

**Title:** CJK & Unihan Group Recommendations for UTC #176 Meeting

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This document provides the CJK & Unihan Group recommendations for the UTC #176 meeting, based on a meeting that took place on 2023-07-07 from 6 to 8:45PM PDT, which was attended by Yi Bai, Eiso Chan, Kushim Jiang, Ken Lunde, William Nelson, CheonHyeong Sim, Stephan Hyeonjun Stiller, Harald Tveiten, Xieyang Wang, Yifán Wáng, and Fuqiao Xue via [Zoom](#). The Chair of the [CJK & Unihan Group](#), Ken Lunde, chaired the meeting.

The CJK & Unihan Group reviewed public feedback and documents that were received since the UTC #175 meeting took place. Comments are marked in **green**, and Recommendations to the UTC are marked in **red**. A “plain text” Copy&Paste-ready version of the Recommendations is also provided as the PDF attachment named *recommendations-20230707.txt*.

## CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I

The four documents that are referenced in Section 01 are directly related to the CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block, were discussed by the group, and for convenience, the following data file, which is a PDF attachment, includes the recommended Unihan database additions and changes based on them:

- *ExtensionI-20230707.txt*

**01) L2/23-114R: Proposal to encode 622 urgently needed ideographs in UCS (Revised) [WG2 N5214R2]**

[L2/23-145: Recommendations from WG 2 meeting 70](#) [[WG2 N5234](#)]

[L2/23-146: Additional draft repertoire for 10646:2020 Amendment 2 and Unicode 16.0](#) [[WG2 N5235](#)]

[L2/23-154: Revision of 622 UNC's of China \(Feedback on WG2 N5214\)](#) [[WG2 N5238](#)]

**Comments:** Per [Consensus 175-C10](#), the UTC accepted during the UTC #175 meeting the CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block (**U+2EBF0..U+2EE4F**), which included **603** ideographs in the range **U+2EBF0..U+2EE4A**, for Unicode Version 15.1. WG2 subsequently added this block to ISO/IEC 10646:2020 Amendment 2 (L2/23-146 = WG2 N5235). China was tasked by SC2 during the SC2 #28 meeting to provide feedback on Extension I to WG2 by the end of June. China’s feedback (L2/23-154 = WG2 N5238), which was received on 2023-06-30, resulted in 47 ideographs being removed and 66 ideographs being added. The Extension I block was subsequently updated to include **622** ideographs in the range **U+2EBF0..U+2EE5D**, and the block size increased to **U+2EBF0..U+2EE5F**. The group therefore recommends that the UTC accept the updated and expanded CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block for Unicode Version 15.1, and makes the same recommendation to WG2 for ISO/IEC 10646:2020 Amendment 2.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept 622 ideographs in the updated CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block with code point range U+2EBF0..U+2EE5D (block: U+2EBF0..U+2EE5F), based on document L2/23-114R and Section 01 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Michel Suignard, CJK:** Apply the kIRG\_GSource, kRSUnicode, and kTotalStrokes property values for the 622 ideographs in the updated CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block, based on document L2/23-114R and Section 01 of document L2/23-163, and provide to Ken Lunde an updated Unihan data file, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database file Unihan\_IRGSources.txt to add the kIRG\_GSource, kRSUnicode, and kTotalStrokes property values for the 622 ideographs in the updated CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block, based on document L2/23-114R and Section 01 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Ken Whistler, EDC:** Update the pipeline to reflect the updated CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block, based on document L2/23-114R and Section 01 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update PRI #467 (Proposed Update UAX #38) to reflect the updated CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block, based on document L2/23-114R and Section 01 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Markus Scherer, PAG:** Update the UCD to reflect the updated CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block, based on document L2/23-114R and Section 01 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Forward document L2/23-114R to CESI, indicating that the UTC accepted the updated CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block for Unicode Version 15.1, and that its repertoire and ordering are therefore frozen and stable.

## Unihan Database Restoration

### 02) Unihan Database Status

**Comments:** Per Note 175-N1, the Unihan database was frozen in its Unicode Version 15.1 Alpha state, and per Action Item 175-A2, Ken Lunde was tasked to restore the Unihan database for Unicode Version 16.0.

Ken Lunde successfully restored the Unihan database on **2023-06-01**, and is therefore able to make updates, to include generating a new *Unihan.zip* file for the UCD. The group therefore recommends that the CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block be formally added to the Unihan database, and that the *kStrange* property value syntax error for U+31993 (**I:6D6E → I:U+6D6E**) be corrected in the Unihan database. The group also recommends that all other Unihan database additions, changes, and removals should remain targeted for Unicode Version 16.0, to include those that are accepted in this document.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Note:** The Unihan database is no longer frozen, but the only updates that are targeted for Unicode Version 15.1 are the addition of the CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block and the correction of the kStrange property value syntax error for U+31993, based on Section 02 of document L2/23-163.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to add the CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block and to correct the kStrange property value syntax error for U+31993, based on Section 02 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Ken Whistler, EDC:** Remove the draft errata notice for the kStrange property value syntax error for U+31993.

## PRI #467 Feedback

The two items of [PRI #467](#) (*Proposed Update UAX #38*) feedback that are in this section were discussed by the group, and for convenience, the following data file, which is a PDF attachment, includes the recommended Unihan database removals based on the second item:

- *Unihan-removals-20230707.txt*

The recommended Unihan database removals are also shown inline, following the **Recommendations**.

### 03) ID20230519101601

**Date/Time:** Fri May 19 10:16:01 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230519101601

Name: FAN Ming

Report Type: Public Review Issue

Opt Subject: 467

It's suggested to change the name of block 'CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I' to 'CJK Unified Ideographs Extension J'(i.e. skip letter 'I'), in case the English letter 'I' is confused with latin numberial 'I' on some occasions.

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and agreed that there is no precedent for skipping the designation "I" in this block's name. The group further agreed that skipping the designation "I" would likely create more confusion.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 03 of document L2/23-163. See PRI #467 feedback [ID20230519101601].

## 04) ID20230527202621

**Date/Time:** Sat May 27 20:26:21 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230527202621

Name: Paul Masson

Report Type: Error Report

Opt Subject: **kPhonetic 990**

In Casey this phonetic contains 10 characters. In both Unicode 14 and 15, it has swelled to well over 300 characters, most of which clearly do not belong. This appears to be the same problem as for phonetic 1157, which was corrected in Unicode 15.

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and agreed that all instances of the *kPhonetic* property value **990\*** should be removed from the Unihan database. Ken Lunde had a private email exchange with the feedback submitter, and the same conclusion was reached.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to remove all 394 instances of the *kPhonetic* property value “990\*,” based on PRI #467 feedback [ID20230527202621] and Section 04 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 04 of document L2/23-163. See PRI #467 feedback [ID20230527202621].

