche Kampfflächen	
% Zwölfflächner zwölfflächig	\nolig{ufflot}{uff lot}
<pre>\nolig{fflech}{f flech}</pre>	% Sufflot
% aufflechten	
<pre>\nolig{ffleisch}{f fleisch}</pre>	\nolig{wurfl}{wurf 1}
% Schaffleisch Kopffleisch	% Freiwurflinie Maulwurflobbyist
<pre>\nolig{fflexib}{f flexib}</pre>	
% Tarifflexibilitat	
<pre>\nolig{fflies}{f flies}</pre>	
% Relieffliesen	
<pre>\nolig{fflimm}{f flimm}</pre>	%8.ft->f-t
% Vorhofflimmern	%
<pre>\nolig{ffluch}{f fluch}</pre>	
% Tarifflucht Werwolffluch	\nolig{Auft[aähioöruüy]}{Auf t}
<pre>\nolig{fflüch}{f flüch}</pre>	\nolig{auft[aähioöruüy]}{auf t}
% Tarifflüchtling	% (viele viele Fälle; aber: ft-Ligatur wird
\nolig{fflug}{f flug}	% doch verwendet für "Auft.")
% Tiefflug Kampfflugzeug Chefflugleiter	•
\nolig{fflüg}{f flüg}	\nolig{Brieft}{Brief t}
% Streifflüge zwölfflügelig Tiefflüge	\nolig{brieft}{brief t}
\nolig{fflur}{f flur}	% Brieftasche Brieftaube
% Klosterhofflur	<pre>\nolig{Cheft}{Chef t}</pre>
\nolig{ffluss}{f flus}	\nolig{cheft[a-z]}{chef t}
% Prüffluss	% Cheftheoretiker Cheftrainer
\nolig{fflüs}{f flüs}	\keeplig{omicheft[ceg]}
% Schleifflüsigkeit}	\nolig{Dorft}{Dorf t}
\nolig{fflut}{f flut}	\nolig{dorft}{dorf t}
% Brieffluten Rückrufflut Anrufflut	% Dorftrottel -tratsch -tümpel
	\nolig{Elfte}{Elf te}
<pre>\nolig{iefflieg}{ief flieg}</pre>	\nolig{elfte}{elf te}
% tieffliegend	% elfte elftens
<pre>\nolig{iefflog}{ief flog}</pre>	\keeplig{elfterfolg}%elfterfolgreichste
% tiefflog	
5	<pre>\nolig{Fünft[aäehlroöuy]}{Fünf t}% Fünftagewoche</pre>
\nolig{lfflach}{lf flach}	\nolig{fünft[aehlroöuy]}{fünf t}%fünftens
% Zwölfflach	\keeplig{fünfterfolg} % fünfterfolgreichste
	\keeplig{Fünfterfolg}
\nolig{pffl}{pf fl}	\keeplig{fünfthässl} % fünfthässlichste
% Sumpffläche Sturzkampfflieger	\keeplig{Fünfthässl}
% Totenkopfflagge Impfflüssigkeit	\keeplig{fünfthellst} % fünfthellste
\keeplig{Knoepffl} % Knoepffler	\keeplig{Fünfthellst}
	\keeplig{fünfthöchst} % fünfthöchste
\nolig{rfflad}{rf flad}	\keeplig{Fünfthöchst}
% Torffladen	\keeplig{fünftlängst} % fünftlängste
<pre>\nolig{rfflasch}{rf flasch}</pre>	\keeplig{Fünftlängst}

