

Language Identifier Constants and Strings

Each **language identifier** is composed of a primary language identifier indicating the language and a sublanguage identifier indicating the country/region. The language identifier corresponds to a particular locale, for example, English (United States), represented as "en-US". The language identifier is used as part of the **locale identifier**.

A primary or sublanguage identifier can be user-defined or predefined. The table included in this topic defines the predefined primary language identifiers with their valid sublanguage identifiers and shows the locale identifiers in which they are used.

Note If there is no sublanguage identifier to use with a primary language identifier, your application should use **SUBLANG_DEFAULT**. It should use **SUBLANG_NEUTRAL** for resources that are the same for all sublanguages of a primary language.

A user-defined primary language identifier has a value in the range 0x0200 to 0x03ff. All other values are reserved for operating system use.

A user-defined sublanguage identifier has a value in the range 0x20 to 0x3f. All other values are reserved for operating system use.

Locale identifier	Primary language	Prim. lang. identifier	Prim. lang. symbol	Sublanguage	Sublang. identifier	Sublang. symbol
0x0C00	Default custom locale language	0x00	LANG_NEUTRAL	Default custom sublanguage	0x03	SUBLANG_CUSTOM_DEFAULT
0x1400	Default custom MUI locale language	0x00	LANG_NEUTRAL	Default custom MUI sublanguage	0x05	SUBLANG_UI_CUSTOM_DEFAULT

0x007F	Invariant locale language	0x7F	LANG_INVARIANT	Invariant sublanguage	0x00	SUBLANG_NEUTRAL
0x0000	Neutral locale language	0x00	LANG_NEUTRAL	Neutral sublanguage	0x00	SUBLANG_NEUTRAL
0x0800	System default locale language	0x02	LANG_SYSTEM_DEFAULT	System default sublanguage	0x02	SUBLANG_SYS_DEFAULT
0x1000	Unspecified custom locale language	0x00	LANG_NEUTRAL	Unspecified custom sublanguage	0x04	SUBLANG_CUSTOM_UNSPECIFIED
0x0400	User default locale language	0x00	LANG_USER_DEFAULT	User default sublanguage	0x01	SUBLANG_DEFAULT
0x0436	Afrikaans (af)	0x36	LANG_AFRIKAANS	South Africa (ZA)	0x01	SUBLANG_AFRIKAANS_SOUTH_AFRICA
0x041C	Albanian (sq)	0x1c	LANG_ALBANIAN	Albania (AL)	0x01	SUBLANG_ALBANIAN_ALBANIA
0x0484	Alsatian (gsw)	0x84	LANG_ALSATIAN	France (FR)	0x01	SUBLANG_ALSATIAN_FRANCE
0x045E	Amharic (am)	0x5E	LANG_AMHARIC	Ethiopia (ET)	0x01	SUBLANG_AMHARIC_ETHIOPIA
0x1401	Arabic (ar)	0x01	LANG_ARABIC	Algeria (DZ)	0x05	SUBLANG_ARABIC_ALGERIA
0x3C01				Bahrain (BH)	0x0f	SUBLANG_ARABIC_BAHRAIN
0x0C01				Egypt (EG)	0x03	SUBLANG_ARABIC_EGYPT

0x0801				Iraq (IQ)	0x02	SUBLANG_ARABIC_IRAQ
0x2C01				Jordan (JO)	0x0B	SUBLANG_ARABIC_JORDAN
0x3401				Kuwait (KW)	0x0D	SUBLANG_ARABIC_KUWAIT
0x3001				Lebanon (LB)	0x0C	SUBLANG_ARABIC_LEBANON
0x1001				Libya (LY)	0x04	SUBLANG_ARABIC_LIBYA
0x1801				Morocco (MA)	0x06	SUBLANG_ARABIC_MOROCCO
0x2001				Oman (OM)	0x08	SUBLANG_ARABIC_OMAN
0x4001				Qatar (QA)	0x10	SUBLANG_ARABIC_QATAR
0x0401				Saudi Arabia (SA)	0x01	SUBLANG_ARABIC_SAUDI_ARA BIA
0x2801				Syria (SY)	0x0A	SUBLANG_ARABIC_SYRIA
0x1C01				Tunisia (TN)	0x07	SUBLANG_ARABIC_TUNISIA
0x3801				U.A.E. (AE)	0x0E	SUBLANG_ARABIC_UAE
0x2401				Yemen (YE)	0x09	SUBLANG_ARABIC_YEMEN
0x042B	Armenian (hy)	0x2B	LANG_ARMENIA N	Armenia (AM)	0x01	SUBLANG_ARMENIAN_ARMEN IA
0x044D	Assamese (as)	0x4D	LANG_ASSAMESE	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_ASSAMESE_INDIA

