

Title: SC2/WG2 Proposed Modification to Program of Work
Source: Project Editor/Convener
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SC 2/WG2 seeks the SC2's and subsequently JTC 1's endorsement for adding the following subproject to its Program of Work.

Project No.: JTC 1.02.10646.00.06 (ISO/IEC 10646/Amd. 6)

Title: Information technology -- Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS) –

Scope: Incorporate 105 characters for Imperial Aramaic (31), Inscriptional Parthian, Inscriptional Pahlavi (57), Common Indic Number Forms, Bengali Ganda Mark, 2 Phoenician numbers and 4 Tibetan religious symbols.

Rationale: The proposed scripts and characters are based on contributions from several national body, liaison organizations and other expert linguists. These proposed characters were approved at meeting 51 of SC2/WG2 held in September 2007 by Resolution M51.xx. Document N3356 contains the list of these additional scripts and characters for this amendment. Here is a summary with proposed code points:

Proposed Code Points and Reference document numbers	
10840-1085F Imperial Aramaic 31 characters See document N3339	A830-A839 Common Indic Number Forms 10 characters See document N3312, N3334, N3316
1091A-1091B Phoenician numbers 2 characters See document N3284	D7B0-D7FF Bengali Ganda Mark 1 character See document N3311
2E00-2E7F Inscriptional Parthian and Inscriptional Pahlavi 57 characters See documents N3286	13000-1342F Tibetan Religious 4 characters See document: N3268

Target Dates (Start date of ballot):

PDAM: 2007-11-15, FPDAM: 2008-06-15, FDAM: 2008-11