\keeplig{fünftleichtest} % fünftleichteste \nolig{Straft[aähioöruüy]}{Straf|t} \keeplig{Fünftleichtest} \nolig{straft[aähioöruüy]}{straf|t} \keeplig{fünftletzt} %fünftletzte % (viele Fälle) \keeplig{Fünftletzt} \keeplig{straftheit} % Unbestraftheit \keeplig{fünftrang} % fünftrangig \nolig{Sufft}{Suff|t} \keeplig{Fünftrang} % Sufftest Sufftext \keeplig{fünftreichst}% fünftreichste \nolig{Surft[ähiöüy]}{Surf|t} \keeplig{Fünftreichst} % Surfthema Surftipp \keeplig{Fünftlig} %Fünftligaspiel \nolig{Tarift}{Tarif|t} \keeplig{Fünftoper} % Fünftoperation \nolig{tarift}{tarif|t} \keeplig{Fünftrund} % Fünftrunden % Tarifthemen Tariftabelle \keeplig{Fünftäon} \nolig{Tieft}{Tief|t} % Tieftänzer -träumen -tresor -tunnel \nolig{Golft}{Golf|t} \nolig{Torft}{Torf|t} \nolig{golft[hiruüy]}{golf|t} \nolig{torft}{torf|t} % Torftabletten Torftaucher Torftoilette % Golfträume -turnier -typ -talent \nolig{Wurft}{Wurf|t} \nolig{Greift[eio]}{Greif|t} \nolig{wurft}{wurf|t} % Greiftest -tentakeln -tier -tor % Wurftalent Wurftaler \nolig{Hanft}{Hanf|t} % Hanftaler Hanftau \nolig{fft[aähioöruüy]}{ff|t} \nolig{Hoft[aäehioäruüy]}{Hof|t} % Stofftasche Sauerstofftank Stofftheorie \nolig{hoft[aähioöruü]}{hof|t} % Stofftier Stofftiger Stofftischtuch % Hoftor Klosterhoftor % Auspufftopf Kunststofftonne % Stofftradition Stofftrennung \nolig{Laufte}{Lauf|te} % Kunststofftube Stoffturnschuhe % Lauftermin Lauftest Lauftext % Stofftäschchen Auspufftöpfe % Kunststofftöpfe Kunststofftüten \nolig{Prüft[aähioäruüy]}{Prüf|t} \nolig{prüft[aähioöruü]}{prüf|t} % Prüftheorie %% Words that start with a capital letter \nolig{Ruft[aäehioäruüy]}{Ruf|t} %% and end in f-test % Ruftaxi Rufterz Rufton Ruftöne \nolig{Abstreiftest}{Abstreif|test} \nolig{Ankauftest}{Ankauf|test} \nolig{Schaftal}{Schaf|tal} \nolig{Hörprüftest}{Hörprüf|test} \nolig{Schaftor}{Schaf|tor} \nolig{Hüpftest}{Hüpf|test} \nolig{Schaftreib}{Schaf|treib} \nolig{Impftest}{Impf|test} \nolig{Kauftest}{Kauf|test} \nolig{Schlaft}{Schlaf|t} \nolig{Klopftest}{Klopf|test} \nolig{schlaft[aähioäruüy]}{schlaf|t} \nolig{Kneiftest}{Kneif|test} % Schlaftablette \nolig{Lichtschweiftest}{Lichtschweif|test} \nolig{Schilft[äehiruüy]}{Schilf|t} \nolig{R\u00fcckruftest}{R\u00fcckruf|test} \nolig{schilft[hiruüy]}{schilf|t} \nolig{Schnupftest}{Schnupf|test} % Schilfteich Schlilftümpel \nolig{Sumpftest}{Sumpf|test} \nolig{Senft[aäehioäruy]}{Senf|t} \nolig{Tropftest}{Tropf|test} % Senftube \nolig{Wettkampftest}{Wettkampf|test} \keeplig{Senftenberg} \nolig{tofftest}{toff|test}