0x082C	Azerbaijani (az)	0x2C	LANG_AZERI	Azerbaijan, Cyrillic (AZ)	0x02	SUBLANG_AZERI_CYRILLIC
0x042C				Azerbaijan, Latin (AZ)	0x01	SUBLANG_AZERI_LATIN
0x0445	Bangla (bn); see note 10	0x45	LANG_BANGLA	Bangladesh	0x02	SUBLANG_BANGLA_BANGLADESH
				India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_BANGLA_INDIA
0x046D	Bashkir (ba)	0x6D	LANG_BASHKIR	Russia (RU)	0x01	SUBLANG_BASHKIR_RUSSIA
0x042D	Basque (Basque)	0x2d	LANG_BASQUE	Basque (Basque)	0x01	SUBLANG_BASQUE_BASQUE
0x0423	Belarusian (be)	0x23	LANG_BELARUSIAN	Belarus (BY)	0x01	SUBLANG_BELARUSIAN_BELARUS
0x781A	Bosnian (bs)		LANG_BOSNIAN_NEUTRAL	Neutral		
0x201A	Bosnian (bs); see note 2	0x1A	LANG_BOSNIAN	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyrillic (BA)	0x08	SUBLANG_BOSNIAN_BOSNIA_HERZEGOVINA_CYRILLIC
0x141A				Bosnia and Herzegovina, Latin (BA)	0x05	SUBLANG_BOSNIAN_BOSNIA_HERZEGOVINA_LATIN
0x047E	Breton (br)	0x7E	LANG_BRETON	France (FR)	0x01	SUBLANG_BRETON_FRANCE
0x0402	Bulgarian (bg)	0x02	LANG_BULGARIA_N	Bulgaria (BG)	0x01	SUBLANG_BULGARIAN_BULGARIA
0x0492	Central Kurdish (ku)	0x92	LANG_CENTRAL_KURDISH	Iraq (IQ)	0x01	SUBLANG_CENTRAL_KURDISH IRAQ

0x045C	Cherokee (chr)	0x5C	LANG_CHEROKEE	Cherokee (Cher)	0x01	SUBLANG_CHEROKEE_CHEROKEE
0x0403	Catalan (ca)	0x03	LANG_CATALAN	Spain (ES)	0x01	SUBLANG_CATALAN_CATALAN
0x0C04	Chinese (zh); see note 1	0x04	LANG_CHINESE	Hong Kong SAR, PRC (HK)	0x03	SUBLANG_CHINESE_HONGKONG
0x1404				Macao SAR (MO)	0x05	SUBLANG_CHINESE_MACAU
0x1004				Singapore (SG)	0x04	SUBLANG_CHINESE_SINGAPORE
0x0004	Chinese (zh)	0x04	LANG_CHINESE_SIMPLIFIED	Simplified (Hans)	0x02	SUBLANG_CHINESE_SIMPLIFIED
0x7C04	Chinese (zh)		LANG_CHINESE_TRADITIONAL	Traditional (Hant)	0x01	SUBLANG_CHINESE_TRADITIONAL
0x0483	Corsican (co)	0x83	LANG_CORSICAN	France (FR)	0x01	SUBLANG_CORSICAN_FRANCE
0x001A	Croatian (hr); see note 2	0x1A	LANG_CROATIAN	Neutral		
0x101A	Croatian (hr)	0x1a	LANG_CROATIAN	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Latin (BA)	0x04	SUBLANG_CROATIAN_BOSNIA_HERZEGOVINA_LATIN
0x041A				Croatia (HR)	0x01	SUBLANG_CROATIAN_CROATIA
0x0405	Czech (cs)	0x05	LANG_CZECH	Czech Republic (CZ)	0x01	SUBLANG_CZECH_CZECH_REPUBLIC

0x0406	Danish (da)	0x06	LANG_DANISH	Denmark (DK)	0x01	SUBLANG_DANISH_DENMARK
0x048C	Dari (prs)	0x8C	LANG_DARI	Afghanistan (AF)	0x01	SUBLANG_DARI_AFGHANISTAN
0x0465	Divehi (dv)	0x65	LANG_DIVEHI	Maldives (MV)	0x01	SUBLANG_DIVEHI_MALDIVES
0x0813	Dutch (nl)	0x13	LANG_DUTCH	Belgium (BE)	0x02	SUBLANG_DUTCH_BELGIAN
0x0413				Netherlands (NL)	0x01	SUBLANG_DUTCH
0x0C09	English (en)	0x09	LANG_ENGLISH	Australia (AU)	0x03	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_AUS
0x2809				Belize (BZ)	0x0A	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_BELIZE
0x1009				Canada (CA)	0x04	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_CAN
0x2409				Caribbean (029)	0x09	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_CARIBBEAN
0x4009				India (IN)	0x10	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_INDIA
0x1809				Ireland (IE); see note 3	0x06	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_EIRE
0x1809				Ireland (IE); see note 3	0x06	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_IRELAND
0x2009				Jamaica (JM)	0x08	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_JAMAICA
0x4409				Malaysia (MY)	0x11	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_MALAYSIA
0x1409				New Zealand (NZ)	0x05	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_NZ