Remove:

U+36A2	kPhonetic	990*
U+36A3	kPhonetic	990*
U+36A6	kPhonetic	990*
U+36A7	kPhonetic	990*
U+36A9	kPhonetic	990*
U+36AA	kPhonetic	990*
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U+2191E	kPhonetic	990*
U+21922	kPhonetic	990*
U+24E74	kPhonetic	990*
U+27E9C	kPhonetic	990*
U+295A0	kPhonetic	990*
U+29A1A	kPhonetic	990*

## PRI #468 Feedback

The single item of [PRI #468](#) (*Proposed Update UAX #45*) feedback that is in this section was discussed by the group, and for convenience, the following data file, which is a PDF attachment, includes the recommended UAX #45 data file changes based on it:

- *USource-changes-20230707.txt*

The recommended UAX #45 data file changes are also shown inline, following the **Recommendations**.

## 05) ID20230622075657

Date/Time: Thu Jun 22 07:56:57 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230622075657

Name: Charlotte Buff

Report Type: Public Review Issue

Opt Subject: 468

There are a number of ideographic description sequences in USourceData.txt where the usage of ? as a placeholder can be replaced with a proper component that has since been encoded.

UTC-00972: 𠂇?争 to 𠂇争

UTC-00974: 𠂇亾? to 𠂇亾

UTC-00975: 𠂇亾? to 𠂇亾直

UTC-00983: 𠂇?双 to 𠂇直双

UTC-00990: 𠂇土? to 𠂇土真

UTC-00999: 𠂇?定 to 𠂇定

UTC-01009: 𠂇亾? to 𠂇亾

UTC-01010: 𠂇亾? to 𠂇亾

UTC-01012: 𠂇亾? to 𠂇亾真

UTC-01014: 𠂇扌? to 𠂇扌

UTC-01015: 𠂇扌? to 𠂇扌

UTC-01019: 𠂇日? to 𠂇日

UTC-01021: 𠂇木? to 𠂇木

UTC-01023: 𠂇歹? to 𠂇歹

UTC-01026: 𠂇氵? to 𠂇氵

UTC-01027: 𠂇氵? to 𠂇氵真

UTC-01031: 𠂇牛? to 𠂇牛

UTC-01032: 𠂇犮? to 𠂇犮

UTC-01035: 𠂇目? to 𠂇目

UTC-01042: 𠂇立? to 𠂇立

UTC-01050: 𠂇𠂇? to 𠂇𠂇

UTC-01054: 𠂇𠂇? to 𠂇𠂇 (IDC was also wrong in this case)

UTC-01058: 𠂇讠? to 𠂇讠

UTC-01070: 𠂇钅? to 𠂇钅真

UTC-01071: 𠂇?页 to 𠂇頁

The following make use of the new rotation operator.

UK-01373: 𠂇?戈 to 𠂇𠀧戈

UK-01397: 𠂇?示 to 𠂇𠀧𠂇

UK-01411: 𠂇虎? to 𠂇虎𠀧

UTC-03253: 𠂇見見 to 𠂇見𠀧見

UTC-03254: 見見見見見見 to 見見見見見見

Additionally, I have provided an IDS for some ideographs that currently have none. Some of them use the new subtraction and rotation operators.

UTC-00014: 𠂇

UTC-00055: 丿丶米

UTC-00062: 免 (the second component is U+2E80 CJK RADICAL REPEAT)

UTC-00135: 束\

UTC-00247: 貝戒

UTC-00285: 丶丂壯 (the enclosure is 丶丂 and not 宀 because this character belongs to radical 22)

UTC-00950: 福

UTC-00951: 春

UTC-00952: 錢

The following sequences are malformed (don't include any operators) and need to be corrected:

UK-02945: 𠂇风 to 𠂇𠂇风

UK-02946: 钟鑑 to 钟钟鑑

UK-02947: 钟羊 to 钟钟羊

UK-02948: 腾腾 to 腾腾腾

UK-02949: 卤卤 to 卤卤卤

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and agreed that the proposed IDS changes in the UAX #45 data file are appropriate, to include using the new Ideographic Description Characters in Unicode Version 15.1. Changes to the UAX #45 data file, *USourceData.txt*, can be safely targeted for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the UAX #45 data file to reflect changes to IDSes, based on PRI #468 feedback [ID20230622075657] and Section 05 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 05 of document L2/23-163. See PRI #468 feedback [ID20230622075657].

Current:

UTC-00014;ExtC;U+2A79D;15.5;;;ABC2;;7;5

UTC-00055;ExtC;U+2B0B1;119.2;;;ABC2;;8;3

UTC-00062;ExtE;U+2B94E;15.10;;;ABC2;;9;3

UTC-00135;ExtC;U+2AA72;50.2;;;DYC 274.110;;5;1

UTC-00247;Variant;U+27D6A;154.6;;;kSBGY 530.08;;1

UTC-00285;ExtE;U+2B9D4;22.8;;;kSBGY 183.09;;10;3

UTC-00950;Rejected;;113.9;;;UDR;;2

UTC-00951;Rejected;;72.5;;;UDR;;2

UTC-00952;Rejected;;167.5;;;UDR;;2

UTC-00972;ExtG;U+30053;6.10;;?争;UTCDoc L2/12-333 4;;11;1

UTC-00974;ExtG;U+3006C;9.5;;?亾;UTCDoc L2/12-333 6;;7;2

UTC-00975;ExtG;U+30072;9.6;;? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 7;;8;1  
 UTC-00983;ExtG;U+30179;24.8;;? 双;UTCDoc L2/12-333 15;;10;2  
 UTC-00990;ExtG;U+30270;32.7;;? 土? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 22;;10;1  
 UTC-00999;ExtG;U+3034E;40.10;;? 定;UTCDoc L2/12-333 31;;13;1  
 UTC-01009;ExtG;U+3044A;61.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 41;;8;1  
 UTC-01010;ExtG;U+3044C;61.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 42;;8;2  
 UTC-01012;ExtG;U+3045D;61.7;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 44;;10;1  
 UTC-01014;ExtG;U+304CC;64.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 46;;8;1  
 UTC-01015;ExtG;U+304E2;64.6;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 47;;9;4  
 UTC-01019;ExtG;U+3057A;72.5;;? 日? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 51;;9;1  
 UTC-01021;ExtG;U+305DD;75.6;;? 木? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 53;;10;1  
 UTC-01023;ExtG;U+3067D;78.6;;? 歹? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 55;;10;1  
 UTC-01026;ExtG;U+306D3;85.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 58;;8;1  
 UTC-01027;ExtG;U+306EC;85.7;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 59;;10;1  
 UTC-01031;ExtG;U+30831;93.5;;? 牛? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 63;;9;2  
 UTC-01032;ExtG;U+30842;94.5;;? 犬? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 64;;8;1  
 UTC-01035;ExtG;U+30955;109.5;;? 目? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 67;;10;1  
 UTC-01042;ExtG;U+30A62;117.5;;? 立? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 74;;10;1  
 UTC-01050;ExtG;U+30B4B;122.6;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 82;;11;1  
 UTC-01054;ExtG;U+30C2B;140.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 86;;9;1  
 UTC-01058;ExtG;U+30D55;149'.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 90;;7;1  
 UTC-01070;ExtG;U+30F82;167'.7;;? 钅? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 102;;12;1  
 UTC-01071;ExtG;U+310AA;181'.7;;? 页? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 103;;13;1  
 UK-01373;ExtG;U+304A5;62.4;;? 戈;UTCDoc L2/15-260 61;;8;1  
 UK-01397;ExtG;U+30A07;113.8;;? 示;UTCDoc L2/15-260 85;;13;3  
 UK-01411;ExtG;U+30C9E;141.4;;? 虍? ;UTCDoc L2/15-260 99;;12;1  
 UK-02945;ExtG;U+300F6;15.4;;? 风;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1633;;6;3  
 UK-02946;ExtG;U+30FC0;167'.13;;? 钏鑑;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1634;;18;2  
 UK-02947;ExtG;U+30F7D;167'.6;;? 钏羊;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1635;;11;4  
 UK-02948;ExtG;U+30C82;140.13;;? 腾;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1636;;16;3  
 UK-02949;ExtG;U+306EE;85.7;;? 卦;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1637;;10;2  
 UTC-03253;FutureWS;;147.7;;? 見見見見;UTCDoc L2/22-009 2;kSimplifiedVariant  
 U+32053;14;2  
 UTC-03254;FutureWS;;147.21;;? 見見見見見見;UTCDoc L2/22-009 3;;28;2