% Impfstofftest Treibstofftests \nolig{ftarn}{f|tarn} % Wegwerftarnungen \nolig{ftasse}{f|tasse} % Schürftasse \nolig{aftee}{af|tee} \keeplig{ftassel} % Gruftasseln % Schlaftee \nolig{ftatb}{f|tatb} % Straftatbestände \nolig{auftee}{auf|tee} % Kreislauftee \nolig{ftaten}{f|taten} \nolig{lauftest}{lauf|test} % Kampftaten Straftaten %Kreislauftest \nolig{ftätig}{f|tätig} % Schürftätigkeit \nolig{ftauch}{f|tauch} \nolig{eiftie}{eif|tie} % Greiftiefe Steiftier % Beruftaucher Kreislauftauchgerät \nolig{eiftit}{eif|tit} \nolig{ftaugl}{f|taugl} % Eingreiftitel % pruftauglich \nolig{eiftr}{eif|tr} \nolig{ftaume}{f|taume} % Eingreiftruppe Nadelstreifträger % Nachruftaumel % Greiftrupp -tier -training \nolig{ftax}{f|tax} \nolig{elieft}{elief|t} % Ruftaxi % Relieftäfelchen -tropfen -türme \nolig{enftei}{enf|tei} \nolig{fteam}{f|team} % Senfteig % Jugendtreffteam Impfteam \keeplig{fteamt} % Streitkräfteamt \nolig{ftabell}{f|tabell} \nolig{ftechn}{f|techn} % Ruftabelle % Stampftechnik schlaftechnisch % Kraftstofftechnologie Pfeiftechnik \nolig{ftablett}{f|tablett} % Schlaftabletten \nolig{ftedd}{f|tedd} \nolig{ftafel}{f|tafel} % Schlafteddy % Pfeiftafel \nolig{fteich}{f|teich} \nolig{ftag}{f|tag} % Schilfteich Dorfteich % Tauftag Fünftagewoche \keeplig{nfteich} % Zunfteiche \nolig{ftäg}{f|täg} \keeplig{ifteich} % Schrifteiche % fünftägig elfftägig zwölftägig \nolig{fteigw}{f|teigw} \nolig{ftalsg}{f|talsg} % Dampfteigwaren % schaftalsgrundig \nolig{fteil}{f|teil} % fünfteilig Friedhofteil \nolig{ftanz}{f|tanz} % Raumschiffteil Riffteil Stoffteil % Kampftanz Schilftanz \keeplig{ftanzahl} % Heftanzahl \nolig{ftelef}{f|telef} \keeplig{ftanzeig} % Luftanzeige \nolig{fteleph}{f|teleph}%oldspelling... \keeplig{ftanzieh} % Schwerkraftanziehung % Wegwerftelefon Notruftelefonnummern \keeplig{ftanzüg} %Haftanzüge \nolig{fteller}{f|teller} \nolig{ftänz}{f|tänz} %Schiefteller \nolig{ftempel}{f|tempel} % Tieftänzer \nolig{ftari}{f|tari} % Kauftempel % Anruftarif \nolig{ftemper}{f|temper}

% Schlaftemperatur

\keeplig{ftaristokr} % Zunftaristokratie

\nolig{ftempo}{f|tempo} % Rückruftickets Diskuswurfticket % Dauerlauftempo \nolig{ftief}{f|tief} \nolig{ftendenz}{f|tendenz} % tieftief (?) \keeplig{ftiefigur} % Softiefigur % Klassenkampftendenz \nolig{ftentak}{f|tentak} \nolig{ftier}{f|tier} % Greiftentakeln % Wegwerftier Huftier \nolig{fteppi}{f|teppi} \keeplig{haftier} % inhaftieren % Schaumstoffteppich Knüpfteppich \keeplig{Muftier} % Muftierben \nolig{ftermin}{f|termin} \nolig{ftipp}{f|tipp} % Anpfifftermin Passagierschiffterminal % Surftipp \keeplig{fterminder} \nolig{ftirad}{f|tirad} % Schimpftirade % Gesellschafterminderheiten \nolig{ftermit}{f|termit} \nolig{ftisch}{f|tisch} % Schleiftisch % Kampftermiten \keeplig{ftermitt} % Rauschgiftermittler \keeplig{stiftisch} % hochstiftisch \keeplig{ünftisch} % zünftisch \nolig{fterrain}{f|terrain} % Kampfterrain \nolig{fterrass}{f|terrass} \nolig{ftod}{f|tod} % Tuffterrassen % Hanftod \nolig{fterrin}{f|terrin} \keeplig{ftodem} % Giftodem \nolig{fton}{f|ton} % Kohlkopfterrine \nolig{fterror}{f|terror} % Pfeifton Zwölftonmusik Rufton % Schadstoffterror \nolig{ftön}{f|tön} \nolig{ftestat}{f|testat} % Pfeiftöne Ruftöne % Prüftestate \nolig{ftool}{f|tool} \keeplig{ftestation} % Prüftool % Streitkräftestationierung \nolig{ftopf}{f|topf} \keeplig{ftestatist} % Schleiftopf Dampf- Auspuff- Schöpf-% Lehrkräftestatistik \keeplig{ftopfer} \nolig{fteuf}{f|teuf} % Duftopfer Gift- Haft-% Dorfteufel Saufteufel \nolig{ftöpf}{f|töpf} \nolig{ftext}{f|text} % Senftöpfchen Torftöpfchen % Betrefftext Stofftextur Stegreiftexte % Kunststofftöpfe \keeplig{ftextrakt} % Duftextrakt \nolig{ftorig}{f|torig} % schaftorig fünftorig \nolig{ftheat}{f|theat} \nolig{ftour}{f|tour} % Streiftour % Stegreiftheater \nolig{fthem}{f|them} % Wolfthema \nolig{ftrader}{f|trader} \keeplig{fthemm} % Wirtschafthemmnis % Cheftrader \nolig{ftheor}{f|theor} \nolig{ftradition}{f|tradition} %-f-theorie-f-theorien % Ruftraditionen