0x3409				Philippines (PH)	0x0D	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_PHILIPPINES
0x4809				Singapore (SG)	0x12	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_SINGAPORE
0x1c09				South Africa (ZA)	0x07	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_SOUTH_AFRICA
0x2C09				Trinidad and Tobago (TT)	0x0B	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_TRINIDAD
0x0809				United Kingdom (GB)	0x02	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_UK
0x0409				United States (US)	0x01	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_US
0x3009				Zimbabwe (ZW)	0x0C	SUBLANG_ENGLISH_ZIMBABWE
0x0425	Estonian (et)	0x25	LANG_ESTONIAN	Estonia (EE)	0x01	SUBLANG_ESTONIAN_ESTONIA
0x0438	Faroese (fo)	0x38	LANG_FAEROESE	Faroe Islands (FO)	0x01	SUBLANG_FAEROESE_FAROE_ISLANDS
0x0464	Filipino (fil)	0x64	LANG_FILIPINO	Philippines (PH)	0x01	SUBLANG_FILIPINO_PHILIPPINES
0x040B	Finnish (fi)	0x0B	LANG_FINNISH	Finland (FI)	0x01	SUBLANG_FINNISH_FINLAND
0x080c	French (fr)	0x0C	LANG_FRENCH	Belgium (BE)	0x02	SUBLANG_FRENCH_BELGIAN
0x0C0C				Canada (CA)	0x03	SUBLANG_FRENCH_CANADIAN
0x040c				France (FR)	0x01	SUBLANG_FRENCH

0x140C				Luxembourg (LU)	0x05	SUBLANG_FRENCH_LUXEMBOURG
0x180C				Monaco (MC)	0x06	SUBLANG_FRENCH_MONACO
0x100C				Switzerland (CH)	0x04	SUBLANG_FRENCH_SWISS
0x0462	Frisian (fy)	0x62	LANG_FRISIAN	Netherlands (NL)	0x01	SUBLANG_FRISIAN_NETHERLANDS
0x0456	Galician (gl)	0x56	LANG_GALICIAN	Spain (ES)	0x01	SUBLANG_GALICIAN_GALICIAN
0x0437	Georgian (ka)	0x37	LANG_GEOGRAPHIAN	Georgia (GE)	0x01	SUBLANG_GEOGRAPHIAN_GEOGRAPHIAN
0x0C07	German (de)	0x07	LANG_GERMAN	Austria (AT)	0x03	SUBLANG_GERMAN_AUSTRIA
0x0407				Germany (DE)	0x01	SUBLANG_GERMAN
0x1407				Liechtenstein (LI)	0x05	SUBLANG_GERMAN_LIECHTENSTEIN
0x1007				Luxembourg (LU)	0x04	SUBLANG_GERMAN_LUXEMBOURG
0x0807				Switzerland (CH)	0x02	SUBLANG_GERMAN_SWISS
0x0408	Greek (el)	0x08	LANG_GREEK	Greece (GR)	0x01	SUBLANG_GREEK_GREECE
0x046F	Greenlandic (kl)	0x6F	LANG_GREENLANDIC	Greenland (GL)	0x01	SUBLANG_GREENLANDIC_GREENLANDIC

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0x0447	Gujarati (gu)	0x47	LANG_GUJARATI	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_GUJARATI_INDIA
0x0468	Hausa (ha)	0x68	LANG_HAUSA	Nigeria (NG)	0x01	SUBLANG_HAUSA_NIGERIA_LATIN
0x0475	Hawaiian (haw)	0x75	LANG_HAWAIIAN	United States (US)	0x01	SUBLANG_HAWAIIAN_US
0x040D	Hebrew (he)	0x0D	LANG_HEBREW	Israel (IL)	0x01	SUBLANG_HEBREW_ISRAEL
0x0439	Hindi (hi)	0x39	LANG_HINDI	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_HINDI_INDIA
0x040E	Hungarian (hu)	0x0E	LANG_HUNGARIAN	Hungary (HU)	0x01	SUBLANG_HUNGARIAN_HUNGARY
0x040F	Icelandic (is)	0x0F	LANG_ICELANDIC	Iceland (IS)	0x01	SUBLANG_ICELANDIC_ICELAND
0x0470	Igbo (ig)	0x70	LANG_IGBO	Nigeria (NG)	0x01	SUBLANG_IGBO_NIGERIA
0x0421	Indonesian (id)	0x21	LANG_INDONESIAN	Indonesia (ID)	0x01	SUBLANG_INDONESIAN_INDONESIA
0x085D	Inuktitut (iu)	0x5D	LANG_INUKTITU T	Canada (CA), Latin	0x02	SUBLANG_INUKTITUT_CANADA_LATIN
0x045D				Canada (CA), Canadian Syllabics	0x01	SUBLANG_INUKTITUT_CANADA
0x083C	Irish (ga); see note 4	0x3C	LANG_IRISH	Ireland (IE)	0x02	SUBLANG_IRISH_IRELAND