### Adjusted:

UTC-00014;ExtC;U+2A79D;15.5;;? ? ;ABC2;;7;5  
 UTC-00055;ExtC;U+2B0B1;119.2;;? ? ;ABC2;;8;3  
 UTC-00062;ExtE;U+2B94E;15.10;;? ? ;ABC2;;9;3  
 UTC-00135;ExtC;U+2AA72;50.2;;? 束\;DYC 274.110;;5;1  
 UTC-00247;Variant;U+27D6A;154.6;;? ? ;kSBGY 530.08;;1  
 UTC-00285;ExtE;U+2B9D4;22.8;;? ? ? ;kSBGY 183.09;;10;3  
 UTC-00950;Rejected;;113.9;;? ? ;UDR;;;2  
 UTC-00951;Rejected;;72.5;;? ? ;UDR;;;2  
 UTC-00952;Rejected;;167.5;;? ? ;UDR;;;2  
 UTC-00972;ExtG;U+30053;6.10;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 4;;11;1  
 UTC-00974;ExtG;U+3006C;9.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 6;;7;2  
 UTC-00975;ExtG;U+30072;9.6;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 7;;8;1  
 UTC-00983;ExtG;U+30179;24.8;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 15;;10;2  
 UTC-00990;ExtG;U+30270;32.7;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 22;;10;1  
 UTC-00999;ExtG;U+3034E;40.10;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 31;;13;1  
 UTC-01009;ExtG;U+3044A;61.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 41;;8;1  
 UTC-01010;ExtG;U+3044C;61.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 42;;8;2  
 UTC-01012;ExtG;U+3045D;61.7;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 44;;10;1  
 UTC-01014;ExtG;U+304CC;64.5;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 46;;8;1  
 UTC-01015;ExtG;U+304E2;64.6;;? ? ;UTCDoc L2/12-333 47;;9;4

UTC-01019;ExtG;U+3057A;72.5;;日<sup>妻</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 51;;9;1  
 UTC-01021;ExtG;U+305DD;75.6;;木<sup>直</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 53;;10;1  
 UTC-01023;ExtG;U+3067D;78.6;;歹<sup>直</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 55;;10;1  
 UTC-01026;ExtG;U+306D3;85.5;;<sup>彑</sup><sup>妻</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 58;;8;1  
 UTC-01027;ExtG;U+306EC;85.7;;<sup>彑</sup><sup>真</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 59;;10;1  
 UTC-01031;ExtG;U+30831;93.5;;牛<sup>贝</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 63;;9;2  
 UTC-01032;ExtG;U+30842;94.5;;犮<sup>专</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 64;;8;1  
 UTC-01035;ExtG;U+30955;109.5;;目<sup>妻</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 67;;10;1  
 UTC-01042;ExtG;U+30A62;117.5;;立<sup>妻</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 74;;10;1  
 UTC-01050;ExtG;U+30B4B;122.6;;<sup>丶</sup><sup>直</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 82;;11;1  
 UTC-01054;ExtG;U+30C2B;140.5;;<sup>𠀤</sup><sup>妻</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 86;;9;1  
 UTC-01058;ExtG;U+30D55;149'.5;;<sup>讠</sup><sup>妻</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 90;;7;1  
 UTC-01070;ExtG;U+30F82;167'.7;;<sup>钅</sup><sup>真</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 102;;12;1  
 UTC-01071;ExtG;U+310AA;181'.7;;<sup>眞</sup><sup>页</sup>;UTCDoc L2/12-333 103;;13;1  
 UK-01373;ExtG;U+304A5;62.4;;<sup>戈</sup><sup>戈</sup>;UTCDoc L2/15-260 61;;8;1  
 UK-01397;ExtG;U+30A07;113.8;;<sup>𠀤</sup><sup>佳</sup><sup>示</sup>;UTCDoc L2/15-260 85;;13;3  
 UK-01411;ExtG;U+30C9E;141.4;;<sup>虎</sup><sup>戈</sup>;UTCDoc L2/15-260 99;;12;1  
 UK-02945;ExtG;U+300F6;15.4;;<sup>𠂇</sup><sup>风</sup>;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1633;;6;3  
 UK-02946;ExtG;U+30FC0;167'.13;;<sup>钅</sup><sup>鑑</sup>;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1634;;18;2  
 UK-02947;ExtG;U+30F7D;167'.6;;<sup>钅</sup><sup>羊</sup>;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1635;;11;4  
 UK-02948;ExtG;U+30C82;140.13;;<sup>𠀤</sup><sup>腾</sup>;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1636;;16;3  
 UK-02949;ExtG;U+306EE;85.7;;<sup>𠂇</sup><sup>卤</sup>;UTCDoc L2/15-260 1637;;10;2  
 UTC-03253;FutureWS;;147.7;;<sup>見</sup><sup>𠀤</sup><sup>見</sup>;UTCDoc L2/22-009 2;kSimplifiedVariant  
 U+32053;14;2  
 UTC-03254;FutureWS;;147.21;;<sup>見</sup><sup>𠀤</sup><sup>見</sup><sup>𠀤</sup><sup>見</sup>;UTCDoc L2/22-009 3;;28;2

## PRI #480 Feedback

The four items of [PRI #480 \(Unicode 15.1.0 Beta\)](#) feedback that are in this section were discussed by the group, and for convenience, the following data files, which are PDF attachments, include the recommended Unihan database additions, changes, and removals, and UAX #45 data file changes, based on them:

- *Unihan-additions-20230707.txt*
- *Unihan-changes-20230707.txt*
- *Unihan-removals-20230707.txt*
- *USource-changes-20230707.txt*

The recommended Unihan database additions, changes, and removals, and UAX #45 data file changes, are also shown inline, following the **Recommendations**.