\nolig{fträg}{f|träg}

\nolig{ftrain}{f|train}

% Notrufträger

% Lauftrainer

\nolig{ftherap}{f|therap}

% Schröpftherapeut

\nolig{ftick}{f|tick}

% Impftherapie Wurftherapie

\nolig{ftränk}{f|tränk} % Schnieftuch Kopftuch % Rückruftränke Schaftränke \nolig{ftüch}{f|tüch} \nolig{ftransp}{f|transp} % Schnieftücher \nolig{ftürk}{f|türk} % Hilftransport Schaftransport \nolig{fträume}{f|träume} % tieftürkis % tiefträumend Tiefschlafträume \nolig{fturm}{f|turm} \keeplig{afträume} % Einzelhafträumen % Wolfturm \keeplig{äfträume} % Geschäfträumen \nolig{ftürm}{f|türm} \keeplig{rifträume}% Schrifträume % Wolftürme \keeplig{ufträume} % Lufträumen \nolig{ftyp}{f|typ} \nolig{ftrauri}{f|traurig} % Schifftyp Stofftyp waldorftypisch % tieftraurig $\verb|\nolig{ftreff}{f|treff}|$ \nolig{ftyr}{f|tyr} % Notruftreffen % Dorftyrann Hoftyrann \nolig{ftresor}{f|tresor} \nolig{ftwist}{f|twist} % Tieftresor % Kopftwister \keeplig{ftresorp} % Luftresorption \nolig{ftret}{f|tret} \nolig{graftum}{graf|tum} %Mieftreter % Burggraftum Markgraftum \keeplig{ftrett} % Luftrettungsdienst \nolig{graftüm}{graf|tüm} \keeplig{ftreturn}% Softreturn % Markgraftümer \nolig{ftrick}{f|trick} % Rückruftricks \nolig{hoftest}{hof|test} \nolig{ftrieb}{f|trieb} % Schlachthoftest % auftriebte schaftriebig \nolig{iefta}{ief|ta} \nolig{ftrief}{f|trief} % tieftriefend % Tieftaucher Brieftasche Brieftaube \nolig{ftrift}{f|trift} \nolig{iefto}{ief|to} % schaftriftig Schaftrift % Stieftochter Tiefton \nolig{ftrimest}{f|trimest} \nolig{ieftö}{ief|tö} % fünftrimestrig zwölftrimestrig % Stieftöchter tieftönend \nolig{ieftra}{ief|tra} \nolig{ftritt}{f|tritt} % Huftritte % Tieftraumphase \keeplig{ftritter} % Kernkraftritter \keeplig{Luftritt} \nolig{lfta}{lf|ta} % elftausend zwölftausend Golftasche \nolig{ftrott}{f|trott} % Sauftrottel \nolig{lfto}{lf|to} % Zwölftonmusik Elftonner Golftour \nolig{ftrüb}{f|trüb} \nolig{lftö}{lf|tö} % tieftrübe % zwölftönend \nolig{ftrunk}{f|trunk} \nolig{lftum}{lf|tum} % schlaftrunken %Werwolftum \nolig{ftrupp}{f|trupp} % Prüftruppe \nolig{nftü}{nf|tü} % fünftürig Senftüte