0x0434	isiXhosa (xh)	0x34	LANG_XHOSA	South Africa (ZA)	0x01	SUBLANG_XHOSA_SOUTH_AFRICA
0x0435	isiZulu (zu)	0x35	LANG_ZULU	South Africa (ZA)	0x01	SUBLANG_ZULU_SOUTH_AFRICA
0x0410	Italian (it)	0x10	LANG_ITALIAN	Italy (IT)	0x01	SUBLANG_ITALIAN
0x0810				Switzerland (CH)	0x02	SUBLANG_ITALIAN_SWISS
0x0411	Japanese (ja)	0x11	LANG_JAPANESE	Japan (JP)	0x01	SUBLANG_JAPANESE_JAPAN
0x044B	Kannada (kn)	0x4B	LANG_KANNADA	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_KANNADA_INDIA
_____	(reserved)	0x60	LANG_KASHMIRI	(reserved)	0x02	SUBLANG_KASHMIRI_INDIA
				(reserved)	0x02	SUBLANG_KASHMIRI_SASIA
0x043F	Kazakh (kk)	0x3F	LANG_KAZAK	Kazakhstan (KZ)	0x01	SUBLANG_KAZAK_KAZAKHSTAN
0x0453	Khmer (kh)	0x53	LANG_KHMER	Cambodia (KH)	0x01	SUBLANG_KHMER_CAMBODIA
0x0486	K'iche (qut)	0x86	LANG_KICHE	Guatemala (GT)	0x01	SUBLANG_KICHE_GUATEMALA
0x0487	Kinyarwanda (rw)	0x87	LANG_KINYARWANDA_ANDA	Rwanda (RW)	0x01	SUBLANG_KINYARWANDA_RWANDA
0x0457	Konkani (kok)	0x57	LANG_KONKANI	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_KONKANI_INDIA
0x0412	Korean (ko)	0x12	LANG_KOREAN	Korea (KR)	0x01	SUBLANG_KOREAN

0x0440	Kyrgyz (ky)	0x40	LANG_KYRGYZ	Kyrgyzstan (KG)	0x01	SUBLANG_KYRGYZ_KYRGYZSTAN
0x0454	Lao (lo)	0x54	LANG_LAO	Lao PDR (LA)	0x01	SUBLANG_LAO_LAO
0x0426	Latvian (lv)	0x26	LANG_LATVIAN	Latvia (LV)	0x01	SUBLANG_LATVIAN_LATVIA
0x0427	Lithuanian (lt)	0x27	LANG_LITHUANIAN	Lithuanian (LT); see note 5	0x01	SUBLANG_LITHUANIAN_LITHUANIA
0x082E	Lower Sorbian (dsb)	0x2E	LANG_LOWER_SORBIAN	Germany (DE)	0x02	SUBLANG_LOWER_SORBIAN_GERMANY
0x046E	Luxembourgish (lb)	0x6E	LANG_LUXEMBOURGISH	Luxembourg (LU)	0x01	SUBLANG_LUXEMBOURGISH_LUXEMBOURG
0x042F	Macedonian (mk)	0x2F	LANG_MACEDONIAN	Macedonia (FYROM) (MK)	0x01	SUBLANG_MACEDONIAN_MACEDONIA
0x083E	Malay (ms)	0x3E	LANG_MALAY	Brunei Darassalam (BN)	0x02	SUBLANG_MALAY_BRUNEI_DARUSSALAM
0x043e				Malaysia (MY)	0x01	SUBLANG_MALAY_MALAYSIA
0x044C	Malayalam (ml)	0x4C	LANG_MALAYALAM	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_MALAYALAM_INDIA
0x043A	Maltese (mt)	0x3A	LANG_MALTESE	Malta (MT)	0x01	SUBLANG_MALTESE_MALTA
	(reserved)	0x58	LANG_MANIPURI			
0x0481	Maori (mi)	0x81	LANG_MAORI	New Zealand (NZ)	0x01	SUBLANG_MAORI_NEW_ZEALAND