## 06) ID20230526155652

**Date/Time:** Fri May 26 15:56:52 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230526155652

Name: Andrew West

Report Type: Public Review Issue

Opt Subject: 480

I have noticed the following KP glyphs which seem to have winding errors:

U+4006	盞	KP1-5D69
U+4C7B	鮆	KP1-8D70
U+4DA4	齧	KP1-9258
U+50BB	傻	KP1-3669
U+52DD	勝	KP0-E4F2
U+64C8	揥	KP1-476D
U+76F4	直	KP0-EAF1
U+771F	真	KP1-5DE4
U+881A	蠹	KP1-72F7
U+25F7D	癩	KP1-6645
U+25F84	纍	KP1-6648

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and agreed that the glyph distortions should be fixed for the Unicode Version 15.1 code charts. Ken Lunde prepared a delta font that includes only the glyphs for these 11 KP-source ideographs, applied the corrections, then supplied the TrueType font to Michel Suignard. The image below shows the representative glyphs for the affected 11 KP-source ideographs, with the distorted forms shown in the first row, and the corrected forms shown in the second row:

盞 uni4006	鮆 uni4C7B	齧 uni4DA4	傻 uni50BB	勝 uni52DD	揥 uni64C8	直 uni76F4	真 uni771F	蠹 uni881A	癩 u25F7D	纍 u25F84
盞 uni4006	鮆 uni4C7B	齧 uni4DA4	傻 uni50BB	勝 uni52DD	揥 uni64C8	直 uni76F4	真 uni771F	蠹 uni881A	癩 u25F7D	纍 u25F84

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 06 of document L2/23-163. See PRI #480 feedback [ID20230526155652].

## 07) ID20230611130639

Date/Time: Sun Jun 11 13:06:39 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230611130639

Name: Michel Mariani

Report Type: Public Review Issue

Opt Subject: 480

Two simplified/traditional variant issues in Unihan\_Variants.txt 15.1 (also in 15.0):

```
# Unihan_Variants.txt
# Date: 2023-04-26 00:00:00 GMT [KL]
# Unicode version: 15.1.0
- currently:
```

```

U+2A2C8 kSimplifiedVariant U+312C2
U+312C2 kTraditionalVariant U+2A2C8
U+23D07 kSimplifiedVariant U+3075C
U+3075C kTraditionalVariant U+23D07
- should be respectively “property-swapped”:
U+2A2C8 kTraditionalVariant U+312C2
U+312C2 kSimplifiedVariant U+2A2C8
U+23D07 kTraditionalVariant U+3075C
U+3075C kSimplifiedVariant U+23D07

```

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and agreed that the *kSimplifiedVariant* and *kTraditionalVariant* properties for the four affected ideographs should be swapped per the feedback.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to swap the *kSimplifiedVariant* and *kTraditionalVariant* properties for four ideographs, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230611130639] and Section 07 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 07 of document L2/23-163. See PRI #480 feedback [ID20230611130639].

Remove:

U+23D07	kSimplifiedVariant	U+3075C
U+2A2C8	kSimplifiedVariant	U+312C2
U+3075C	kTraditionalVariant	U+23D07
U+312C2	kTraditionalVariant	U+2A2C8

New:

U+23D07	<b>kTraditionalVariant</b>	U+3075C
U+2A2C8	<b>kTraditionalVariant</b>	U+312C2
U+3075C	<b>kSimplifiedVariant</b>	U+23D07
U+312C2	<b>kSimplifiedVariant</b>	U+2A2C8

## 08) ID20230616144439

**Date/Time:** Fri Jun 16 14:44:39 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230616144439

Name: Jaycee Carter

Report Type: Error Report

Opt Subject: **UnicodeData.txt and CJK Unified Ideographs Extension A**

The following values seem to be incorrect:

𠂇 (U+3AB3): kRSUnicode of 68.2 should be 68.1; kTotalStrokes of 6 should be 5

𠂇 (U+3AC8): kRSUnicode of 70.6 should be 70.5; kTotalStrokes of 10 should be 9

Although these both have the nonstandard component of a circle (which I have assumed to be a single stroke), they should be compared with 𠂇 (U+3514), which

has a kRSUnicode of 19.4 and kTotalStrokes of 6 (i.e. the circle is counted as one stroke).

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and agreed that the informative kRSUnicode and kTotalStrokes property values for U+3AB3 彑 and U+3AC8 彏 should be adjusted per the feedback.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept the proposal to update the informative kRSUnicode and kTotalStrokes property values for U+3AB3 and U+3AC8, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230616144439] and Section 08 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Michel Suignard, CJK:** Update the kRSUnicode and kTotalStrokes property values for U+3AB3 and U+3AC8, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230616144439] and Section 08 of document L2/23-163, and provide to Ken Lunde an updated Unihan data file, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to update the kRSUnicode and kTotalStrokes property values for U+3AB3 and U+3AC8, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230616144439] and Section 08 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 08 of document L2/23-163. See PRI #480 feedback [ID20230616144439].

Current:

U+3AB3	kRSUnicode	68.2
U+3AB3	kTotalStrokes	6
U+3AC8	kRSUnicode	70.6
U+3AC8	kTotalStrokes	10

Adjusted:

U+3AB3	kRSUnicode	68.1
U+3AB3	kTotalStrokes	5
U+3AC8	kRSUnicode	70.5
U+3AC8	kTotalStrokes	9

## 09) ID20230622205550

**Date/Time:** Thu Jun 22 20:55:50 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230622205550

Name: Judith Chen

Report Type: Public Review Issue

Opt Subject: 480

It seems that the newly-added U-source glyph UTC-02994 was wrongly unified to U+44D5 遵.

With the addition of CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I in Unicode 15.1.0 Beta, I suggest that Unicode move UTC-02994 to U+2EDD4 遵, for the G-source glyph GIDC23-485 of U+2EDD4 遵 is identical to UTC-02994.

