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On the right, you can see the scanned image of the number symbols which I jotted down in my old note book.

Following are my suggestions for inclusion in Unicode chart:

- 1. Shortcuts for numbers 10, 20, ..., 90, 100 and 1000. These symbols are very archaic.
- 2. The fraction symbols 1/8, 1/4, 1/2 and 3/4. My notes miss 1/8. I know there is a symbol for 1/8; but don't have a document to show how it looks. These are also very archaic.
- 3. The symbol used in '17-m' to mean '17th'. In contrast to previous ones, this number related symbol is commonly used. Many existing fonts have this in their glyph set. If at all, some of these number related symbols make it to Unicode chart, this should be the first.

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