0x047A	Mapudungun (arn)	0x7A	LANG_MAPUDUNGN	Chile (CL)	0x01	SUBLANG_MAPUDUNGUN_CHILE
0x044E	Marathi (mr)	0x4E	LANG_MARATHI	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_MARATHI_INDIA
0x047C	Mohawk (moh)	0x7C	LANG_MOHAWK	Canada (CA)	0x01	SUBLANG_MOHAWK_MOHAWK
0x0450	Mongolian (mn)	0x50	LANG_MONGOLIAN	Mongolia, Cyrillic (MN)	0x01	SUBLANG_MONGOLIAN_CYRILIC_MONGOLIA
0x0850				Mongolia, Mong (MN)	0x02	SUBLANG_MONGOLIAN_PRC
0x0461	Nepali (ne)	0x61	LANG_NEPALI	Nepal (NP)	0x01	SUBLANG_NEPALI_NEPAL
				India (IN)	0x02	SUBLANG_NEPALI_INDIA
0x0414	Norwegian (no)	0x14	LANG_NORWEGIAN	Bokmål, Norway (NO)	0x01	SUBLANG_NORWEGIAN_BOKMAL
0x0814				Nynorsk, Norway (NO)	0x02	SUBLANG_NORWEGIAN_NYNORSK
0x0482	Occitan (oc)	0x82	LANG_OCCITAN	France (FR)	0x01	SUBLANG_OCCITAN_FRANCE
0x0448	Odia (or)	0x48	LANG_ORIYA	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_ORIYA_INDIA
0x0463	Pashto (ps)	0x63	LANG_PASHTO	Afghanistan (AF)	0x01	SUBLANG_PASHTO_AFGHANISTAN
0x0429	Persian (fa); see note 6	0x29	LANG_PERSIAN	Iran (IR)	0x01	SUBLANG_PERSIAN_IRAN

0x0415	Polish (pl)	0x15	LANG_POLISH	Poland (PL)	0x01	SUBLANG_POLISH_POLAND
0x0416	Portuguese (pt)	0x16	LANG_PORTUGUESE	Brazil (BR)	0x01	SUBLANG_PORTUGUESE_BRAZILIAN
0x0816				Portugal (PT); see note 7	0x02	SUBLANG_PORTUGUESE
0x0867	Pular (ff)	0x67	LANG_PULAR	Senegal (SN)	0x02	SUBLANG_PULAR_SENEGAL
0x0446	Punjabi (pa)	0x46	LANG_PUNJABI	India, Gurmukhi script (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_PUNJABI_INDIA
0x0846				Pakistan, Arabic script(PK)	0x02	SUBLANG_PUNJABI_PAKISTAN
0x046B	Quechua (quz)	0x6B	LANG_QUECHUA	Bolivia (BO)	0x01	SUBLANG_QUECHUA_BOLIVIA
0x086B				Ecuador (EC)	0x02	SUBLANG_QUECHUA_ECUADOR
0x0C6B				Peru (PE)	0x03	SUBLANG_QUECHUA_PERU
0x0418	Romanian (ro)	0x18	LANG_ROMANIAN	Romania (RO)	0x01	SUBLANG_ROMANIAN_ROMANIA
0x0417	Romansh (rm)	0x17	LANG_ROMANSH	Switzerland (CH)	0x01	SUBLANG_ROMANSH_SWITZERLAND
0x0419	Russian (ru)	0x19	LANGRUSSIAN	Russia (RU)	0x01	SUBLANGRUSSIANRUSSIA
0x0485	Sakha (sah); see note 9	0x85	LANG_SAKHA	Russia (RU)	0x01	SUBLANG_SAKHA_RUSSIA
0x243B	Sami (smn)	0x3B	LANG_SAMI	Inari, Finland (FI)	0x09	SUBLANG_SAMI_INARI_FINLAND

