

Translation Formats: Written or Oral?

Is the language written?

Has the language been written for a long time?

Is the language only recently written?

Are most people literate?

Is the number of literate speakers growing?

Do the speakers of the language **want** a written translation?



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Are people proud of their Oral Tradition?

Are the people used to important truths
and messages being passed to them Orally?

Does the language express a system of oral cues which signify
or emphasize important messages?

Do the speakers have a way to listen to a translation?
Like an Mp3 player or Smart phone, for example?



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