

# Scheherazade New - Font Features

Scheherazade New is an OpenType-enabled font family that supports the Arabic script. It includes a number of optional features that provide alternative rendering that might be preferable for use in some contexts. The sections below enumerate the details of these features. Whether these features are available to users will depend on both the application and the rendering technology being used. Some applications let the user control certain features such as Character Variants to turn on the rendering of variant characters. However, at this point, most applications do not make use of those features so another solution is needed to show the variant characters. For applications that do not make use of the OpenType Character Variants, you can now download fonts customized with the variant glyphs you choose. Read this document, visit [TypeTuner Web](#), then choose the variants and download your font.

See [Using Font Features](#). Although that page is not targeted at Arabic script support, it does provide a comprehensive list of applications that make full use of the OpenType font technology.

See also [Arabic Fonts — Application Support](#). It provides a fairly comprehensive list of applications that make full use of the OpenType font technology.

This page uses web fonts (WOFF) to demonstrate font features and should display correctly in all modern browsers. For a more concise example of how to use Scheherazade New as a web font see *ScheherazadeNew-webfont-example.html* in the font package web folder.

If this document is not displaying correctly a PDF version is also provided in the documentation/pdf folder of the release package.

## Complete feature list

### Language system tags

Affects: U+062F, U+0630, U+0688..U+068F, U+0690, U+06EE, U+0759, U+075A, U+08AE, U+0645, U+0765, U+0766, U+08A7, U+06BE, U+0626, U+06F4, U+06F5, U+06F6, U+06F7, U+0650, U+064F, U+064C, U+0657

Unfortunately, the UI needed to access the language-specific behavior is not yet present in many applications. LibreOffice and Microsoft Word 2016 support language-specific behavior for Kurdish, Sindhi and Urdu (but not Kyrgyz, Rohingya or Wolof). Some Harfbuzz-based apps, e.g., XeTeX, can access language-specific behavior. In the past, it was not always possible to override language-specific behavior in cases where the language-specific variants were undesirable but, as of version 4.300, the font now supports this possibility.

### Kashmiri, Kurdish (Northern), Rohingya, Sindhi, Urdu

Language	Meem	Heh Doachashmee (06BE)	4	6	7	0650/064E	064C	0652	Feature Setting
Default	م مم	ه هه	٤	٦	٧	بْ	بْ	بْ	
Kashmiri	م مم	ه هه	٤	٦	٧	بْ	بْ	بْ	lang= ' ks '
Kurdish (Northern)	م مم	ه هه	٤	٦	٧	بْ	بْ	بْ	lang= ' ku '
Rohingya		ه هه	٤	٦	٧	بْ	بْ	بْ	lang= ' rhg '



## Meem

Affects: U+0645, U+0765, U+0766, U+08A7

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Standard	م مم م ففم م بمب م ققثم	cv44=0
Sindhi-style	مر مم م ففم م بمب م ققثم ققثم	cv44=1
Long-tail	م مم م ففم م بمب م ققثم	cv44=2





## Heh

Affects: U+0647

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Standard	ه ههه	cv48=0
Kurdish-style	ه ههه	cv48=3
Sindhi-style	ه ههه	cv48=1
Urdu-style	ه به	cv48=2



## Heh Doachashmee

Affects: U+06BE

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Standard		cv49=0
Knotted		cv49=1
Bowtie		cv49=2
Kurdish-style		cv49=3

## Kyrgyz OE

Affects: U+06C5

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Loop		cv51=0
Bar		cv51=1

## Yeh Hamza

Affects: U+0626

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Standard	ئِ	cv54=0
Right hamza	ئِ	cv54=1
Mid hamza	ئِ	cv54=2

## Maddah

Affects: U+0622, U+0627, U+0653, U+0653

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Small	آ آ	cv60=0
Large	آ آ	cv60=1

## Shadda+kasra placement

Affects: U+064D, U+0650 with U+0651

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Default	ٲ ٲ ٲ ٲ	cv62=0
Lowered	ٲ ٲ ٲ ٲ	cv62=1
Raised	ٲ ٲ ٲ ٲ	cv62=2

## Damma

Affects: U+064F

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Default	ُ ٲ	cv70=0
Filled	ُ ٲ	cv70=1
Short	ُ ٲ	cv70=2
Crossed	ُ ٲ	cv70=3

## Dammatan

Affects: U+064C

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Standard	ٲ ٲ	cv72=0
Six-nine	ٲ ٲ	cv72=1
Two-nine	ٲ ٲ	cv72=2