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0x103B	Sami (smj)			Lule, Norway (NO)	0x04	SUBLANG_SAMI_LULE_NORWAY
0x143B				Lule, Sweden (SE)	0x05	SUBLANG_SAMI_LULE_SWEDEN
0x0C3B	Sami (se)			Northern, Finland (FI)	0x03	SUBLANG_SAMI_NORTHERN_FINLAND
0x043B				Northern, Norway (NO)	0x01	SUBLANG_SAMI_NORTHERN_NORWAY
0x083B				Northern, Sweden (SE)	0x02	SUBLANG_SAMI_NORTHERN_SWEDEN
0x203B	Sami (sms)			Skolt, Finland (FI)	0x08	SUBLANG_SAMI_SKOLT_FINLAND
0x183B	Sami (sma)			Southern, Norway (NO)	0x06	SUBLANG_SAMI_SOUTHERN_NORWAY
0x1C3B				Southern, Sweden (SE)	0x07	SUBLANG_SAMI_SOUTHERN_SWEDEN
0x044F	Sanskrit (sa)	0x4F	LANG_SANSKRIT	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_SANSKRIT_INDIA
0x7C1A	Serbian (sr); see note 2		LANG_SERBIAN_NEUTRAL	Neutral		
0x1C1A		0x1a	LANG_SERBIAN	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyrillic (BA)	0x07	SUBLANG_SERBIAN_BOSNIA_HERZEGOVINA_CYRILLIC

0x181A				Bosnia and Herzegovina, Latin (BA)	0x06	SUBLANG_SERBIAN_BOSNIA_HERZEGOVINA_LATIN
				Croatia (HR)	0x01	SUBLANG_SERBIAN_CROATIA
0x0C1A				Serbia and Montenegro (former), Cyrillic (CS)	0x03	SUBLANG_SERBIAN_CYRILLIC
0x081A				Serbia and Montenegro (former), Latin (CS)	0x02	SUBLANG_SERBIAN_LATIN
0x046C	Sesotho sa Leboa (nso)	0x6C	LANG_SOTHO	South Africa (ZA)	0x01	SUBLANG_SOTHO_NORTHERN_SOUTH_AFRICA
0x0832	Setswana / Tswana (tn)	0x32	LANG_TSWANA	Botswana (BW)	0x02	SUBLANG_TSWANA_BOTSWANA
0x0432				South Africa (ZA)	0x01	SUBLANG_TSWANA_SOUTH_AFRICA
	(reserved)	0x59	LANG_SINDHI	(reserved)	0x02	SUBLANG_SINDHI_AFGHANISTAN
0x0459	(reserved)			(reserved)	0x01	SUBLANG_SINDHI_INDIA
0x0859	Sindhi (sd)			Pakistan (PK)	0x02	SUBLANG_SINDHI_PAKISTAN
0x045B	Sinhala (si)	0x5B	LANG_SINHALES_E	Sri Lanka (LK)	0x01	SUBLANG_SINHALESE_SRI_LANKA
0x041B	Slovak (sk)	0x1b	LANG_SLOVAK	Slovakia (SK)	0x01	SUBLANG_SLOVAK_SLOVAKIA

0x0424	Slovenian (sl)	0x24	LANG_SLOVENIAN	Slovenia (SI)	0x01	SUBLANG_SLOVENIAN_SLOVENIA
0x2C0A	Spanish (es)	0x0A	LANG_SPANISH	Argentina (AR)	0x0b	SUBLANG_SPANISH_ARGENTINA
0x400A				Bolivia (BO)	0x10	SUBLANG_SPANISH_BOLIVIA
0x340A				Chile (CL)	0x0D	SUBLANG_SPANISH_CHILE
0x240A				Colombia (CO)	0x09	SUBLANG_SPANISH_COLOMBIA
0x140A				Costa Rica (CR)	0x05	SUBLANG_SPANISH_COSTA_RICA
0x1C0A				Dominican Republic (DO)	0x07	SUBLANG_SPANISH_DOMINICAN_REPUBLIC
0x300A				Ecuador (EC)	0x0C	SUBLANG_SPANISH_ECUADOR
0x440A				El Salvador (SV)	0x11	SUBLANG_SPANISH_EL_SALVADOR
0x100A				Guatemala (GT)	0x04	SUBLANG_SPANISH_GUATEMALA
0x480A				Honduras (HN)	0x12	SUBLANG_SPANISH_HONDURAS
0x080A				Mexico (MX)	0x02	SUBLANG_SPANISH_MEXICAN
0x4C0A				Nicaragua (NI)	0x13	SUBLANG_SPANISH_NICARAGUA