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and noted that this change was already on our radar. In addition, the revised Extension I code point per document L2/23-114R is U+2EDE3. In

addition to moving the U-source from U+44D5 to U+2EDE3, the record for UTC-02994 in the UAX #45 data file, *USourceData.txt*, needs to be adjusted accordingly, and **ExtI** needs to be added as a new status field value in UAX #45 proper and in the header of *USourceData.txt*. The table below constitutes a proposal to horizontally-extend U+2EDE3 by adding UTC-02994 as a new U-source source reference:

Code Point	Code Chart Excerpt—Version 15.1	U-Source Source Reference	Representative Glyph
U+2EDE3	2EDE3 辶 162.8 GIDC23-500	UTC-02994	辶

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept the proposal to remove “162.8” from the informative kRSUnicode property value of U+44D5 and move the normative kIRG\_Usource property value “UTC-02994” from U+44D5 to U+2EDE3, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230622205550] and as amended in Section 09 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Michel Suignard, CJK:** Remove “162.8” from the kRSUnicode property value of U+44D5 and move the kIRG\_Usource property value “UTC-02994” from U+44D5 to U+2EDE3, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230622205550] and as amended in Section 09 of document L2/23-163, and provide to Ken Lunde an updated Unihan data file, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to remove “162.8” from the kRSUnicode property value of U+44D5 and move the kIRG\_Usource property value “UTC-02994” from U+44D5 to U+2EDE3, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230622205550] and as amended in Section 09 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the record for “UTC-02994” in the UAX #45 data file, *USourceData.txt*, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230622205550] and as amended in Section 09 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update UAX #45 and the header of the UAX #45 data file, *USourceData.txt*, to add “ExtI” as a new status field value, based on PRI #480 feedback [ID20230622205550] and as amended in Section 09 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 15.1.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 09 of document L2/23-163. See PRI #480 feedback [ID20230622205550].

Current:

U+44D5	kRSUnicode	140.8 <b>162.8</b>
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Adjusted:

U+44D5	kRSUnicode	140.8
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Remove:

U+44D5	kIRG_Usource	UTC-02994
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New:

U+2EDE3	kIRG_Usource	UTC-02994
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Current (*USourceData.txt*):

UTC-02994;ExtA;U+44D5;**140.8** 162.8;;莞;UTCDoc L2/17-062 14;kMandarin: yuǎn;12 10;1

Adjusted (*USourceData.txt*):

UTC-02994;**ExtI;U+2EDE3**;162.8;;莞;UTCDoc L2/17-062 14;kMandarin: yuǎn;12 10;1

## Public Feedback

The three items of public feedback from [L2/23-159](#) that are in this section were discussed by the group, and for convenience, the following data file, which is a PDF attachment, includes the recommended Unihan database additions based on them:

- *Unihan-additions-20230707.txt*

The recommended Unihan database changes are also shown inline, following the **Recommendations**.

### 10) ID20230522180709

**Date/Time:** Mon May 22 18:07:09 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230522180709

Name: Paul Masson

Report Type: Error Report

Opt Subject: **kPhonetic for U+645E**

This character appears on p.350 of Casey but is not in a phonetic group. It appears that the appropriate one is 842. This was not added in version 15.  
Thank you.

**Comments:** This particular addition to the provisional *kPhonetic* property is already reflected in the Unihan database for Unicode Version 15.1 Beta:

U+645E      kPhonetic      842\*

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 10 of document L2/23-163. See feedback [ID20230522180709] in L2/23-159.

### 11) ID20230522180742

**Date/Time:** Mon May 22 18:07:42 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230522180742

Name: Paul Masson

Report Type: Error Report

Opt Subject: **kPhonetic for U+773E**

This character is a variant of U+8846. It appears in Casey in the same group 324. Please add this entry to your database. Thank you.

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and agreed that adding **324\*** as the *kPhonetic* property value of U+773E would be appropriate.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to add “324\*” as the *kPhonetic* property value of U+773E, based on feedback [ID20230522180742] in document L2/23-159 and Section 11 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 11 of document L2/23-163. See feedback [ID20230522180742] in L2/23-159.

New:

U+773E      kPhonetic      324\*

## 12) ID20230522180830

**Date/Time:** Mon May 22 18:08:30 CDT 2023

ReportID: ID20230522180830

Name: Paul Masson

Report Type: Error Report

Opt Subject: **kPhonetic for U+78D7**

This character had a *kPhonetic* value of 269 in version 13, which was changed in version 14 to 1157\*. It disappeared from the database in version 15 when the latter group was radically pruned, as needed to occur. Please add the correct entry to the database. Thank you.

**Comments:** The group discussed this feedback, and agreed that restoring **269** as the *kPhonetic* property value of U+78D7 would be appropriate. In addition, the group noted that when all *kPhonetic* property values of **1157\*** were removed in Unicode Version 15.0, the following two property values that existed prior to Unicode Version 14.0 were also removed:

U+69D6      kPhonetic      1157\*  
U+6CB0      kPhonetic      1157\*

It is obvious from the source of this property that only U+6CB0 沂 belongs to this phonetic group, so the group agreed that it would be appropriate to restore its property value.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to add “1157\*” and “269” as the *kPhonetic* property values of U+6CB0 and U+78D7, respectively, based on feedback [ID20230522180830] in document L2/23-159 and as amended in Section 12 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the feedback submitter the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 12 of document L2/23-163. See feedback [ID20230522180830] in L2/23-159.

New:

U+6CB0      kPhonetic      1157\*  
U+78D7      kPhonetic      269

# UAX #38 / Unihan Database Documents

The five documents in this section were discussed by the group, and for convenience, the following data files, which are PDF attachments, include all of the recommended Unihan database additions, changes, and removals based on them:

- *Unihan-additions-20230707.txt*
- *Unihan-changes-20230707.txt*
- *Unihan-removals-20230707.txt*
- *kFanqie-20230707.txt*
- *kIRG\_JSource-additions-20230707.txt*

With the exception of the *kFanqie* property and *kIRG\_JSource* property additions, the recommended Unihan database changes are also shown inline, immediately following the **Recommendations**.

## 13) L2/23-128: Request for consideration to update kSBGY property in Unihan DB

**Comments:** The group discussed this proposal, which is to move the provisional *kSBGY* property value **269.42** from U+555F 啟 to U+5553 啓 for better alignment with the proposed *kFanqie* property in document L2/23-002R that will be discussed in Section 14 of this document, and agreed that the change is appropriate.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition →

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to move the *kSBGY* property value “269.42” from U+555F to U+5553, based on document L2/23-128 and Section 13 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

Remove:

**U+555F**      kSBGY      269.42

New:

**U+5553**      kSBGY      269.42

## 14) L2/23-002R: Proposal to add kFanqie to Unihan Database

**Comments:** The group discussed this revised proposal to add the new provisional *kFanqie* property to the Unihan database, and agreed that the property is useful and should therefore be accepted.

Fanqie (反切) is a method commonly found in ancient Chinese dictionaries and rhyming books to specify the reading of an ideograph. The method uses two ideographs to specify a reading: the first one shares the same initial part, and the second one shares the same final part. For example, 德 (tək) and 紅 (yʊŋ) are used to indicate the Middle Chinese reading of 東 (tʊŋ), and therefore the *kFanqie* property value of U+6771 東 is the ideograph pair 德紅. The method uses

a third and final ideograph, which can be either 反 or 切 (the two ideographs that correspond to Fanqie), and is therefore not included as part of the *kFanqie* property value.