## Affects: U+0657

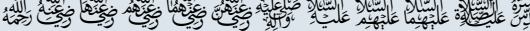
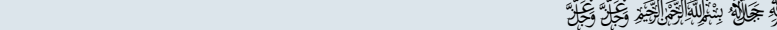
## Superscript Alef

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Default	<p>اَ اِ اِو اِوِ اِوِو اِوِوِ اِوِوِو اِوِوِوِ  ص صِ صِو صِوِ صِوِو صِوِوِ صِوِوِو صِوِوِوِ  تِ تِو تِوِ تِوِو تِوِوِ تِوِوِو تِوِوِوِ  بِ بِو بِوِ بِوِو بِوِوِ بِوِوِو بِوِوِوِ  چِ چِو چِوِ چِوِو چِوِوِ چِوِوِو چِوِوِوِ  شِ شِو شِوِ شِوِو شِوِوِ شِوِوِو شِوِوِوِ  سِ سِو سِوِ سِوِو سِوِوِ سِوِوِو سِوِوِوِ  يِ يِو يِوِ يِوِو يِوِوِ يِوِوِو يِوِوِوِ  ئِ ئِو ئِوِ ئِوِو ئِوِوِ ئِوِوِو ئِوِوِوِ</p>	cv76=0
Large	<p>اَ اِ اِو اِوِ اِوِو اِوِوِ اِوِوِو اِوِوِوِ  ص صِ صِو صِوِ صِوِو صِوِوِ صِوِوِو صِوِوِوِ  تِ تِو تِوِ تِوِو تِوِوِ تِوِوِو تِوِوِوِ  بِ بِو بِوِ بِوِو بِوِوِ بِوِوِو بِوِوِوِ  چِ چِو چِوِ چِوِو چِوِوِ چِوِوِو چِوِوِوِ  شِ شِو شِوِ شِوِو شِوِوِ شِوِوِو شِوِوِوِ  سِ سِو سِوِ سِوِو سِوِوِ سِوِوِو سِوِوِوِ  يِ يِو يِوِ يِوِو يِوِوِ يِوِوِو يِوِوِوِ  ئِ ئِو ئِوِ ئِوِو ئِوِوِ ئِوِوِو ئِوِوِوِ</p>	cv76=1
Small	<p>اَ اِ اِو اِوِ اِوِو اِوِوِ اِوِوِو اِوِوِوِ  ص صِ صِو صِوِ صِوِو صِوِوِ صِوِوِو صِوِوِوِ  تِ تِو تِوِ تِوِو تِوِوِ تِوِوِو تِوِوِوِ  بِ بِو بِوِ بِوِو بِوِوِ بِوِوِو بِوِوِوِ  چِ چِو چِوِ چِوِو چِوِوِ چِوِوِو چِوِوِوِ  شِ شِو شِوِ شِوِو شِوِوِ شِوِوِو شِوِوِوِ  سِ سِو سِوِ سِوِو سِوِوِ سِوِوِو سِوِوِوِ  يِ يِو يِوِ يِوِو يِوِوِ يِوِوِو يِوِوِوِ  ئِ ئِو ئِوِ ئِوِو ئِوِوِ ئِوِوِو ئِوِوِوِ</p>	cv76=2



## Honorific ligatures

Affects: U+FD40..U+FD4F, U+FDCE, U+FDFA..U+FDFB, U+FDFF..U+FDFF

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Calligraphic		cv81=0
Simplified		cv81=1

## Eastern digits

Affects: U+06F4, U+06F6, U+06F7

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Standard	۴۶۷	cv82=0
Sindhi-style	۴۶<	cv82=1
Urdu-style	۴۶<	cv82=2
Kurdish-style	۴۶۷	cv82=3
Rohingya-style	۴۶<	cv82=4
Default	۴۶<	cv82=5

## Comma

Affects: U+060C, U+061B (This feature is not recommended for use. The Unicode Standard recommends the use of [U+2E41](#) and [U+204F](#) instead.)

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Upward	⤴ ⤵	cv84=0
Downward	⤵ ⤴	cv84=1

## Decimal separator

Affects: U+066B

Feature	Sample	Feature setting
Small reh	ﺀ	cv85=0
Slash	/	cv85=1

## Other user font features

## Line spacing

*This feature is only available in TypeTuner Web.*

Allows for adjustment of the default line spacing in the font (values shown are ordered in increasing line spacing).

Feature
Tight
Normal
Loose

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