					UA	
0x180A			Panama (PA)	0x06	SUBLANG_SPANISH_PANAMA	
0x3C0A			Paraguay (PY)	0x0F	SUBLANG_SPANISH_PARAGUAY	
0x280A			Peru (PE)	0x0A	SUBLANG_SPANISH_PERU	
0x500A			Puerto Rico (PR)	0x14	SUBLANG_SPANISH_PUERTO_RICO	
0x0C0A			Spain, Modern Sort (ES)	0x03	SUBLANG_SPANISH_MODERN	
0x040A			Spain, Traditional Sort (ES)	0x01	SUBLANG_SPANISH	
0x540A			United States (US)	0x15	SUBLANG_SPANISH_US	
0x380A			Uruguay (UY)	0x0E	SUBLANG_SPANISH_URUGUAY	
0x200A			Venezuela (VE)	0x08	SUBLANG_SPANISH_VENEZUELA	
0x0441	Swahili (sw)	0x41	LANG_SWAHILI	Kenya (KE)	0x01	SUBLANG_SWAHILI
0x081D	Swedish (sv)	0x1D	LANG_SWEDISH	Finland (FI)	0x02	SUBLANG_SWEDISH_FINLAND
0x041D				Sweden (SE); see note 8	0x01	SUBLANG_SWEDISH
0x041D				Sweden (SE); see note 8	0x01	SUBLANG_SWEDISH_SWEDEN
0x045A	Syriac (syr)	0x5A	LANG_SYRIAC	Syria (SY)	0x01	SUBLANG_SYRIAC

0x0428	Tajik (tg)	0x28	LANG_TAJIK	Tajikistan, Cyrillic (TJ)	0x01	SUBLANG_TAJIK_TAJIKISTAN
0x085F	Tamazight (tzm)	0x5F	LANG_TAMAZIGHT	Algeria, Latin (DZ)	0x02	SUBLANG_TAMAZIGHT_ALGERIA_LATIN
0x0449	Tamil (ta)	0x49	LANG_TAMIL	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_TAMIL_INDIA
0x0849				Sri Lanka (LK)	0x02	SUBLANG_TAMIL_SRI_LANKA
0x0444	Tatar (tt)	0x44	LANG_TATAR	Russia (RU)	0x01	SUBLANG_TATAR_RUSSIA
0x044A	Telugu (te)	0x4A	LANG_TELUGU	India (IN)	0x01	SUBLANG_TELUGU_INDIA
0x041E	Thai (th)	0x1E	LANG_THAI	Thailand (TH)	0x01	SUBLANG_THAI_THAILAND
0x0451	Tibetan (bo)	0x51	LANG_TIBETAN	PRC (CN)	0x01	SUBLANG_TIBETAN_PRC
0x0873	Tigrinya (ti)	0x73	LANG_TIGRINYA	Eritrea (ER)	0x02	SUBLANG_TIGRINYA_ERITREA
0x0473				Ethiopia (ET)	0x01	SUBLANG_TIGRINYA_ETHIOPIA
0x0873	(reserved)	0x73	LANG_TIGRIGNA	(reserved)	0x02	SUBLANG_TIGRIGNA_ERITREA
0x041F	Turkish (tr)	0x1F	LANG_TURKISH	Turkey (TR)	0x01	SUBLANG_TURKISH_TURKEY
0x0442	Turkmen (tk)	0x42	LANG_TURKMEN	Turkmenistan (TM)	0x01	SUBLANG_TURKMEN_TURKMENISTAN
0x0422	Ukrainian (uk)	0x22	LANG_UKRAINIAN	Ukraine (UA)	0x01	SUBLANG_UKRAINIAN_UKRAINE
0x042E	Upper Sorbian (hsb)	0x2E	LANG_UPPER_SORBIAN	Germany (DE)	0x01	SUBLANG_UPPER_SORBIAN_GERMANY

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0x0820	Urdu (ur)	0x20	LANG_URDU	(reserved)	0x02	SUBLANG_URDU_INDIA
0x0420				Pakistan (PK)	0x01	SUBLANG_URDU_PAKISTAN
0x0480	Uyghur (ug)	0x80	LANG_UIGHUR	PRC (CN)	0x01	SUBLANG_UIGHUR_PRC
0x0843	Uzbek (uz)	0x43	LANG_UZBEK	Uzbekistan, Cyrillic (UZ)	0x02	SUBLANG_UZBEK_CYRILLIC
0x0443				Uzbekistan, Latin (UZ)	0x01	SUBLANG_UZBEK_LATIN
0x0803	Valencian (ca)	0x03	LANG_VALENCIA_N	Valencia (ES-Valencia)	0x02	SUBLANG_VALENCIAN_VALENCIA
0x042A	Vietnamese (vi)	0x2A	LANG_VIETNAMESE	Vietnam (VN)	0x01	SUBLANG_VIETNAMESE_VIETNAM
0x0452	Welsh (cy)	0x52	LANG_WELSH	United Kingdom (GB)	0x01	SUBLANG_WELSH_UNITED_KINGDOM
0x0488	Wolof (wo)	0x88	LANG_WOLOF	Senegal (SN)	0x01	SUBLANG_WOLOF_SENEGAL
0x0478	Yi (ii)	0x78	LANG_YI	PRC (CN)	0x01	SUBLANG_YI_PRC
0x046A	Yoruba (yo)	0x6A	LANG_YORUBA	Nigeria (NG)	0x01	SUBLANG_YORUBA_NIGERIA

Language Identifier Notes

1. To set a neutral language, use **LANG_CHINESE_SIMPLIFIED** or **LANG_CHINESE_TRADITIONAL** with [ConvertDefaultLocale](#).

