Samples for usage of dandas in Gujarati, Telugu, Kannada, Malayalam, and Tamil

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Background
At UTC #137, the author was given an action item to find examples of dandas in Gujarati, Tamil, Telugu, Kannada, and Malayalam. The following examples are from sources around the web, gathered with some limited amount of searching. The author's assumption is that the examples provide enough proof of the usage of dandas and double dandas in the mentioned scripts.

Examples

![Gujarati Text Layout Style - 4](image)

Figure 1. Sample wedding card in Gujarati, showing double dandas in the first three rows, from [http://www.indianweddingcard.com/WordingsImages.aspx?masterF=Indian%20Regional%20Languages%20Layouts&childF=Gujrati](http://www.indianweddingcard.com/WordingsImages.aspx?masterF=Indian%20Regional%20Languages%20Layouts&childF=Gujrati).
Figure 2. Shiva Panchakshara Stotram in Gujarati, showing both dandas and double dandas, from http://www.indif.com/nri/gujarati_prayers/gujarati_stotram/Panchakshara_Stotram.asp.

Figure 3. Patanjali Yoga Sutras (Samadhi Pada) in Gujarati, showing both dandas and double dandas, from http://www.omjai.org/Patanjali%20Yoga%20Sutras%201%20(Samadhi%20Pada)%20-%20Gujarati.
Figure 4. Rudram Namakam Chamakam in Telugu, showing both dandas and double dandas, from http://www.telugubhakti.com/telegupages/pdfs/Sivapdfs/Rudram.zip.

Figure 5. Shiva Panchakshara Stotram in Kannada, showing both dandas and double dandas, from http://poojavidhana.blogspot.com/2009/01/shiva-panchakshara-stotram-in-kananda.html.
Figure 6. A screenshot of the Android app Stotramaala in Kannada, showing both dandas and double dandas, from https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.utl.stotragalu.

Figure 7. Sarvadeva Kruta Sri Lakshmi Stotram in Malayalam, showing both dandas and double dandas, from http://www.docstoc.com/docs/157987572.
Figure 8. Srii Vishnu Bhujangaprayaata Stotram in Malayalam, showing both dandas and double dandas. From http://prapatti.com/slokas/malayalam/vishnubhujangaprayaatastotram.pdf.

Figure 9. A screenshot of the iOS app Saraswati Stotram in Tamil, showing double dandas, from https://itunes.apple.com/in/app/saraswati-stotram/id593334339.
Figure 10. Srii Bindiganavile Garudaashtaka Stuti in Tamil (with numbered consonants), showing both dandas and double dandas. From [http://prapatti.com/slokas/tam2/bindiganavilegarudaashtakastuti.pdf](http://prapatti.com/slokas/tam2/bindiganavilegarudaashtakastuti.pdf)

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