\nolig{ftuch}{f|tuch}

\keeplig{nftüb}

% Vernunftüberlegung zunftüblich \keeplig{gruftas} \nolig{nftübchen}{nf|tübchen} \keeplig{Luftas} % Luftasket % Senftübchen \keeplig{luftas} \keeplig{uftassoz} \nolig{ölfte}{ölf|te} % Duftassoziationen Schuftassoziationen % zwölfte zwölftens \nolig{urfta}{urf|ta} \nolig{pft[aähioöruüy]}{pf|t} % Wurftalent Auswurftaste Surftalent % Wettkampftag -trubel -tauglich -töne \keeplig{tdurfta} % Notdurftanlage % Kampftaktik -truppe -tätigkeit -tänzer \nolig{urfto}{urf|to} % Schnupftabak -tuch -tücher -tüchlein % Freiwurftor Surftour % Schimpftiraden Mehrkampftitel % Stapftiefe Zopfträger \nolig{ünftor}{ünf|tor} % Dampftopf Sumpftour Herzklopftöne % fünftorig Fünftore-Vorsprung % Kopftreffer -tuch -tücher % Impftabelle -tarif -tierarzt -tod \keeplig{pftheit} % Gedämpftheit Umkämpftheit %9. fb -> f-b, fh -> f-h, fk -> f-k \nolig{pftee}{pf|tee} % -----% Schlumpftee (?!) \nolig{pfteig}{pf|teig} % Disable these ligatures globally. % Sumpfteig Hefetropfteig % I can't think of a single *German* word \nolig{pftender}{pf|tender} % for which these ligatures would not % Heißdampftenderlok % cross a morpheme boundary. %\nolig{rftrag}{rf|trag} \nolig{fb}{f|b} % Wegwerftragtasche Dorftragödie \nolig{fh}{f|h} \nolig{fk}{f|k} \nolig{rftr}{rf|tr} % However, there are names of *non-German* % Wurftraining Surftrip Freiwurftreffer % origin for which the 'fk' ligature \keeplig{tdurftrö} % Notdurftröhre % shouldn't be suppressed: \keeplig{Werftr} % Werftreparatur \keeplig{Kafka} \keeplig{kafka} \keeplig{werftr} \nolig{werftrage}{werf|trage} \keeplig{Piefke} % Wegwerftragetasche \keeplig{piefkei} % Ostpiefkei \nolig{rftu}{rf|tu} \keeplig{Safka} % Wurftuch \keeplig{Potrafke} \keeplig{Werftu} \keeplig{Sprafke} \keeplig{werftu} \keeplig{Shirafkan} % Werftumfeld Werftunternehmen \keeplig{Tirafkan} \keeplig{Selfkant} \nolig{uftas}{uf|tas} % Ruftaste Vorlauftaste Kauftasche \keeplig{Duftas} % Duftaspekte %10.fj->f-j \keeplig{duftas} % -----\keeplig{Gruftas} %Gruftassel

% Suppress this ligature globally. Words % of German origin seem to feature 'fj' % only across morpheme boundaries.

\nolig{fj}{f|j}

\keeplig{fjäll}

\keeplig{fjöll}

% aufjauchzen aufjaulen fünfjährig Kampfjet % Strafjustizgebäude Dorfjugend Kopfjäger ...

% Once more, though, there are some words of
% *non-German* (e.g., Nordic and Slavic)
% origin for which the 'fj' ligature should
% not be suppressed. Use \keeplig macros to
% treat such cases.
\keeplig{fjord} % Norwegian
\keeplig{fjör} % Icelandic, e.g.,
% Isafjördur and Ísafjörður
\keeplig{ísafjarðarbær} % city in Iceland
\keeplig{fjell} % Norwegian
\keeplig{fjall} % Swedish (?)

\keeplig{Prokofjew}
\keeplig{Sufjan} % Stevens
\keeplig{Eefje} % Dutch first name
\keeplig{Astafjew}
% Author (Wiktor) and soccer player (Maksim)

% 11. fff -> ff-f % -----

% Just in case there's a font that % features a triple-f ligature:

\nolig{fff}{ff|f}
% grifffest Stofffarbe Schifffahrt

% This macro will also break up any 'fffl'
% ligatures into 'ff' and 'fl' parts.
% Examples: Sauerstoffflasche Stofffleck
% Schlifffläche Kunststoffflügel

C The package's main style file: selnolig.sty

```
%!TeX root = selnolig.tex
% !TEX TS-program = lualatex
% This entire package is placed under the terms of the
% LaTeX Project Public License, version 1.3 or later
% (http://www.latex-project.org/lppl.txt).
% It has the status "maintained".
% Author: Mico Loretan (loretan dot mico at gmail dot com)
% Part 1: Preliminaries
% -----
\def\selnoligpackagename{selnolig}
\def\selnoligpackageversion{0.211a}
\def\selnoligpackagedate{2013/05/16}
% Announce who we are. Issue warning message if we're
% not running under LuaLaTeX.
\typeout{=== Package \selnoligpackagename,
     Version \selnoligpackageversion,
     Date \selnoligpackagedate ===}
\ProvidesPackage{selnolig}[2013/05/16]
\RequirePackage{ifluatex}
\ifluatex
 \RequirePackage{luatexbase,luacode,expl3}
\else
 \typeout{ ========= }
 \typeout{ WARNING WARNING WARNING }
 \typeout{ ----- }
 \typeout{ The ligature suppression macros of the }
 \typeout{ selnolig package *require* LuaLaTeX. }
 \typeout{ Because you're NOT running this package }
 \typeout{ under LuaLaTeX, ligature suppression }
 \typeout{ *can not* be performed.
 \typeout{========}
\fi
```

