

ROMANIZATION SYSTEM FOR UZBEK
BGN/PCGN 1979 System

The BGN/PCGN system for Uzbek was designed for use in romanizing names written in the Uzbek alphabet. The Uzbek alphabet contains four characters not present in the Russian alphabet: *ʏ*, *κ*, *ɾ*, and *χ*.

	Uzbek				Romanization		Uzbek				Romanization
1	A	a	A	a	a	19	C	c	C	c	s
2	Б	б	Б	б	b	20	T	т	T	m	t
3	В	в	В	в	w	21	У	у	У	y	u
4	Г	г	Г	г	g	22	Ф	ф	Ф	gh	f
5	Д	д	Д	д	d	23	X	х	X	χ	kh
6	Е	е	Е	е	e, ye ¹	24	Ц	ц	Ц	u	ts
7	Ё	ё	Ё	ё	yo	25	Ч	ч	Ч	u	ch
8	Ж	ж	Ж	ж	j	26	Ш	ш	Ш	u	sh
9	З	з	З	з	z	27	Ъ	ъ	Ъ	u	'
10	И	и	И	и	i	28	Ь	ь	Ь	u	'
11	Й	й	Й	й	y	29	Э	э	Э	u	e
12	К	к	К	к	k	30	Ю	ю	Ю	u	yu
13	Л	л	Л	л	l	31	Я	я	Я	u	ya
14	М	м	М	м	m	32	Ў	ў	Ў	u	ū
15	Н	н	Н	н	n	33	Қ	қ	Қ	κ	q
16	О	о	О	о	o	34	Ғ	ғ	Ғ	ɾ	gh
17	П	п	П	п	p	35	Х	х	Х	χ	h
18	Р	р	Р	р	r						

NOTES

1. The character **е** should be romanized **ye** initially, after the vowel characters **а, е, ё, и, о, у, э, ю, я**, and **ѣ**, and after **й** and **ь**. In all other instances, it should be romanized **e**.
2. The character sequences **гх, кх, сх**, and **цх** may be romanized **g·h, k·h, s·h**, and **ts·h** in order to differentiate those romanizations from the digraphs **gh, kh, sh**, and the letter sequence **tsh**, which are used to render the characters **г, х, ш**, and the character sequence **тш**.