In other words, the proposed *kFanqie* property corresponds to a method for associating the readings of ideographs, and is useful for writing poetry and rhymes, for analyzing the evolution of modern Chinese dialects, and for determining Middle Chinese readings. When reviewing ideographs in IRG working sets, the submitted evidence often includes the Fanqie reading, and this association helps to analyze its components and to confirm its semantics and abstract shape.

The group noted that the Syntax of this property will need to be adjusted as follows to accommodate the CJK Unified Ideographs Extension I block (the change is highlighted in red):

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[\x{3400}-\x{4DBF}\x{4E00}-\x{9FFF}\x{FA0E}\x{FA0F}\x{FA11}\x{FA13}\x{FA14}\x{FA1F}\x{FA21}\x{FA23}\x{FA24}\x{FA27}-\x{FA29}\x{20000}-\x{2A6DF}\x{2A700}-\x{2EE5F}\x{30000}-\x{323AF}]{2}
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**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept the new provisional Unihan database property, *kFanqie*, based on document L2/23-002R and Section 14 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Document the *kFanqie* property in UAX #38, based on document L2/23-002R and as amended in Section 14 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Populate the *kFanqie* property in the Unihan database with the property values as provided in L2/23-002R, based on Section 14 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Rick McGowan, UTC:** Post the PRI for the proposed update of UAX #38, to close on 2023-10-11.

## 15) L2/23-133: Revised 3 G-Source Glyphs [IRG N2611]

**Comments:** The group discussed this proposal, which involves changing the source references of five G-source ideographs, and revising the representative glyphs for three of the five ideographs, and agreed that the representative glyph and source reference changes are appropriate. In essence, the normative *kIRG\_GSource* property values for U+25D89 餐 and U+28BBA 鑽 will move to U+7C51 餐 and U+9459 鑽, respectively, and those for U+2180C 婦, U+25D89 餐, and U+28BBA 鑽 will be changed to the self-referencing **GU** G-source prefix.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept the proposal to change the normative *kIRG\_GSource* property values of five ideographs, based on document L2/23-133 and Section 15 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Michel Suignard, CJK:** Change the *kIRG\_GSource* property values of U+7C51, U+9459, U+2180C, U+25D89, and U+28BBA, based on document L2/23-133 and Section 15

of document L2/23-163, and provide to Ken Lunde an updated Unihan data file, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to change the kIRG\_GSource property values of U+7C51, U+9459, U+2180C, U+25D89, and U+28BBA, based on document L2/23-133 and Section 15 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

Current:

U+7C51	kIRG_GSource	GE-464C
U+9459	kIRG_GSource	GE-5248
U+2180C	kIRG_GSource	GHZ-21072.07
U+25D89	kIRG_GSource	<b>GKX-0903.28</b>
U+28BBA	kIRG_GSource	<b>GKX-1325.26</b>

Adjusted:

U+7C51	kIRG_GSource	<b>GKX-0903.28</b>
U+9459	kIRG_GSource	<b>GKX-1325.26</b>
U+2180C	kIRG_GSource	GU-2180C
U+25D89	kIRG_GSource	GU-25D89
U+28BBA	kIRG_GSource	GU-28BBA

## 16) L2/23-143: Adding a self-referencing source reference “KU-03E02” to U+3E02 [WG2 N5198]

**Comments:** The group discussed this proposal, which requests that a normative kIRG\_KSource property value with a self-referencing **KU** K-source prefix be added to U+3E02 繫, and agreed that it is appropriate.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept the proposal to add a normative kIRG\_KSource property value to U+3E02, based on document L2/23-143 and Section 16 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Michel Suignard, CJK:** Add the kIRG\_KSource property value “KU-03E02” to U+3E02, based on document L2/23-143 and Section 16 of document L2/23-163, and provide to Ken Lunde an updated Unihan data file, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to add the kIRG\_KSource property value “KU-03E02” to U+3E02, based on document L2/23-143 and Section 16 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

New:

U+3E02	kIRG_KSource	KU-03E02
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## 17) L2/23-144: Request for Horizontal Extension in the J-column of ISO/IEC 10646 [WG2 N5221]

**Comments:** The group discussed this proposal, which is a massive 36,422-ideograph horizontal extension for the normative kIRG\_JSource property, and agreed that it is a welcome addition to the Unihan database. Although the horizontal extension is massive, Ken Lunde was able to

compare it with a [near-identical horizontal extension](#) that is provided in a *CJK Type Blog* article entitled “[Unihan & Moji Jōhō Kiban Project: The Tip of the Iceberg](#)” that was published on 2018-01-27, and the 40 or so discrepancies were explained by changes that are planned for the Moji Jōhō Kiban database that can be found on pp 2 and 3 of document L2/23-144.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept the proposal to add 36,422 new normative kIRG\_JSource property values, based on document L2/23-144 and Section 17 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Michel Suignard, CJK:** Add the 36,422 new kIRG\_JSource property values, based on document L2/23-144 and Section 17 of document L2/23-163, and provide to Ken Lunde an updated Unihan data file, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Update the Unihan database to add the 36,422 new kIRG\_JSource property values, based on document L2/23-144 and Section 16 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

## UAX #45 / U-Source Documents

The five documents in this section were discussed by the group, and for convenience, the following data file, which is a PDF attachment, includes all of the recommended UAX #45 *USourceData.txt* data file additions based on them:

- *USource-additions-20230707.txt*

These recommended UAX #45 *USourceData.txt* data file additions are also shown inline, immediately following the **Recommendations**.

### 18) L2/23-110: Proposal to encode a Chinese character from Xiao Lin Guan Ji

**Comments:** The group reviewed this proposal, and agreed that adding the two ideographs to UAX #45 is reasonable, with the first one assigned a status value of **FutureWS** and the second one assigned a status value of **NoAction**. The representative glyphs for the two ideographs are shown below, with the first one being considered a candidate for inclusion in the UTC’s submission for the next IRG working set:



**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept two new U-Source ideographs as UTC-03337 and UTC-03338 with UAX #45 status values of FutureWS and NoAction, respectively, based on document L2/23-110 and Section 18 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Add two new records to the UAX #45 USourceData.txt data file and their representative glyphs to USourceGlyphs.pdf, based on document L2/23-110 and Section 18 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the author of document L2/23-110 the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 18 of document L2/23-163.