% If the 'fontspec' package isn't loaded by the time

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% the '\begin{document}' directive is encoutered, issue
% an error message and exit.
\AtBeginDocument{%
\ifluatex
 \@ifpackageloaded{fontspec}{}{%
 \PackageError{selnolig}{%
  Error Alert Error Alert \MessageBreak
  -----\MessageBreak
  The selnolig package *requires* the \MessageBreak
  'fontspec' package, but it hasn't been \MessageBreak
  loaded. Exiting now.
                             \MessageBreak
  {See section 2.2 of selnolig's user guide for more information.}
}
\fi
}
% Set up some fundamental Boolean variables, their
% default values, and define the user options.
% The main language options are 'english' and 'german'.
% We provide the option 'otherlang' option just in case
% a user wants to provide ligature suppression patterns
% for languages other than English and German.
\newif\if@english\@englishfalse
\newif\if@german\@germanfalse
\newif\if@otherlang\@otherlangfalse
\DeclareOption{english}{\@englishtrue}
% synonymous options:
 \DeclareOption{usenglish}{\@englishtrue}
 \DeclareOption{ukenglish}{\@englishtrue}
 \DeclareOption{USenglish}{\@englishtrue}
 \DeclareOption{UKenglish}{\@englishtrue}
 \DeclareOption{american}{\@englishtrue}
 \DeclareOption{british}{\@englishtrue}
 \DeclareOption{canadian}{\@englishtrue}
 \DeclareOption{australian}{\@englishtrue}
 \DeclareOption{newzealand}{\@englishtrue}
\DeclareOption{ngerman}{\@germantrue}
% synonymous options:
 \DeclareOption{german}{\@germantrue}
```

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\DeclareOption{austrian}{\@germantrue}
 \DeclareOption{naustrian}{\@germantrue}
 \DeclareOption{swiss}{\@germantrue}
 \DeclareOption{swissgerman}{\@germantrue}
\DeclareOption{otherlang}{\@otherlangtrue}
% synonymous option:
\DeclareOption{otherlanguage}{\@otherlangtrue}
% For English, the default is to load only a fairly basic
% set of non-ligation rules pertaining to f-ligatures.
% Among them are the "standard five" (ff, fi, fl, ffi,
% and ffl) ligatures as well as the ft ligature.
% Two options to override this "basic" setting:
% - broadf Many more non-ligation rules for f-ligatures,
      incl. fb, fh, fj, and fk character pairs.
% - hdlig Additional ligature suppression rules for
      'historic' and/or 'discretionary' ligatures,
%
      e.g., ct, sp, st, sk, th, as, is, us, fr,
      11, et, at, and ta.
\newif\if@broadfset\@broadfsetfalse
\DeclareOption{broadf}{\@broadfsettrue}
\newif\if@hdligset\@hdligsetfalse
\DeclareOption{hdlig}{\@hdligsettrue}
% The package also provides hyphenation exception
% patterns for English and German language words.
% Loading these patterns is enabled by default. This
% can be disabled by providing the option
% 'noadditionalhyphenationpatterns'.
\newif\if@addlhyph\@addlhyphtrue
\DeclareOption{noadditionalhyphenationpatterns}{\@addlhyphfalse}
% The 'basic' option automatically sets the preceding Booleans
% to 'false', even if historic and/or rare ligatures are enabled
\DeclareOption{basic}{\@broadfsetfalse\@hdligsetfalse}
```

```
% Last but not least, an option to set all Boolean
% variables (other than '@addlhyph') to 'true'
% simultaneously.
\DeclareOption{all}{%
 \@englishtrue \@broadfsettrue \@hdligsettrue
 \@germantrue \@otherlangtrue}
% Finally, process all options
\ProcessOptions\relax
% Part 2: Load the lua code and set up the user macros
\ifluatex
% Load the lua code contained in 'selnolig.lua'.
 \directlua{ require("selnolig.lua") }
 % Commands to switch selnolig's routines on and off
 \newcommand\selnoligon{
 \directlua{ enableselnolig() }
 }
 \newcommand\selnoligoff{
 \directlua{ disableselnolig() }
 }
 % By default, selnolig's macros are switched on
 \selnoligon
 % Record operations of selnolig package to the log
 % file: Enabled via '\debugon' command
 \newcommand\debugon{%
  \directlua{ debug=true }
 \newcommand\debugoff{%
  \directlua{ debug=false }
 }
 % The main user macro is called '\nolig':
 \newcommand\nolig[2]{
  \directlua{
```

```
suppress_liga( "\luatexluaescapestring{#1}",
           "\luatexluaescapestring{#2}")
  }
 }
% A second user macro allows global overriding of
 % rules set up by '\nolig':
 \newcommand\keeplig[1]{
  \directlua{
   always_keep_liga("\luatexluaescapestring{#1}")
  }
}
\else
% If *not* running under LuaLaTeX, provide dummy
 % definitions for package's user macros.
 \newcommand{\nolig}[2]{}
 \newcommand{\keeplig}[1]{}
 \let\selnoligon\relax
 \let\selnoligoff\relax
 \let\debugon\relax
 \let\debugoff\relax
\fi
% A third user macro: '\breaklig'. This is hopefully
% easier to remember than having to type "\-\hspace{0pt}"
\newcommand\breaklig{\-{\hspace{0pt}}}}
% Part 3: What to do if the 'english' option is set
\if@english
 % load English-language ligature suppression rules
 \ifluatex
   \RequirePackage{selnolig-english-patterns}
 \fi
 % load additional hyphenation exception patterns
 \if@addlhyph
  \RequirePackage{selnolig-english-hyphex}
 \fi
\fi
```