2. Primary language identifiers for Bosnian, Croatian, and Serbian are numerically identical. For Bosnian, use **LANG_BOSNIAN** with **SUBLANG_BOSNIAN_*** sublanguage identifiers. For Croatian, use **LANG_CROATIAN** with **SUBLANG_CROATIAN_*** sublanguage identifiers. For Serbian, use **LANG_SERBIAN** with **SUBLANG_SERBIAN_*** sublanguage identifiers. To set a neutral language, use **LANG_BOSNIAN_NEUTRAL**, **LANG_CROATIAN**, or **LANG_SERBIAN_NEUTRAL** with [ConvertDefaultLocale](#).
3. **Starting with Windows Vista:** **SUBLANG_ENGLISH_IRELAND** supersedes **SUBLANG_ENGLISH_EIRE**. The numerical values of the constants are identical.
4. Always use the language identifier constant **LANG_IRISH** with **SUBLANG_IRISH_IRELAND**.
5. **Starting with Windows Vista:** **SUBLANG_LITHUANIAN_LITHUANIA** supersedes **SUBLANG_LITHUANIAN**. The numerical values of the constants are identical.
6. The language identifiers for Farsi and Persian are numerically identical. The constant **LANG_FARSI** is deprecated. Use **LANG_PERSIAN** instead.
7. **Starting with Windows Vista:** **SUBLANG_PORTUGUESE_PORTUGAL** supersedes **SUBLANG_PORTUGUESE**. The numerical values of the constants are identical.
8. **Starting with Windows Vista:** **SUBLANG_SWEDISH_SWEDEN** supersedes **SUBLANG_SWEDISH**. The numerical values of the constants are identical.
9. **Starting with Windows 8:** The language identifiers for Yakut and Sakha are numerically identical. The constants **LANG_YAKUT** and **SUBLANG_YAKUT_RUSSIA** are deprecated. Use **LANG_SAKHA** and **SUBLANG_SAKHA_RUSSIA** instead.
10. The language identifiers for Bengali and Bangla are numerically identical. The constants **LANG_BENGALI**, **SUBLANG_BENGALI_BANGLADESH**, and **SUBLANG_BENGALI_INDIA** are deprecated. Use **LANG_BANGLA**, **SUBLANG_BANGLA_BANGLADESH**, and **SUBLANG_BANGLA_INDIA** instead.

Community Additions

LANG_NEUTRAL vs LANG_INVARIANT

What is the difference between **LANG_NEUTRAL** vs **LANG_INVARIANT**?

They both suggest something that is independent of a language...

[Florin Crișan](#)



12/3/2014

Wrong Local identifier for Chinese

Please see WinCE5.0 version, I think this page is right,<http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/ms903928.aspx>



asight

3/28/2014

Language Pack di Windows Internet Explorer 9 per Windows 7

1 risultato per "WindowsUpdate_00003712" "WindowsUpdate_dt000"

- 1 Risolvere i problemi relativi all'installazione degli aggiornamenti



sanbor954

1/26/2012

THAI

I want to update it to thai language.

[tfl - 05 01 12] Hi - and thanks for your post. Community content is not the appropriate place for technical support queries. Instead, you should visit the Technet Forums at <http://forums.microsoft.com/technet>, where such posts are welcomed and where you stand a much better chance of getting your query resolved. Sorry if that's not the answer you wanted to hear.



Thomas Lee

1/5/2012

translate to Japanese language

0x0411



Takeshi Sakai

12/4/2011

Wrong Local identifier for Chinese Traditional and Simplified

Chinese Traditional is 0x7C04 and it should be 0x0404, also it uses LANG_CHINESE, and not LANG_CHINESE_TRADITIONAL

Chinese Simplified is 0x0004 and it should be 0x0804



Thomas Lee

11/1/2011

Undocumented Serbian (Cyrillic, Serbia) and Serbian (Latin, Serbia)

Serbian (Cyrillic, Serbia) and Serbian (Latin, Serbia) IDs are undocumented. Available on Win7, not available on Win XP, not sure about Vista.

GetKeyboardLayout returns 0x0C1A281A and 0x081A241A. It appears that these values (converted to LPCTSTR) cannot be used as a parameter for LoadKeyboardLayout.

Also, note that 0x0C1A and 0x081A are "Serbia and Montenegro, former".



Srdjan Obucina

5/1/2011

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