New:

UTC-03337;FutureWS;;44.19;;戶醮;UTCDoc L2/23-110 1;;22;1  
UTC-03338;NoAction;;44.19;;戶醮;UTCDoc L2/23-110 2;Variant of UTC-03337;22;1

## 19) L2/23-124: Proposal to add one common character used for Duanxi ink-stone to UAX #45

**Comments:** The group reviewed this proposal, and agreed that adding the ideograph to UAX #45 is reasonable, with an assigned status value of **FutureWS**. The ideograph, whose representative glyph is shown below, can therefore be considered as a candidate for inclusion in the UTC's submission for the next IRG working set:

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**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept one new U-Source ideograph as UTC-03339 with a UAX #45 status value of FutureWS, based on document L2/23-124 and Section 19 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Add one new record to the UAX #45 USourceData.txt data file and its representative glyph to USourceGlyphs.pdf, based on document L2/23-124 and Section 19 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

New:

UTC-03339;FutureWS;;86.8;;火奈;UTCDoc L2/23-124;kMandarin nà:kCantonese naat3;12;1

## 20) L2/23-126: Proposal about adding 10 complex Hongmen related ideographs to UAX#45

**Comments:** The group reviewed this proposal, and agreed that adding the 10 ideographs to UAX #45 is reasonable, with an assigned status value of **FutureWS**. The ideographs, whose representative glyphs are shown below, can therefore be considered as candidates for inclusion in the UTC's submission for the next IRG working set:

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**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept 10 new U-Source ideographs as UTC-03340 through UTC-03349 with a UAX #45 status value of FutureWS, based on document L2/23-126 and Section 20 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Add 10 new records to the UAX #45 USourceData.txt data file and their representative glyphs to USourceGlyphs.pdf, based on document L2/23-126 and Section 20 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

New:

UTC-03340;FutureWS;;74.52;;月戈、纟二口 綫長馬長心;UTCDoc L2/23-126  
1;;56;4  
UTC-03341;FutureWS;;74.31;;月戈、纟二口 綫长马长心;UTCDoc L2/23-126  
2;;35;4  
UTC-03342;FutureWS;;74.53;;月宀纟二口 綫長馬長心戈;UTCDoc L2/23-126 3;;57;4  
UTC-03343;FutureWS;;74.32;;月宀纟二口 綫長馬長心戈;UTCDoc L2/23-126 4;;36;4  
UTC-03344;FutureWS;;8.60;;宀月纟二口 綫一長馬長箋心;UTCDoc L2/23-126 5;;62;3  
UTC-03345;FutureWS;;61.46;;讠長馬長必;UTCDoc L2/23-126 6;;50;5  
UTC-03346;FutureWS;;46.52;;戈山、纟二口 綫長馬長...;UTCDoc L2/23-126  
7;;55;4  
UTC-03347;FutureWS;;8.27;;宀月贝戈心;UTCDoc L2/23-126 8;;29;5  
UTC-03348;FutureWS;;74.32;;月戈言纟长马长心;UTCDoc L2/23-126 9;;36;5  
UTC-03349;FutureWS;;62.52;;宀言纟長馬長心戈;UTCDoc L2/23-126 10;;56;4

## 21) L2/23-130: Proposal to add 36 ideographs for Japanese place names to UAX #45

**Comments:** The group reviewed this proposal, and agreed that adding 35 of the 36 ideographs to UAX #45 is reasonable, with an assigned status value of **FutureWS**. The group noted that one of the ideographs, the 23rd one in the proposal, is unifiable with [IRG Working Set 2021 #02998](#) (aka TC-407C), and therefore does not need to be added to UAX #45. The remaining 35 ideographs, whose representative glyphs are shown below, can therefore be considered as candidates for inclusion in the UTC's submission for the next IRG working set:

洮牻牕萃檉洩屾柺稭揤揤蘚狃聳窟  
嫿峝柦柵柮嶧巒巒柵柮巒工鯇鯈  
廣峴喊秉礪

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Consensus:** Accept 35 new U-Source ideographs as UTC-03350 through UTC-03384 with a UAX #45 status value of FutureWS, based on document L2/23-130 and as amended in Section 21 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Add 35 new records to the UAX #45 USourceData.txt data file and their representative glyphs to USourceGlyphs.pdf, based on document L2/23-130 and as amended in Section 21 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the author of document L2/23-130 the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 21 of document L2/23-163.

New:

UTC-03350;FutureWS;;85.6;; 卡;UTCDoc L2/23-130 1;kJapanese いと;9;1  
UTC-03351;FutureWS;;93.4;; 牛化;UTCDoc L2/23-130 2;kJapanese こつとい;8;3  
UTC-03352;FutureWS;;75.7;; 木励;UTCDoc L2/23-130 3;kJapanese どち:Variant of 楠 (probably);11;1  
UTC-03353;FutureWS;;140.7;; 从干;UTCDoc L2/23-130 4;kJapanese ケ:Variant of 華 (probably);10;3  
UTC-03354;FutureWS;;75.9;; 木<sup>艹</sup>字;UTCDoc L2/23-130 5;kJapanese へら;13;1  
UTC-03355;FutureWS;;85.9;; 神;UTCDoc L2/23-130 6;kJapanese ほうり;12;4  
UTC-03356;FutureWS;;46.3;; 山川;UTCDoc L2/23-130 7;kJapanese ほき:The last stroke of left part is strange, but it is certainly 山:Variant of 岸 (probably);6;3  
UTC-03357;FutureWS;;75.13;; 木蒔;UTCDoc L2/23-130 8;kJapanese たぶ;17;1  
UTC-03358;FutureWS;;115.5;; 禾<sup>丶</sup>千又;UTCDoc L2/23-130 9;kJapanese ぬき;10;3  
UTC-03359;FutureWS;;64.6;; 才年;UTCDoc L2/23-130 10;kJapanese ハイ:The right part looks like 年, but a bit different shape:It is unclear if this part is 年 or not:Variant of 拝 (probably):Unified with 挿?;9;3  
UTC-03360;FutureWS;;64.9;; 才乘;UTCDoc L2/23-130 11;kJapanese はと:The right part looks like a 乘, but vertical stroke was hook;12;3  
UTC-03361;FutureWS;;140.13;; 身瓜;UTCDoc L2/23-130 12;kJapanese こも:Variant of 萩 (probably);16;3  
UTC-03362;FutureWS;;94.4;; 犀刃;UTCDoc L2/23-130 13;kJapanese チュウ:Variant of 犀;7;5  
UTC-03363;FutureWS;;128.10;; 跛耳;UTCDoc L2/23-130 14;;16;4  
UTC-03364;FutureWS;;116.11;; 穴堀;UTCDoc L2/23-130 15;kJapanese ほき ほっき:Similar to 窮;16;1  
UTC-03365;FutureWS;;38.14;; 跛女;UTCDoc L2/23-130 16;kJapanese ごぜ:Similar to 窮;17;1  
UTC-03366;FutureWS;;46.9;; 山段;UTCDoc L2/23-130 17;kJapanese ゆり;12;3  
UTC-03367;FutureWS;;75.1;; 木畔;UTCDoc L2/23-130 18;kJapanese くるが;14;2  
UTC-03368;FutureWS;;75.2;; 木<sup>ノ</sup>メ;UTCDoc L2/23-130 19;kJapanese しめ;6;3  
UTC-03369;FutureWS;;140.9;; 元<sup>ノ</sup>ト又;UTCDoc L2/23-130 20;kJapanese ク:Variant of 蔽;12;2  
UTC-03370;FutureWS;;46.7;; 山花;UTCDoc L2/23-130 21;kJapanese はな;10;1  
UTC-03371;FutureWS;;142.5;; 虫矢;UTCDoc L2/23-130 22;kJapanese けら;11;3  
UTC-03372;FutureWS;;142.16;; 月虫丸;UTCDoc L2/23-130 24;kJapanese ほらが い:Variant of 贏;22;4  
UTC-03373;FutureWS;;46.12;; 山碎;UTCDoc L2/23-130 25;kJapanese びやく;15;1  
UTC-03374;FutureWS;;75.8;; 木<sup>ノ</sup>止<sup>ノ</sup>ノ<sup>ノ</sup>入;UTCDoc L2/23-130 26;kJapanese しぶ;12;1  
UTC-03375;FutureWS;;75.7;; 木<sup>ノ</sup>且<sup>ノ</sup>八;UTCDoc L2/23-130 27;Similar to 楠;11;2  
UTC-03376;FutureWS;;142.15;; 亡<sup>ノ</sup>月虫凡;UTCDoc L2/23-130 28;kJapanese つぶ ら:Variant of 贏;21;4  
UTC-03377;FutureWS;;48.0;; 一;UTCDoc L2/23-130 29;kJapanese コウ:Variant of 工;2;0  
UTC-03378;FutureWS;;195.7;; 猬完;UTCDoc L2/23-130 30;kJapanese あめ:Variant of 鰐;17;4  
UTC-03379;FutureWS;;195.9;; 魚砂;UTCDoc L2/23-130 31;kJapanese はぜ:Variant of 鯨 (probably);20;1