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\% Part 4: What to do if the 'ngerman' option is set
\if@german
 % load German-language ligature suppression rules
 \ifluatex
  \RequirePackage{selnolig-german-patterns}
 \fi
 % load additional hyphenation exception patterns
 \if@addlhyph
  \RequirePackage{selnolig-german-hyphex}
 \fi
\fi
\% Part 5: What to do if 'otherlang' option is set
% -----
\if@otherlang
 % currently nothing included
\fi
```

D The package's lua code: selnolig.lua

```
-- lua code for the selnolig package, to be loaded
-- with an instruction such as
-- \directlua{ require("selnolig.lua") }
-- from a (Lua)LaTeX .sty file.
-- Author: Mico Loretan (loretan dot mico at gmail dot com)
-- (with crucial contributions by Taco Hoekwater,
-- Patrick Gundlach, and Steffen Hildebrandt)
-- Date: 2013/05/16
-- The entire selnolig package is placed under the terms
-- of the LaTeX Project Public License, version 1.3 or
-- later. (http://www.latex-project.org/lppl.txt).
-- It has the status "maintained".
selnolig = { }
selnolig.module = {
 name = "selnolig",
 version = "0.211a",
       = "2013/05/16",
 description = "Selective suppression of typographic ligatures",
 author = "Mico Loretan",
 copyright = "Mico Loretan",
 license = "LPPL 1.3 or later"
local glyph = node.id('glyph')
local glue = node.id("glue")
local whatsit = node.id("whatsit")
local userdefined
for n, v in pairs(node.whatsits()) do
if v == 'user_defined' then userdefined = n end
local identifier = 123456 -- any unique identifier
local noliga={}
local keepliga={} -- String -> Boolean
debug=false
function debug_info(s)
if debug then
 texio.write_nl(s)
end
```