UTC-03380;FutureWS;;140.14;;广黄;UTCDoc L2/23-130 32;;17;4  
UTC-03381;FutureWS;;46.6;;山爰;UTCDoc L2/23-130 33;kJapanese がけ:Simplified of 疊;9;1  
UTC-03382;FutureWS;;30.6;;口成;UTCDoc L2/23-130 34;kJapanese かみ;9;1  
UTC-03383;FutureWS;;75.5;;平木;UTCDoc L2/23-130 35;kJapanese なろ;9;1  
UTC-03384;FutureWS;;112.9;;石飞;UTCDoc L2/23-130 36;kJapanese つぶて:Variant of 碓(probably);14;5  
1;;56;4

## 22) L2/23-139R: Proposal to Encode Abbreviated Ideographs(Kanjis) in Japanese

**Comments:** The group reviewed this proposal, and agreed that adding the nine ideographs to UAX #45 is reasonable, with an assigned status value of **FutureWS**. The ideographs, whose representative glyphs are shown below, can therefore be considered as candidates for inclusion in the UTC's submission for the next IRG working set:

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**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition →

**Consensus:** Accept nine new U-Source ideographs as UTC-03385 through UTC-03393 with a UAX #45 status value of FutureWS, based on document L2/23-139R and Section 22 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Add nine new records to the UAX #45 USourceData.txt data file and their representative glyphs to USourceGlyphs.pdf, based on document L2/23-139R and Section 22 of document L2/23-163, for Unicode Version 16.0.

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the author of document L2/23-139R the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 22 of document L2/23-163.

New:

UTC-03385;FutureWS;;53.2;;广々;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 1;Japanese simplified forms of U+6469 and U+9B54;5;5  
UTC-03386;FutureWS;;18.6;;虧;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 2;Japanese simplified form of U+5287;8;2  
UTC-03387;FutureWS;;75.9;;戻;戈人;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 3;Japanese simplified form of U+6A5F;13;4  
UTC-03388;FutureWS;;75.10;;八;戈人;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 4;Japanese simplified form of U+6A5F;14;4  
UTC-03389;FutureWS;;162.9;;共;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 5;Japanese simplified form of U+9078;13;4  
UTC-03390;FutureWS;;44.2;;戻;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 6;Japanese simplified form of U+5C64;5;4  
UTC-03391;FutureWS;;53.5;;夕力;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 7;Japanese simplified form of U+9DF9;8;3  
UTC-03392;FutureWS;;140.6;;月卜;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 8;Japanese simplified form of U+85E4;10;3  
UTC-03393;FutureWS;;31.1;;丶;UTCDoc L2/23-139R 9;Japanese simplified forms of U+56FD and U+5712;4;4

## Other Documents

### 23) L2/23-112: Proposal for missing Kana-Ligatures

**Comments:** Ken Lunde solicited feedback from the Japan National Body, which was neutral. The Japan National Body did admit that among the hiragana ligatures that the one for こと has the strongest evidence. Such evidence, which includes both こと and *dakuten*-annotated ごと, can be seen on page 5 of document L2/23-127 that will be discussed in Section 25 of this document:

と	げ	ふ	そ	ほ	じ	て	か
ど	ご	こ	わ	ど	あ	よ	
	さ	お	か	ど	す	ゐ	た
	じ	に	よ		せ	さ	れ
	す	え	た		ぞ	き	せ
	ぜ	て	る		う	ゆ	そ
	ぞ	あ	れ	ど	だ	ち	ろ

The group was mixed as to whether the additional hiragana ligatures should be encoded, mainly due to their strong vertical-only implications, but was more in favor of the katakana ligatures being encoded. The group therefore invites the author to prepare and submit a revised proposal that potentially includes a reduced set of hiragana ligatures.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the author of document L2/23-112 the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 23 of document L2/23-163, and forward to the author the comments from the Japan National Body.

### 24) L2/23-118: Proposal for superscript katakana letters for Ryukyuan languages

[L2/23-123: Feedback on L2/23-118 \(Proposal for superscript katakana letters for Ryukyuan languages\)](#)

**Comments:** Ken Lunde solicited feedback from the Japan National Body, which was positive. However, there remains many questions that remain unanswered, particularly those in document L2/23-118. The Japan National Body indicated that the use of “superscript” may not be appropriate for these characters, and that they should engage with the Shimakutoba Promotion Office (しまくとうば普及推進室) in Okinawa Prefecture. The group therefore invites the author to engage with the Japan National Body directly, and prepare and submit a revised proposal.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**Action Item for Ken Lunde, CJK:** Convey to the author of document L2/23-123 the CJK & Unihan Group comments in Section 24 of document L2/23-163, and forward to the author the comments from the Japan National Body, along with a contact name and email address.

## **25) L2/23-127: Introduction on two unencoded Katakana letters**

**Comments:** Ken Lunde solicited feedback from the Japan National Body, which was positive. The group therefore invites the author to prepare and submit a revised proposal that includes character names, recommended code points, character properties, code chart annotations, a TrueType font that includes their representative glyphs, and a Proposal Summary Form. The author of document L2/23-127 is a member of this group, and therefore already has the above feedback, so no UTC action is required.

**Recommendations:** The group recommends to the UTC the following disposition ➔

**No UTC action is required.**

That is all.