```
end
```

```
local blocknode = node.new(whatsit, userdefined)
blocknode.type = 100
blocknode.user_id = identifier
local prefix_length = function(word, byte)
return unicode.utf8.len( string.sub(word,0,byte) )
end
-- Problem: string.find and unicode.utf8.find return
-- the byte-position at which the pattern is found
-- instead of the character-position. Fix this by
-- providing a dedicated string search function.
local unicode find = function(s, pattern, position)
-- Start by correcting the incoming position
if position ~= nil then
 debug_info("Position: "..position)
 sub = string.sub(s, 1, position)
 position=position+string.len(sub) - unicode.utf8.len(sub)
 debug_info("Corrected position: "..position)
end
-- Now execute find and fix it accordingly
byte_pos = unicode.utf8.find(s, pattern, position)
if byte_pos ~= nil then
 -- "convert" byte pos to "unicode pos"
 return unicode.utf8.len( string.sub(s, 1, byte_pos) )
else
 return nil
end
end
function process_ligatures(nodes,tail)
local s={}
local current_node=nodes
local build_liga_table = function(strlen,t)
 local p={}
 for i = 1, strlen do
  p[i]=0
 end
 for k, v in pairs(t) do
  debug_info("Match: "..v[3])
  local c= unicode_find(noliga[v[3]],"|")
  local correction=1
  while c~=nil do
```

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debug_info("Position"..(v[1]+c))
   p[v[1]+c-correction] = 1
   c = unicode_find(noliga[v[3]],"|",c+1)
   correction = correction+1
 end
end
--debug_info("Liga table: "..table.concat(p, ""))
end
local apply_ligatures=function(head, ligatures)
 local i=1
 local hh=head
 local last=node.tail(head)
 for curr in node.traverse_id(glyph,head) do
  if ligatures[i]==1 then
   debug_info("Inserting noliga whatsit before glyph: " ..unicode.utf8.char(curr.char))
   node.insert_before(hh,curr, node.copy(blocknode))
   hh=curr
  end
  last=curr
  if i==#ligatures then
   debug_info("Leave node list on position: "..i)
   break
  end
  i=i+1
 end
 if(last~=nil) then
  debug_info("Last char: "..unicode.utf8.char(last.char))
 end
end
for t in node.traverse(nodes) do
if t.id==glyph then
 s[#s+1]=unicode.utf8.char(t.char)
elseif t.id== glue then
 local f=string.gsub(table.concat(s,""),"[\\?!,\\.]+","")
 local throwliga={}
 for k,v in pairs(noliga) do
  local count=1
  local match = string.find(f,k)
  while match do
   count=match
   keep=false
   debug_k1=""
   for k1, v1 in pairs (keepliga) do
    if v1 and string.find(f,k1) and string.find(k1,k) then
     debug k1=k1
```

```
keep=true
      break
     end
    end
    if not keep then
     debug_info("pattern match: "..f .." - "..k)
     local n = match + string.len(k) - 1
     table.insert(throwliga,{prefix_length(f,match),n,k})
    else
     debug_info("pattern match nolig and keeplig: "..f .." - "..k.." - "..debug_k1)
    match= string.find(f,k,count+1)
   end
  end
  if #throwliga==0 then
  -- debug_info("No ligature suppression for: "..f)
  else
   debug_info("Do ligature suppression for: "..f)
   local ligabreaks = build_liga_table(f:len(),throwliga)
   apply_ligatures(current_node,ligabreaks)
  end
  s = \{\}
  current_node = t
 end
end
end -- end of function process_ligatures(nodes,tail)
function suppress_liga(s,t)
noliga[s] = t
end
function always_keep_liga(s)
keepliga[s] = true
end
function drop_special_nodes (nodes,tail)
for t in node.traverse(nodes) do
 if t.id == whatsit and t.subtype == userdefined and t.user_id == identifier
  node.remove(nodes,t)
  node.free(t)
 end
end
end
function enableselnolig()
```

E Reporting bugs and other issues with the selnolig package: A suggested template

```
% !TEX TS-program = lualatex
% selnolig-bugreport.tex, 2013/05/16
\documentclass{article}
\usepackage[margin=1in]{geometry}
\usepackage{fontspec}
% Choose a different font if desired:
\setmainfont{EB Garamond 12 Regular}
% Comment out the next instruction if you don't use babel;
% and set the language version that meets your needs.
\usepackage[ngerman]{babel}
% Choose either ngerman or english as the language option
\usepackage[ngerman]{selnolig}
\begin{document}
\paragraph*{Version of selnolig package used:}
\selnoligpackageversion, \selnoligpackagedate
% these macros are defined in selnolig.sty
\subsection*{Type-I errors: Words that contain ligatures that should be suppressed}
[List words here]
\subsection*{Type-II errors: Words for which ligatures are being suppressed improperly}
[List words here]
\subsection*{Other issues}
Examples: problems with user guide; problems caused by the package's lua code
(and, please, suggestions for bug fixes)
\end{document}
```